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Reader Ads

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

Sherwood's Beauty Shop 506 Cash, Phone 5261

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 Sale - Automatic bolt-down Bendix washing machine, \$50. See at 520 W. Washington.

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.

PAINT SALE, this week. Dutch house paint \$2.95 gallon, Pittsburg \$3.95. Park Feed Store, 132 Cash.

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

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 o 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 appoint-

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

MRS. HUDSON 430 W. Washington Phone 4861 Iowa Park, Texas

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

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

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

Cutting rhubarb now. Cowboy fireworks. Sunken Gardens,

PAINT SALE, this week. Dutch house paint \$2.95 gallon, Pittsburg \$3.95. Park Feed Store, 132 Cash.

Closing Out-Concrete Paint 50c per gallon. W. G. Steele Lumber and Building Co.

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

SAND BEACH

-SKATING -On Iowa Park Road

Free Picnic Grounds for Skating and Swimming Parties.

Book your school parties ahead of time

PHONE 2-8862 FOR

SKATING PARTIES Bob Barret, Rink Manager

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Commissioner BUCK VOYLES B. A. THOMAS For Hide and Animal Inspecto REX LEHMAN For Assessor and Collector

of Taxes

CLAUDE C. RITCHIE



CLAUDE C. RITCHIE

Claude C. Ritchie Announces Candidacy For Assessor-Collector

Claude C. Ritchie issued his for mal announcement Saturday of his candidacy for Wichita county tax assessor and collector subject to the first Democratic primary election July 24.

The statement follows:

"I was born in Wise county in 1899, but have been a Wichitan for 35 years. This year Mrs. Ritchie and I celebrated our 34th wedding anniversary at 1612 Lucile, together with our two children, Mrs. Robert Frazee and Wayburn Ritchie, who also reside in Wichita Falls.

"I am a member of the Wichita Falls First Methodist Church,

"Building and construction has been my vocation, and I have been employed as carpenter superintendent on various construction projects. In 1948 the Carpenters Union 977, AF of L, elected me as business representative. I resigned this position in March, 1954, During this period I was elected president of the Texas State Council of Carpenters for the term 1952-53 and also served on the executive board for three years.

'It has been serve on Red Cross campaigns: as a member on the board of directors of the tuberculosis association on the Boys Club swimming pool project; two years on the board of directors and two years on the budget committee of the Community Chest; three years on the board of directors of the Wichita Falls Industrial Foundation Association; as vice-chairman of the executive committee of the Citizens Committee: on the board of directors of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Com-

"In 1951 I was a member of the Wichita Falls Tax Equalization Board and I recently was re-elected on the board of directors of the Insurance Company of Texas.

"This active participation in civic affairs, and practical understanding of building, I believe, make me well qualified to represent you as your tax assessor-collector. I am a life-long Democrat and have always taken an interest in politics. This is, however, the first time I have been a candidate for public office. I deem this a privilege and one l do not take lightly.

"It is my intention to campaign in an honorable manner, to uphold the ideology of our rights in democratic practices. Your vote is confidence in condensed form- If you, in faith, so honor me, I shall endeavor to be worthy of that confidence by working diligently in the service of my office by being concerned at all times with the individual taxpayer's problems, and, in an impartial manner abide by all of the rules regulating taxation,

"And for the record - I am not in favor of raising taxes!"

Used pressure cooker and sealer for sale, 701 South Wall, Iowa Park.

Baby sitting, day or night. Phone 3151. Pat Craft.

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

Women carn extra cash doing as sembly work at home. Easy to assemble product. Everything furnished, Rush name: Artline Industries, Union City, Indiana.

For Rent - 3 room modern unfurnished house, Bills paid, Geo. A. Lewis, phone 6361,

PAINT SALE, this week. Dutch nouse paint \$2.95 gallon, Pittsburg \$3.95. Park Feed Store, 132 Cash. Charter No. 13614 Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE STATE NATIONAL BANK OF IOWA PARK IN THE STATE OF TEXAS At the close of business on June 30, 1954, Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U.S. Rev. Stat.

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection\$1,542,830.94 U.S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 630,700.00 Obligations of States and political subdivisions 68,100.00 Corporate stocks (incl. \$3,300 stock of Federal Reserve bank) 3,300,00 Loans and discounts (including \$281.95 overdrafts) 1,029,702.89 Bank premises owned \$4,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00. 4,001.00 Total Assets\$3,278,634.83

LIAPILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, corporations. . 2,681,617.98 Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 99,936.78 Deposits of U.S. Government (including postal savings).... 43,506.16 Deposits of States and political subdivisions 232,064.95 Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)...... 39,482.97 Total Deposits\$3,096,608.84 Total Liabilities\$3,096,608.84 CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capitai Stock 50,000.00 Surplus 60,000,00 Undivided profits 72,025.99 Total Capital Accounts 182,025.99 Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts\$3,278,634.83

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 275,000.00 Loans as shown above are ofter deduction of reserves of 53,668.74 Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on de-

mand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof Loans insured or guaranteed by Veterans' Administration insured or guaranteed portions only Guaranteed portions of Regulation V loans and other loans

guaranteed by the Federal Reserve banks or agencies

of the United States Government Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations, or portions thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the U.S. Government other than "U.S. Government obligations, direct and

guaranteed") 82,226.37 I, Mildred Traylor, carhier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. MILDRED TRAYLOR, Cashier.

