



# Iowa Park Herald

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## Reader Ads . . .

Curtains washed and stretched. Mrs. Joe Baxter, phone 6351. tc

Sherwood's Beauty Shop 506 Cash, Phone 5261 to

Washed sand, brick sand, concrete remix. Delivered or at the plant. Northwest Material Co., 2 mi. south of Iowa Park on Burrows farm. Phone 4902 or 4903, Iowa Park.

For your Beauty Counselor and Fuller Brush needs see Mrs. John Wesley, Unit 56, Valley Farms, tc

Iowa Park Lodge No. 713 AF&AM, Bank, Bldg. Visitors welcome: Harry L. Mitchell, W.M.; R. R. Brubaker, secretary. Stated communication first Friday in each month. School of instruction each Thursday night.

Call Mrs. E. Z. Lakey for Avon products, phone 3911. tc

3-room upstairs furnished apartment for rent. Inquire at Apt. 4, Sisk Apartments, 601 N. Park. tc

**BARGAINS GALORE**  
Large, old, but good home, corner, two lots, paved street, sidewalks choice location. Reasonably priced and small down payments.

Cute 2-bedroom home, 75 foot front, quiet neighborhood, close in, and an excellent storm cellar. A real bargain and easily financed. Owner transferred.

I have several nice homes, some have FHA loans, others will finance, reasonably priced, and easy to handle.

This is a ringer—8 lots, excellent garden, plenty shade trees, shrubs, close in and a good six room house with new roof, newly done inside and good outside paint job. This place is a must. Shown by appointment.

Cute large 3-room house, excellent barn, other outbuildings, plenty water, gas, lights, telephone, fenced, all on 8 beautiful acres, near town and a bargain.

Unfurnished houses and a nice 3-room apartment and also several nice furnished apartments.

For anything in real estate see or call . . .

**MRS. HUDSON**  
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Iowa Park, Texas

For your furniture upholstery, refinishing, remodeling; tailor made auto seat covers. Baxter & Deary Upholstering Shop, 708 N. Pacific, phone 6351. tc

**TRASH HAULING** and all other kinds of hauling. Jack Skinner, Phone City Hall, 4321. 7c

**ROY FORTNER**  
Plumber, Carpenter  
Electrician  
Call Day or Night  
Phone 3188 501 E. Ruby  
4tp

Will make playground equipment on order. Phone 7451 after 5:00 p.m. O. S. McLemore and Son. tc

Speed Queen washing machine, for sale, cheap. Phone 2521. 2p

**KINDERGARTEN** begins Aug. 31 at 400 N. Wall. See Mrs. Cleo E. Jones at 331 East Bank or call 6671 for information. Ages 4 to 6 accepted. Daily schedule 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. 6tc

See our new white necklaces and earring sets at \$1.10, tax included. **WRIGHT'S JEWELRY**

Large fish worms. Landers Gardens. tc

For Rent—Large furnished 2-rm. Children welcome. Ph. 4931. 310 N. Colorado. 1c

3-room house for rent, 103 Hawthorne, Phone 2501. Mrs. E. H. Noel. 1c

For Sale—21-in. Motorola table model TV, used 3 months, Mrs. Birdwell, 311 West Ruby. tc

Wanted: Radios and Televisions to repair. Irons and Fans, 25 years in Radio—5 1/2 in TV repair. Birdwell Radio—TV Service, Phone 6301, 311 West Ruby. tc

\$155,000 worth Rawleigh Products sold in Wichita County by D. O. Smith who has retired. This locality now available. For particulars see D. O. Smith, Iowa Park, or write The W. T. Rawleigh Company, TXH-363-2168, Memphis, Tennessee. 8-12-19-26

For Sale—1951 Eagle Motor Sooter, Call 8191. 1c



## Sue Geisert Names Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Geisert are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Sue to William Carroll Thompson of Lubbock.

The young man is son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thompson of Lubbock and is employed by the Furr Food stores in that city.

The wedding ceremony is to be performed in the Baptist church here Sunday, Sept. 26, at 3:00 p.m., with Rev. H. M. Rick officiating.

The bride-elect is employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company in Wichita Falls. She is a 1954 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

Mr. Thompson is a 1954 graduate of Lubbock high school.

## Area Folk Offer Aid To Victims of Fire

Through the generosity of the airmen of Squadron 3750 TTG and of civilian personnel of Sheppard AFB, a substantial gift was given this week to the Robert Miller family, who lost their home in a fire in Iowa Park last week.

The gift was presented by Sgt. U. R. Church through the auspices of the Iowa Park Baptist Chapel.

People of Iowa Park, Wichita Falls and the surrounding area have really extended a helping hand to the Bob Miller family since the loss of their home and the tragic death of their daughter Mary Lou.

The Baptist Chapel of Iowa Park and the Charles W. Trout Amvet Post 18 in Wichita Falls are acting as steering committee in securing household furnishings, clothing and money donations for the family, as nothing was saved from the fire.

One of Charlie Holloway's houses at 710 East Bank is being redecorated and furnished for them, when Bob is dismissed from Wichita General hospital, where he is being treated for severe burns he received trying to rescue his three children.

Mr. Holloway has offered this house to the Miller family until they can rebuild.

