

John Sibley and Elvy Sargent of Iowa Park attended the meeting Tuesday night at Wichita Falls of agriculture workers who worked out a series of recommendations for improving the junior livestock show of the Texas-Oklahoma Fair held annually in Iowa Park.

### Reader Ads . . .

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JOHN SIBLEY

Iowa Park Future Farmers will take part in the district FFA judging contest at Midwestern next Saturday. The land judging team will be composed of Gerald Clements, Douglas James, Randal Pierce and Joe Garrison. Tommy Patterson, Eddie Whittenberg and Lloyd Klunker will be the dairy judging team. Donald Cope, J. C. Bridges, Boyd Coleman and John Wesley will judge livestock.

### Jefferson Standard Has Best Year in 1953

Jefferson Standard Life Insurance company completed its greatest year in the business in 1953 with more than \$163 million new life insurance sales, according to Archie Bryant, the company's special representative in Iowa Park. Total insurance in force is now more than \$1-billion 200 million, and the company's assets are in excess of \$355 million.

Mr. Bryant, in reviewing his company's annual report, said: "Direct payments to policyholders and beneficiaries during the year amounted to \$15,426,907. Total amount credited to policyholders and beneficiaries, including the policy reserve, was \$42,500,000, the largest amount in the history of Jefferson Standard."

His company, with home office in Greensboro, N.C., has sales and service offices in 29 states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico and boasts more than 365,000 policyholders.

Mr. Bryant says he is particularly proud of the fact that his company, while guaranteeing 2 1/2% on policies currently issued, has never paid less than 4% interest on dividend accumulations and policy proceeds left with the company at interest in the 47-year history of the company. "Four per cent is the highest rate of interest paid by any major life insurance company in America. This means extra income to Jefferson Standard policyholders and beneficiaries who take advantage of 4% interest by leaving dividends and policy proceeds with the company to accumulate at interest," he said.

Mr. Bryant, whose office is located at 410 Radio building in Wichita Falls, has been with Jefferson Standard for six months.

### Camp Fire Leaders Make Summer Plans

Miss Mary Riley, field director of the Camp Fire girls, was in town Wednesday to meet with the Leaders Association at the home of Mrs. E. E. Wallis.

Discussion was held on Day camp which will be June 14 to 19 at Harrell Park in Wichita Falls. This year Electra, Burk and Iowa Park will have Day camp together with the third day as an overnight camp.

May 19 the leaders from these three towns will hold a meeting at Harrell Park to complete plans for the Day camp.

Miss Riley announced registration for Camp Letell, near St. Jo, will start April 1. The camp will start June 13.

Camp Fire candy sale will be from May 3 through 8.

Miss Riley also said summer lessons in cooking, sewing, skating and swimming will be available July 5 to 31.

Present for the meeting were Meses. Tom Compton, Roy Sawyer, Burk Scott, Haskell Thompson, Howard Engledow, Fern Corder, H. E. Hadley and Wallis.

The next leaders meeting in Iowa Park will be April 21 at 10.00 a.m.

Mrs. Roy A. Mundt and Jill of Wichita Falls are visiting in Iowa Park this week.

### Church of Christ Using Auditorium At Fair Grounds

All services of the Church of Christ are being conducted in the Fair Park auditorium until their beautiful new church building is completed. Cleo Jones, minister, announced this week. It is hoped the building will be completed and in use around May 1.

### Heart Trouble Is Too Important to Neglect, Says Health Officer

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, says far too many people worry over symptoms they believe indicate heart trouble; and their fear keeps them from seeing the family physician.

This is unfortunate because many times an examination would reveal they do not have heart disease. Persons whose examination shows heart impairment have a much better chance to live a happy, constructive life if they follow their physician's advice.

If one has heart disease his doctor will advise that he do all things in moderation, if necessary outline vitamin deficiency needs, eat sensibly and if overweight tell him how to reduce, in order to take some of the strain off his heart.

It is a protection to your heart if you have all the rest you need. When you rest you give your heart a chance to slow down and get the rest it needs. So keep reasonable hours, especially on work days. Refuse to let yourself be rushed. If you think something must be done on the run, change that attitude to allow yourself more time. This applies also to driving a car. Aside from the danger of sudden death in a high speed accident, fast driving at any time makes your nerves taut, raises your blood pressure and burdens your heart. Also, refuse to worry, be afraid or to become angry. If you allow yourself to indulge in these wasteful emotions, your own heart is being punished.

Dr. Cox has one last word of advice. If you have heart disease, cooperate with your physician. The doctor's objective is for the patient to realize the maximum of capabilities within the limits of his disabilities.

### TRAVIS HILL ENTERS ARMY

Pvt. Travis Stiles Hill, husband of Mrs. Edwanna Hill and son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hill, is now stationed at Fort Bliss. Before volunteering for the draft, Travis was employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For City Secretary  
DOSIA SMITH  
For County Commissioner  
BUCK VOYLES

Mrs. Stella Teafattler of Wichita Falls and formerly of Iowa Park recently underwent eye surgery at Wichita General hospital. She was dismissed Monday and is recovering nicely. Mrs. Teafattler was known to her many Iowa Park friends as "Me-Maw."