Correct-Attest: F. E Hill, Earle L. Denny, W. A. George, Directors. State of Texas, County of Wichita, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1954, and I

hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. Ruth Hill Yeargan, Notary Public Wichita County, Texas

My commission expires June 1, 1955.

To Meet Sunday for Important Business

Highland Cemetery association will hold its regular meeting in the Christian church at 3:00 p.m. next Sunday, according to Rollins Woodall. president.

At this meeting plans will be dis cussed for financing equipment and care of the cemetery. A committee will report on new by-laws, which are to be adopted at this meeting.

" If you care about the appearance of the cemetery," said Woodall," and want to have a part in planning its upkeep, please be present and help with the planning." A musical program will be given as part of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Russell and daughter Ann of Houston were guests of Mrs. Allie Girard last

Cemetery Association | Gas Company Treats Guests to Cold Drinks

Lone Star Gas company played host to the people of Iowa Park this Thursday, Mrs. Helen Banks, home economist for the company, served ice cold punch and cookies to all who visited the company's

matic ice-maker. Mrs. Banks was demonstrating past six years. the new miraculous automatic icemaker which works without trays and keeps a full supply of ice ceive his discharge August 1. without attention from the house

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walsh, both customers to come in and see the Servel in operation.

LOOK! 1934 Ford cheap, Phone 5731 after 6:00 p.m.

At Union Service Sunday Evening The union church service held

Gleason to Preach

every Sunday on the Methodist church lawn during the summer months, was well attended last Sunday.

Rev. Maurice C. Yeargan of the Presbyterian church spoke on the 'Foundation of Freedom." Mrs. Chester Gleason was presented in special vocal number.

Next Sunday evening Rev. Chester E. Gleason of the Christian church is to be the speaker. Everyone is invited and welcome.

Parkan Rides Herd On Runaway Car, Ends Up in Garage!

A difficult piece of car handling was performed by Mrs. F. E. Mos-ley here Thursday about 1:00 p.m. Her Ford was involved in a collision with another Ford driven by Oland Roberts at the corner of Washington and Victoria streets.

The Mosley car's brakes were thrown out of commission and she could not stop the machine. She guided the car across the front lawns for a half block north, turned in back of Uriah Blum's house, crashed through a fence, passed within a hair's breadth of two large steel posts sunk in H. P. Boyd's back yard, and made a south entrance in the Boyd garage where the wall used to be.

If Mr. Boyd's trailer had not already occupied the garage, Mrs. Mosley would be going yet, those who visited the scene concluded.

Mrs. Mosley is a newcomer to Iowa Park, having recently bought the J. R. Street home on East Washington.

Tanner ambulance was called and one person taken to the hospital from the Roberts car. We understand a girl was hurt but have been unable to find out who it was or how badly injured she

DRAL WILLIAMS INFANT BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Graveside services were conducted Tuesday afternoon for the infant son Timmy of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Williams, with Rev. H. M. Rick officiating, Burial was in the Highland cemetery under direction of Tanner Funeral Home.

HAROLD EATON RETURNS FROM EUROPEAN DUTY

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Eaton received a phone call this week from his school, town and family. Joe F. office. The punch was iced with their son Harold in New York. He Lakey, son of Mrs. Mary Lakey, frozen circles from the Servel auto- has been serving in the armed forces in Germany and France the

Harold is to report to Camp Chaffce. Ark., where he expects to re-

Hence Harding, 91, of Byers, and uncle of Mrs. Bill Harris of Iowa employees of the gas company in Park, was one of the honored pio-Iowa Park, invite their friends and neers of the Byers 50th anniversary celebration held last Saturday. He is a former foreman of the famous Byers Brothers ranch and brother of the late Charlie Harding of Iowa Park, Mr. Harding has been a visitor in Iowa Park many times.

National, State Honors Mrs. Malcolm Mills received no-

chapter in the state of Texas reas an outstanding chapter.

Mrs. Mills also reports that the signs advertising the City Park facilities have been erected east and west of town on Highway 287.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rutherford, hosts for an afternoon of fishing swimming and boating when memtheir cabins near Lake Diversion on July 4. A picnic supper and fireworks display climaxed the evening for the families of Malcolm Mills, Glenn Scott, Bryan Farris, John Clapp jr., Jimmy Medlinger, W. A. George, I. W. Corder, Orville Bell, Noah Guthrie jr., and Mmes Alan Berry and Joe Chandler.

Search for Sister to

sified a search for Mrs. Rosie Mae Denney, about 40, wife of Newton Milton Denney, 49, who is facing a charge of murder with malice

Mrs. Denney is a sister of Wilmer J. Petty, 30, whose decomposed body was found in Beaver creek near Kadane Corner. She has been reported missing since last August. Mr. and Mrs. Denney have six

Newton Milton Denney, 49, of

worker, Ivan Case, 47.

Joe Lakey Heads National Association

States Food and Drugs Officials association.

