Iowa Park, Texas, Thursday, April 8, 1954

Death Takes Sister Of Mrs. Millie Benton

Volume 46

Funeral services were conducted in Electra, Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Florence Parnell, 68, sister of Mrs. Millie Benton of Iowa Park. Rev. F. M. Talbot, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. J. D. McDaniel, pastor of the Kamay Baptist church, officiated, with interment in the new Electra ceme-

Mrs. Parnell was born in Lipan, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Giles. She had been a resident of Electra the past 41 years. She died Sunday night after a short illness.

Mrs. Parnell is survived by her husband Ike, four sons, three daughters and 15 grandchildren.

Cynthia Thornberry and Beverly Parker attended the first meeting of Wichita Falls' Little Theater group at Wichita Falls high school Monday evening. The group will meet again April 19.

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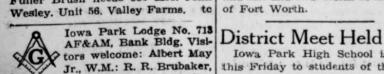
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T. H. Eckelkamp, president of the Shown aove is T. H. Eckelkamp, president of Wichita County Farm | Wichita County Farm Bureau, has Bureau, congratulating Tom Pace announced that a 50 per cent diviof Iowa Park; Herbert Detmer of dend on all casualty policies with Electra; and Arthur Evert of Burk- the Southern Farm Bureau Casualburnett, on being the first policy ty company for this year. The new holders in the Southern Farm Bu- dividend became effective April 1, reau Casualty company in Wichita and over \$1,700,000 will be paid to county to receive their 50 per cent Farm Bureau members in Texas in dividends as announced April 1. dividends.

Former Parkans Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keller of Independence, Kans. visited in the Charlie Coppock home thit week. The Kellers were guests last Sunday at a dinner in the W. M. Owens home. Others present were Mrs. J. N. George, Mr. and Mrs. Coppock, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Denny, Mr. and Mrs. John Mixon and children Judy and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor George and daughter Jimmie Joy; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Owens and daughter Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hines and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hines, all of Lubbock, Volleyball Girls Enter of Fort Worth.

Iowa Park High School is host this Friday to students of the district who are entered in literary events of the Interscholastic League. The events are debate, declamation, extemporaneous speech. slide rule, number sense, shorthand, typewriting, ready writers and plain

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PRICES:

Thompson, Sullivan, men in Light Votin Fewer than 200 voters chose Our

Town's mayor, secretary, and three new councilmen in the annual city election Tuesday.

Bert Van Horn was unopposed or another term as mayor and allied 176 votes. Miss Dosia Smith was returned to her position as city secretary unopposed with 181

Voters chose Harrel R. Sullivan, Fred Hays and L. Lavere Thompson as aldermen to serve with W. J. Beasley jr. and Charles Metz. holdover members of the council. The council will meet Monday evening, canvass returns of the election, and all elected members

of the official family take the

Miller and Sargent Win School Election. Officers Re-elected

oath of office.

The Iowa Park school board me last Monday night and canvassed results of the school election held last Saturday.

Jim Miller and Elvy Sargent were declared winners of the two positions on the board and took the oath of office. C. E. Birk was re-elected presi-

dent of the board. Miles Thompson was named vice-president for another year, and Albert May jr. was re-elected secretary. The group agreed to prepay some bond issues of 1928 and \$150 inter-Among the first Farm Bureau est. They also voted to pay 8 bonds

members in Wichita county to reearly on the 1937 issue and save ceive their dividends are Tom Pace the interest. and Steve Brown of Iowa Park; The board members, Supt. Keith Herbert Detmer of Electra; C. A. D. Swim and Principal James Elms Morgan, Arthur Evert and Mont plan to attend the schoolmasters Bowles of Burkburnett: and Mrs. meeting next Wednesday evening at Dora Davis of Wichita Falls, All Midwestern university. Purpose of

the meeting is to elect officers.

Easter holidays for Iowa Park students will be Friday, April 16, through Monday, April 19.

Iowa Park Play

policies that have been in effect

one year will receive the dividend

ed in Texas in 1947 and has grown

until over 40,000 policies are in

District Tournament

first round of the district volley-

Croweil match at 7:30 in the eve-

and Seymour against Archer City

Should Iowa Park win its first

match, the girls will enter the

Trophies will be presented to

the top three teams at the conclu-

Daytime games will be free and

the night session will cost adults

Entertainment planned by the

committee includes autograph bin-

go, a string band, a one-act play

on farm safety, movies, and prizes

donated by the local FFA chapter.

Refreshments will be served thru

the courtesy of F. E. Hill, president

Six miles of Sunshine Hill road

north and west of Iowa Park will

be sandstoned in May, according to

Commissioner Buck Voyles, The 14-

mile road extends from State High-

way 240 south to US 287. Northern

and southern portions are already

graveled. The center section will

Parts of two other roads in this

precinct have been graveled re-

cently, according to Buck. The

strips are the Community House

road and a road extending north

of Iowa Park past the cemetery. A

distance of 1.5 miles on the ceme-

tery road was graveled.

of the State National Bank.

