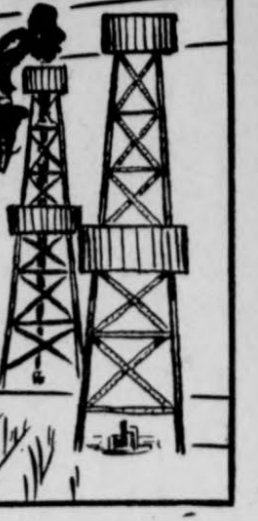




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Maintenance of Beds Is Farm Club Study

The Valley Farms Home Demonstration club met at the Community House in regular session with Mrs. T. M. Thaxton in charge.

To open the program the women sang "America the Beautiful," with Miss Sands as leader. Mrs. L. E. Copeland offered prayer.

After the business was cared for, Miss Sands gave interesting demonstrations on selecting and maintaining comfortable beds.

Games were enjoyed by those present: Mmes. T. M. Thaxton, A. B. Sterner, L. R. Copeland, W. G. Partney, Jimmy Parker, Carl McKinon, Floyd Sterner, Fred Widmoyer, Gail Mitchell; and one visitor and prospective member, Mrs. Dewey Steed.

Club adjourned and the members went to the home of Mrs. Floyd Sterner where pie and coffee were served.

Hawk Volleyball Team Wins Championship For Second Season

Throughout the last two years the Iowa Park Volleyball Hawkettes have had an unusual record by being district champions both seasons.

They haven't lost a conference match for two years, and this season they haven't had to play more than two games each match, either in practice or conference competition.

The Iowa Park team had this year six seniors on its traveling squad. These are: Jackie Teal, Lou Ann Duke, Caroline Gay, Ella Lou Van Horn, Mary Ella Farris and Lucille Wesley.

We also have hopes of another successful year in 1952, for we have Mary Fortner, Janice Kight, Beverly Talley, Margaret Talley, Evelyn Coats, Naomi Baxter left from this year's squad, and of course others will come out.

The girls are grateful to all fans who stood behind them and cheered them to the district championship. They are especially grateful to the ones who drove their cars to each of the games and carried the team.

Mrs. Lynn, in summing up this week, said that no figures on individual serving and spiking would give an accurate picture of the ability of individual players. The girls were trained to co-ordinate their efforts as a team, and each player had her part to play in the winning of each point. Even the girls sitting on the bench were of great value to the team, in that they furnished opposition during the week while the squad was training for the next opponent.

Wichita County FARM BUREAU Newsletter

Wymore Downing, president of the Wichita County Farm Bureau, this week called on members of the local organization to contact Representatives Deno A. Tufares and Vernon McDaniel in Austin and register their views on action of the state legislature in referring the Graham Bill, H.B. 226, from the committee on highways and roads to the state affairs committee.

Last week Downing said, Farm Bureau representatives and county judges and commissioners from all over Texas appeared in Austin before the committee on highways and roads in opposition to the Graham Bill, which would take thousands of dollars out of the counties, heretofore used for rural road building purposes. The bill was killed in committee by a vote of 15 to 3, Downing said.

Unknown to the opponents of the bill, a member of the legislature appeared before the committee in opposition to H.B. 226 and attacked Graham's integrity and made caustic remarks against his character. In retaliation for the attack by one member of the House against another, the House as a whole the following morning suspended all rules and reported Graham's bill out of the highways and roads committee to the state affairs committee. This means that another hearing will be necessary, Downing said, unless the House recommits the bill back to the highways and roads committee, which may be done by a simple majority vote.

The Graham bill was considered on its merits and reported out of the highways and roads committee unfavorably, Downing declared. Now in retaliation against one member of the House for attacking another, the House takes action which could not in any way be considered as punishment to the guilty party, but would result only in penalizing all of the people in Texas who are interested in a rural road program. The bill as reported by the committee should not be altered because of personal remarks as between members of the legislature, Downing charged, and he is requesting that all members of the Wichita County Farm Bureau contact their representatives requesting that they use their vote and influence to have H.B. 226 referred back to the committee on highways and roads.

NEW COURSE IN HOME NURSING STARTS MARCH 1

The first home nursing class, which is being taught by Mrs. Wilmer T. Swink of Olney, will be concluded next Tuesday, Feb. 27, and a new class will start Thursday, March 1.

Anyone interested in taking the course is requested to meet in the upstairs of the Park Clinic hospital at 2:00 that afternoon.

Mrs. Swink says that it is essential that each person not miss a class, since the course has been condensed from 30 hours to 15.

Filing Closes March 3 For Election April 3 Of Two Councilmen

Tuesday, April 3, has been set by the Iowa Park city council as the date for a city election in which two altermen will be selected.

Final date for filing will be at 12:00 noon, Saturday, March 3, according to Miss Döela Smith, city secretary. The terms of Aldermen Earle L. Denny and Charles Metz will expire this year and the election will be held to determine their successors. At press time this week Mr. Metz had not announced whether he would seek re-election but Mr. Denny stated that he was not going to file for the vacancy he was leaving.

The election will be held at the City Hall. Polls are to be opened at 8:00 a.m. and closed at 7:00 p.m.

Park Clinic News

There is a proved case of typhoid fever in Iowa Park. Those who do not have vaccine should take it. Those who have had vaccine should take a booster dose.

Lynn Hensley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hensley of Iowa Park Road, is in Wichita General hospital for diagnosis.

Mrs. Edwin Patton of route two is in Wichita General hospital for diagnosis.

Jim Banks of route two is in the hospital taking treatment.

Wanda Ann Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Scott, was dismissed Sunday from Wichita General hospital.