Monday, August 16, someone will be at the residence at 710 East Bank all day, and anyone wishing to give some article to the family can bring it there.

Mrs. H. I. Tatom, Earle Denny and Fred Hays are serving on the committee for the Chapel.

Mrs. Dick Phillips of Iowa Park is serving with the Amvets group from Wichita Falls.

## Mrs. Parish, Valerie Start for Iowa Park

Mrs. Frances Parish and her 6-year-old daughter Valerie, who survived the shooting down of a British airliner by two Communist fighters off Hainan Island last month, left Hong Kong this week on their way home to Iowa Park.

Mrs. Parish's husband Leonard and their two sons Phillip, 2, and Larry, 4, were lost in the crash.

Mrs. Parish suffered a broken collarbone but is recovering. She is still in a cast.

They will be accompanied by Perry Cutbush of Pittsburg, Kans., a longtime friend and business associate of Leonard. After the crash Cutbush tried to get permission to fly to Communist Hainan and help in a search for Leonard and the boys, who he thought might have survived and reached shore. His request sent to Peiping by British authorities was never acknowledged.

The party is traveling by Pan-America airline to Los Angeles.

Lot for Sale—Good location, 510 N. Colorado. W. B. Farmer, Phone 4981. 1c

## 'Empty Rifle' Discharges into Chest of Billy Dan Ryan, 13

William Daniel Ryan, 13, better known to his family and friends as Billy Dan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ryan, 42 Wichita Valley Farms, was shot to death accidentally with a .22-caliber rifle late Wednesday afternoon in his home while playing cowboy with a friend, Mike Sullivan, 12, of New Orleans.

Mike and Billy Dan had been friends for years. The Louisiana boy, son of Mrs. P. F. Sullivan of New Orleans, was visiting the Ryan family.

Rosary will be said at 8:00 p.m. Thursday. Funeral mass will be conducted at 10:00 a.m. Friday at Sacred Heart church in Wichita Falls with Msgr. Anthony E. Daly officiating.

Burial will be in Crestview Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Cletus Schenk, Bud Williams, Jerry Morgan, Eddie Whittenburg, John Williamson and Ray Underwood, Boys of the seventh and eighth grades at Academy of Mary Immaculate will be honorary pallbearers.

Mike told Sheriff Weldon Bailey and deputy Cotton Johnson the gun was in his hands. He said they were on the bed in a bedroom and decided to go outside.

Mike told the officers he had said to his friend, "Go, if I had two guns I could be a cowboy." Billy Dan said he had another gun, and motioned over in the corner where the .22 stood.

Mike said he picked it up, thought he checked it carefully to see that it wasn't loaded, and then pulled the trigger without aiming it. The slug hit Billy Dan in the center of the chest. It ranged downward and went all the way through his body.

The boy was rushed to Wichita General hospital where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

Billy Dan had attended school in Iowa Park and at the Academy of Mary Immaculate.

Surviving are his parents; one brother Robert, 9; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henke of Oklahoma City; grandmother Mrs. J. E. Page of Norman, Okla.; five aunts and four uncles.

## All Local Musicians Invited to Join Band For Summer Concert

On Saturday, August 21, at 7:00 p.m. the Iowa Park summer band will present a "Pop" concert in the City Park, C. L. Vaughn, director, has announced.

Marches, jazz and swing music will be the order of the day.

Any former Iowa Park band student who would like to play with the "old gang" is invited to attend the rehearsals next Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m. They are also invited to play with the band at the concert.

This invitation is extended to any musician visiting in Iowa Park, to come and play with the band.

Vaughn says, "We are here for a short time; let's enjoy ourselves."

## ★ Park Clinic News

W. S. Morgan underwent surgery last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Watson, route two, are announcing the birth of a daughter on Saturday, Aug. 7.

Eddie Mack Kirkland, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kirkland, was admitted to Wichita General hospital Tuesday, Aug. 10, for treatment.

R. B. Faulkner, manager of a local grocery, underwent surgery Wednesday, Aug. 11.

## Jess Tigrett's Mother Dies in Wichita Falls

Mrs. Emma Laura Tigrett, 84, of Wichita Falls, mother of Jess Tigrett of Iowa Park, died last Friday afternoon at her home in Wichita Falls.

Funeral rites were held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 in Burk Burnett with Rev. Ray Morrow, pastor of Calvary Baptist church, and Rev. Roy McCoy, pastor of First Nazarene church, both of Burk Burnett, officiating. Burial was in the Burk cemetery.

A resident of Wichita Falls for 12 years, Mrs. Tigrett was born April 25, 1870, in Winnsboro.

Survivors include three sons: Harvey of Dallas, Jess of Iowa Park, Sidney of Burk Burnett; one daughter Mrs. A. R. Braudaway of Wichita Falls; one brother Jim Harris of Dallas; 13 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks for the kind deeds and floral offering at the death of our mother.

Claude Boren family  
Elmer Watson family  
Roland Cremer family

## Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughtfulness at the death of my loved one.