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Reed and daughter Mrs. Mae Christian of Mineral Springs, Ark., and their daughter Mrs. W. A. Davis of Birmingham, Ala., visited last week in Iowa Park with Mrs. Reed's sisters: Meses. W. L. Hodges, Mary Bishop and Jessie Cross.

### Happy Hands



This little Dutch girl plays with toys from an American Junior Red Cross gift box. About 500,000 such boxes were sent overseas last year.

### NEWS FROM CONGRESS

By Frank Ikard

To everyone interested in soil or water conservation, a bill passed by the house this week should be of great interest. The bill I refer to is one that authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to cooperate with States and local associations planning and carrying out water and soil conservation programs by way of building upstream dams and reservoirs. This bill is the result of the attention of Congress having been focused on the destructive aspect of water which led to soil erosion, gullies, the flooding of creek bottoms and the destructive floods on large streams. Incidentally, one aspect of the program will be to make the beneficial aspects of water available to homes, industries, cities, and agriculture. We all know that the earth itself is the most marvelous reservoir of water that has ever been devised. It will hold more water than all of the structures that man can ever build upon it. The basic purpose of this bill is to hold a larger part of the water where it falls either in the earth or in small structures on the upper reaches of our streams. Water retained in this way will either soak into the ground or be fed down to where it is needed gradually. In either case, it will not only help to decrease the damage from floods in the bottom lands but will provide additional sources of water to the upland. The main principle of this legislation is that every gallon of water that can be made to soak into the ground in a field or pasture or which is caught in a small upstream tank is one gallon of water which will be available for beneficial and constructive purposes and one which will not contribute to soil erosion or floods.

The Blairs and their 8 year old daughter Sharon Ann plan to move to Iowa Park as soon as they can find a house.

### Mrs. Sumrall's Mother Dies in Oklahoma

Funeral services for Mrs. A. K. Keys, 70, of Willow, Okla., and mother of Mrs. E. W. Sumrall of Iowa Park, were held in the Willow Baptist church Sunday afternoon with Rev. H. M. Riek, pastor of the Iowa Park church and Rev. Swartz of the Willow church conducting the services. Burial was at Willow.

Mrs. Keys died of an attack last Friday, March 12 at her home. She was born Kate Pellum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Pellum in Corral City, Sept. 30, 1883. She was married to Mr. Keys on Nov. 15, 1903 in Corral City. They moved to Oklahoma in 1909.

Mrs. Keys is survived by the widow; a son Jordan of Vernon; another daughter Miss Marle Keys of Dallas; a sister Mrs. Josie Knight of Walters, Okla.; a half-brother T. G. Miller of Willow; 3 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

### School Children Stop Zephyr in Iowa Park

Twenty-nine third grade pupils and their teacher Mrs. Mae Roby made a train trip to Henrietta last Friday afternoon. They left Iowa Park at 1:20 p.m. on the local Fort Worth and Denver passenger train and returned at 4:50 on the Zephyr. By special arrangement the fast train stopped here for the children to get off.

### Park Clinic News

N. J. Stephenson was admitted to Wichita General hospital Monday for treatment.

Uriah Blum underwent surgery Tuesday at Wichita General.

E. W. Combs was dismissed from the hospital last week after undergoing surgery.

Tommy Sims and Henry Berry, salesman for Randal-Presley company, have returned from a five-day trip to the Chevrolet assembly plant in St. Louis, Mo. They were awarded the trip for being top salesmen for the company during February. Berry was high man in passenger car sales; Sims led the truck division salesmen. While on the trip Tommy visited in Decatur, Ill., in the home of his brother W. T. Sims and family.

Clyde H. White, machinist's mate first class of Iowa Park is serving aboard the heavy cruiser USS Quincy. That ship is one of 50 that are being placed in the reserve fleet.



### Assembly of God Gets New Pastor

Rev. Franklin D. Blair has accepted the position of pastor of the Iowa Park Assembly of God, which is located on S. Yosemite.

Mr. Blair is a high school graduate of Olney and attended the Bible school at Waxahachie.

He worked with churches at Forrester and Meridian before moving to Mississippi, where he served as pastor for several congregations.

### Sam Rayburn Expresses Democratic View of Income Tax Proposals

Following is the prepared text of a radio-TV statement Tuesday night by House Democratic leader Sam Rayburn of Texas on President Eisenhower's tax speech of Monday night:

Last night the President of the United States made an address in which he sought to justify the tax bill now pending in the House of Representatives, and which will probably be voted on Thursday of this week.

The president only touched on a few of the provisions in the bill, and he made about as good a defense of it as anyone could. However, my colleagues and I do not believe his defense was convincing, because we do not think anyone can justify the things which we are going to talk about tonight.

On this question of taxes, the Democratic party has had a consistent philosophy through the years. We have measured our tax programs against two standards: Is it fair to all of the taxpayers? Is it to the great majority of taxpayers who have small incomes? Is it good for the economy as a whole?

We have always found that these two standards go hand in hand. The Republicans have also had a consistent philosophy on the matter of taxes.

Their philosophy is that if they give tax relief to those in the high-income groups, some of the benefit may eventually "trickle down" to the great majority of taxpayers. This "trickle down" has never come about, in all history of Republican tax laws.

This is hardly the philosophy of Abraham Lincoln, who preached liberty and justice for all. It is the philosophy of Alexander Hamilton, who favored special benefits for the few.