Patricia Paris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Paris, was brought home Tuesday from Wichita General hospital.

Mrs. Pat Morrison of route one, Electra, is in Wichita General hospital with pneumonia.

Carpenter Discusses Planting of Cotton

Max Carpenter told members of the Wichita County Farm Bureau who met Monday night at the Iowa Park High School that farmers should consider five things in complying with the government's request for a large cotton supply.

First: Don't plant total cropland in cotton because in case of failure as in 1950, the farmer wouldn't have any other crop to fall back on.

Second: Use good soil practices.

Third: Use a good variety like Hybrid or Half and Half, etc.

Fourth: Plan on controlling insects by spraying early when cotton has only 3 or 4 leaves.

Fifth: Sell for staple and grade through Smith-Doxey Plan.

Carpenter also said that Wichita county may be called on to produce castor beans.

Judge Arthur Tipps explained the Civil Defense program and said that every person should read "Survival under Atomic Attack" which can be had for 10 cents a copy.

Garland Eubanks, co-chairman of Red Cross for farmers and ranchers, explained how each farmer and rancher would be contacted March 5, 6 and 7. Serving with Eubanks are Wymore Downing and John Williamson. Eubanks also urged everyone to take first aid and home nursing courses which are being given by the Park Clinic.

Farm Bureau members voted to set their dues at \$10 and change by-laws to that effect.

L. E. Brooks then showed some 200 colored slides which he made on the WFAA agricultural tour of the Pacific Northwest, which were thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Iowa Park Educator Rates Who's Who In His Profession



Supt. W. R. Bradford has been recommended for inclusion in the 1951-52 edition of Who's Who in American Education, according to information received in a letter from Robt. C. Cook, editor of the publication. The editor holds a doctor's degree from Columbia university and is president of Mississippi Southern college.

To be eligible for a place in the publication which includes a picture and biographical sketch of the individual, one must be recognized as a reputable educator. Also they are constantly seeking young men and women who have been in the teaching profession five years or more and have promise of a bright future.

The work can be in research, administration, teaching or closely allied fields.

Who's Who in American Education was first published in 1928 and has been issued every two years since that date. 44,000 biographical sketches have been included in the 14 volumes that have been published. The volume is found on the library shelves of practically every college, university and large public library in America.

Some of the information Supt. Bradford has been asked to furnish concerning himself includes education and degrees, chronological list of positions, honorary positions, chairmanships, learned societies, fraternities, social and civic clubs, war record, travel, achievement of general interest, recreations and hobbies.

The board of trustees of Iowa Park Independent School District last week extended to Mr. Bradford a contract to remain as superintendent of the local schools another two year term. He accepted and the hiring of other members of the faculty will be taken up at an early meeting.

Injured Couple Are In Wichita Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Dulan H. Tidwell, who were injured in an automobile accident nine miles south of Wichita Falls on the Jacksboro highway last Friday night, are showing improvement, according to his mother Mrs. John Tidwell.

They are in Wichita General hospital.

The accident occurred when a 1938 Chevrolet two-door sedan driven by Mrs. Tidwell and a 1951 Oldsmobile driven by Mrs. L. B. Christopher of Pampa collided. Mrs. Tidwell suffered head and internal injuries and Dulan received lacerations about the head.

Carol Thomas, president, called the Alma Jackson Junior G.A. to order Monday afternoon. We said our watchword and allegiance. We then sang the G.A. hymn and Sara Johnson led in prayer.

Secretary Kay Quick read the minutes of our last meeting and then played "When They Ring the Golden Bells" on her clarinet. Anita Thompson and Doris Herrington played "Abide with Me" and "Pley-el's Hymn" on their clarinet and flute. Shirley Jones took up the offering.

Sara Johnson was program leader. Doris Herrington, Shirley Jones, Sara Johnson, Carol Thomas and Kay Quick took part in the program.

E.S.A. Card Party Is Declared Success

The card and domino party given at the Fair Auditorium, Tuesday evening under sponsorship of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority, proved quite successful and enjoyable, according to Mrs. Allen D. Guthrie, president.

More than 100 were in attendance, and quite a few persons purchased tickets even though they were unable to attend.

Proceeds of the party will be spent on beautification of the City Park, which is a service project of the sorority.

Camp Fire Girls

New officers of the Chakika Camp Fire group were elected at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Christian church. They are:

Martha Barnhart, president. Doris Herrington, vice-president. Joy Scott, secretary. Lavonia Hanaway, treasurer. Artie Sue Mitchell and Sharon Reed, supplies. Geraldine Entekin, Mary Ellen Roberts, monitors. Sandra Sue Banks, song leader.

At the meeting, plans were made for the Dad-Daughter banquet to be held March 15.

Fast-Moving Program Clever Decoration Mark Senior Banquet

The basement of the Baptist church presented a picture of colonial beauty Thursday evening when the birthday of Washington inspired decorations for the annual banquet given by the W.M.U. in honor of high school seniors and faculty members. The elegance that characterized the period of U. S. history when our first president was glorified in the room and table decorations as the result of weeks of designing and working on the part of members of the decorations committee.

Mrs. R. A. Tanner, education chairman, was in charge of general arrangements. Her committee members included:

Decorations: Mmes. Charles Metz, Earle Denny, H. B. Britt, Taylor George, Roy Smith, O. R. Kelly, J. D. Padgett, Malcolm Mills, T. E. Gilbreath, B. J. Johnson and Miss Betty Denny.

Program: Mmes. Homer Blalock, Allen D. Guthrie, Miss Helen Mitchell, Miss Frances Bell.