Mrs. C. D. Gates

## Notice, Band Beginners

Used cornet in good condition, for sale reasonable. Also have good used sewing machine. Phone 4481. 1c

## Mexican Firms Seeks Guar Seed from Dale

Sr. Z. F. Dale, Chairman, Board of Supervisors, Wilbarger-Wichita Soil Conservation District

Iowa Park, Texas

Muy senores nuestros y amigos: Estamos interesados en adquirir en via experimental una libra de semilla de la leguminosa llamada Guar y nos estamos dirigiendo a ustedes con el proposito de que nos indiquen si pueden vendernos esta pequena cantidad y en caso afirmativo que cantidad de dinero tenemos que enviar a ustedes para cubrir su importe.

Estamos interesados en que nos den a conocer precios y caracteristicas de otras semillas que se pueden utilizar como abono verde pues estamos interesados en utilizarlas en nuestras plantaciones de Tecoman, Col.

De ustedes muy atentamente.

"La Casa Blanca," S.A. (De Colima)  
Fidel Aguilar Gaytan  
Gerente General.

The above letter was received last week by Fenton Dale. In simple English, it means that the White House, incorporated, of Colima, Mexico, is interested in buying some guar seed. The general manager of this firm also wants to know about some other plants that can be used as green manure on their plantations at Tecoman, Col.

## Visiting Grid Fans Will Have Good Seats At Hawks' Stadium

Hawk Stadium will have new permanent type bleachers for the visiting fans this year, according to Keith Swim, superintendent. They will be ready for the first game—Sept. 10 with Electra—and will have a seating capacity of 475.

Iowa Park has needed these seats for a long, long time. Many of the Iowa Park fans held their heads in shame because the bleachers were so terrible looking for our paying guests, while our seating arrangements were so nice and substantial.

The new bleachers are built of steel girders and U.S. No. 1 lumber. The lumber is wolmanize treated with weather preservative, being kiln dried before and after.

They are built in sections and will be comfortable. There will be reserved seats in the new stands for the Electra and Burk Burnett games.

By October 1, four rooms of new furniture will be installed in the schoolhouse, including desks for teachers and students. Two rooms will be in the elementary school and two in high school.

The school board accepted a gas rate increase of 37 per cent over last year.

Mrs. Carl McKinnon has been elected as an elementary teacher. Mrs. Dorothy Thompson, science teacher, tendered her resignation, which was accepted. She will teach chemistry in Wichita Falls high school.

Final approval was voted on the school calendar, except for Christmas holidays, which will be decided at a later date.

The holidays are: Labor day, Sept. 6; Thanksgiving, Nov. 25 and 26; Easter, Friday before and Monday after; District 7 teachers meeting, March 11; 1 day at end of each semester for teachers to record students' grades.

The board voted not to allow under-age students because of the crowded conditions. A student must have reached 6 before Sept. 1, and each beginning student must present a birth certificate.

Supt. Swim and Coach Covington are attending the coaching school in Dallas this week.

M. C. Yeargan preaches for the Union evening service this Sunday on the lawn of the Methodist church. Last Sunday, Roy Anderson spoke on "The Holy Habit of Reading the Bible." Special music was provided by Ruth Mary Dale, Caroline Sewell and Cynthia Thornberry.

Plans are being made to present this drama soon at the Baptist Chapel here and at Faith Village Baptist church.

Franklin Farmer as Simon the leper; Barbara Butts as Judith his sister; Bob Riek as Amon his brother; Mrs. Jimmie Jeter as Susanna his betrothed; Jimmie Jeter as Lazarus his friend; Loveta Green as Mary; Bernice Cage as Martha; and Bill Erubaker as Jalon another leper.

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Robert Eugene Wilcox of Iowa Park, son of Mrs. Bernice Creacy of Wichita Falls, has joined the army and is receiving basic training at Fort Bliss.



## Johnny Lee Opens Wheel Alignment Service in Iowa Park

Iowa Park is happy to welcome a new business establishment in Our Town. The Bean Alignment Service, with Johnny Lee as manager, has opened for business at 103 North Jackson, just north of Curtis Sewell's Humble Station.

This is a specialty shop (not a garage) for wheel alignment, wheel balancing, tire-truing and brake repair.

Johnny Lee is a local boy and has just returned from Burlington, Colo., where he attended a special wheel alignment school for this line of work for over a month.

V. R. King of Burlington, and owner, has been in Iowa Park assisting Johnny in setting up the shop for business.

Mr. Lee welcomes all car and truck owners to come in and have their machines checked. He also invites the public to come in and see this new John Bean Visualiner equipment in operation.

## Joins Husband in French Morocco

Mrs. Patricia Fuell will join her husband Frank, who is in the US air force, stationed at Moccasin AFB, French Morocco. He arrived there July.

She plans to teach in schools of Casablanca. Enroute she plans to stop in Paris for a visit with Billy Gene House.

Mrs. Fuell will fly Aug. 16 to New York, then to Paris, and from Paris to Casablanca.

Mrs. Fuell is the former Miss Patsy Ozee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ozee of Valley Farms. She attended the local high school through the junior year, and is a graduate of Midwestern university. Last year she taught in Ben Milam school, Wichita Falls. She plans to stay in Africa 15 months.

## Dr. John E. Latham jr. Joins Park Clinic Staff

The Iowa Park Herald joins others in this area in welcoming Dr. John Ewing Latham jr. and his family, who have come to our community from Mason.