Despite a \$3,000,000,000 deficit planned by the Republicans, they have decided on a program of tax reduction.

The question now is what kind of tax reduction? And who should benefit?

Let us examine the Republican tax program. They are really resurrecting the "trickle down" philosophy. The bill before the House provides tax reductions of \$538,000,000 for individuals in exceptional cases, such as ones having large medical expenses. The exemption and tax credit for dividend income will result in a loss of \$814,000,000. Only 8 per cent of American families own any publicly held stock at all and of this 8 per cent, six-tenths of one per cent—or six families out of 1,000—own 80 per cent.

### Father of Jack Davis Dies at Charlie

John F. Davis, 79, retired farmer and Charlie community resident 21 years, died at his home there Monday night.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Wichita Falls with Rev. Weldon Wright, pastor of the Henrietta Baptist church, in charge. Burial was in Thornberry cemetery.

Mr. Davis was born Sept. 14, 1874, in Alabama. He is survived by six sons: Leonard F. of Iowa Park; Bill A. of Greeley, Colo.; Roy O. of Charlie; Claude A. of Tyler; and Jefferson and John D., both of Wichita Falls; five daughters: Mrs. Pearl Durham, Mrs. Beatrice Durham, Mrs. Rubie Jenkins and Mrs. Flora Dell Petty, all of Wichita Falls; and Mrs. Leetta Elbert of Lake Dallas; 30 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

My colleagues and I are here tonight to present these facts to you and to explain the two changes the Democrats feel should be made in the administration's tax plan, so that it will better serve your needs, and the needs of the nation.

One change is to increase the personal exemptions so that you and every taxpayer in this country will get real tax relief, the soldier in the field, all of us.

The second change is to eliminate from the Republican program a "trickle down" dividend provision that gives special benefits to only six families in every thousand.

The Democratic party and the Democratic members of Congress are seriously concerned about these changes which we feel are vital to you.

### Longtime Resident of County Dies at Home On Iowa Park Road

Funeral services were held Wednesday for W. A. Watkins, 62, who died following a heart attack Monday at his home and place of business at 2322 Iowa Park road.

Mr. Watkins had been a resident of Wichita county for 35 years. He and Mrs. Watkins own and operate the Watkins Butane company at that address.

Mr. Watkins was born Feb. 20, 1892 in Merkel. He was a member of the board of deacons of North Side Baptist church and a member of Faith Lodge 1158.

Survivors include his widow Mrs. Mary Lessie Watkins; two brothers, Claude of Gruver and Kenneth of Brownfield; and four sisters: Mrs. J. K. Hughes of Houston, Mrs. T. H. Cobb of Los Angeles, Mrs. D. H. Vaughn of Merkel and Mrs. W. L. Earger of Bellevue.

### YOUNG WICHITA SINGER PERFORMS FOR LIONS

Members of the Iowa Park Lions club were entertained at luncheon Tuesday by Countess Calhoun, 14-year-old eighth grader from Booker T. Washington school in Wichita Falls.

Miss Calhoun recently won a trip to New York in a teenage talent contest sponsored by the Sertoma club. She was accompanied on the piano by John Hardee, band director of the Wichita Falls school.

### PTA News

The 13th district conference of PTA will be held in Electra next Thursday and Friday. All sessions will be held in the First Baptist church there.

Mrs. D. O. James of Iowa Park will serve as program chairman for the conference.

The Iowa Park PTA will conduct its last bake sale for this year Saturday morning at Parker's Food Store. The junior and senior classes will be in charge.

Butts and Woodfin File For School Board

Justin Butts, rural mail carrier, and Virgil I. Woodfin, horticulturist at the experiment station, filed this week for the two positions on the Iowa Park school board. The election will be held April 3.

The terms of D. O. James and H. B. Klunker will expire this year.

Deadline for filing for these positions is midnight Saturday, March 27. Albert (Bud) May is secretary of the board and will accept filings up to that time.

LEHMAN SEEKS ELECTION AS ANIMAL & HIDE INSPECTOR

Rex Lehman began an active campaign this week for the Democratic nomination as Wichita County Animal and Hide Inspector, subject to the primary to be held on July 24.

Mr. Lehman is well known and highly respected as a farmer and county employee. He is presently working with County Commissioner Buck Voyles.

### Presbyterians

Ten Iowa Park women were at Denton last Thursday to attend the Dallas presbytery. They were Mesdames L. F. Miller, K. P. Abernathy, L. Shelton, J. B. Ridenour, A. H. Estes, Kate Emanuel, Gayle Park, C. E. Birk, and Meses Clara Lowrance and Mina Troutman.

### PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. Elbert Lemons was not seriously injured in her automobile collision in Wichita Falls last week, but Don Paul is out of the use of his car until it can be put back together.

Dave Gay got a big thrill when he hooked a 3 1/2 lb. crappie while fishing in Diversion last week.

A cute blonde who really likes our Town of Friendly Living, does not like the weather in our state. She says it is not like West Virginia. I bet y'all didn't even know we had a cute blonde from W.Va. in Our Town.

Fred Hays says "We haven't got 'em yet, but we'll get 'em. You folk who missed the Lions club luncheon Tuesday really missed something. The Countess can roll those eyes."