Joe assumed the presidency of ing in Des Moines, Iowa. He is director of the Texas bureau of foods and drugs, and has been with the

Besides holding the new post, Joe s the only Texas member of the ministration.

he was employed by the Rexall Drug Store, He received two pharmacy degrees at the University of Texas and another from the University of Michigan.

Page W. Morgan, son of Mr. and

tions, stevedoring, amphibious and rail operations are being stressed. Page will also participate in air and helicopter operations, mine warfare, weapon familiarization and individual marksmanship.

Okla., with relatives.

Local Sorority Wins

tice recently from international headquarters in Loveland, Colo., that Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha had won first place in international competition for posters depicting Rush Week activi-

The Iowa Park unit is the only ceiving an international award of any kind for 1953-54. This honor, added to the two state awards won in Galveston, classes Epsilon Eta

Death of Petty Causes nities in the area will be urged to Be Extended by Sheriff

in Wichita county.

children.

Kamay, was released on bond Tuesday after being charged with murder with malice in the death of Wilmer J. Petty, 30. Petty's body, badly decomposed,

was found Monday in Beaver creek three miles north of Kadane Corner near Highway 25 and about 150 feet from a 3-room cabin he shared with Denney and another oilfield

Another former Iowa Park High School boy has brought honor to who now resides in Austin, has been elected president of the United

the association recently at a meetstate health department 15 years.

U. S. Food Standards committee, an adjunct of the Food and Drug ad-While attending high school here

Joe recently visited his mother and other relatives in Iowa Park

ROTC CAMP IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. Guy P. Morgan of Route two, Falls. a senior at Texas A & M, is attending a six-week ROTC summer camp at Fort Eustis, Va. Page is participating in field exercises to develop leadership ability and increase his knowledge of the transportation corps, Activities such as convoy opera-

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Marquart visited in Wellington, Kans., over the weekend. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Marquart of Dublin and visited also in Enid, Iowa Park.

Burk Scott and Bud Mitchell were bers of the sorority gathered at

Monday morning at 9:00. At 6:00 p.m. that day a big parade will form in Iowa Park and proceed to the Fair Grounds, John Mixon and George Jones of Iowa Park are cochairmen of this event. All commu-

enter this parade. Sheriff officials this week intenbe conducted at 7:15 in the Main Auditorium, with programs followused for community shows and

Tuesday, Sept. 28, will be Pioneer Day. This is always one of the biggest days of the Fair. Pioneer Queen entries are expected to start soon. A special committee for this event has been selected. Al! towns and communities are urged to submit names for this contest,

> The queen is selected on achievements and service she has rendered to her community and the Fair area. Address entries to Pioneer Queen Committee, Box 412, Iowa Park, Texas,

Education's 100 Years

To Be Saluted at 1954

Texas-Oklahoma Fair

Texas-Oklahoma Fair this year

will salute and emphasize the 100th

Dates for the Fair are September

Iowa Park's big Fair will oper

Official opening ceremonies will

This year the Auditorium will be

school programs. The programs

will run from 2:00 to 5:00. Organ

programs under direction of Mrs.

Oscar Lochridge will be from 5:00

to 7:00. Other shows will be pre-

sented until 10:00 each night.

year of public schools in Texas.

27 through October 2.

Saturday, Oct. 2, will receive triple emphasis, being Mexico Day, FFA Day and FHA Day. T. Leo Moore with the assistance

of Miss Anne Lowe, paid secretary, and A. B. Kennedy, caretaker, have the grounds and most of the buildings in tiptop shape, and all but a few minor details of the catalog are ready for printing.

The Main Auditorium has receiv ed redecorating where it was need-

Mr. Moore will be at the Fair office Monday through Saturday noon each week until Fair time He and Dr. Gordon G. Clark, president of the Fair association, solicit all suggestions that will help make this year's Fair a better show than ever before.

Fair operations: T. Leo Moore of Electra. Hereford department: Wayne H Hammon of Wichita Falls.

Junior livestock: J. C. Porter of

T-O FAIR GENERAL CHAIRMEN

Public relations, co-ordinator of

Wichita Falls. Agricultural department; Fred

Community exhibits and county exhibits: Cathryn Sands of Wichita

Girls 4-H exhibits: Peggy Mead of Wichita Falls. Educational department: Keith D. Swim. Pioneer Day celebration: Oral

Publicity: Mrs. D. S. Smith. Parade: George Jones and John Mixon. Daily organ programs: Mrs. Lot-

Jones of Wichita Falls.

tie Lochridge. Midway and concessions: T. Leo Moore of Electra and C. E. Birk. Tickets, gates, board secretary: Taylor George.

Mrs. Lula Morgan returned to her home in Dallas last week after Barbe visiting relatives and friends in

Merchants exhibits: C. E. Birk

Ruth Hill Yeargan DIRECTORS MEET

At the board meeting this week Morris V. Jacks, manager of the Carroll Duke Insurance agency, was unanimously elected to succeed Donald Hill who has moved to Colo-

Pres. Fred Hays appointed Ted St. Clair as chairman of the contact committee to welcome new businesses and invite their mem-

bership. Directors approved working in lose harmony with the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce for countywide highway improvement. F. E. Hill, chairman of the highway committee for Iowa Park's C of C. was appointed to work with Henry S. Grace and his committee.

on West Highway and the repair and replacing of the office door canopy. Membership committee chairman Peanuts Wilson gave the following

Announcement was made of the

re-erection of the Iowa Park sign

New members: 13. Members lost by death: 3. Members lost by resignation: 3. Business change-overs: 3.