Dr. Latham joined the Park Clinic staff Monday and will do general practice with Dr. Gordon G. Clark.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Latham, Dr. Latham was born in Eden. He received his high school education at Pontotoc in Mason county, taking part in all high school athletics.

He received the BA degree from Southwest Texas state teachers college in 1940. He taught school and coached football for 10 years at Thorndale, Marble Falls and McAllen before entering the navy, in which he served 5 1/2 years.

Dr. Latham was discharged as a lieutenant commander of the naval air corps in June 1947. He served in all theaters during World War II, with three years in the Pacific.

After his discharge he entered the University of Texas school of medicine at John Sealy hospital in Galveston and was graduated in 1953. He received his internship at City-County hospital in Corpus Christi, where he trained for 12 months.

Latham was married to Miss Helen Spencer in Alameda, Calif., in September of 1946. They have two daughters Charlotte, 6, and Laura Jean, 1.

The Lathams attend the Christian church. They have established residence at the corner of Magnolia street and Clara highway.

Glenn Gwinn, A-2c in the air force, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bee Gwinn for 40 days before reporting to Park AFB, Calif., for shipment overseas. He expects to get duty in Japan. Glenn has been at Kelly AFB, San Antonio and at Monterey, Calif., since entering the service.

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John Mahler, navy, is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mahler and brother Bill. John will leave Tuesday to return to his ship, the Wasp, which is docked in California.

Mrs. Everett Sewell is at the bedside of her mother Mrs. T. P. Covy in Ore City.

## Phone Rates Raised

Representatives of Southwestern Bell Telephone company appeared before the city council last Monday night with figures to show that rates and charges for local telephone services have been insufficient to afford the company a reasonable return on its investment.

The council accepted the proposed increase in rates as follows:

One party business, flat rate — 88

One party residence service \$4.50.

Two party residence service 4. The old rates were \$7.50, \$3.75 and \$3.25, respectively.

The mayor and all council members were present for the meeting.

## Former Parkan Dies in Memphis, Funeral Conducted Here

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon, August 8, at the Iowa Park Church of Christ for Mrs. Anna Boren, 75, mother of Claude Boren, Cleo Jones, minister, officiated.

Burial was in Highland cemetery.

Mrs. Boren, a long time resident of Wichita county, died early Saturday in a Memphis hospital of a heart ailment. She was making her home there with a daughter, Mrs. Elmer Watson, who lives northwest of Lakeview, at the time of her death.

She was born Miss Anna Lee Garner in Cooke county near Gainville, Feb. 22, 1879, and was married to Walter Boren in Nov. 1900.

The Boren family moved to Wichita county in 1925 and settled on a farm southwest of Iowa Park. The couple lived in Iowa Park from 1931 until his death in 1941. Since that time Mrs. Boren has made her home with relatives.

Besides Claude, Mrs. Boren is survived by two daughters: Mrs. Ferol Cremer of San Antonio and Mrs. Watson; three brothers: Walter Garner of Burns City, Jess Garner of Fort Worth, Claude Garner of Whitesboro; three sisters: Mrs. Etna Smith and Mrs. Beulah Watson of Gainesville, Mrs. Mattie Lynch of Fort Worth; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Harrel Sullivan, Rex Lehman, Avery Hooten, Fred Parkey, Donald Hallum and Buster Hallum of Bowie.

## HAWK FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 10 Electra here

Sept. 17 Valley View here

Sept. 24 Burk Burnett here.

Oct. 8 Crowell here

Oct. 15 Archer City here

Oct. 22 Paducah here

Oct. 29 Henrietta here

Nov. 5 Holliday here

Nov. 15 Chickito here

Nov. 19 Lockert here

The first three are not conference games.



The religious drama "Simon the Leper" which was presented last Sunday evening at the Baptist church was well received by a large audience from Iowa Park and several churches of this area.

Everyone praised the cast and the way the drama was presented. The play was a gripping sermon within itself, with each actor reliving the character portrayed with outstanding talent.

The garden setting was elaborate, showing a lot of planning and work had been done by the cast, director and committee.

Committeemen who had worked on this drama were: Mrs. Dorothy Thompson and Mrs. Fred Wright, costumes and makeup; Mrs. L. E. Brooks, setting; Fred Wright and Charles Quick, lights; Mrs. Oscar Loehridge, music; and Mrs. Homer Blalock, director.

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**EMERGENCY CALLS**  
Fire ..... 4321  
Police ..... 6891  
Accident-Illness  
Park Clinic 4141, Night 3081  
Ambulance ... 3711, 2161, 3061  
Drugs:  
Berry Drug 2621; night 4461  
Park Pharmacy 3131; night 7251  
Utilities:  
Water and Sewer ..... 4321  
Electricity ..... 3831  
Gas ..... 2681

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To: C. H. Silliman, E. Short, D. C. Kolp and Jennie E. Kolp, and their unknown heirs, devisees and legatees, Defendants, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 27 day of September, A.D. 1954, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 10 day of August, A.D. 1954, in this cause, number 53999-B on the docket of said court and styled Gordon G. Clark, Plaintiff, vs. C. H. Silliman, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
This suit is in Trespass to Try Title covering Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block Sixty-Six (66) of the Original Townsite of Iowa Park, Wichita County, Texas, and for damages. Plaintiff claims said property under both five and ten year statutes of limitations and asks for judgment for title and possession of the premises, for damages and costs of suit.  
If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.  
The Officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.  
Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 10 day of August, A.D. 1954.  
Attest:  
FLORA COBB, Clerk,  
78th District Court,  
Wichita County, Texas.  
(SEAL)