Menu: Mmes. Keith Blalock, R. R. Brubaker, Nelson Johnson, O. M. Jones, L. C. Hill.

Serving: Mmes. Sam Hill, Wayne Williams, R. J. Butts, R. A. Williams, P. O. O'Brien, Deloss Kagy and Miss Margie Lemond.

Literature: Miss Zada Lemond and Miss June Robinson.

The rich and beautifully executed table decorations were highlighted by ceramic coaches drawn by lifelike ceramic horses which entered each of the seven tables in the basement. Each tiny flower, bird and cupid which ornamented the carriages was delicately carved and tinted to harmonize with the other decorations.

Large colonial bouquets fashioned of lilacs and flower-filled hurricane lamps were placed at intervals along the tables. Place cards featured frilly mint cups decorated with a cluster of cherries and a miniature ax. On the front of the programs was a silhouette of George Washington.

Carroll Duke was master of ceremonies, and the clever and efficient manner in which he presided added much to the success of the occasion.

Mrs. James N. Easterwood, young people's secretary of the W.M.U., welcomed the guests. The response was given by Harold McDonald, president of the senior class.

As W.M.U. president, Mrs. L. C. Hill offered the invocation preceding the meal.

Miss Barbara Butts, pianist, provided music as guests partook of the turkey dinner that typified the meals served in plantation manors in colonial days. Miss Butts also provided prelude music as guests assembled in the auditorium.

Following the meal, each of the seniors was introduced with a rhyme by Miss Betty Jean Denny. Supt. W. R. Bradford introduced faculty members.

A most entertaining program was presented by out-of-town artists. Mrs. Keith Garrison of Wichita Falls, who is director of the local Baptist choir, was featured in solo selections. Accompanied by Miss Butts, her vocal numbers were: "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," "A Little Bit of Heaven" and "Alice Blue Gown."

Mrs. W. T. Kendall and her young daughter Miss Ruth Ann of Wichita Falls scored a big hit with their audience with clever skits built around "Problems." The mother and daughter are much in demand because of their ability to furnish high caliber entertainment for so many occasions. They presented "Problems in Cooking," "Problems in Love," "Problems in Fear." Ruth Ann worked alone in "Problems in Lying" and "Problems in Marriage" and Mrs. Kendall contributed "Problems of Nationalities."

Dr. J. W. (Bill) Marshall, president of Wayland college, Plainview, arrived by plane Thursday evening

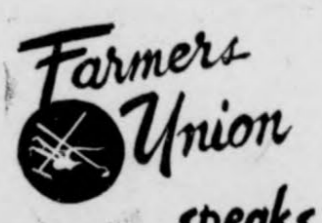
Youth-Citizenship Is Topic of 23 Study Club Meeting Friday

One of the most significant programs for the current club year will be the Youth-Citizenship program which will be enjoyed Friday afternoon by members of the 23 Study club. This special observance gains its importance from the fact that it calls attention to the role of youths as citizens of tomorrow and the part that education plays in preparing these future citizens to discharge tomorrow's responsibilities.

The words uttered by Aristotle centuries ago provide the caption for the program: "All who have meditated on the art of governing mankind have been convinced that the fate of empires depends on the education of youth."

The meeting will take place at the Christian church with Mmes. Carroll Duke, James N. Easterwood and L. E. Brooks serving as hostesses. Mrs. Taylor George, who was director of the recreation program last summer, has been chosen to lead the afternoon's program.

Mrs. Wayne Williams and Mrs. Deloss Kagy were dressed in colonial costumes as they assisted with duties of serving the tables.



WHY THE FARMER NEEDS FARMERS UNION

The farmers need an organization that represents only the farmers and their needs. That is exactly what the Farmers Union does. It is an organization strictly made up of farmers. The purpose of the Farmers Union is to maintain the family type farm and 100 per cent of parity, thus making it possible for the small farmer to make a sufficient living on his farm.

Facts and figures show that today only 18 per cent of the people live on the land and make their living from it. More amazing than that figure is that 40 per cent of all the farmland in the country is contained in 2 per cent of the farms. This shows that the small farmer is slowly being squeezed from his farm into some other line of work.

Farmers have little to say about prices. Industry determines the prices at which its products are sold. But farmers, unless they are organized, have nothing to say about the prices they receive for what they raise, nor about the prices they must pay for what they need. What the farmers want is justice, and by justice is meant parity.

The Farmers Union interprets parity in this way: "A price and income, for all farmers, sufficient to provide the facilities and opportunities for living a full wholesome life, equivalent to the best that this nation can produce."

Industry can tell the wholesaler what prices they must pay. The wholesaler in turn tells the retailer what he must pay for his products. However, when the farmer goes into a store to buy what he needs, he pays the price that is charged, but when this same farmer has a crop to sell, he has little to say about the price he receives. The farmer sells what he raises at wholesale and buys what he needs at retail and has nothing to say about the prices of either.

When a citizen is asking for justice he wants 100 per cent justice, not 60, 70 or 90 per cent justice. In this case parity is justice.

The Farmers Union is based on three main principles:

Co-operation, that is, co-operation with one another in working together through the organization and through co-ops.

Legislation. Helping to get more and better legislative help for the farmers. The Farmers Home Administration, Soil Conservation Service, R.E.A., School Lunch Program, and the Social Security Act, all of these and many more have been backed and aided by the Farmers Union.

Education is the last, but not the least of the Farmers Union program. The F.U. has a comprehensive education program for the juniors as well as the seniors. The purpose of the program is to teach the farmer what he needs, what he deserves, and how his best interests can be served, by belonging to the Farmers Union.