Voyles Plans More

Road Surfacing

be sandstoned.

finals and play again at 9:30.

sion of the tournament.

50 cents, students 25 cents.

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The Casualty company was start-

as they become due.

force in the state.

at 2:00.

The area one-act play contest 'Dark Wind," with Mrs. O. R. Owens as director, won the right to Iowa Park drew a bye in the be entered at district level in Crowell recently.

ball tournament to be run off next Cast of the play includes Shirley Tuesday at Archer City. They will Barron, Cynthia Thornberry, Bevplay the winners of the Hollidayerly Barker and Mickey Sewell. Dale Girard furnishes sound effects and James Martin is in charge of Games in the top bracket will pit Olney against Quanah at 3:00

Valley Farmers Have Hays Named Council- Annual Get-Together

Farm families of the Wichita Valley Farms community enjoyed a get-together last Saturday night at the Community House. Plenty of food, a splendid program by Doc Warren and Beverly Barker, and visits with neighbors and their guests combined to make an en-

oyable evening. About 200 persons, including many guests, lined up for a buffet supper arranged by a men's committee. Being heavy eaters themselves, the men really let loose all restraints and had food aplenty. There was barbecued beef, brown beans, potato salad, vegetable salad pickles, onions, pie, ice cream, coffee and soda pop enough for everyone to make several trips back for seconds and thirds.

And when Bev and Doc got fed and started their pantomime act, everybody sat still, absorbed in the show put on by these popular en-

Highlight of the entire party was of course the opportunity to get together and enjoy the friendship of neighbors and guests.

Funds for these annual parties come from rentals of the Communnity House to dance organizations and other group parties and entertainments.

Mrs. Lewis Named Secretary for School

Mrs. George Lewis has been hired by the Iowa Park school board as secretary to the superintendent for the remainder of the school term.

Mrs. Lewis is a hometown girl, formerly Miss Lorene Williams, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Claud Williams. She was graduated from high school here in 1929 and did post-graduate work the next year and worked in the office of Ross Poteet, high school principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis recently sold the Park Feed Store. They have two sons, Harold of Wichita Falls and Lloyd a high school senior.

Beverly Barker will be guest star will be held in Wichita Falls high on Channel 7, Lawton, during the the company's office from 8:00 a.m. school Friday. Iowa Park's play, hour program presented next Mon- to 5:00 p.m. during the five days. day evening at 8:00 by the West- Electric range dealers also have ernaires of Denver, Colo, She is seen each Friday on the Doc Warren show over KWFT-TV at 6:00.

> Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Spruiell have moved back to Iowa Park from Wallace,, Kans. Mr. Spruiell will be associated in the dairy business with his father Hill Spruiell.



Iowa Park will be well represent- Betty Smith of Iowa Park, will ed in the spring style show "Hand Knits on Parade" to be presented this Thursday evening in the Wom-

for mentally retarded children. Mrs. Joe Harris, the former Miss Spann and Miss Johnson.

commentator for the review.

Miss Mary Ellen Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Johnnie Johnson of an's Forum clubhouse by the Faith Iowa Park, and Miss Jackie Faye City Council of Beta Sigma Phi, a Teal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. sorority for business girls, for the A. Teal, will be among the group benefit of the Wichita Falls school of models for the show

Above are shown Mrs. Vernie

Presbyterians to Dedicate New Educational Building



Sunday afternoon at 3:00 the new | Presbyterian church will be dedi-

Dr. Cecil H. Lang, executive Secretary of Dallas presbytery, will will be unveiled. deliver the dedication sermon.

Other ministers from surrounding Fellowship Hall will include, acarea who have been invited and ceptance of the keys to the buildwill take part include L. M. Ken- ing from contractor Carl Sullivan, nedy of Wichita Falls, C. A. Tucker burning the note for \$10,000 which

\$30,000 education building of the of Gatesville, a former local pastor. A bronze memorial tablet, which cated here with appropriate cere- designates the building as a memorial to the late Evelyn Miller, daugh-

The dedication ceremony in the

Vernon and Will Fred Galbraith | obtain funds for completion of the building

The words of dedication which will be read by the pastor, M. C. Yeargan, and congregation, will be ter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Miller, followed by the dedication prayer by Mr. Kennedy of Fain Memorial church. A hymn and the benedic-

tion will conclude the service. Following the service the building will be open for the public to of Bowie, Forrest K. Whitwort of was executed by the Trustee to look over.

Electric Cooking to Be Former Parkan Dies Demonstrated Here in In Electra Hospital Texas Electric Office Funeral services were held for

Homemakers will learn "What's Cookin'" next week in Iowa Park. Starting Monday and continuing through Friday, local electric stove dealers and Texas Electric Service the host church. company will co-operate in telling the benefits of cooking electrically. As its part in the observance of What's Cookin' Week, Texas Electric will present continuous demonstrations of electric cooking in

planned special attractions. At the TESCO office, Miss Mary Frances McNair, home service demonstrator, will demonstrate cooking in electric ovens, on surface units and in deep well cookers each day during the week. Present users of electric ranges and also others who are interested in cooking electrically are specially invited.