Fresent membership: 129.

The outdoor breakfast was served at 6:30 with John B. Barbour as host and F. E. Hill as breakfast chairman. Assisting were Mmes.

Barbour, C. H. Bowman, Lloyd Lowe and Leroy Garrison. The August meeting will be postponed one week to Aug. 10.

INDUSTRIAL REQUIREMENTS

study of requirements for industrial sites with the complex problems that face both the town that is trying to get an industry and the industry seeking a new loca-

We are keenly interested in the

The site must be able to offer proximity to raw materials, transportation, industrial fuel, market, distribution facilities, power, water, living conditions, laws and regula-

tions, tax structure and labor. But the industry seeking a new location or location for expansion is faced with social and economic factors that require clear think-

site selection and emphasizes the importance of these most common 1. Lack of thorough investigation and consideration of factors in-

The Manufacturers Record for

June sums up six errors in plant

volved 2 Personal likes and prejudices of key executives or owners over-riding impartially established facts. 3. Inertia of key executives to

move from traditional, established home grounds to new and better

4. Moving to areas already or. about to be over-industrialized 5. Preference to acquire an existing structure (usually at an imagined bargain) which is improperly located or not designed for the most

efficient production 6. Choice of a community with cultural an deducational standards so low that key administrative and technical personnel eventually ac-

dential growth. We wish for a steady substantial growth, well planned for and well carried out. AREA FARMER DIES

Cain M. Moore, 72, a farmer near Burkburnett, died at his home Thursday following a heart attack. Born Feb. 9, 1882, Mr. Moore had lived in Wichita county since 1907. He is survived by his widow Mrs. Lula Mae Moore, one son Vernon. C. Moore, ten grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and two brothers.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many

friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the death of our beloved father, E. E.

Mrs. E. E. Barbe and the Spradlin family

Parkey. and was guest speaker at the Lions Community and educational proclub luncheon. grams: John Crow of Electra. Besides his mother he has a Quarter Horse department: Jack cept employment elsewhere. sister and brother who live here: O'Donohoe of Archer City. Miss Mary Lakey and Roy Lakey Women's exhibits: Mrs. Homer IOWA PARK of Valley View. Blalock and Mrs. Sam Hill. Has room for industry and resi-Farm, Ranch and Industrial ex-PAGE MORGAN ATTENDING hibits: R. E. Lewis of Wichita Falls.

ubscription in Wichita county, \$2, sewhere \$2.50 a year in advance. George R. Huckaby, Publisher



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lowa Park Insurance Agency

Office 3221

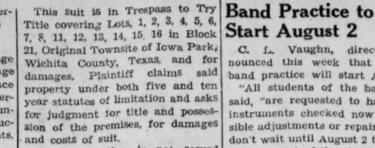
ald, June 24, July 1, 8, 15, 1954) THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: F. G. Trask, State Mortgage Corporation, Midwest Mortgage Corporation, C. W. Baxter, Grace

Barwise, J. T. Burnett, H. Esserman and B. Teatch, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, successor3 and/or assigns, Defendants,

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County at the Cour House thereof, in Wichia Falls, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of fortytwo days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 2 day of August A.D. 1954, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 16 day of June A.D. 1954, in this cause numbered 54000-B on the docket of said court and styled D. O. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. F. G.

Trask, et al, Defendants. A brief statement of the nature



If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned

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 16 day of June, A.D. 1954.

Attest: (SEAL) FLORA COBB, Clerk, 78th District Court. Wichita County, Texas. By Flora Cobb.

Published in the Iowa Park Herald, June 24, July 1, 8, 15, 1954) 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:

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This suit is in Trespass to Try Title covering Lots 8 and 9 in Block 12 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 limitation 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 16 day of June, A.D. 1954.

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Start August 2

C. L. Vaughn, director, announced this week that summer band practice will start August 2. "All students of the bands," he

said "are requested to have their instruments checked now for possible adjustments or repairs. Please don't wait until August 2 to dig the old horn out of the closet to see if

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anything is wrong with it. "We will need every bit of playing and marching time we can get so be ready to do your part." The band director listed the fol-

lowing schedule of practice ses-Beginners from 8:00 to 10:00 a.m on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,

Thursday and Friday. Grade school from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. the same days.

High school band: concert 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and marching 8:00 to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

He also listed the following clas sifications: Beginners band (last year's tonette band); grade school band (last year's 5th and 6th graders); high school band (last year's 5th and 8th period bands).

Park Family Enjoys Vacation Trip in East

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ozee of Valley Farms returned last week from a two weeks vacation trip in the East. Accompanied by their daughter Mrs. Frank Fuell and Mr. Fuell they went first to Tennessee for a visit with his relatives.