Gordon L. Turner Wins Captain Bars

Gordon Lewis Turner, son of Mrs. May H. Turner, was promoted to captain on January 1, this year, according to reports received by his mother.

He is a navigator on B-29 aircraft and has already served a tour of duty in Korea. Captain Turner made 35 missions over Korea during July, August, September and October, 1950, and was mentioned in an article in the Saturday Evening Post.

Gordon Lewis belongs to the 22nd Bomb group and is now stationed at March Field, Riverside, Calif. His wife and little daughter Pamela are making their home with Capt. Turner at Riverside.

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Mrs. Schindler Rites To Be Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Leona Cargill Schindler, 54, former resident of Iowa Park who died in a hospital in Grant's Pass, Ore., Sunday night, will be held at the Baptist church Saturday morning at 10:00. Rev. James N. Easterwood will conduct the service. Burial will be in the Highland cemetery under direction of Tanner Funeral Home.

The body will arrive from Oregon late Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Schindler moved to Iowa Park from Pilot Point with her parents when she was 10 years of age. She lived here until 1940 when she moved to Fort Worth. Three years ago she moved to Grant's Pass.

Survivors include her husband Joe Schindler; two daughters Mrs. Oliver Hamilton of Wichita Falls and Mrs. W. E. Ryan of Fort Worth; four grandchildren; her father John Blagg of Iowa Park; three sisters Mrs. Elmer Watts, Iowa Park; Mrs. John Costley, Odessa; Mrs. Otis Coxen, Milliken, Colo.; three brothers Bill Blagg of Davenport and Odd and Charley Blagg of Iowa Park.

CARD OF THANKS

To all the fine friends and neighbors whose words and deeds of kindness and sympathy helped us, we express our deepest appreciation.

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Valley View

By Mrs. Roy Lakey Monday night as Roy and I came home after visiting with Mother Lakey and Alma, we got into a rain that came in sheets. We could hardly see several times, it was so hard. Some hail fell and bounced on the road, but not much. September was the last such rain we had seen, so it was a welcome sight. It was unusually warm for a rainy night in February. It thundered, and Mother Lakey was reminded of an old saying: 'Thunder in February, frost in May.' We'll see about this later.

The Methodist WSCS luncheon Tuesday was a success. The table carried a George Washington motif with figurines of Martha and George. Everyone had plenty to eat and the ladies enjoyed a full day. We thank all who helped.

Fourth Monday meeting will be at the Hodges home with Miss Maude Kirschner and Mrs. Buzbee as hostesses and Joy Guiley as program leader.

Mrs. J. C. Farris of Fort Worth is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Swan Reaves and family this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Belote of Iowa Park were also visitors Wednesday in the Reaves home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robert Bishop are moving back to Wichita Falls. They have been at Levelland the past month.

Mrs. Lavemo Ellis and her mother Mrs. W. W. Bishop gave a Stanley party in the latter's home Wednesday afternoon. A pleasant time was had by all attending.

Supt. Clark Wilkes left Thursday week to attend the meeting of school administrators at Atlantic City. He plans to visit with friends and a brother in Philadelphia. Mrs. Evans of Honey Grove, mother of Mrs. Wilkes, is staying with her during his absence.

Miss Etta Kay Budd has as guest her mother from Pety.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Belva Jones were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monella of Wichita Falls, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips and son Ross (Buddy) are taking a trip this week through Arkansas and Louisiana visiting relatives and friends before Buddy goes into service for Uncle Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. Belva Jones received word that their son Robert Neal and family are being sent to Columbus, Miss. He has been stationed at Ft. Sam Houston since their return from Japan about a year or more ago.

Mrs. Ezra Jones and daughter Virginia took their little granddaughter and niece home to her mother in Dallas. The Joneses kept the little lady while her mother visited her father Earl Jones while he was in port in California the past few weeks.

Mrs. Hut Buzbee left Wednesday to be with her daughter Maxine and family in Dallas while Maxine is recuperating from minor surgery. We know she is going to enjoy the granddaughter during her stay. The Buzbees' other daughter and family, the Gilbert Kresses, live in Ft. Worth, so perhaps she will also see them and the other granddaughters before returning home.

Clarence Lemin of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Gage and friends around our community recently. He lived here many years. About a year ago ill health caused him to move where he could be near his son and family. We were happy to see him looking fine and hope he gets to visit again in the home community.

We Lakeys enjoyed the day Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Jensen at Burk Burnett. We also were with their daughter Mrs. June Sinclair and small daughter Tilden Marion of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Ralph McKinlay left Monday for a visit with her sister at Muskogee, Okla., and her father at Drumright, Okla. She plans to be back early next week. Mrs. J. F. McKinlay is with her son and grandchildren here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hanes and son Terry spent the weekend in Commerce with his mother, who is ill.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



Sometimes Good Intentions Aren't Enough

That fire at the Griffin place didn't do much damage last week, but Volunteer Chief Murphy was pretty angry about it. Spoke to some of us over dinner and a bottle of beer. 'Griffin's farm is a good mile from town,' he said. 'And by the time we'd dodged all the people on the highway who were going to watch, we hadn't a minute to waste. 'Then blamed if those sight-seers hadn't parked cars right in Griffin's driveway and there was a mob of people milling around the house—just gawking. Joe, tell

me a fire's no sideshow. Ask 'em to think of the other fellow!' From where I sit, some of us need to be reminded occasionally that even though our intentions are good we may be unfairly interfering. Whether it's blocking the right-of-way of fire equipment or criticizing a person's right to enjoy a temperate glass of beer now and then—the American Way is to give way, and give the other fellow his fair 'share of the road!'

sad to hear his condition is about the same; weaker perhaps as each day passes. We only wish there were something we could do for him.