"These demonstrations are designed to answer the questions of women who are not familiar with all the possibilities of an electric range, and to point out the many advántages of modern electric cooking," Ted St. Clair, electric company manager said.

Monday's demonstration will include preparation of an angel food cake and rice. On Tuesday she will cook fruit

fritters, angel pie and ranch style Wednesday's demonstration will

ciation to the Citizens of Iowa Park for having been re-elected to serve as your City Secretary for another. term of office. I shall try, to the best of my ability, to be always fair and courteous in my contacts with the public in a way that will be pleasing to our Community; and I shall always bear in mind the need for diligence and integrity in the discharge of the duties entrusted to this office. DOSIA S. SMITH

WILSONS ATTEND SCHOOLS FOR FLORAL DESIGN

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wilson and daughter Janice recently attended two florists design schools. One at Childress featured Willard Crain as commentator. The other school was presented by the Allied Florists of Fort Worth and Dallas in a Fort Worth hotel, Buddy Bentz, author of several popular florist design books, was the commenta-

The Wilsons also attended a bar becue luncheon at the Fort Worth Wholesale Floral company.

James E. White, 64, of Electra last Sunday afternoon in the Baptist church of Iowa Park. Cleo Jones minister of the Church of Christ, was assisted by Rev. H. M. Riek of church of their choice.

Burial was in Highland cemetery under direction of Tanner Funeral Home of Iowa Park.

"Whitey," as he was known to Iowa Park friends, died Saturday afternoon in an Electra hospital. He had operated a Magnolia service station in Electra the past year. Mr. White lived in Iowa Park from 1937 till 1941 in partnership in the Acuff Chevrolet company.

He married Miss Cora Talley in Iowa Park in 1937. Between 1941 and 1952 he ran a filling station at Nocona, He also lived in Oklahoma for a short time.

Mr. White was born in Nashville, Ill., in September 1889.

He is survived by his widow, a brother Ed of Nashville, and a sister Mrs. H. L. Head of Electra.

Lions Hear Talk on Television Industry

Warren Silver, TV weather merchant from Wichita Falls, gave the Lions club members a talk on the television business Tuesday of this

He explained that TV comes into the receiving set in two parts, the sound from an FM radio station show preparation of jelly tarts, tuna and the picture from a video station. The Wichita stations have three sources of programs, Silver said, the network, film and studio productions.

The studio productions require an enormous amount of work from many persons. Even a 5-minute news broadcast uses 7 workers. Mr. Silver estimates it will be

two years before color television is sent out from Wichita Falls.

Pupils to Give Play As Chapel Program A Texas Independence play will

be presented by pupils of the sixth grade next Wednesday morning in the high school auditorium. Music will be provided by fifth graders. Mmes, Bratton Reaves, Lester Hawkins and Bill Curry have been

directing the play proceeds of which will be given to the Independence Hall Restoration project sponsored by the 23 Study club.

The public is invited. There be a small admittance fee.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to everyone who voted for me in the city election. Congratulations to the new board. Dr. L. A. Crawford

Mrs. Floyd Busby and daughter Mrs. James Cates visited in Olney last Friday with Mrs. R. H. Busby.

Mrs. M. M. Stewart is on the sick list this week.

ESA Is Host to District Meeting

Epsilon Sigma Alpha chapters of District 6 met Sunday, April 4, in Iowa Park. Members of the host chapter met the guests Sunday morning and took them to the

At 12:30 a luncheon was Served in the school cafeteria. Following lunch a short program was presented, Mrs. Wayne House and Mrs. Joe Chandler sang two numbers

and Beverly Barker presented two pantomime numbers. Camille Simpson of Gainesville district president, had charge of the business meeting immediately following the program. She called on each chapter president to tell what activities they had had since the

last meeting. Information was giv-

en about the state convention in Galveston in May. Main event of the day was election and installation of new district officers. Mildred Cella, district coordinator, installed the following:

Billie McCullough, Iowa Park, president. Avis Hunchins, Quanah, vice-

president. Virginia Richison, Quanah, corresponding secretary.

Roberta Hill, Iowa Park, recordng secretary. Grace Stephenson, Quanah, treas-Bobbie Mitchell, Iowa Park, re-

porter. Bernice Tune. Fort Worth, historian

Jerry Smith, Wichita Falls, pariamentarian. Quanah won the attendance prize of \$5. Six door prizes were also given to those having the right

number at the time of the drawing. Each chapter brought gifts for June Smithson as our project. Epsilon Eta made a duster for June, an apron for her mother, and toys for her children.

There were 63 present representing chapters from Quanah, two from Wichita Falls, two from Fort Worth, Gainesville and Iowa Park. Next district meeting will be in Fort Worth in July.

Seven Words of Jesus' Are Topic of Series at Presbyterian Church

Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church Rev. M. C. Yeargan will begin a series of sermons on "The Seven Words" of Jesus on the cross. The series will continue through the week at services each

preaching mission, members will do visitation evangelism. The period of March 28-April 18 is a period of simultaneous evangelism throughout the Presbyterian church.

