

# the Iowa Park Herald

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For Sale — '49 Oldsmobile, \$190. Mrs. Everett Stephenson, ph. 7402. tc

Wanted—Ironing in my home. Phone 3111. Mrs. B. E. Darnell. tc

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**ELECTION NOTICE**  
At the regular City Council meeting held in the City Hall of Iowa Park, Texas, on Monday night, January 13, 1958, with all members of the City Council being present, the Annual Election of City Officials was called for the first Tuesday in April, being Tuesday, April 1, 1958. Such election to be held in the City Hall (there being only one voting place) and the polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m. The final date for filing names on the ballot was set for 12:00 o'clock noon, Saturday, March 1, 1958.

For the election of a mayor, a city secretary, and three aldermen. Officers whose terms expire April 1958 are, Mayor R. E. Van Horn, city secretary, Dosis S. Smith, and aldermen, Harrel R. Sullivan, Frank F. Rauschuber and L. Lavere Thompson. Holdover aldermen are Clark H. Holloway and Herman M. Mahler. 6c



## Many Former Firemen Gather for Annual Banquet

The annual Firemen's Banquet of the Volunteer Fire Department of Iowa Park for 1958 turned out to be a reunion and homecoming for a large number of former and present members of the department.

Patrolman D. L. Cooper, safety supervisor of the state Highway Patrol, gave a demonstration of pistol shooting. The entire audience enjoyed Cooper's accurate shooting and the witty way he narrated his demonstrations.

Officers installed for 1958 were: Oscar Singleton, chief. Loyd Bell, assistant chief. John Mixon, president. Lloyd Harris, vice-president. R. R. Brubaker, secretary. Trustees: Ronnie Deloy, Eldon Thompson, Gerald Walsh.

Awards were presented to J. W. Thomas for attending the most regular meetings during the year; to Taylor George for attending the most drill meetings; to Ronnie Deloy for the best percentage of attendance for fire alarms and for attending the state firemen's instruction course; and to Hill Anglin for traveling the farthest (400 miles) to attend the banquet.

Gifts of appreciation were presented to Patrolman Cooper, and Mrs. Jeter, to Mrs. Beall, and to Woodall.

Mr. Cole gave the benediction, after which visiting and picture taking were enjoyed.

The present Volunteer Fire Department was organized November 1924 in the City Hall, with 18 charter members. Iowa Park had tried to maintain a fire department several times before that time because our town had had several serious fires with only a bucket brigade to fight them.

The buildings on the south side of Cash street burned, and water had to be carried from wells at Tanner's store and the city park. This made people realize the need for a fire department.

The City had offered a horse-drawn fire wagon in 1895, but for some reason it was never accepted.

These 18 men who were interested in protecting our town from fire drew up a constitution and by-laws with Bob Brubaker acting as chairman. J. C. Ralston sr., chief, and S. D. Jacks, president, were elected for that year.

Other charter members were F. E. Hill, H. A. Mills, Warren Clark, J. H. Anglin, W. R. Arnold, M. L. Hines, W. E. Carter, Scott Ralston, T. J. Pace, Swan Reaves, C. F. Ruth, C. E. Davis, L. C. Denny jr., C. M. Duncan.

H. T. Danner furnished a used Ford truck and it was equipped with hoses and a small pump. That year the cotton platform burned and several small fires were extinguished.

1925 found Danner as chief and Ralston as president. The Chick Hatchery and City Market burned. The City bought an International truck with hoses and a booster pump.

1926—Danner, chief, and R. R. Brubaker, president. The Valley Gin burned and several other small fires kept the boys busy.

1927—Same chief and president. The Birk-George gin burned.

1928—J. H. Anglin, chief, Brubaker, president. No large fires that year, but the boys worked hard to make enough money to attend the state convention at Denton, where they entered the hose cart race.