Mrs. Mattie Hodges remained for a time with her daughter-in-law Mrs. Goodlett Hodges and girls in San Antonio.

Word reaches me that Mrs. Thelma Gay, teaching music and voice in our school, is discovering quite a lot of talent. Was a time when we were blessed with a lot, and we had many programs put on by students. Hope Thelma develops something from her good start.

Those who heard the groups sing over the Electra station were surprised and pleased with what they heard. I did not know about the program, since we do not have anyone in public school and we lose out on lots of activities.

The Baptist Women's Missionary society is planning a week of prayer programs for the afternoons of each day next week. Members are urged to attend, also any other interested persons.

L. O. Matthews' father and mother are visiting them.

I've always been told one can get accustomed to anything. It's proved by Mrs. Edna Love Stewart. A number of weeks ago she had her right leg broken by a freak accident. She has since had a long cast, but is managing beautifully and can even

go places now. We will, and I know she will be glad when the thing can be removed.

JUNIOR NEWS

Time for six weeks tests again and also the end of volleyball season.

Speaking of volleyball, it certainly ended right for Janice. She rode all the way back from Seymour with Mac, Mary, Robert, Ben and a sr were along but that didn't keep her from having a swell time. Did it, Janice?

Doris has been holding out on us lately. She was seen with Eddie Reasor, Tuesday night. She came to school Wednesday looking awfully happy. That explains it.

Paul seems to be off his nut. He has a little camera in his pocket and everytime he gets a sudden impulse he has to take a picture. I think his favorite expression is, 'Stop! Gotta take a picture.' That's all right, Paul, everyone understands.

Weldon is getting popular over ABC roundup. I have heard two or three requests for him in the last few days. Could a certain little jr girl be responsible for this?

Speaking of ABC roundup, Mac, Robert and Paul have been getting their share of requests too! Nice going, boys. I will give some jr

girls credit for this too because after all, they are responsible for their popularity.

Gene is doing all right with a certain soph. At least I guess he is, because he was asking me what time the supper started for the volleyball girls Monday night. Sorry, I couldn't help. Gene, maybe Earl, Charles, Paul, Ben and Robert can tell you what time it starts.

They along with Gene were invited to the girls' supper for being the girls' opposing team all year.

Jimmy Joy moved her books into our jr room Wednesday. I guess she is going to stay too. Her credits were checked and she has enough. Welcome, J.J., we need more girls.

Jimmy Joy got into our class just in time to help our girls play volleyball in the intramurals. They won fourth. Pretty good, huh? They did their best and most of all, they had fun. Didn't you, Lou Ann Gay.

Thanks, Mary.

Rose Mary, Helen, Noralene, Jimmy Joy and Darlene? Doris played the first time they played but she was absent for the second match. Roughcut was absent Wednesday. I guess he took his calf to be judged. Good luck, Roughcut. He seems to be getting more popular. Just watch him around school and see what I mean.

Our boys won third in basketball. Those playing were Jimmy, Coy, Paul, Charles Quick, Roughcut, Jackie and Freddie. Good boys!!! I can't say much about Jimmy this week because I'm not sure if he is still interested in that soph. He has been quite the Romeo these past few weeks, so I've heard. I also heard that he, Weldon, Bill and Eddie almost had a fight at Seymour. What was it, boys, over the ball game or the girls?

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★ SENIOR NEWS

Putting six weeks tests aside, the big thing this week is the banquet at the Baptist church. Of course this will be old stuff by the time you get your paper but the press runs before the banquet news can be prepared. Next week's paper will have the results with this week only the predictions.

Peggy Beaver will be escorted by Clifton Roberts. This used to be an old flame that died out, but is starting to burn again. Good luck. Jackie Payne will go with her usual—Tommy Medlinger. This is not new. It is old and we have got used to the idea of seeing these two together and we like it.

There were other dates I tried to promote, but Harold decided to take Garland. By the way, they are going to show up with white carnations in their lapels. Sure sounds distinguished, doesn't it?

We are going to have a time in spite of the fact that we have six weeks tests Thursday and Friday.

The volleyball girls really showed what they could do. They won district again this year. In behalf of the fans who attended the games and backed us to victory. The girls were measured for jackets the other day. There will be seven sr girls receiving jackets around May 1 (we hope). Jackie's and Caroline Sue's jackets will each have a big white letter with a star and three stripes. Lou Ann's will have three stripes and Mary Ella's will have one stripe. The sr jackets will be reversible and the following girls will sport a letter on each side:

Ella Lou will have a big white "L" with two stripes on the outside and a band letter on the other side also holding two stripes.

Eva Jane will have a manager emblem and 3 stripes on the "E" and a band letter on the other side with two letters and a little heart in the center explaining that she was band sweetheart.

Lucille's will have one volleyball

stripe and two band letters. On each of the above jackets will be a white patch on the sleeve to tell everyone that we won district championship.

Monday night the volleyball girls are having a dinner at the Chicken Shack and they are inviting their boy friends. Lucille sure wants to have a date that night but she is too bashful to ask anyone. Can you believe it?

Caroline Sue is hoping those flat feet of Jimmy's will keep him at home with her instead of joining all the other boys who have gone to work for Uncle Sam. He took his physical Wednesday. Mary Ella said she also has her fingers crossed because Gordon has taken his physical and Uncle Sam is now grading his paper.

Oh yes—I mustn't forget to pay tribute to our first friends who beat us out of first place in intramurals. Monday night the frosh beat the srs in both volleyball and basketball, leaving us holding second. The sophs are third and our dear jr friends are fourth. Of course track and baseball will come along and it may be a horse of a different color when all is over.