The season of evangelism will be climaxed with Easter as Membership Sunday, when new members will be welcomed into the church. All people of the area are cor-

evening at 7:30. In connection with the pre-Easter

dially invited to these meetings.

Adult Farmer Class sandwiches and a white loaf cake Real nice 5-room house, nearly Feature starts at 1:15 and 4:10 with broiled frosting. and the theatre closes at 7 o'clock. Family Night is being sponsored Thursdy's cooking schedule inby the Adult Farmer class of Iowa cludes hot rolls, refrigerator fruit REGULAR PRICES!! Park next Thursday at 8:00. The pie and hush puppies. party will be held in the Iowa Park The show will close Friday with REMEMBER - These hours school cafeteria and all folk interpreparation of TV snacks, beanested in farming and farmers are burgers and angel food cake. apply only to the showing of this Good 6-room house, now used as invited to attend, according to John E. Sibley, vocational agriculture in-CARD OF THANKS structor and president of the Adult I wish to express my deep appre-Farmer class.

Midwestern Professor, meeting in the Coppock home. Presents PanAmerican Program for 23 Club

The caption "We are Americans -all for one and one for all," was American program for the 23 Study tage.

The program for the afternoon reflexively extended to the caption. It also interlinked itself with the year's theme, showing how proper relations between the 21 republics Brazil and Mexico. of Pan-America contributed to the especially apropos for the Pan- preservation of our American heri-

club last Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Dr. Helen Yeats, professor of Guy E. Perdue and Mrs. C. W. Spanish and chairman of the de-Coppock were hostesses for the partment of foreign languages at

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the program. First entertainer was Alfonso Medina, guitarist, of Guatemala. His selections featured music of Spain,

Mrs. Gail Aldridge, Spanish instructor at Midwestern, gave an interesting lecture and showed pictures of Panama and the Canal Zone. Mrs. Aldridge taught in junior high school in Cristobal for four years. During World War II she worked in Balboa in the office of censorship for the FBI. She later lived in Honduras where her husband was a soil scientist.

A musical prelude to the program was presented by Mrs. W. G. Steele, organist. Her offerings were "Panis angelicus" (Franck) and "Estrellita" (Ponce).

The meditation by Mrs. John B. Barbour was inspired by the truth of the caption. To show how the different hemispheres are merged, Mrs. Barbour pictured a midwesterner in college for one year surrounded by the brown-skinned girl from Japan; an ebony-colored student from the West Indies; a gracious student from the Philippine Islands: the tan-skinned Latin-American; the Jewish lad; the distinguished looking man from Hungary; and the blond American with the southern drawl. "All men are one great family with Christ the elder brother," Mrs. Barbour point-

Announcement was made that a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. James Sewell on April 15 will conclude the current year's

Mrs. Dave O. Harbour, district forest and recreation chairman, requested club members to go by the Park Feed Store and see the display of flower and vegetable seeds and fertilizers Mr. Holloway has arranged as a courtesy to the club.

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Mrs. Della Craft returned las week after visiting in Odessa with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Craft.

Mrs. W. G. Partney was called to the bedside of her mother at Seton hospital in Austin early this week. Mrs. Hargrove had suffered a cerebral hemorrhage and was seriously

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McKinnon jr of Guymon, Okla., are announcing the birth at 6:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 7, of their third son.

Mrs. Ernest Hartfield returned last week from Kermit after spending several days there with her sister Mrs. Otis Golden and family. She was accompanied by another sister Mrs. Glenn Tucker of Dallas. Mrs. Tucker returned to her home Sunday.

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Little Louann Gragg of Waco is "I personally pledge myself to visiting her grandparents Mr. and drive and walk safely and think in Mrs. King Abernathy this week. terms of safety-at all times." Her mother the former Betty Carol Abernathy will come for her this Mrs. Ida Chatelain is visiting relweekend, Mrs. Abernathy visited atives in Houston this week. the Graggs in Waco last week. Mrs. Gertrude Bell, Mrs. Don Da-

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JUNIOR NEWS Not much news this week except

WILL YOU TAKE THE PLEDGE?

vis and son Don Micheal visited

Pfc. and Mrs. Pete Runco of Am-

arillo visited her parents Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Baxter last weekend.

ation meeting in Dallas.

relatives in Bowie and Nocona last

everyone is studying for six-weeks exams. These are our last ones s everyone is really studying.

history class Monday. They sound pretty good. The volleyball girls had a streak

Our debaters debated for us in

of bad luck Monday night. Better luck next time, girls. We are having interscholastic Meet here Friday and we have several Jrs entered in the events. We are all hoping they will win. We have Barbara Tatom in spelling; Ira Joe, Patricia and Henriann in

Dan McLaughlin in number sense. From what I hear some of the boys must have had a pretty good time the other night at the flume. By the way, June, Ralph said he

debate; Bill Reaves in declamation; Don Owens in Shorthand; and

would pay for his pin just as soon as he sold his rabbits. Bill "Tom Cat" Reaves is going with a Soph now. How do you rate

that, Bill? Whose car were you in Saturday night, Rosemary? You had better

watch those pipes. All the boys in the Jr class are so broke that Donnie is now selling

Say, Clayton, who were you with

Sunday night from Holliday? CAFETERIA MENU

Monday: Beef and cheese dish blackeyed peas, sliced tomatoes, p tato salad, fruit cobbler.