1929—Same leaders. They chartered a bus and 17 attended state convention at Galveston. They entered the hose cart race, which they lost, but from all reports the boys had fun. Park hotel annex

## Water Election Has Write-in

A late-hours write-in campaign in Tuesday's election for three members of the board of Wichita County Water Control and Improvement District 3, resulted in the naming of three new men to that board, according to the unofficial tabulation made by M. E. Banks, election judge, and Mrs. R. R. Brubaker and Mrs. John Tidwell, clerks.

Results of the election were:  
E. C. Holder, 48  
B. W. Koonce, 47  
F. M. Wilson, 47  
F. E. Hill, 46  
John B. Barbour, 41  
Carl Troutman, 41  
Edd Hodges, 3

At some time in the near future, the board will meet and canvass results of the election and announce the results. Hill, Barbour and Troutman were listed on the ballots, while Holder and Koonce and Wilson were the write-in candidates.



## 1957 Was Good Business Year; Prospects Bright, Says Bank Chief

State National Bank of Iowa Park, in its annual meeting the past week, re-elected all officers and directors; declared a 20 per cent dividend for stockholders; and voted a 10 per cent bonus for all employees.

According to F. E. Hill, president, the bank had one of its best years in 1957. "In 1958," continued Hill, "the bank and all of Iowa Park can expect and work for an even better economic position."

"With tensions relieved by the present trend, Iowa Park has a wonderful opportunity for growth. The \$6,000,000 development at Sheppard Air Force Base which will bring the SAC with its 10-minute alert provisions, opens for this area a tremendous opportunity to grow as a residential area. A natural consequence of this added population will be more retail business and growth industrially.

"Evidence of our potential as a residential area is the current plan of Lincoln Enterprises of Wichita Falls. They have announced construction of seven 3-bedroom brick houses here and have options on 24 more building sites.

"The State National Bank stands ready at all times to assist in the development of Iowa Park and the community. We are financially strong enough to be of great assistance, and will co-operate in every way to back sound, needed business development here."

In reviewing the history of the bank through the past 19 years, President Hill revealed the bank is now at least seven times as strong as it was in March 1939. Instead of taking out the profits earned through the years, directors and officers have built up surplus and undivided profits, thus putting the bank on a strong financial basis.

Officers of the bank are: F. E. Hill, president; W. A. George, vice-president; Cashier, Mrs. Mildred Traylor; Assistant cashier, Miss Roberta Hill.

Directors are F. E. Hill, Herman Mitchell, J. W. Van Horn, W. F. George, C. E. Birk, Earle L. Denny, W. A. George, Jno. C. Murphree.

## Work Started on New Church

The Day of Days arrived for members of the Iowa Park Christian church on Tuesday of this week! A contract was signed for construction of the church's new sanctuary on the corner of Cash and Bond streets.

And ink on the contract had not dried before actual work on the beautiful new structure had been started. A bulldozer belonging to Arch Hughes was busy Wednesday leveling the site and skimming the grass.

Those who have seen architect's drawings and plans of the building are enthusiastic, and say it will be one of the most beautiful and functional churches, for its size, in this part of Texas.

Building permits for the church show it will cost about \$92,000.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Gilstrap had as guests last week their daughter and grandson Mrs. Ted Bernardi and Scotty of Whitesone, N.Y. Mr. and Mrs. Bernardi and son spent their vacation in Hawaii and on the return trip she brought her son for a visit with his grandparents. She will be remembered as Miss Pauline Gilstrap.

Tony Vann, who suffered a fractured leg recently in a fall from the Iowa Park water tower, is reported improving. He hopes to go to his home at Texarkana in a few days.



Charter members and out of town former members, l. to r.: Miles Hines, Swan Reaves, L. E. Wilson, L. A. Teal, Scott Ralston, Noel McKinney, Hill Anglin, C. M. Duncan, Jack Stewart, T. J. Pace, Roy Carlton, R. R. Brubaker.