Mrs. J. N. Easterwood and son Gary of Anson visited Wednesday with friends in Iowa Park.



James Worrell, son of Sgt. and Mrs. Homer Lee Worrell, is in Sheppard air force base hospital undergoing tests.



**Tom Covington**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Shook are announcing the birth of a daughter Connie Rhea, weighing 6 lbs. 13 1/2 oz. Wed. March 10 in Dallas. Ray is stationed in Pearl Harbor with the army. Mrs. Shook is the former Miss Mary Ann Spence of Iowa Park. She and Connie Rhea are with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Spence in Dallas.

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**S.S. Class Members Hear Dr. Collins**

The Althean Sunday School class of the Baptist church honored their husbands and guests with a dinner last Thursday evening in the church parlor. Mrs. D. O. James, president, acted as toastmistress. L. E. Brooks offered the invocation. Mrs. C. L. Vaughn, teacher, sang "The Holy City" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. A. Tanner. Dr. Bailey Collins of Wichita Falls spoke on his second trip to the Holy Land and showed colored slides of Bethany, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Judea, the Sea of Galilee, the Dead sea and other scenes of interest to Bible students.

The Iowa Park band is to enter contests at Altus, Okla., on March 26 and at Denton, April 24 and May 1.

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**School News**

Mrs. O. R. Owens was elected president of the Oilbelt Teachers association English section for 1954-55 at a luncheon last weekend in Abilene. Next year's meeting is to be held in Wichita Falls.

Supt. Keith D. Swim was elected district delegate to the state teachers convention next Thanksgiving. He was selected at the district delegates breakfast during the convention last weekend at Abilene.

Thursday afternoon of this week the Iowa Park girls were to play the Valley View girls in a volleyball game.

Friday morning Rev. H. M. Riek is to be a speaker at the assembly program. Doc Warren, radio and television announcer and entertainer, will speak on Civil Defense. Letters and jackets will be presented to the basketball boys. Sue Geisert, FFA sweetheart, will be presented a jacket.

Friday afternoon at 3:30 the girls tennis team will play the Holiday girls here.

Next Monday afternoon at 3:30 our volleyball girls will play a game here with Holiday girls.

Next Thursday at 9:00 a.m. the Hawk band will present the assembly program. A small admission will be charged to help the "Independence Hall Restoration" Fund. This fund is being sponsored by the 23 Study club and the high school government class to raise \$100. The local high school's name will be placed on a plaque in the Hall.

**Happy Birthday by Proxy**



When Cpl. Alfred F. Buckler, of Richmond, Va., landed from Korea on his 25th birthday, his family asked the Red Cross to wish him a happy birthday. Mrs. Felix Cunha, Red Cross San Francisco Chapter volunteer, did it with a cake and a smile.

**Breakfast, Program Highlight Texas Day For 23 Study Club**

The required Texas Day program for the 23 Study club annually affords opportunity for members to express their enthusiasm for the Lone Star state even to the point of bragadoct. The Texas Day breakfast in the home of Mrs. Sam Hill recently was filled with an atmosphere of history, tradition and hospitality to inspire appreciation of Texas' glorious past and present.

Mrs. Dave O. Harbour and Mrs. Homer Elalock also served as hostesses.

Spring blossoms presented a symphony of color in the reception rooms of Mrs. Hill's home. The guests could well imagine themselves in a garden where the violet's bluish-purple hues, the variegated panacea and the lilac's purplish color stood out in pleasing contrast against the snowy white pear blossoms and white chrysanthemums.

The dining table was centered with a miniature garden bursting forth with blue, pink and white hyacinths and yellow daffodils. A yellow candle arising above the blooms was suggestive of the springtime sunrise and the bird figurine in the arrangement was a reminder of the beautiful melodies of Texas in the spring.

An air of Southern hospitality keyed the breakfast as guests were served hot biscuits, country sausage, home churned butter, homemade preserves and jelly eggs and plenty of steaming hot coffee. Mrs. C. J. Thurber offered the invocation preceding the meal. Mrs. Taylor George was in charge of the morning's program, which had for a caption the state motto: "Friendship."

The theme of topics presented by Mrs. Gibbons Brubaker and Mrs. Charles Metz was "Frontier Women of Texas." Mrs. Brubaker talked on "Women of Texas Who Pioneered in Art." She began with Mollie Moore Davis, the first professional author who lived in Texas. Others included Dorothy Scarborough who began her writing with a book of poems "Fugitive Verses"; Ruth Cross whose best known book was "The Golden Cocoon"; and Mary Banner whose etchings brought her fame when they were admitted to the salons in France in 1925 and for the first time in history an American woman won honorable mention.

Continuing, Mrs. Brubaker said "Sculpturing in Texas began with Elizabeth Ney, immigrating to

America from Germany she settled with her husband on a plantation near Hempstead. She was commissioned by the State of Texas to make statues of Stephen F. Austin and Sam Houston for the Chicago World's Fair in 1893. Another state sculptress, Bonnie McLeary, did the lovely figure "Aspiration" which has been placed in the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art."

Mrs. Metz discussed "The Courage of Pioneer Women" who faced daily the possibility of being massacred and tortured by Indians and wild animals. She told stories of early Texas women whose bravery will be remembered by people in all future generations.