At Washington, D.C., they took in the sights and visited Washington's Monument. In New York City they made a thorough job of see ing all the interesting places: Ate in an automat, rode in a ferryboat, rode in surreys with fringe on top at Central Park, visited the beach at Asbury Park, Coney Island, the Bowery and China Town,

According to Mrs. Ozee the Sky line Drive in Virginia was a most inspiring view. In all they visited in 17 states and visited the capital of most every state,

Mr. Fuell is in the air force and sailed on June 14 for French Morocco. When clearance is given, Mrs. Fuell plans to join her husband in Africa.

Peggy and Jimmy Easterwood of Anson visited friends in Iowa Park last week. Their parents Rev. and Mrs. James N. Easterwood came for them Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Nannie Easterwood and Gary, who remained to visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Steele and son David accompanied the Sgt. George McMullin family to Quanah Lake, Okla., for a fishing trip during the 3-day holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Black have closed their business while they are gone to California for a two weeks vacation.

Soil Conservation

Stubble mulching continues to interest district co-operators, according to technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

Herbert Detmer, farming 4 miles north of Punkin Center, did a good job of mulching his stubble by using a field cultivator.

D. H. Ford of Valley View had a stubble mulching plow with 30 inch sweeps tried on his farm. The plow was used on land that had been plowed and on which annual grasses and Johnson grass had grown up, on tight red lad with large amounts of oat stubble and straw, and wheat stubble that had average vegetation for the year.

Terrace lines have been staked for Henry Wolf farming 2 miles north of Iowa Park, and Lee Lovell farming 6 miles northeast of Iowa Park has had terrace lines staked for 135 acres of cropland. Buck Voyles will do the constructing,

Charlie B. Van Loh of Clara had technicians of the SCS stake terrace lines for about 90 acres of

Bob Miller 7 miles west of Wichita Falls completed leveling 20 acres of land and is sodding it to coastal

C. H. Bingham of Iowa Park reports his alfalfa and fescue pasture was a lifesaver. Bingham is fertilizing his pasture and will rest from grazing during the summer to Joe Price are managing their fescue pasture similarly.

Wiley Bishop of Valley View is having a drainage ditch cut to protect his field from water that has been coming through the subsoil Bishop is also constructing an ir rigation ditch to supply water.

Class of '53 Meets For Party; Several Have Life Partners

By Ruth Mary Dale

Iowa Park High School's Class of '53 were honored last Friday night with a party given at the H. B. Klinkerman home.

It really was fun, and it was wonderful to see everyone again. We played all sorts of games, which included going to Europe and a Treasure Hunt, ate watermelon and cake and ice cream, square danced and drew funny pictures on flags.

The "Odds" found the hidden treasure, thanks to Brother Harvey, and it was all divided squarely by Captain Weiss.

Seems as if our knack for square dancing was lost somewhere during the year, and it ended up with Jean Sargent calling the square instead of the faithful "San Antonio Rose."

One thing which wasn't lost during the year was Bill Brubaker's pole climbing talent, A proved fact! Surely was strange, but nice, to see all the married couples. Hard to realize and believe that only this time last year we were recuperat-

ing from 12 years' hard labor! Jackie Sampson and Jerry Mc-Lemore were home on leave and attended in full navy dress. Some-

thing else hard to believe. It was grand of the Mamas to give us the party, and we all appreciated it. Heard that more turned up at this party than any given during the school years.

Mrs. Weiler, one of our class sponsors, was there; but Mrs. Owens, who is in Florida, was not. Sorry she missed it.

Those present were: Jean Sargent, David Padgett, Jim Fox, Jack Sampson, Anne Lowe, Howard Klinkerman, Barbara Butts, Loveta Green, Jewel Thorton, Estelline Maynard, Bill Brubaker, Benny Wester, Jeanetta Croft, Ruth Mary Dale, Mary Gayle Park, Lee Roy Weiss, Charles Knight, Jerry Mc-Lemore, Mary Ellen Roberts, Naomi Baxter Runco.

And Messrs, and Mmes, Donnie Beck, Ray Mundt, David Mundt, Dennis Goff, W. R. Bradford, J. D. Padgett, O. S. McLemore, Butch Klinkerman; and Mrs. A. R. Mundt. And Lloyd, Harvey, Ralph, Clifford and Don Klinkerman,

Pvt, Travis Hill of the army flew to Dallas, Friday night of last week where his wife and children and his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hill met him. He left in his car Saturday for Baltimore, Md., where he is stationed. Edwanna and the children left by plane Wednesday for Baltimore, where they will visit with Travis for a while,

NEWS FROM CONGRESS

world.

By Frank Ikard This week saw action in the House on two important pieces of legislation. First was the Mutual Security Act which was considered on Monday and Tuesday. As it finally passed, this Act authorized approximately \$110,000,000 less than was asked for by the Administration and contained a provision to bar participation under the program set up by the Act for any nation in the Western Pacific or Southeastern Asia that joins in a non-aggression pact with Communistic countries. I am sure you know that the British had proposed such a non-aggression pact for the countries in those areas of the

The House also adopted this

week legislation setting out the

farm program for next year. The

year. The House defeated a propo-

sal to adopt the flexible support

system proposed by Mr. Benson, the Secretary of Agriculture, on basic crops which would have provided for flexible parity between 75 per cent and 90 per cent. It also rejected the recommendations of the Agriculture Committee which were that 90 per cent of parity be retained for one more year. The plan finally adopted by the House was a compromise version of the flexible farm price support plan by putting flexible supports enable the plants to grow more in between 82 1-2 per cent and 90 winter and spring. Jack Martin and per cent of parity on the basic crops for next year. The Agriculture Bill now has to go to the enate for approval, and I am sure that it will not pass that Body in the same form that it passed the House, therefore, it then will have to go to Conference Committee, and the report of the Conference Committee will have to be approved by both Houses Therefore, it is impossible at this time to say just what the final price support structure will be. However, it is almost a certainty that it will be some kind of flexible support program that will attempt to reach a compromise between the plan presentel by the Secretary of Agriculture and that presented by the Committee on Agriculture in the House.