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Left to right are officers for 1958: Deloy, Bell, Lloyd Harris, Mixon, Singleton and Brubaker.





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1949—Uriah Blum, chief, George E. Jones, president.

1950—W. A. George, chief, Albert May Jr., president.

1951—Blum, chief, Mahler, president. Fires at school, Herman Kight home, Pace farm home.

1952—M. L. Smith, chief, Miles Thompson, president.

1953—John Mixon, chief, W. A. George, president.

1954—Donald Hill, chief, Royce Kimberlain, president.

1955—John Mixon, chief, Doyle Koonce, president.

1956—T. C. Scott, chief, J. W. Thomas, president.

1957—Oscar Singleton, chief, W. A. George, president.

1958—Bob Brubaker is the only charter member on the force.

There are four men with more than 25 years of service other than Brubaker. They are: Taylor George, Oct. 14, 1927.

W. J. Beasley, Carl Walsh and W. A. (Dutch) George have served more than 10 years.

Other present members are Dan Barnes, Loyd Bell, James Cates, Roy Crabtree, Ronnie Deloy, Gary

Harris, Lloyd Harris, Donald Hill, Wayne House, George Huckaby Jr., Malcolm Mills, Oscar Singleton, Gilbert Steele, J. W. Thomas, Ed- don Thompson, Gerald Walsh, Pete Koonce.

Twenty-six of the 28 firemen were present with their wives at the banquet.

The fire department has a two-story fire hall on West Park next door to the Herald office, which began to take form in the early '30's.

W. F. George graciously permitted the fireboys to use the upper floor of the building next door to the Herald until the City could build a second story on the City Hall for that purpose.

Mr. George offered all of the building to the department, free as heretofore, if they wanted to repair it. The men have remodeled the building throughout and now have a recreation room upstairs, with truck stall, meeting room and a kitchen downstairs.

The department maintains three trucks, which include a city pump- er, a combination truck for rural and city fires carrying 600 gallons of water for booster pump, and a 100-horsepower Chrysler industrial auxiliary motor, 1200 feet of 2 1/2-in. hose, 300' ft. of 1 1/2-in. hose, together with two air packs for entering smoke or gas filled build- ings, and a rescuator for community use in emergency; and a straight booster truck carrying 550 gallons of water.

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Malcolm Mills of Iowa Park has been elected cashier of the Wichita National bank of Wichita Falls. This was a promotion for Malcolm, who has been employed with the bank since World War II.

MAKE THIS SNACK FOR TV



A new TV treat delights Nora and Mike—a crunchy sweet cereal snack. Luckily for Mom, besides being delicious and appet- ite tasing, this tidbit is easy to make and inexpensive.

CEREAL CRUNCH

1/2 cup butter or mar. oil

1/2 cup brown sugar (packed)

4 cups Cheerios

Melt butter in saucepan; blend in brown sugar. Cook until thick and smooth, stirring constantly. Blend in cereal. Cook and stir a few minutes over low heat until all cereal is coated. Spread in thin layer on baking sheet. Crumble when cool and serve as snack.



EL PASO — POLIO MOTHER OF THE YEAR for the 1958 March of Dimes in Texas. Mrs. John L. Crouch (Kathy), of El Paso, joins daughter Connie Ruth, 11, and son Larkin, 13, in a family game.

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BROTHER-IN-LAW DIES

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox attend- ed the funeral last Friday in Jackson, for 12 E. Ellis of that city, brother-in-law of Mrs. Cox.

Dog Scratches School Child

Too many dogs are running loose and unattended in Iowa Park, say the local school per- sonnel.

Now the parents and the school folk are faced with the problem of locating the dog, having him put under observation.

Owners of dogs are requested, please keep dogs confined in such a way that children can come to school or play in their own yards without fear of disturbance from even congenial playful dogs.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

According to the charter of all Junior Chambers of Commerce (Jaycees), units of the organiza- tion take no part in political cam- paigns, neither that of political parties or of individual candidates.