GENERAL  
**INSURANCE**  
BONDS  
Iowa Park  
Insurance Agency  
Office 3221 Res. 3251

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**TREATING TRENCH MOUTH**  
By Science Features  
During World War I many soldiers suffered from an infectious mouth disease that they promptly called "trench mouth" in honor of their living conditions. Since 1918, trench warfare has become obsolete but the disease, more properly known as Vincent's infection, is still common today.  
The exact cause is not clear, but "trench mouth" usually results from crowded, unsanitary conditions, poor oral hygiene, vitamin deficiency and fatigue.  
These facts can be found at home as well as on a battlefield. Vincent's infection appears abruptly, producing a painful inflammation of the gums which become very sensitive and bleed easily. The infection can destroy much of the tissue around the teeth and also affect other areas of the mouth.  
In treating the disease the gums are always cleaned. With the discovery of antibiotics, penicillin was successfully used but now two New York dentists report that tetracycline gives even better results. The investigators tested the wide-range drug in 42 cases of Vincent's infection. Gum areas of 39 patients that were treated with tetracycline began healing within 48 hours while unmedicated sections took much longer. Periodic dental check-ups can prevent development of this infectious disease. There is little reason today why trench mouth should not become as outdated as trench warfare.

**Your C. of C.**

Ruth Hill Yeorgan  
**BOARD GUESTS**  
Judge H. W. Filmore, president, and William Black, executive vice-president of the Wichita Falls C of C were guests at the recent directors outdoor breakfast-meeting at the home of F. E. Hill.

Directors and committee chairmen present included John E. Barbour, C. E. Birk, Alan W. Berry, T. C. Berry, Homer Blalock, B. L. Bradford, R. B. Faulkner, Morris Jacks, H. R. Sullivan, Keith Swin, T. C. Scott, Buck Voyles, Ted St. Clair, F. M. Wilson, F. E. Hill, Elvy Sargent, George R. Huckaby, M. C. Yeorgan, Chester Gleason, John C. Murphree and the manager.

Considerable time was given to discussion of county highway improvement. Contributing information were Barbour, Voyles, Filmore, Black, Hill, Murphree and Huckaby.  
Mr. Barbour announced that petitions to ask the commissioners court to call a bond election are available for signing at the State National bank, the Barbour trucking company and Chauncey Weiler.  
Barbour and Voyles, representing Iowa Park on the county committee, have arranged for a visit from L. B. Dean, district engineer with the highway department, to Iowa Park with maps to outline plans for Precinct 3.

**MID-YEAR MEETING OF MEMBERSHIP**  
Directors approved a meeting of the membership at an early date. Speaker at this meeting will be Mr. Dean. All members of the C of C and interested persons are invited to attend this meeting which is of vital importance to this community. Questions will be answered and the problem thoroughly discussed.  
Notice will be sent to all members and the meeting publicized as soon as the date is set.

**CHEST SURVEY**  
In the chest survey set for Sept. 15 at Metz Appliance, the Chamber of Commerce will provide speaker system announcements during the 14th and 15th; furnish transportation for those unable to get to town; provide luncheons for out-of-town personnel; and cold drinks for town helpers.  
Miss Ethyle Kidwell is general chairman for the x-ray survey.

**COMMUNITY CHEST**  
Participating organizations of the town are being called upon to appoint three members each to the steering committee of the Community Chest. Appointed to represent the C of C are W. A. George, T. C. Berry and Elvy Sargent.  
Following appointment of members of the Lions club and Council of Church Women, the chairman of the C of C committee will call a meeting of the steering committee to select a general chairman, set the budget and date, and outline plans for the drive.

**WHAT'S YOUR ATTITUDE?**  
The manager of a store said to me the other day: "There isn't a person in this town that does not need something I have in my store." We thought this a pretty broad statement. But thinking it over we decided he had something there. Whether he was born with this attitude or sold the idea to himself, we do not know; but we believe that it accounts for the outstanding success of his business. While some other merchants moan and groan—he sells.  
Suppose each of us really believed that way about the business we are in: "There isn't a person in town who doesn't need something" we have to offer: some merchandise or one of the many services that make for the efficiency of our standard of living?  
If we believed it ourselves, business in Iowa Park would really boom.