Quite understandably, there has been a great deal of concern here recently about the infiltration of Communists into Guatemala.

There is no question but what the

Communists are making a very concerted drive to establish a beachhead somewhere in Central beachhead somewhere in Central or South America, for almost daily the newspapers contain accounts of demonstrations against the United States in some country in that portion of the world. It would portion of the world. It would really be a disastrous thing if the Communists should become strong enough to control the government of one of our near neighbors. Senator Lyndon Johnson introduced a resolution which would get the heart of this problem which was quickly passed by both Houses of Congress. This resolution directs our attention to the fact that recently there has been strong evidence of intervention by the Communist Movement in the State of Guatemala, in that government institutions there have been infiltrated with Communist agents and that guns and weapons have been secretly shipped into the country and the usual pattern of Communist infiltration and conquest has become apparent. It further points out that on June 20th Russia vetoed in the United Nations Security Council a resolution to refer the matter of the recent outbreak of hostilities in Guatemala to the Organization of American states. The resolution further provides that it is the sense of the Congress that this country should take all necessary and proper steps to support the Organization of American States in taking appropriate action to prevent any interference by the Communist Movement in affairs of the countries of the Western Hemisphere. This resolution passed the House and the Senate with only one dissenting vote, and should make it clear that this country is determined to do everything within its power to keep Communists from invading the Western World

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Hugh Stockton has accepted an 18-month contract with Pontiac Drilling company to work in Tel Aviv, Israel. He plans to take a boat from Houston this week and go to Palestine.

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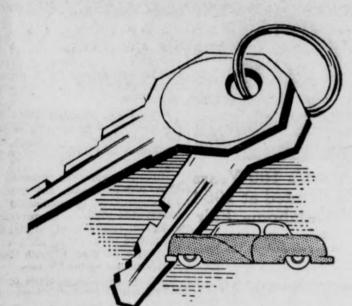
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Miss Patsy Jean Ancell and her fiance Marvin Dale Childers were honored last Friday evening during a prenuptial party and miscellane-

Setting for the informal event was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Spruiell in Wichita Falls. Assisting were Messrs, and Mmes. A. L. Shelton, W. G. Shipman and Mrs. C. F.

The bride-elect is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ancell of Wichita Falls. The groom-elect is son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Childers of Val-

The young couple will exchange vows of marriage Friday, July 9, in the First Methodist church of Electra, Officiant will be Rev. Finis Crutchfield, pastor at Ranger and formerly pastor of Iowa Park Methodist church.

Another courtesy was extended the betrothed pair Wednesday evening of this week in Valley View Methodist church. Approximately 100 guests called, Hostesses were Mmes. G. C. House, Belva Jones, Doss Miller, Roy Lakey, H. L. Culpepper W. W. Bishop, Buck Gulley, John Gulley, C. C. Burnett, Kenneth Gulley, Louis Bonial, Hut Buzbee, Woody Breazeale, Clark Harrell, Swan Reaves and Miss

Jackie Sampson, son of Mrs. Ludie Sampson, has been visiting here on 14-day leave from the Great Lakes Naval Training command. He will leave Friday for Illinois and then go to San Diego, Calif., where he is to enter electrical





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Mrs. Grace Hughes of Iowa Park is one of the Red Cross swimming On Shelf, Temporarily instructors who have helped with swimming lessons for polio victims. The pool at the Wichita Falls Boys club is used for this project.

Youngsters come from Wichita Falls, Electra and Randlett, Okla., to take these lessons. The water is heated to approximately 92 degrees for this special class.

The instructors say they think there are still other victims of polio who should be taking advantage of this opportunity.

It's The Law in Texas!

Can a homeowner be held res ponsible for accidents that happen to other people while they are on his property? Lawyers say it is difficult to state a hard and fast rule about liability for such accidents because the facts differ so much from case to case. However, some conclusions can be drawn by noting how the courts have decided in specific cases which have been brought before them.

A postman delivering mail slipped on a child's roller skate one morning. He sued the homeowner for damages. The court held that the delivery of mail is for the benefit of the homeowner and that he must take care to remove any conditions on his property which would make delivery of the mail dangerous.

Then there was the case of the meter-reader who slipped and fell when she stepped on some beans strewn about the owner's living room. The host's children had been playing with bean-shooters on the day she chose to visit The court held in similar cases where social calls resulted in disaster involved a guest slipping on a small scatter rug, and another overnight guest who slipped and fell in a shower. Both cases were decided in favor of the homeowners, not the visitors.