There was Mrs. Jane Wilson, a bride on her way to California in 1833 with her husband and 11 other men. As the men went in pursuit of their horses stolen one night, eight of them, including Jane's husband, were killed. She was later captured by the Comanche Indians. After escaping she was found by friendly Pueblo Indians but by that time she had become mentally deranged.

The pluck of pioneer women was stressed in the story of the mother in Young county who rescued her baby from a panther with a hot iron.

Showing how the women carried on with none of the conveniences which are taken for granted by the average Texas wife today, Mrs. Metz told how they made bowls from pumpkins, used gourds for dippers, made forks out of twisted wire, spun and dyed their own cloth.

In speaking of Christmas in the early days, Mrs. Metz said festivities were celebrated with crude fireworks where charges of gunpowder were set off in holes bored in logs. Square dancing and singing were enjoyed in the afternoon and evening of Christmas Day.

Mrs. Metz concluded her talk with the beautiful legend of the bluebonnet. Mrs. S. L. Denny, who is especially gifted at reading poetry, read a group of poems by Texas authors to climax the program. Beginning with "This Is Our Land," a poem by Mrs. I. W. Austin a former resident of Iowa Park, she later read "Thanksgiving," a composition by Mrs. Fenton Dale of this city. The collection was closed with "Because Someone Has Faith in Me" from "Songs of Courage."

As president, Mrs. James A. Sewell directed the period devoted to business. A highlight of the meeting was the announcement that all departments had mailed reports to district chairmen.

The three 23 Study club members who are also district chairmen gave interesting accounts of the reports received from the per capita clubs in first district.

Mrs. Metz, incoming president, was elected delegate to the district convention, TFWC at Fort Worth, March 30-31.

The president announced a club institute to be held at the Woman's Forum in Wichita Falls on March 18.

Mrs. Fred Widmoyer, welfare chairman, reported that club members donated 38 dozen cookies to Sheppard AFB hospital Feb. 28.

Club members signed the Freedom Scroll sent out from GFWC as evidence of participation as free citizens in the Crusade for Freedom supporting the national committee for Free Europe.

**HAPPY BLUE BIRDS**

Happy Blue Birds opened their meeting this week by lighting the candle and answering roll call. They then repeated the Blue Bird wish and sang two songs. Members then made bean bags to take to one of the nurseries in Wichita Falls.

Refreshments were served to Donna Childress, Carolyn Fox, Beverly Birk, Barbara Hadley, Barbara Thompson, Donn Stockton, Diana Watson, Sherry Watson, Linda rice, Mary Helen Wallis, Sue Spruiell, Susan McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Barbour are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Bill Kitchell and children in Wealaco.

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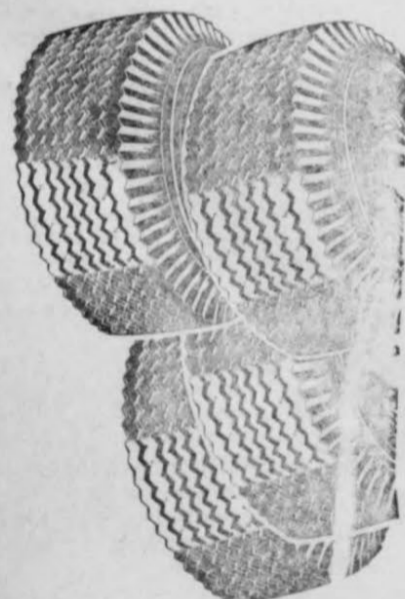
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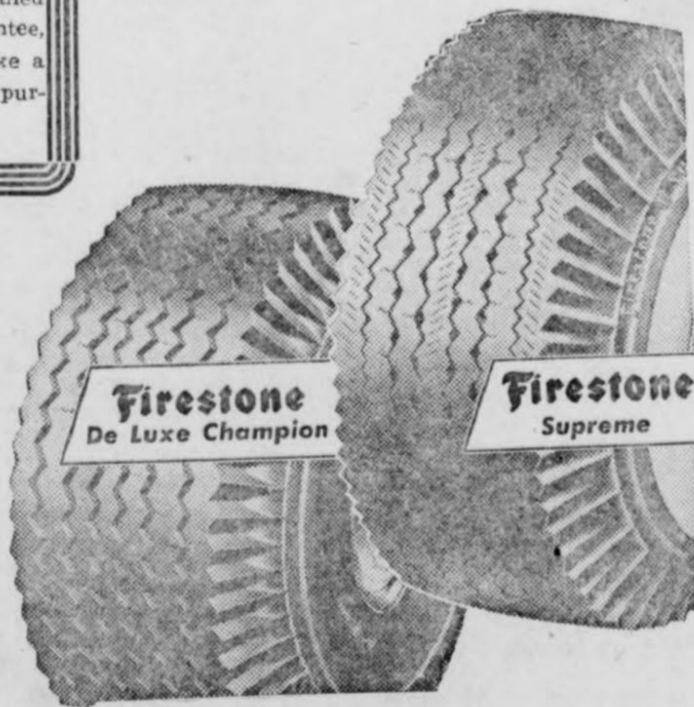


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55 to 57	1.25	2.50	3.75	None
58 to 59	1.50	None	None	None
60 to 64	2.25	"	"	"
65 to 67	2.75	"	"	"
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Cora Lee Harmon returned last week from a 10 day vacation visit in Baton Rouge and New Orleans, La.