Tuesday: Pork steak, sweet potatoes, green beans, sliced beets, cherry cream pie. Wednesday: Chicken pie, pota-

toes with jackets, asparagus, pea Thursday: Barbecued hamburger,

mashed potatoes, English peas, lettuce and tomatoes, egg custard. Friday: Salmon croquettes, pinto beans, spinach, slaw, banana pie.

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Hawks Win Season Opener from Olney

The Iowa Park Hawks won their first district game over Olney, Monday afternoon, 7 to 2. Leonard Luckett pitched one hit ball for the full seven innings, walked three men and had 10 strikeouts.

Iowa Park scored five runs in the second inning. Billy Eaton scored the first run after getting a walk. Then Luckett came through with a timely hit with bases loaded. The ball bounced off the centerfielder's glove and Luckett came all the way around to score with David Sewell, James Williams and James Fenner ahead of him.

In the third inning Eaton hit a homerun with bases empty. In the seventh James Fenner's hit scored the final Hawk tally.

Olney's two runs came on two errors; one in the 2nd and one in the 7th inning.

O'Dell, catcher for Olney, singled in the 2nd inning for their only hit. Sartin and Slater pitched for Olney, allowing 3 hits and 13 walks. The Hawks will go to Burkbur-

nett this Thursday afternoon. Next Monday afternoon at 4:00 the Hawks will have their first home game, when Electra will be the visiting team. There is no admission and the public is invited, says Coach Ray Corbett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cranford of Dallas Spent the weekend here with her mother Mrs. Bonnie Hudson. Mr. and Mrs. Cranford are connected with Ford Motor company, where they were employed prior to Mr. Cranford's induction into the army two years ago. He was stationed at Camp Pickett in

A delegation of 32 Texas farmers and ranchers in Washington last week expressed disappointment in the attitude of Department of Agriculture officials toward farm price support policies and emergency relief measures to control the critical dust storm damage.

Members of the group attended hearings of the House and Senate committees on agriculture, where officers of the National Farmers Union proposed a comprehensive 'package" farm program as ar alternative to the Eisenhower Administrtion's plan to cut price sup port levels under the sliding scale.

The Farmers Union proposal included (1) adoption of a food allotment or stamp plan program to expand food consumption among the aged, dependent children, in welfare institutions, the blind, and other low-income families; (2) extension of mandatory price supports at not less than 90 per cent of parity for the basic farm commodities, dairy products, feed grains, and livestock; and (3) adoption of an International Food Reserve and a program of selling U.S. food "sur pluses for docal currencies, in order to put U.S. food production to work fostering lasting world peace and economic development in backward

areas. USDA officials, in conferences with the Texans, insisted that the present Farmers Home Administration loans are adequate for dealing with the wind erosion problem. But the Texas group pledged their support to a drive by the Farmers Union for passage by Congress of bills introduced during the week which would authorize incentive payments for soil chiseling and listing under a special Agricultural Conservation program.

Rep. Harold Lovre, South Dakota Republican and a leader in the Congressional fight against Eisenhower's proposal for lowering farm price supports, told the delegation the downward trend of farm income must be reversed in order to protect over-all national prosperity.

"I fail to see how we can get parity of income for farmers without getting parity prices," Lovre declared. "We should be working for 100 per cent of parity, not merely 90 per cent, because 100 per cent of parity is nothing more nor less than what is fair," the South Da-

kotan declared. Parity is not rigid or fixed, Lovre said, since the parity ratio goes up and down with the cost of things farmers must buy. "The price-cost squeeze is the best argument I can think of for supporting farm pric-

es," he declared. The Texans conferred with Sen-Lyndon Johnson and with Rep. Sam Rayburn and other members of the Texas delegation in Congress. They also met with congressional leaders from other states to impress upon them the importance of preserving effective price supports, rural electrification, soil conservation and other farm programs. The delegation traveled to Washington by chartered bus and returned early this week.

Teachers Go to Dallas SENIOR For Reading Clinic

Twelve Iowa Park elementary teachers attended a one day session of the Texas Association for the Improvement of Reading at Southern Methodist university last Saturday.

This association gives five reading conferences each year for the purpose of acquainting teachers of reading with the most successful methods of teaching reading. During the session several outstanding authorities in the field of reading gave interesting discussions or books and methods.

'Most outstanding features of the conference were the demonstrations given in the primary, upper grade and high school levels. Instruction was also given in remedial reading.