**Independents Land Second Position in Oilbelt Play-offs**  
Four games in five days, and with the team riddled by absenteeism, proved too much for the Iowa Park Independents. But it cannot be said that the boys gave up without a struggle. They won two and lost two.  
The occasion was the Oilbelt League playoffs. Being in second place in league standings, Iowa Park played a three game series with the Sheppard AFB Hawks, which started Friday, Aug. 6. First game went to Sheppard, 8-4, when the lights at Burkburnett were a rather new experience for the daytime playing Independents.  
Then Sunday the Hawks and Iowa Park tangled on the local field in what was to be a doubleheader. It took 15 innings to determine the winner of the first game, 6-5, and there wasn't daytime enough left even to start the nightcap.  
In this game George Huckaby pitched all the way, allowing 6 hits and whiffing 15 batters.  
Monday night the Independents went to Sheppard for the final tilt with the Hawks, Wayne Allison, who has recently been nursing a sore arm, pitched beautifully to win, 5-1.  
Then came the Burkburnett series. Huckaby, with only one day's rest after the marathon on Sunday, allowed 5 hits and 6 runs while his team could produce only 2 runs.  
The final game of the Oilbelt season found no one in the Iowa Park lineup at his best. Allison started, but tired in the 4th inning, Wayne House relieved and did a good job until the 9th, when he had to call on Huckaby to finish the 16-2 loss.  
The Iowa Park team has sparkled at times all season, and the play has been worthwhile. All the boys are looking forward to next year.

**Business Women Plan Picnic at Vernon**

Members of the Business Women's circle met Monday night on the lawn of Mrs. Louise Ralston, Mrs. Zada Jones led the discussion, completing the third chapter of the mission book "The West Is Big" by Albert McClellan.  
Plans were made for next Monday night, when members will go to the Baptist camp near Vernon. A picnic supper will be served and Bible study will be led by Mrs. Dorothy Thompson. Every member is urged to attend.  
Cookies and cold soda pop were served to Mmes. Lottie Lochridge, Dorothy Thompson, Zada Jones, Marjorie Campbell, Bonnie Hudson, Sarah Lisenby, Hazel George, Clota West, Sue Wright, Georgia Lou Duke, Olive Blalock, Miss Roberta Hill and the hostess.

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Joe Cunningham of Wichita Falls and ranching 3 miles west of Iowa Park reports good results from range deferralment and good grazing in the pasture deferred last year. About 70 cows and their calves have adequate grazing on a 500 acre pasture deferred last year.

Another side of the Cunningham conservation ranching is the wildlife improvement. On the visit to the ranch by SCS technicians several large coveys of quail were observed. His success can be attributed to food and cover. The pasture has many dead mesquite trees, large amounts of grass, wheat field bounded by grass, small valleys with cover and food along with 9 ponds for adequate water.

## DISCIPLES

Cecil Marquart Jr. will speak next Sunday morning during the worship service. Cecil is a graduate of Iowa Park High School this past spring. In looking forward to college this fall, he dedicated himself to a life of Christian service.

First Christian takes pride in presenting his public message, as Cecil speaks on "The Narrow Gate." All are invited to this service of worship.

Several million Christians will join together in a common act of worship on Sunday morning, Aug. 15, when 600 delegates of the member churches of the World Council of Churches assemble together in a service of worship at Evanston, Ill. Throughout that day, congregations around the world will be joining in a world community of prayer and supplication.

In many English-speaking congregations a common order of service will be followed. Suggestions for an order of service have been sent out to every congregation of many communions, and every minister of Disciples of Christ will have received the suggested worldwide service.

Christian Women's Fellowship met in the home of Miss Hazel Crites, Monday, August 9 for regular monthly missionary study. An interesting program, under the direction of Mrs. John Barbour, was enjoyed by all. Acting as a roving radio reporter, Ted St. Clair interviewed a street corner group about the various phases of city life leading up to the part the church plays in city life. Those taking part in the interview were: Mrs. Gilbert Steele, Mrs. Forest Bates, Mrs. I. W. Corder, Mrs. O. R. Owens, Mrs. C. H. Bowman, Cecil Marquart Jr., Mrs. Ted St. Clair, Norman Marquart and Chester Gleason.

Following the short play, Mrs. Barbour asked the group their impressions of similarities between our own community and that portrayed. Worship service was led by Mrs. O. R. Owens assisted by Mrs. Curtis Sewell and Mrs. Ralph Sisk.

During the business session held following the program, Mrs. Bates presided, minutes were read by Mrs. St. Clair, and treasurer's report given by Mrs. Corder. Reports were made of 24 calls made, 21 books read, and 8 devotionals. Two Memorial Gifts were designated to be sent to Juliette Fowler Homes: one in memory of Joe Bruce Jackson of Spearman, nephew of Mrs. Gilbert Steele and Mrs. Rollins Wood- all; and one in memory of Mr. Wilson of Gainesville, brother of Mrs. Cecil Marquart. The purchase of three gifts was discussed. Mrs. Sewell called the group's attention to a World Call article giving the daily scripture to be used at the World Council of Churches and suggested that each one read these daily devotionals. The meeting ended with the missionary benediction.

Refreshments of frosted cake and cake were served to those mentioned and Mmes. S. T. Buzzard, Rollin Roberts, Johnny Cole, A. L. Reed and Chester Gleason.

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## NEWS FROM CONGRESS

By Frank Heard

Senator Harry F. Byrd, Democrat of Virginia, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditure, released the following statement regarding unexpended balances in federal appropriations.