From these cases it may be seen that the law is usually more strict about accidents befalling tradesmen and others who enter your premises in the line of duty so to speak, postmen, laundrymen, meter-readers, delivery boys and the like-than it is in the cases of those who enter your home for purely social reasons.

This does not mean that a home owner is absolved of all resposibility for injury to his guests. If he knows a dangerous condition exists, he has a duty to correct it and can be held liable for accidents which might happen if he doesn't. For example, a rotted tree branch fell to the sidewalk, injuring a passerby. The general rule here is that the owner of the defective condition and should have remedied it.

Fortunately, not everyone who falls down the front steps gets up and rushes off to sue his host. However, a substantial body of law has grown out of this type of negligence case. This is not surprising when you realize that more fatal accidents occur in and around the house each year than from traffic accidents on the highways.

(This column, based on state and federal law, is written to informnot to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

UNCLE OF PARKANS

DIES OF STROKE AT DUBLIN Funeral services for Ben Hughes 49, of Putlin, were held Sunday atternoon at Dublin Mr. Hughes was an uncle of Mrs. Jack Skinner, Mrs. Walter Chumley, and Bob Miller, all of Iowa Park.

Mr. Hughes suffered a stroke last Friday and died Saturday. Burial was in the Dublin cemetery. The nieces and nephew and their families attended the services.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Swan Reaves at Valley View over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Farris and son James Reaves of Longview; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reid and daughter Connie and Miss Mary Farris of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Farris of Addington, Okla.; Champ Farris and son David of Fort Worth; Mrs. Bratton Reaves of Iowa Park; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis, Janice Maxey and daughter Shawn of Electra.

POST OFFICE FLOOR TO GET REPAIRS

The post office lobby will be locked at noon next Sunday and will not be opened until Monday morning, according to Postmaster Pete May. The floor will be under going some repairs at that time.

Mrs. Pete Runco, the former Miss Naomi Baxter, received word her husband, Pvt. Pete Runco, now stationed in Japan with the air force, was injured when a plane he was repairing exploded. He received a broken arm and burns on his left side, and now is in an army hospital in Japan,

Mrs. Hughes Teaching Emergency Operation Polio Victims to Swim Puts Leoti Deaton

Mrs. Cliff Deaton, Red Cross manager for Wichita county, is a

patient in a Fort Worth hospital where she recently underwent surgery, She was returning home from a National Red Cross convention held in Los Angeles when she be came ill on the plane.

Mrs. Deaton had submitted her resignation several months before because of health reasons but kept working until the directors could secure a new chapter manager.

Mrs. Q. B. Lee, an active volunteer worker, has accepted the job temporarily, it was announced this week, Mrs. Lee is director of the blood bank, which she was instrumental in organizing in Wichita Falls in 1947. She has worked closely with Mrs. Deaton and is familiar with Red Cross problems in the area

Mrs. Deaton is expected to be absent from her work several weeks. She has many friends in Iowa Park and has always responded in cases of disaster and emer-

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Present for the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKinney of El Campo.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McKinney and sons Mac and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frost and daughters Debbie and Sandy of Abilene.

Mrs. Charlie McKinney and son Milton of Pampa.

Mrs. Helen Vick and daughter Saundra of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McKinney and daughter Dawn of Austin. Mrs. Roy L. Kennedy of Perico. Mrs. Goldie Carlton of Lovington,

New Mexico. Joe McKinney and sons Ronnie

and Joe of Dallas, Norris McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Simpson and sons Charles, Jimmy, Sammy; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jefferies and daughters Kathy and Carolyn; Mr. and Mrs. Arthu Estes and daughter Barbara; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Williams and daughter Ronda Gayle; all of Wi-

chita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Manes and children Gary and Karen Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scott and son Stevie, Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis and son Loyd, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Williams and children Oleta, Darlene, Glen and Dianna; all of Iowa Park.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all who were so kind to us during the illness and death of our loved one. For the beautiful floral offerings, cards of sympathy and love, and prayers. For the many other deeds of kindness shown us by friends and neighbors. May God richly bless each of you.

Mrs. Sadie Birdwell and family.

Holiday weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Stephenson included Mrs. Ernest Cowden of Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Preston of

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McDonald and children of Shreveport, La., visited in the Joe Baxter and James

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Boyd and daughter Judy of El Paso visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. O. M. McDonald homes during the holi- Jones and E. P. Boyd and other relatives here last week.

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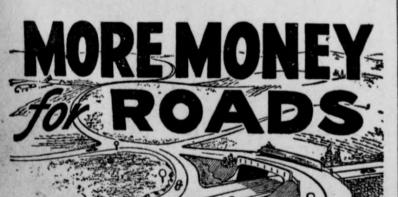
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Sedimentation Studies Reveal Importance of Soil Conservation

"Public interest in water problems in Texas is at an all-time high," H. N. Smith, state conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service at Temple, said this week. Many articles on water resources

and water needs are appearing in newspapers and magazines; and Federal and State agencies, committees and many cities are making water studies.

"This widespread concern about water supplies emphasizes the importance of taking needed steps without delay to prevent rapid filling of reservoirs with sedimentwith accompanying loss of valuable water storage capacity."