Teachers who attended consider this one of the best conferences they ever attended. Incidentally, Iowa Park had the best represen-

tation of any school. The following teachers from our

school attended the conference: Mmes. Alva Wormington, Barbara Baldwin, Robert Lisenby, Mae Robey, Helen Reed, J. Louis Quick, L. D. Hawkins, Bill Curry, Grace Reaves; and Misses Pearl Buckley, Dillie Lomax and Ethyle Kid-

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Retha Faye Starr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Starr of Iowa Park, was born here January 6 1936 and started to school in 1942. During Retha's high school, she has been in choral club, homemaking club, and this year she is assistant manager for the annual staff. Her hobby is sewing, playing the piano and the accordion. Her ambition is to be a secretary. Retha is well liked by her classmates.

Shirley Rae Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Johnson of this city, was born in Wichita Falls on May 10, 1937. She started to school in 1943, Shirley has been in band 2 years, music 1 year and homemaking club one year. Her hobby is eating and watching TV, and her ambition is to be a secretary. Shirley has a wonderful sense of humor and we're proud she's one of us.

Ava Lea Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watts of Wichita Falls, was born on March 21, 1936, in St. Jo. She started to school in 1942 in Iowa Park. Ava was in the choral club one year and has been on the annual staff 4 years. This year she is business manager. She was in the FHA club one year. Ava was elected Who's Who in Social Studies this year. Her hobby is Calvin and she has an ambition to be a housewife. Ava is popular with all her classmates.

We'd like to thank all of you for coming to our Sr play, and also those who bought reserve seat tickets-and didn't get to come. We know if you were present that you enjoyed the play.

We had a coke party after the play, and enjoyed it. Thanks to you room mothers for giving us the party.

Leonard, Mickey, Billy jr., Cecil, George and James are the Srs playing on our baseball team. We'll probably win district, just because these Srs are playing.

I've gotta move on. Don't get iost before next week. -- Tena

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sullivan have returned to their home in Arlington after a weekend visit here with his brother Harrel Sullivan and family.

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Mrs. Loy Thrush and children spent the past weekend in Whitesboro with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Winfrey.

Pat Sewell, officer caditate of the naval school at Newpork K.I., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Sewell this week.

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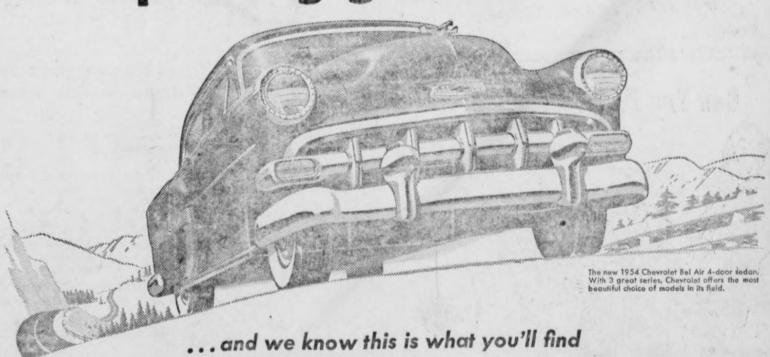
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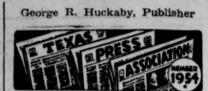
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The Christian Women's Fellow- By Church Women hip met in the home of Mrs. Cheser E. Gleason on Monday for the aissionary study. Mrs. Chester Miller led the program on "Such Are the Workmen.'

A quiz concerning missionaries with whom we are familiar was presented by Mmes. Curtis Sewell, Ted St. Clair, A. L. Reed, Johnny Cole, S. T. Buzzard and I. W. Corder. Mrs. Gleason led the devotional entitled "You Have All Kinds of Craftsmer without Number." The missionary offering for the day amounted to \$15.80.

Report for March included 31 books read, 42 calls made and there were 7 daily devotional readers

Plans were discussed for the pre-Easter services to be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of next week. All women of the church are urged to attend these short services.

Business approved included voting to pay \$10 to the Iowa Park Council of Church Women, contributing \$10 to the church nursery for toys, books and equipment, and to purchase a religious kitchen plaque to be presented to the high school nome economics cottage.

Refreshments were Served to Mes dames Gilbert Steele, John B. Barbour, Paul Peterson, Ted St. Clair, Forest Bates, Chester Miller, Carroll Bowman, I. W. Corder, A. L. Reed, S. T. Buzzard, Curtis Sewell and Johnny Cole.

FFA ITEMS

The FFA chapter presented an assembly program Thursday morning, including a parliamentary procedure demonstration, assembling the FFA emblem, and a short play on farm safety entitled a "Farm of Broken Down Men"

Nine FFA boys and their adviser J. E. Sibley will leave for Stephenville next Sunday to represent Iowa Park High School in the Area IV judging contests to be held there Monday, Eddie Whittenberg, Tommy Patterson, Lloyd Klinkerman will judge dairy animals. The poultry team is composed of Boyt Smith. Jimmy Shelton and Jerry Morgan. John Wesley, Boyd Coleman and Donald Cope will judge livestock.