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**Soil Conservation COUNTY AGENT SUGGESTS . . .**

The Board of Supervisors of the Little Wichita Soil Conservation District held their regular monthly business meeting in Henrietta last Friday, March 5th. Those present were: Ray Stine, chairman, and board members W. O. Hodges, A.F. Nimme and A. G. Pastuszek. Also present were: Bill Edwards, Work Unit Conservationist at Henrietta who represents the Soil Conservation with the board, and J. D. Wahl, Work Unit Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service at Archer City.

District activities and business were discussed. Rentals and bills on district owned grass feed drills were received and paid.

Nominations were made for the Fort Worth Press Soil Conservation Awards Contest. The board also discussed and decided to hold some of its future meetings in Archer City. This would give the public and district cooperators in Archer County an opportunity to become better acquainted with the district, its activities and program.

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Dan Roberts, manager of George Graham's 77 ranch, has started seeding more than 200 acres of grass. Roberts and Elvy Sargent, technician for the Soil Conservation District determined seed bed preparation to be used and grasses to be seeded. Roberts plans to use KR Blustem and blue panic grass for his seeding. One field of blue panic will be rowed and cleaned tilled to try the grass for its value on the ranch. All KR will be seeded alone.

Joe Price, manager of the Jack Martin farm is constructing ditches for delivery of irrigation water and leveling 8 more acres. Technicians for the District furnished the planning and staking of work.

Centour borders have been staked during the past week for Johnny Williamson, Stanley Williamson, Clarence Belch, and J. D. Chastain, all farming in the irrigated valley.

Several District cooperators have made plans or seeded Madrid Clover as a part of their conservation rotation. All have had soil analysis and fertilizer recommendations from Dr. Carl Gray, Soil Scientist of Midwestern University. Most fertilizer recommendations have been about 20 pounds of phosphorus per acre.

These farmers included Roy Polson, Edward Bowlin, Mrs. Lucia Chapman, Woodrow Hartsfield, and D. W. Wiley of Wichita Falls, Jerry Hodges of Valley View, and L. A. Wood of Iowa Park. The Wichita County ASC is sharing in the cost of seed and fertilizer.

Leamon Cook, district cooperator southeast of Wichita Falls, has completed one and one-half miles of field terraces. Cook will now use guar, summer peas, and Austrian winter peas to work a legume into his conservation rotation.

Mrs. L. A. Wilcox of Childress and formerly of Iowa Park, was honored with a cake party in the home of Mrs. H. V. Hadley, Friday of last week. Enjoying the informal event were Mmes. Ed Clark and Don, Joe Bell and Marylin, Eud May and Terry, John Mixon and Jerry, Miles Thompson and James Todd.

Staggered plantings of sudangrass can go far toward stretching temporary summer grazing for the livestock.

It will be time soon to plant sudangrass in the county, says B. T. Haws, Wichita county agent.

In addition to furnishing abundant grazing when moisture permits, sudangrass enables livestock to lay off permanent pastures, giving them time to rest and get a better foothold before their next grazing season.

Haws recommends planting one acre of temporary pasture for each animal. By commencing plantings when frost danger passes and planting at three to four week intervals as long as moisture is available, sudangrass can be greatly extended.

"Some stockmen have had grazing from about six weeks after frost until frost in the fall by using this system," the county agent says. Different plantings must be fenced separately, he advises.

Sweet sudan is adapted to the entire state. Common and tift are also well suited to Texas conditions, Haws says.

Highest benefits from temporary grazing are obtained from rotation. Concentrate livestock on a small area, graze it off in a hurry and then move on to another block.

Fertilization pays off even on temporary pastures, Haws says. If there isn't time for a soil test before you desire to plant, contact Haws for recommendations.

Wood boring insects seldom attack healthy growing trees, but unfavorable weather conditions in some areas have allowed many ornamentals to become weakened and infested with these unseen pests.

Proper pruning, fertilization and watering are the best defenses against such insects, says Haws.

Many kinds of borers may cause damage. Presence of bark beetles is noted by BB-shot like impressions in the bark. Flat-headed borers usually tunnel just underneath the bark. The round-headed borer eats its way deep into the heartwood, leaving its passages hollow.

**WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD**

Mrs. Gordon G. Clark will be hostess to the Wesleyan Service Guild on Monday, March 22 at 7:30 p.m. The devotionals will be led by Mrs. M. J. McDonald.

A fine program has been arranged with some special numbers by Miss Mary Butcher.

All business and professional women who are not affiliated with any other church group are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazier had word this week of the birth of their granddaughter Donna Jean Rains. Her parents are Sgt. and Mrs. Donald Dean Rains of Waynesville, Mo. Mrs. Rains is the former Shirley Jean Frazier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazier. Sgt. Rains' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ike Rains.

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**Parkans Take Part in Soles-Johnson Rites in Wichita Falls**

Miss Dola Elizabeth Soles of Wichita Falls and Denton Robert Johnson of Sheppard AFB and Wonalchee, Wash., were united in an informal wedding ceremony in the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Dola Soles in Wichita Falls on Wednesday, March 5.