Mr. Smith referred to the four major reservoirs, Benbrook, Grapevine, Garza-Little Elm and Lavon, which are being completed above Dallas and Fort Worth, "These will give flood protection to Dallas and Fort Worth and to levee districts and farmland along the river below them. The dams also will serve the important purposes of storing water for municipal and industrial use, recreation, navigation of the Trinity river, and streamflow regulation, Foreseeing even greater needs for water as Texas develops, we need to do everything that can be done to protect and increase the useful life of these reservoirs."

Mr. Smith estimates at the present rate of erosion, and soil movement in the watershed, the sediment pools of the four reservoirs would be filled in 27 to 35 years.

"But this doesn't need to happen. If the needed soil conservation measures and practices were being used throughout the watershed of Grapevine reservoir-as an example-life of the sediment pool would be increased to 50 years and the storage capacity of the reservoir maintained correspondingly. And if the proposed system of upstream flood prevention dams, which has been planned by the Soil Conservation Service above Grapevine reservoir, were built immediately, the sediment pool life would be lengthened to 116 years.

"Trinity river watershed isn't the only place in Texas where rapid filling of reservoirs is occurring. The same is happening in other parts of the state, and people are concerned at seeing mud replace water. We have had requests from many cities and towns for help in finding out the rate of sedimentation in their water supply reservoirs, and what can be done to protect them.

"During recent years we have cooperated with Corpus Christi, San Angelo, Waco and Abilene in making sedimentation surveys; and in Medina lake. We are now making surveys for Graham and Throckmorton."

Smith pointed out that good sites for reservoirs are scarce, and the best ones already have been used. "When replacement dams have to be built at other locations it is g ing to cost a lot of money. That's why we must do everything we can to make our reservoirs last as long as possible."

Lt. Donald Staber of Clovis Air Force Base in New Mexico, visited friends in Iowa Park during the holidays.

Jerry McLemore of the navy visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. S. McLemore last week. He has just finished storekeeper school and will be stationed permanently at San Diego, Calif. He left Sunday night to return to duty.

* Park Clinic News

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Other crimes included wilful destruction of rural mail boxes, mailing of fraudulent, lottery and obscene matter, and raising and forgery of money orders and postal savings certificates.

112 postmasters and postal workers were arrested during the year for embezzlement of funds.

Investigation of postal crimes uses about 200 men in the Bureau of the Chief Inspector. 100 additional inspectors are being added to meet the ever-increasing volume of work and to afford relief to the long hours of duty served by the present staff.

Records show 99 per cent of all those arrested have been convicted. An example of mail fraud in 1953 victimized 900 people who were swindled out of \$1,000,000 on the promise of an operator they would get tax-delinquent land. He had no such land.

A lawyer promised investors return of 20 per cent profit. He collected \$500,000 in six months from 100 victims and absconded.

A matrimonial swindler, posing as a rich Texan, married women through lonely hearts clubs, lived with them until he got their money, and left. His gains totaled \$50,000. Vicious medical frauds claimed

many victims with promises of cures for cancer, tuberculosis and the like. One operator took in \$1,000 a day for 100 days on worthless

Among nine arrested in 1953 for mailing poison was a socially prominent woman who mailed boxes of arsenic poisoned candy to her Sunday School class, making 21 persons viclently ill.

After his offer of marriage was rejected, a suitor mailed a homemade bomb to a young lady in Boston. The bomb was built so a .22 caliber pistol would discharge when the package was opened, setting off a mixture of gunpowder and shells. The gun discharged and sent a bullet into the girl's arm, but the lethal mixture failed to explode.

The home mailbox thief, often preying on aged and dependents receiving government or private checks through the mail, is the most frequent violator of postal law and probably the most calloused.

Postal inspectors caught 3,851 persons for stealing mail in 1953, including 2,544 for pilfering home mailboxes.

A woman mailbox thief averaged \$100 daily for 5 months stealing checks from apartment house boxes before inspectors caught her. nother hallbox thief stole e service bills from mailboxes. He confronted the housewives and told them their light bills were overdue and threatened to turn off the electricity unless they paid. He collected \$1,500 before he was caught.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. James, June, Doug, Deryl, Mr. and Mrs. Billie James, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hansard and son Clinton Dale attended a reunion of the Horn family Sunday at the T. J. Harris residence in Nocona

Mrs. Earl Gage, junior high school teacher, and her grandson Billy Bob Howton of Mankins will leave Sunday for Hollywood, Calif., to visit friends Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. LaBaron and sons.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farr of Blair, Okla., visited their daughter Mrs. Frankie Hendrick last weekend.

Walter Willard is reported improving at his home. He is able to sit up a little while at a time.

R. N. Watson is improving at his home after being ill for a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Ray of Denison visited her mother Mrs. Ludie Sampson last weekend.

Rollins Woodall has been confined to his home the past week ceived in May.

with the mumps.

daughters visited Mrs. Frank Curry in Bridgeport last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hines of Lubbock visited with the J. N. George family during the holidays.

Mrs. T. C. Scott has been absent this week from her work at the Famous department store because

Misses Mattie and Della Beeler of Rogers, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mulkey and Mrs. Mae Lucy during the holidays.

Fay Brock entered a Wichita Falls hospital Tuesday of this week for treatment for an injury he re-

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