HAPPY BLUE BIRDS COLOR EASTER EGGS

The Happy Blue Birds opened their meeting Wednesday afternoon with the lighting of their candle and repeating the Blue Bird wish. After roll call the girls colored Easter eggs. During the afternoon the girls' candle burned out, therefore next week the girls will have a special meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Stockton to Beverly Birk, Donna Childress, Sherry Watson, Donna Stockton, Diane Watson, Mary Helen Wallis, Barbara Thompson, Barbara Hadley, Sue Spruiell, Linda, Price, Carylon Fox and visitors: Porothy Price and Beverley Hadley

Easter Theme Used At ESA Meeting

Epsilon Eta met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Johnny Crawford with Mrs. Jesse McCullough as co-hostess.

Mrs. Rollin Roberts presented Rev. Chester Gleason, who gave an inspiring program on the Easter Picture Graph. A gift for Mr. Gleason was presented by the sorority.

During business conducted by Mrs. Leslie Clapp, Mrs. Roberts reported that the swings have been installed in the City Park. The sorority has spent over \$500 on the park and members hope everyone will enjoy using it.

The sorority wishes to thank the county, John B. Barbour, the fire department, the City and the C of C for all the help given on this

There was discussion of the State onvention in Galveston on May 8. Several girls plan to attend. Epsilon Sigma Alpha is helping Dr. Tommy Clark with the cancer

Dr. Tommy Clark with the cancer fund drive this month.

Nominations were made for the new officers for the coming year.

Refreshments were served to the Misses Raydean Brown and Roberta Hill; and the Mines. Orville Bell, Alan Berry, Joe Chandler, Leslie Clapp, John Clapp, Jack Coleman, I. W. Corder, Johnny Crawford, Carl Davies, Bryan Farris, W. A. George, Allen Guthrie, Donald Hill, Jesse McCullough, Jimmy Medunger, Malcolm Mills, Bud Mitchen ger, Malcolm Mills, Bud Mitchell John Mixon, Ted Overbey, Lee Perry, Rollin Roberts, Glenn Scott, Tommy Sims, Ray Watson, Johnny Cole, Burk Scott, Louie McCarthy, Ray Rutherford.

Mrs. Justin Butts, Mrs. Don Longhofer and Mrs. Arden Nance drove to Denton last Saturday and visited Mrs. Butts's daughter Barbara, who is a student at NTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Vestal and little daughter Karen Sue returned Wednesday night from Pampa, where they had visited relatives and friends for a couple days.

William Glenn Kimberlain, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jacks, was in the cast of the one-act play from Breckenridge high school that won at Midwestern university on

May Fellowship Program Planned

Mrs. D. O. James, chairman of the Christian social relations committee of the Iowa Park Council of Church Women, called a meeting of the committee Tuesday afternoon to make plans for the May Fellowship Day program.

The May Fellowship Day program is observed around the world on the first Friday in May. Theme this year will be "The Christian Woman's Trusteeship."

The committee selected the Presbyterian church as the meeting place and set the time for 7:30 on Friday evening, May 7. A social hour will follow the regular pro-

Meeting with Mrs. James in the Herald office were Mmes. Taylor George, Rollin Roberts, Alan Berry, Gordon G. Clark and Rollins Wood-

BRIGHT-EYED BLUE BIRDS THANK E.S.A. FOR PARK

The Bright-Eyed Blue Birds met in the Christian church Wednesday at 4:00 with leaders Mrs. T. R. Compton and Mrs. Roy Sawyer,

Refreshments were served by Mrs. D. J. Ward to the ten Blue Birds present. They visited the City Park and enjoyed the play grounds made possible by their sponsors the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority. The group say "Thank you" to them for the pleasant afternoon.

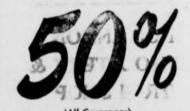
Those present were Susie Short, Frances Murphree, Sherye Compton, Donna Reed, Betty Sue Engledow, Jo Cowden, Vici Anne Ward, Angie Scott, Elaine Sawyer and Linda Robertson.

Angie Scott, scribe.

Mrs. Donnie Childers of Electra inderwent Surgery this week at Wichita General hospital. Mrs. Childers is the former Miss Jo Lindley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lindley of Iowa Park.

Oscar Blalock, father of Homer Blalock, was dismissed from a Vernon hospital Wednesday after receiving surgery last week.

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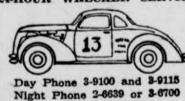
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day night at the home of Mrs. John Wesley with Mrs. R. E. Waters and Mrs. Rollins Woodall as co-hostess-

PTA meeting will be held at the high school, H. B. Klinkerman will be the leader and the following program will be presented:

Sing song led by Mrs. O. R. Ow- Park Area Women

Thompson. Home economics exhibits, Parliamentary procedure class

Girls and Boys Physical Education demonstration. Talk by Rev. Chester Gleason.

A nursery will be provided for pre-school age children at the home economics cottage.

From the Legislature

by FFA boys.