Rev. Allen Belnap, uncle of the bride, officiated.

The young couple recited vows before burning white tapers in cathedral candelabra flanked by white gladiolas and greenery.

When given in marriage by her brother O. B. Soles, the bride was attired in a fitted two-tone blue linen suit with three-quarter length sleeves. For something old and borrowed she carried a white Bible her sister Mrs. Floyd W. Merriman of Iowa Park carried at her wedding. It was topped with a bridal spray of pink carnations. She wore the traditional blue garter, and completed the costume with pink accessories.

The bridesmaid Miss Esther Mitchell wore a pink street length dress with a white carnation corsage.

Little Dona Sue Merriman of Iowa Park, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She was attired in a pink nylon dress and carried a bouquet of purple chrysanthemums. Miss Kathryn Soles, sister of the bride, acted as candlelighter.

Bill Paxton of Sheppard attended the groom as best man.

A reception was given immediately following the ceremony with Mrs. Merriman assisting at the punch and cake service.

The bride attended high school here and was active in tennis. She has many friends in Iowa Park as she was a frequent visitor in her sister's home.

The groom is the son of Mrs. Tom Glodin of Wonalchee. He attended Queen Ann high school in Seattle, Wash., where he was a member of the band. He has served in the air force for one year.

**BAPTISTS**

Sallee-Morgan circle members met with Mrs. ISam Hill at 2:00 Wednesday afternoon for Bible study taught by Mrs. Lois Berg. Present were Mmes. R. L. Redin, Everett Sewell, Oakley, George Roberts Sam Ferguson, Mary Etta Thompson and I. L. Alvey. The circle will meet next week with Mrs. H. B. Britt for mission study.

J. J. White, representative of Iowa Park Odd Fellows Lodge 394, attended the Grand Lodge of Texas at San Antonio last Saturday through Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jackson of Pasadena spent the weekend visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hatten and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hatten had as guests last weekend her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Seales and her brother Clay Seales, all of Chico.

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<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash . . . . .	\$ 4,285,285
Bonds . . . . .	104,934,855
Stocks, Preferred & Common . . . . .	32,372,998
Mortgage Loans . . . . .	158,114,484
Lease Back Real Estate . . . . .	16,688,083
Other Real Estate Including Home Office Building . . . . .	3,819,273
Loans to Policyholders . . . . .	23,535,805
All Other Assets . . . . .	11,896,565
<b>TOTAL ASSETS . . . . .</b>	<b>\$355,617,335</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Policy Reserves . . . . .	\$251,430,940
Reserve for Policy Claims . . . . .	1,157,437
Policy Proceeds Left with Company . . . . .	31,690,155
Dividends for Policyholders . . . . .	3,581,621
Investment Fluctuation Fund . . . . .	9,222,730
Other Liabilities and Reserves . . . . .	12,334,421
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES . . . . .</b>	<b>\$309,617,335</b>
Contingency Reserve . . . . .	5,000,000
Capital and Surplus . . . . .	41,000,000
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<b>\$355,617,335</b>

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- HIGHLIGHTS**
- For the seventeenth consecutive year Jefferson Standard maintained its leadership among all major life insurance companies in net rate of interest earned on invested assets. The rate in 1953 was 4.34%.
  - Payments to policyholders and beneficiaries reached a new high in 1953—\$15,436,907. Policyholders and beneficiaries have received a total of \$242,217,512 from Jefferson Standard since organization of the Company in 1907.
  - Sales of new life insurance during the past year soared to a new high—\$163,154,573. 1953 marked the second consecutive year that sales have exceeded the \$150 Million mark.
  - Jefferson Standard takes much pride in its Field Force of competent managers and agents. Much time and effort are devoted to the selection and training of these men and women. Today Jefferson Standard's representatives are better informed and better trained than ever before to serve the needs of their policyholders.

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
 To: John Middleton, Defendant,  
 Greeting:  
 You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County at the Court House thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of his citation, same being the 12th day of April A.D. 1954, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of February A.D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 55,398-B on the docket of said court and styled Leola Middleton, Plaintiff, vs. John Middleton, Defendant.

**SENIOR NEWS**

Willis Lee Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Green, was born March 19, 1936 in Iowa Park. Willis started school here in 1942. He played basketball one year on the Hawk team. His hobby is mechanics and he has the ambition to be an architect or an author. Willis is popular because of his friendliness.

Lillian Bernice Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Todd, was born August 20, 1936 in Valley View. She started school here in 1942. Her hobby is embroidering and her ambition is to be a housewife. We enjoy having Lillian in our class because of her pleasing personality.

We're having a party Saturday night. I don't mean the Srs. it's for everybody. Come to the Community house about 8:00. This is a backyard party, so you girls ask the boys.

We were entertained with a Western banquet at the Methodist church last Thursday night. Everyone seemed to have a wonderful time. Loyd Lewis and Leonard Luckett enjoyed the fried pies. We all did, but just didn't eat quite so many as they did.

Tickets go on sale Monday for the Sr class play "Here Comes Hat-tie." You can buy ducats from Bev Talley, Cecil Marquart or myself. We're planning on a full house April 2, so you'd better get your reserved seats while they last. See ya next week.—Tubba.