I guess this will have to be all for this week because tests are hanging over my head. Lucille.

Surprise Party Given For Joe Hallum

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boren was the scene of a surprise birthday dinner given for her father Joe Hallum, Sunday, Feb. 18. A large group of relatives and friends helped to make his 62nd birthday a joyous occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Osborne presented the honor guest with a lovely birthday cake which was decorated with red roses and touches of blue.

Present for the celebration were Messrs. and Mesdames Joe Hallum, Claude Boren, J. W. Boren, Donald Hallum and children Carolyn and Donald Jr., John Lee Hallum and children Jerry Wayne and Basil, and Kenneth Boren, all of Iowa Park; Mrs. Ray Byrd of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Glazener, Sonny and Kay of Kamay; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Key of Electra.

John Roger Cowden, Kenneth C. Smith, Alton E. Hunter and Billy G. Travis of Iowa Park were among 47 draftees who left Wichita Falls, Monday morning for induction into the armed services.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Detlefs left Tuesday morning for their home in Odessa following a visit here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Detlefs and his sister Mrs. Burk Scott and family.

★ BAPTIST W.M.S.

Mrs. Carl McKinnon was hostess to the Blanche Groves circle Monday at 10:00 a.m. with Mrs. T. M. Thaxton presiding. After the opening prayer by Mrs. Jim Cowden, the mission lesson was taught by Mrs. McKinnon. Mrs. W. G. Partney led the prayer to dismiss. Mmes. Thaxton, L. E. Brooks, Della Price, A. A. Birdwell, Avery Hooten, Virgil Woodfin, Jim Cowden and Carl McKinnon.

Mrs. Everett Sewell was hostess to the Sallee-Morgan circle with Mrs. J. A. Berg presiding. Mrs. Sewell worded the opening prayer and Mrs. Sam Hill taught the mission book "God's Hurray." One visitor, Mrs. Bob Spruiell, attended along with the following members: Mesdames E. W. Sumrall, J. A. Berg, Sam Hill and Everett Sewell.

The Mary-Martha circle met in the church basement with Mrs. J. E. Blaylock in charge. The opening prayer was led by Mrs. Perry Blaylock, after which Mrs. Roy Smith taught the lesson. Assisting Mrs. Smith in presentation of the topic were Mmes. Jim Miller, Perry Blaylock, J. T. New, E. A. Jones, John McGrew and J. E. Blaylock.

Mrs. Lila Traylor presided at the meeting of the Ruth circle in the church parlor. After the opening devotional by Mrs. Herman Mitchell, the mission book "O Jerusalem ... Cities for Christ" was taught by Mrs. Walter Scott. Plans were made for cottage prayer meetings preceding the March revival.

The circle welcomed two new members, Mmes. Jim Cates and Pat O'Brien. Others present were Mmes. Curtis Hill, A. A. Adams, Herman Mitchell, Lila Traylor, Earle Denny, Wal-

ter Scott, James N. Easterwood and R. R. Brubaker.

The W. M. S. will meet at the church Monday and Tuesday mornings at 9:00 to observe the Home Missions Week of Prayer. Mrs. L. E. Brooks is program chairman. The concluding program will be held at the Prayer Meeting hour next Wednesday night.

Birthdays Inspire Two Turkey Dinners

Mrs. W. E. England of Seymour, who celebrated her 78th birthday on Feb. 14, was honor guest at two turkey dinners recently. Sharing honors with Mrs. England were two granddaughters Misses Lynn and Ann Neathery of Seymour, who observed birthdays Feb. 13 and 14.

The first dinner was given by Mrs. England's daughter Mrs. Carroll Duke and Mr. Duke on Sunday preceding Valentine's Day. Last Sunday a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Grady England entertained with another feast.

Included in the group at both functions were Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Neathery, Lynn and Ann, Mrs. W. E. England, all of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. Grady England of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Duke, Lou Ann, Duke and Ben Huckaby.

Norman Gowler of Lubbock visited in the Famous Store here on Tuesday of this week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Watkins for the weekend were Mrs. Walter Bailey of Leonard and brother H. M. Muse of Wichita Falls. They are cousins of Mrs. Watkins.

Hugh Gauntt and sons Walter and James of Rochester visited in the Emma Gauntt home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Adams spent Sunday in Rsh Springs, Okla., with his parents.



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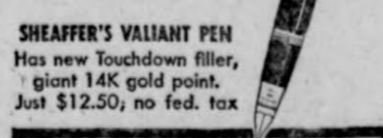
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The great debate in Congress on foreign policy and on domestic mobilization is beginning to produce preliminary decisions and jelling of sentiment on some important issues.

1. Unanimously, the Senate armed services committee has approved legislation calling for the drafting of 18-year-olds.

2. The House ways and means committee has decided to take its time in considering new tax legislation.

3. More than 117 Republicans—and at least one Democrat—in the House signed a statement of principles asserting that any foreign policy must be determined with full participation and approval of Congress.

These three developments may prove to be only straws in the wind, but they did represent attempts by Congress to get off the dead end on which it has rested for six weeks.

Under the leadership of Senator Lyndon Johnson (D-Texas), the Senate armed services committee is asking Congress to provide at once for the drafting of 18-year-olds for military training.

Chairman of a sub-committee which conducted weeks of hearings, Johnson argued for the new legislation on grounds that our security requires the most prompt build-up of our armed forces, and that we must decide now on a long-range system of training and manpower readiness.