Agencies of the Federal Government in the first three quarters of fiscal year 1954 spent \$49.9 billion, and entered April with authority to call on the Treasury to meet their bills in the future totaling \$113.0 billion. As of March 31, military services exclusive of civil functions in the first three quarters of the year had spent \$30.4 billion, and entered April with authority to call on the Treasury to meet their bills in the future totaling \$65.2 billion. During the first three quarters of fiscal year 1954 Foreign Operations Administration had spent \$3.4 billion, and entered April with authority to call on the Treasury to meet their bills in the future totaling \$11.5 billion.

Other agencies of the government in the first three quarters of fiscal year 1954 spent \$16.1 billion, and entered April with authority to call on the Treasury to meet their bills in the future totaling \$36.3 billion. Of the \$49.9 billion spent in the first three quarters of the year, \$23.6 billion was spent from appropriations enacted in calendar year 1953, and \$26.3 billion was spent out of balances carried over from appropriations and other authorizations enacted in prior yrs.

These figures were revealed in the fourteenth monthly compilation of "Federal Appropriations and Authorizations, Expenditures and Unexpended Balances", by the Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditures (The term "Unexpended Balances" in appropriations and authorizations does not mean that the cash is in the Treasury. It means that the agencies are still authorized to call upon the Treasury to meet their obligations and other spending authority. As the bills come due, the Treasury must provide the funds from tax collections, other cash on hand, or from borrowed funds which increase the federal debt.)

These figures should be of interest to us all, since the Congress is being asked to increase the National Debt limit.

The activities in the Senate have been attracting most of the attention of the public recently; however, the House has been working long hours almost every day in an effort to wind up the business of this session. A few days ago the House passed a resolution fixing the date of adjournment as the last day of July. This was rather a futile gesture and I could not support the resolution as I did not see how anyone could seriously talk of adjournment until we had finally acted upon the agriculture program, Social Security, and other matters that are of the utmost importance.

Ever since the Puerto Ricans sat in the House Gallery early this spring and emptied their revolvers into the Chamber, we have been discussing the possibility of forming a Capitol Police Force which would be charged with the responsibility of guarding the Capitol and the Members of Congress.

Generally speaking, I think this is a good idea but it has been hard to get a bill before the House which had a chance to pass. Last week, however, the House did finally act on a bill that would create a Special Capitol Police Force which would be trained and equipped in a manner that would enable them to guard the Nation's Capitol. I hope it will finally become law.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boren and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boren were called to Memphis, Wednesday of last week to the bedside of Claude's mother, Mrs. Anna Boren, who died Saturday.

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Guests in the George R. Hucky home over the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barkley and daughter Christie of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Danley and son Bob of Norman.

### Youth Picnic Given By Presbyterians

The junior department of the Presbyterian church and their leader Mrs. L. Shelton enjoyed a picnic and swim recently at Sand Beach. Those attending were: Peggy Weiss, Susie and Bobby Short, Susie and Bill Shelton, Grover Harris, Junior Jinkins, Sherri Estes, Larry Whitter, Lawrence Shook, Doug Burgoyne, Miss Gladys Shelton and Mrs. Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Ferguson of Duncan, Okla., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hucky.

Miss Carolyn Clayton of Sherman is a guest this week of Miss Ruth Mary Dale.

### Presbyterians

The Women of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. J. E. Ride-nour on Aug. 9 at 9:00 a.m. The president Mrs. C. E. Birk called the meeting to order and presented Miss Clara Lowrance, who taught the Bible lesson from Acts 15, concerning the Jerusalem council and continuing the lessons on Paul's missionary journeys.

Mrs. John Clapp reviewed the Survey article "The World Council at Our Door."

The general program was led by Mrs. R. P. Caruso, using the topic "I Saw the Church in Africa." Taking part were Mrs. Locke Lowrance, Mrs. L. Shelton, Miss Mina Troutman, Mrs. Abernathy, Mrs. Clapp and Mrs. Birk.

During the business session plans were made for family church night.

Others attending were Mmes. E. A. Braud, Charles Williams, Kate Emmanuel; and Mrs. T. R. Lewis and Mrs. W. K. Thompson, both of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. M. H. Hildner and Mrs. M. H. Hildner were present, and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Campbell of Anaconda, Mont., arrived Sunday and spent a few days this week with his sister Mrs. C. D. Gates.

James Rodney Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Phillips of Beaumont, is visiting his grandmother Mrs. Emma Phillips.

### Friends Honor Mrs. McNitzky

#### With Surprise Shower

Mrs. Wanda McNitzky has recently moved from the home of her daughter Mrs. Weldon Vaughan at 515 W. Magnolia, into an apartment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McDonald, 110 W. Aldine. To help her get started in her new home, Mrs. Vaughan honored her mother with a grocery shower at her home on Tuesday evening, July 27. It came as a surprise when Mrs. McNitzky was taken by friends back to the Vaughan home after dinner to find many friends had gathered to shower her with many things necessary to set up housekeeping.

A large variety of canned fruits, vegetables, staple groceries and accessories were brought or sent by the friends and neighbors of Mrs. McNitzky. The honoree was at a loss for words to express her appreciation for such thoughtfulness, but she did comment on the "good neighbor" policies of this community where she has chosen to make her home.

Mrs. McNitzky has already become an active member of church and civic organizations here. She commutes daily by bus to her work in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Denver, Colo., are visiting his mother Mrs. Nannie Smith and other relatives in Iowa Park this week.