Of all the gas that is produced and sold in Texas approximately 48 per cent is exported by the interstate pipelines that run from our gas fields to the major cities over the United States. Before the owners of these lines were given permits to build and operate the same, it was necessary for them to convince the Federal Power Commission that they had enough gas tied up to supply these lines for a period of twenty (20) years. As a consequence, it is safe to say that the major pipelines have at least one-half of the gas underlying fields in this State tied up and dedicated to their use and benefit. Naturally, these long pipelines have sought out the best and most prolific gas producing fields in this State for their own use and benefit.

In addition to the gas that is tied up for out-of-state use, a great many industries in Texas have gas reserved for their use and benefit. This is also true of the Lone Star Gas company and the United Producing Company and also the smaller distribution lines throughout Texas. It is true of the power plants, the chemical industries, and all other people who consume sizeable quantities of gas. As a result, it is safe to say that at least 80 per cent of the gas that is produced from gas wells in the State of Texas has been pledged, dedicated and set apart for the use of the out-of-state pipelines, the in-state pipelines and the large consumers of gas such as power plants, chemical plants, and other similiar institutions.

This bill is designed to impose a tax on all gas produced in the State of Texas. The person liable for the payment of the tax is what is called the "beneficial" owner of the gas or the person for whose benefit the gas is produced.

You will understand that when gas is dedicated or pledged for the use and benefit of the pipeline or for an industry, the actual owner of the gas in place has no control over it whatsoever. In most instances he is obligated by his contract to produce the gas and to deliver it to these pipelines or consumers in specified quantities. He is not at liberty to sell any of his gas to any person other than the person holding the dedication. He stands obligated to maintain the wells on the leases, to drill new wells if they are needed; to pay the ad valorem taxes on the leases, and to produce the gas and deliver it to the pipeline as and when they require it. In other words, the pipelines that hold these dedications have all of the benefits of actual ownership of gas but none of the burdens of

the ownership of such gas. As you know, gas has increased in value very rapidly in the past few years. These pipelines and other institutions that have tied up the gas have reaped a tremendous benefit by the price increase. Numerous witnesses testifying before this Committee have told you that some of the gas is tied up for a price as low as 3c. A larger volume is tied up for 4c and that the average price being paid for gas in Texas today is about 7c.

In most cases, if this dedicated gas were free, it could be sold on the market at this time for as much as 12c. You can, therefore, see that the dedication of the gas has been a tremendous benefit to the pipelines and a great loss to the people of this State.

We have chosen to call the people who hold these pledges and dedications the beneficial owners of the gas. We think that they should bear the tax on all gas that is produced for their use and benefit and this bill imposes the tax directly on the "beneficial owner." It also imposes a tax on the actual owner of gas that is not dedicated. In other words, this tax will apply to every foot of gas that is produced in this State.

At the present time, the 5.72 per cent tax on gas amounts to less than four-tenths of a cent per thousand cubic feet on gas sold, This present tax will yield approximately 24 million dollars in revenue during the current year. Last year it was over 21 million dollars You, therefore, see that a tax of quarter of a cent will yield more evenue than the Governor exan reat from natural gas. You can rest assured that the pipelines
Ill pay this tax on every foot of
sis taken out of the State. You can
also rest assured that the local indistries in Texas who are getting

the benefit of cheap contracts will pay the tax on the gas they use. In other words, the producer who has his gas tied up with a dedication will be relieved of this burden. No portion of this tax will fall upon the royalty owner. Of course, if the producer uses his own gas, he Tuesday night at 7:30 the regular will pay the tax, but this would be a rare instance when an actual bona fide producer would be called upon to pay this tax.

PTA Prayer by Mrs. Dorothy Meet with Mrs. Brooks

Members of Park Area Club met with Mrs. L. E. Brooks on Wednesday, April 7, at 2:00 p.m. Mrs. A. H. Estes brought the devotional and Mrs. Delia Price gave the opening prayer.

Miss Catherine Sands gave a demonstration on baking angel food. Members scored the cake according to appearance, color, moisture content, texture, lightness and

Mrs. Brooks escorted the group on a tour of her yard and greenhouse. She also showed slides of the Chandoir gardens at Weatherford and Dogwood Trails in east

After the meeting a social hour and recreation were enjoyed. Refreshments were served to Mmes. A. E. Bailey, C. H. Bowman, Mae Gunn, H. B. Jones, Ray Low, Lee Vaughn, Virgil Woodfin, John Wesley, Delia Price, A. H. Estes and a visitor Mrs. Jean Weaver and little daughter Carla.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Bowman and will be a demonstration on backyard improvements trash burners, clothes lines, etc.

started at the meeting of Cheerful Blue Birds in the Christian church last Thursday. Ten members and one visitor were present.

Gifts for Mother's Day were

Mrs. Curtis Hill was dismissed from Clinic hospital this week after treatment and surgery.

John B. Barbour, Dr. T. M. Clark and Rev. Chester Gleason attended a church conference on "Our Year of Stewardship 1954-55" in Dallas on Tuesday of this week.

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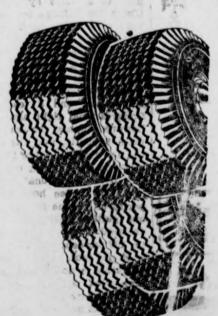
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