The committee's unanimity does

not mean however that the comparable House committee—or the full Congress will follow suit. In the House, especially, the pressure from level heads back home against the 18-year-old draft was forcing the military leaders at the Pentagon to cast about for more equitable ways of obtaining manpower. Still very much alive were the possibilities of drafting veterans and married men and of calling up many reservists.

The action by the House tax experts looked like a sharp setback for the administration's request for \$10 billion in new taxes now, and for another \$6.5 billion later.

Publicly, the committee members said they wanted to give thorough consideration to all kinds of new taxes. Privately, some of them indicated a desire to hold off final decisions on the total of new revenue until they could see how much money Congress was going to appropriate. They didn't want to tax in the dark.

It became known, however, that there would be some delay in the House appropriations committee. The national defense establishment will not be ready before April 1 to start explaining in detail how it would use the \$41 billion Truman has asked for the defense effort.

Republicans in the House drafted their policy statement as individuals, and not under the sponsorship of their leaders. In fact, the three top leaders had not signed it when it was presented to the House.

But the statement did reflect the members' mail. It did attempt to bring into sharp focus major issues in the foreign policy debate. It did draw immediate replies from the Democrats.

Besides calling for Congressional approval of foreign policy, the Republicans said we must make this country impregnable to attack, reduce non-essential civilian expenditures, build a strong defense system in the western hemisphere, establish a strong defense line in the Atlantic and Pacific, and conclude peace treaties with Germany, Japan and Austria.

They said we should refuse aid to western Europe unless we are persuaded that western Europe is carrying its full share of the burden. "In any case," they concluded, Britain and the British commonwealth should be invited to "participate fully in this program."

How and whether those principles would be translated into action remains to be seen.

But they came as Secretary Acheson declared anew that any attack on Yugoslavia would threaten world peace.

And that came as the Senate foreign relations committee opened its doors to hear General Marshall plead for a Senate statement of principle permitting the sending of troops to Europe.

New T-V Leader Is Well-Known Here

Of interest to many people in this community was an article that was carried in Wichita Falls papers recently concerning a former Seymour boy, Glen McDaniel, a cousin of Mrs. Carroll Duke.

McDaniel, 39, at present a lawyer in New York City and vice-president of Radio Corporation of America, was recently elected president of the Television-Radio Manufacturing association of Chicago.

Glen has visited in Iowa Park on many occasions and formed the friendship of many people. Also, he is well known by a number of former Seymour residents who are now in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reynolds and son Mike, and Mrs. I. R. Reynolds, all of Sherman, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Zink.

A son was born Sunday, Feb. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Woodward at Electra. Mr. Woodward owns and operates Woody's Jewelry store in Iowa Park.

Bill Tom Rogers, son of Tom Rogers, was admitted to the Wichita Clinic hospital Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. J. Simpson returned Sunday from a week's visit with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. William Coyle of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Beadle and family of Snyder visited Sunday night in the home of Mrs. S. L. Denny.

Sunbeam Bands of the Baptist church went to the home of Mrs. J. F. Quick, Monday afternoon to render a missionary program. The group later presented Mrs. Quick, who has been ill several weeks, with a love gift.

Children present were David Parkey, Patrick Kagy, Frank White, John Ross Kelly, James Williams, Gary Guthrie, Virginia Kelly, Charlotte Hanaway, Linda Smith, Peggy Easterwood, Janice Miller, Peggy Miller, Carol Williams, Lana Ford, Jo Pat Adams, Patsy Blaylock, Sarah Cole, Cathy Thompson, Kathryn Eaton, Paula Smith, Helen Hodges, Jackie Sims.

Adults and counselors present were Mmes. Jim Miller, Lee Perry, Allen Guthrie, O. R. Kelly, Deloss Kagy and Emma Phillips.

Donald Ray McDonald of Dallas spent the past week here visiting his grandparents Mrs. Carrie McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lochridge.

Patricia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Paris, returned home from Wichita General hospital, Wednesday afternoon, where she had received treatment for a week.

THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY
Prayer was never intended as a means to get the Lord to overlook our laziness.

When Faith goes to market, it always takes a basket.

Many church members are like the farmer's well. It had only two faults: It froze up in the winter and dried up in the summer.

Nothing lies beyond the reach of prayer except that which lies outside the will of God.

Camp Fire Supervisor Returns for Visits

When Miss Corinne Moller, now regional supervisor for Region IV of Camp Fire girls, returns to this area for a special field visit February 19 through March 2, she will be privileged to see the progress of Iowa Park Camp Fire girls have made in the last eight years.

It was in 1943 when Miss Moller was executive director in Wichita Falls that the North Central Texas Area Council was organized with the Iowa Park District Council as a charter member.

From a simple beginning of one Camp Fire group and one Blue Bird group, membership has grown to include two Camp Fire groups and two Blue Bird groups.

Miss Moller will be available for consultation and council training during her field visit in Iowa Park. She plans to discuss council activities with F. E. Hill, president of the North Central Texas Area Council, and Mrs. John B. Barbour of the area board of directors.

Miss Moller attended Camp Fire Orientation school at New York university in 1940 and became executive director of the Wichita Falls Council of Camp Fire girls. Through her efforts Camp Fire was expanded to include all of the north Texas area, and the Area Council was organized in 1943 with Wichita Falls, Electra, Burkburnett, Iowa Park, Archer City and Nocona as charter districts. When she became a national staff member as a field adviser of Region IV (Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, New Mexico and

Arkansas) in 1947, she was replaced by Miss Elizabeth Owen, who is still executive director of the North Central Texas Area Council.