**Parkan in England Tells of Texas Day**

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Clark received this week a letter from their daughter Mrs. William M. Best. Mr. and Mrs. Best and son Tommie are living at 6 Pembroke Ave., Westbrook Margate, Kent, England, where Mr. Best is stationed with the air force. The letter follows:  
 Dear Folks:  
 We are in London. Really had a full day yesterday. Came for the big Texas Barbecue. It is to be on both TV and movie news reels to be shown in Texas. Maybe you can catch it. They stopped the special buses at the gate for pictures.

They were London double deck buses and said "Texas via Piccadilly Square." We were the 6th car behind the 2nd bus.  
 They took pictures of the U.S. ambassador being served. We got our plates just 2 ahead of him.  
 Out of all those people we still did not see anyone we knew and if we didn't there we never will.

This is Friday. Did not even get this finished. Thomas and I both got an upset stomach. We bought some roasted peanuts (only they do not really call them that) and bananas from a corner stand. Have not had peanuts for years I guess but they did not mix anyway. We kept vomiting. As the matron in the ladies room at the Winfield House said "I really had a go."  
 Thomas was fine by Monday morning. I have been trying to get to a letter all week and when I get started I hope to type pages and pages. But it has taken all week to do just the necessary jobs.

We went to London on Friday night. Took Thomas to the Saturday morning showing of "Julius Caesar." They have studied it this term and he eats it up. Went to the barbecue in the afternoon and to see the 3-D "Kiss Me Kate" Saturday night and the Science Museum Sunday.  
 Mac had to take a one day leave for Saturday.  
 The Italian doll I meant for Marsha for Easter if the box is there yet.  
 Love, Sister.

**WCS**

Mrs. George Turner, district superintendent of youth work, of Wichita Falls was guest speaker at the Woman's Society of Christian Service here Tuesday morning at 9:30 in the Methodist church. She gave an introduction to the study book "The Life and Task of the Church around the World."

Mrs. C. J. Thurber discussed "Lost Fairylands" and the International Missionary Council held in Willingen, Germany, in 1952. Assisting Mrs. Thurber were Meses. Richey Abernathy, Fred Widmoyer, W. A. Litchfield, W. M. Owens, S. L. Denny, W. E. Stockton and Miles Thompson.

Mrs. Guy Perdue gave the devotional based on Matthew 7:24-27.  
 Mrs. Stockton dismissed the group with prayer.  
 Mrs. W. C. Albright will direct the study next Tuesday at 9:30 a.m.  
 Others present this week were Meses. J. N. George, Gene Owens, Walter Willard, Herman Mahler, Ray Low, C. C. Robinson, R. N. Watson, Will Spruiell, James Sewell, G. E. Trammell, Scott Morris, Dave Harbour, T. C. Berry, C. J. Simpson, S. E. Watson; and Jamie Berry and Linda Owens.

**PARK AREA CLUB**

Park Area club met Wednesday with Mrs. Virgil Woodfin. The program was opened with the devotional by Mrs. C. H. Bowman, who used I Corinthians 3:6-8. Mrs. L. E. Brooks gave the opening prayer.

Roll call was answered with cookie recipes. Minutes were read by the secretary and Mrs. H. B. Jones read the County Council report.  
 Mrs. Woodfin gave a demonstration on cookie making and Mrs. Low one on sewing in a zipper. Members are to bring magazines to the next meeting to be taken to the state hospital and books for the hospital library.  
 Mrs. John Wesley brought the recreation and the hostess served cookies, frozen salad and coffee to Meses. Mae Gunn, A. E. Bailey, A. H. Estes and the others previously mentioned.

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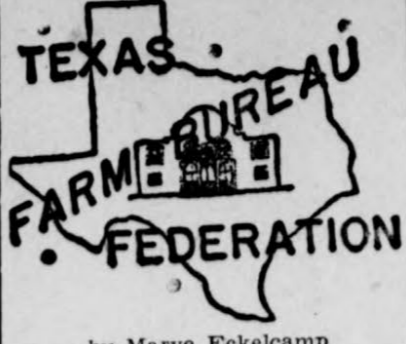
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Canasta, pinochle and 42 will be the features of this month's Family Fun Night, Tuesday, March 23, at the Valley Farms Community House. The games will be preceded by the regular covered dish supper starting at 7:00.

Everyone in the county is invited to attend. We are asking that you bring card tables, cards and dominoes along with your covered dish. We will be looking for you there.

A new service is being added for the benefit of farmers in Wichita county. In view of the fact that many farmers will not take samples of their soil to Midwestern university to be tested because of the inconvenience of going out to the college, the Farm Bureau office is being designated a soil service center to encourage more soil testing in the county.

Anyone may leave soil samples at the office where it will be picked up for testing and delivered back to the office at no charge for the service.

Testing is done at Midwestern free to all farmers living within the irrigation districts. A small charge is made on farmers in the rest of the county.

Soil testing is important to the production in Wichita county. There are many types of soil from red clay to sand loam. Not all soil require the same fertilization. The only sure way of knowing which to use is to have the soil tested. Just dig some, bring it to the office in Iowa Park. That's all there is to it.

The county Farm Bureau is ever watchful of the opportunity to give added service to its members and the farmers in the county. We are proud to add the soil service center to our list of services now in effect.

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