All smiles are these winners in the Wichita County 4-H Dress Re-veue held recently in the community house of the Valley Farms.

Karen Prechel, 15, right, won first place in the senior division. She is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Prechel of Burkburnett. She modeled a brown, crease-resistant dress with boiero and beige gloves. The junior division winner, Patricia Clements, 11, made and modeled an orchid chambrà blouse and bordered broadcloth skirt. She is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Clements of Iowa Park.

Cathryn Sands and Peggy Meads, county agent and assistant, said 11 girls modeled their own creations. Each received a pair of scissors as a gift. The top winners received materials for making a fall dress.

Mmes. Bryan Farris, Alan Berry, Joe Chandler, Johnny Crawford; and children.

family, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Nichols and Kathi Jo. While there the Nichols and the Robinsons visited several places of interest, in Cloudcroft, Alamogordo and White Sands of New Mexico.

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### From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

#### "Nothing to Sneeze At"

This year our town decided to do something about its hay-fever sufferers. Hap Thomas is our health officer, so he was made rag-wed "inspector."

"Can't see why anybody should be bothered by a few weeds," he snorted. "I say it's all in their minds." But Hap went on out to do his job.

Then, yesterday, I met Hap—looking kind of sheepish. His eyes were red and as he took out a big handkerchief, he sneezed. "Know somebody who isn't allergic, who'd like a job?" asks Hap.

From where I sit, I can sympathize with Hap. It's no joke. But as Hap admitted later, he was dead wrong in scoffing at the idea of hay fever. Making light of other people's ideas and opinions is a familiar trouble with a lot of folks. Whether it's hay fever, football or a choice of, say, buttermilk or beer as a thirst-quencher, I'm just naturally "allergic" to anybody who "knows-it-all!"

*Joe Marsh*

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### Family Outing Enjoyed by ESA

The last social for the summer season was held by members of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, Tuesday evening at Sand Beach. Special guests were the families of members, who enjoyed swimming and a picnic.

During a business period conducted by Mrs. W. A. George, vice-president, it was decided that a bake sale be held. Proceeds will be used for current polio needs. Members will also contribute linens for sorority sisters whose homes were destroyed recently in the flood at Ozona.

Enjoying the outing were Messrs. and Mmes. John Clapp, Ted Overbey, Ray Rutherford, Glenn Scott, W. A. George, John Mixon, Pete Guthrie, Bud Mitchell, Tommy Sims, Burk Scott, Louie McCarthy, N. E. Guthrie Jr., Rollin Roberts, Jesse McCullough, Johnny Cole,

### FAIR NOTES

Several new names will be noted in the list of chairmen of various divisions of the Women's department of the Texas-Oklahoma Fair this year.

For the first time the women's department has a general chairman at Walters, Okla. The fine arts and amateur photography division also has co-chairmen in each of the two sections for the first time this year.

Combined efforts and co-operation of chairmen during the past few years has resulted in growth to the point of overflowing the Women's department's space in the Merchants building at Iowa Park.

Serving again this year as co-directors of the department are Mmes. Homer Blalock and Sam H Hill. General chairmen in area towns include Mrs. J.O. Presley and Mrs. Tom Hunter of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Leslie Finnell of Holliday; Mrs. Doug Williams of Electra; Mrs. E. E. Claer of Burkburnett; and Mrs. Mary Jo Fletcher of Walters.

Division co-chairmen include: Mmes. L. E. Brooks and Charles Coppock, floral; Mmes. Gordon G. Clark and Charles Thurber, fine arts and amateur photography for students over 16 years of age; Mesdames John B. Barbour and Charles Metz, fine arts and amateur photography for students 16 years of age and under; Mmes. S. T. Buzzard and Rollins Woodall, antiques, relics and curios; Mmes. Gilbert Steele and C. H. Bowman, hobby; Mmes. Forest Bates and A. W. Bedford, needlecraft; Mmes. R. R. Brubaker and D. H. Ford, knitting, crochet and tatting; Mmes. R. A. Williams and Ralph Stone, quilt and rugs; Mmes. Carl Sullivan and J. H. Hatten, baking; Mmes. Fred Widmoyer and T. R. Horine, canned goods.

Any article having received a first premium at any previous exhibition of the T-O Fair will not be permitted to compete for premiums but may be placed on exhibit with ribbons attached which have been won previously.

All exhibits must be delivered to the chairman of the respective divisions by 6:00 p.m. Saturday, September 25, except in the floral and baking divisions. These entries will be accepted from 9:00 until noon on Monday, Sept. 27, with judging to start at 2:00 p.m. that day.

### Former Parkan Buried Thursday at Electra

Funeral services for John Floyd Givens, 88, were held Thursday in the First Methodist church of Electra, with Rev. E. H. Coburn and Rev. Fitzhugh Talbot in charge.

Burial was in the new Electra cemetery.

Mr. Givens, a retired farmer, died Wednesday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

He had resided in Iowa Park and Electra area for 68 years. Survivors include three sons and four daughters. He was a relative of Fenton Dale and Mrs. T. M. Clark.

Mr. Dale and Aaron Brubaker attended the funeral service.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robinson and Linda returned Tuesday from El Paso, where they spent several days in the home of their daughter and



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