The Iowa Park Jaycees, as an organization, are not and have not and will not be endorsing any candidate, question or party.

Any endorsement or work done for such a cause is strictly done as an individual. We do not endorse any candidate, and ask that all candidates refrain from claim- ing our endorsement.

These are done in the interest of good citizenship and good govern- ment — with no party or indi- vidual candidate in mind.

(Signed) Iowa Park Jaycees N. E. Guthrie Jr., president (Paid Advertisement)

Reflections from the Bible

By Ray Marcum, Minister Iowa Park Church of Christ

Many parents ask the question, "What is wrong with dancing?" Not long ago one of our leading newspapers carried the answer— as the Chinese give it. Maybe some of us can learn a lesson in morality from the Chinese.

"TAIPEI, Formosa, July 7, 1957 —(AP)—Police have banned dancing parties of students on For- mosa. . . . An order gives this reason: 'Over-indulgence in the dancing affects a student's scho- lastic work and his sense of moral decency.'"

And there you have it according to the Chinese. Public school teachers and officials, as well as parents, please take notice. Here is a double-barrel charge, and if either barrel is loaded, that's enough to ban the modern dance from the gymnasiums and the physical education class rooms of public schools.

While the probes are delving into the causes of juvenile delin- quency they should not overlook the fact the public school systems themselves are among the chief contributors because of insistence upon dancing in physical educa- tion classes, and encouragement of dancing at almost every public school function.

Students themselves do not relish it when it is introduced. Usually it is introduced in grade school and early junior high school, be- fore boys and girls have reached the age when sex is such a power- ful factor. They despise dancing and it has been forced upon the majority. In physical education classes where a choice is allowed dancing runs a very poor second.

Mrs. R. A. Tanner had eye sur- gery at the Wichita General hos- pital, Wednesday.

Your C of C

DIRECTORS CALLED TO MEETING A called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors will be held at the Chamber office Jan. 21 at 7:30 p.m.

CAR LICENSES Car license for 1958 may be purchased Feb. 1.

NEW BUSINESS Bill & Hill Electric, Battles Grocery & Market.

NEWCOMERS M. P. Kirby, 205 W. Washington C. C. Reed, 512 S. Bond Wilbur C. Collins, 310 W. Ruby

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT Wayne House, chairman All C of C members interested in industrial development have been invited to attend the annual West Texas Industrial conference in Abilene on Jan. 23.

The conference this year offers a five-point program on industrial development: garment factories, processing agricultural products, mineral resources, industrial founda- tions, and a study of the poten- tials of the region in scientific and economic discovery and develop- ment through research.

There will be no registration fee for the all-day meeting which will be held at the Wooten hotel, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

FHA

Last week the second period homemaking class studied and did spot cooking. We cooked eggs by several methods and made biscuits. Now we're ready really to prepare a breakfast.

This week, our class has been divided into four family groups. Each group will plan a breakfast, do its own grocery shopping, cook it and eat it in family groups. Thursday and Friday are reserved for midterm examinations.

Cynthia Tatom, reporter

VALLEY VIEW WINS THREE, LOSES ONE

Warriors took a couple victories while visiting Harrod last Friday night. For the girls it was a 35-28 win. Stewart led VV with 15 while Carret and Smith each 11 each for Harrod.

Warrior boys took an easy 65-32 victory.

Tuesday night the Warriors had Northside as visitors. The North- side girls managed a 40-33 win over the VV girls. G. Birdwell tipped in 17 for VV. Both teams played a hard fast game. The Warrior girls had the lead until the fourth quarter. Defensive play- ers set up by Pottis, Rogers and Calhoun.

For the Warrior boys, it was a 65-50 win.

It is hoped Simmons and Hos- kins will be in shape for the next game.

Uriah Blum has been receiving treatment at Bethania hospital this week.

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