Iowa Park is especially privileged to have the able supervision of Miss Moller because of her earlier work and interest in the Camp Fire girls of Iowa Park. Also scheduled during her field visit will be conferences in the other district, highlighted by a special Area Board of Director's meeting which was held Tuesday, February 20 at the YMCA in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roby of Ft. Worth announce the birth of a son John Gary, Friday, Feb. 16.

Pfc. George Sampson has arrived at Pohang, Korea, according to his mother Mrs. Eula Sampson. She received a letter from him this week which was written Feb. 4.

Roy Henson, who works for Wells Lane company at Colorado City, was home over the weekend to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Henson jr.

Cubs Enjoy Tommy Scott's Birthday Cake

Cub Scouts of Den 2 met at the home of Mrs. Burk Scott, Monday afternoon for their regular den meeting and to celebrate Tommy Scott's birthday. Regular features of the meeting were roll call and the collecting of weekly dues.

The cubs played games and enjoyed Tommy's birthday cake, which was served with ice cream.

Special guests were Mrs. J. W. Collins and Johnnie of Wichita Falls, who have never missed one of Tommy's birthdays.

Others present were Buddy Banks, Bill Bryant, Larry Parker, Larry Hall, Cletis Wright, Gary May, Perry May, Bobbie Carol Hall, Angela Scott, Mrs. Bud May and Mrs. Pete Hall.

Mrs. J. M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Marice Allred of Wichita Falls visited friends in Iowa Park last Sunday.

J. F. Glosup, father of Mrs. J. C. Roby, who suffered a broken hip in a fall on the ice at Sulphur Springs about two weeks ago, is recovering nicely. He will be brought to Mrs. Roby's home here within the next few days, if the weather permits.

Joe Lee Kight, son of Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Skelton of Iowa Park, is attending West Texas State college at Canyon for the spring semester. Joe Lee is a freshman art student.

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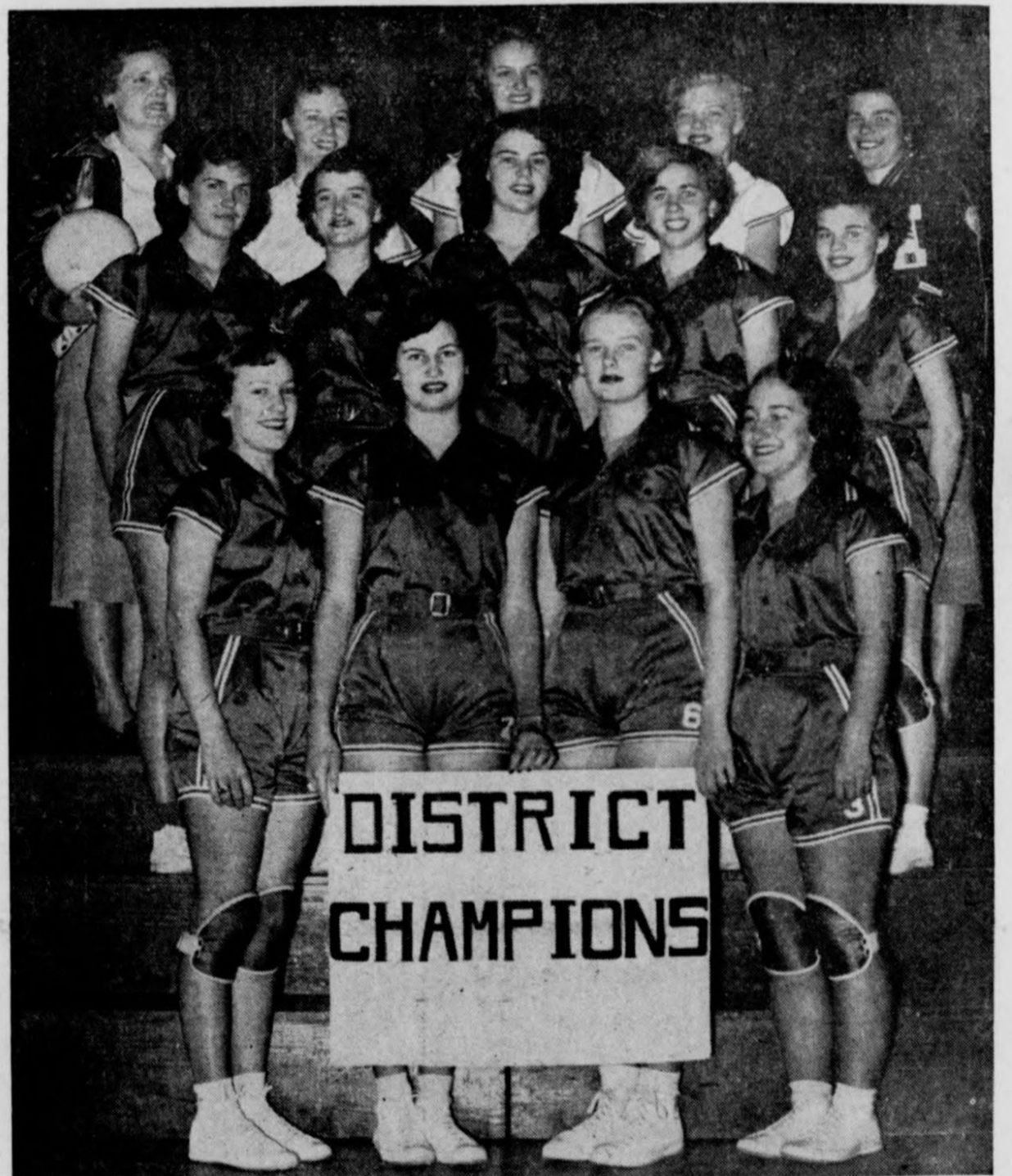
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