



## Our Town

**FRIDAY, APRIL 2**  
One act play contests at Valley View.  
Stamps Ozark Quartet at school auditorium, 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 3**  
Visit stores of Our Town for special weekend bargains.

**SUNDAY, APRIL 4**  
Regular services of most churches of Our Town.  
Communion service at the Presbyterian church.  
Sunday School 9:30, Church 10:10 at the Christian church. Then most of the congregation will go to Mineral Wells and inspect new district camp grounds.

**MONDAY, APRIL 5**  
Board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, 8 p.m.  
First Baptist church Brotherhood, 7:30 p.m.  
Men-of-the-Church supper meeting at Presbyterian church, 7:30.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 6**  
City election 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at City Hall.  
Amvets and Auxiliary at Christian church, 8 p.m.  
P.T.A. Council meeting, 9:30 in school auditorium.  
Regular P.T.A. meeting at 3 p.m.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 8**  
P.T.A. eye clinic Thursday and Friday.

**SALE TURNED TO SCOUTS**  
A one-man paper drive fund was turned in to Scoutmaster George R. Huckaby this week by R. B. Sisk. Since the local scouts did not make a drive to collect old newspapers, Mr. Sisk collected a great number he found in remodeling to move into his new location for the Sisk Bulletin factory and took them to Wichita Falls and turned them in with the Wichita Falls scouts' collection.

**WORK ON ANNUALS FINISHED**  
The editing of the year book of the Valley View school was completed this week and material is in the hands of the printers, which the young editors said Wednesday is a "big relief."

## Former Iowa Park Resident Dies

Funeral services were held in Wichita Falls, Wednesday morning for J. F. Finch, former resident of Iowa Park, who died at his home in Woodson, Monday. Burial was at Woodson. Mrs. Finch is a sister of A. H. Smith of Iowa Park.

The Pythian Sisters met at the K.P. Hall, Monday night for a well attended session.

**FOR SALE** — Good 1939 Chevrolet coupe. Hill Motor Co.

**SPECIAL** — For short time only, you can get your Chevrolet brakes reined for \$10.00. Hill Motor Co.

**FOR RENT** — Electric Floor Washer. Rexal Drug.

**FOR SALE FRIDAY** — Beautiful cedar chest, pre-war chiffonier, nice; large tool box with lock and handles. R. C. Acuff, Park Hotel.

**LOVELY 5 room house**, hardwood floors, fireplace, venetian blinds; beautifully landscaped grounds front and back; double garage. Very desirable location. Mrs. Hudson.

**FOR SALE** — 1937 GMC Pick-up. Park Feed Store, phone 5871.

**FOR SALE** — 4 room modern house, fairly new, plenty built-ins and closets, 7 lots, fruit trees, 5 blocks from town. Phone 4742.

**FOR SALE**

Ideally located 8-room 2-story home, venetian blinds, lovely back yard, double garage with cute apartment, close in on pavement, near churches and business section, lots of space. Reasonable.

Cute little 3-room brick right in town. Hardwood floors, venetian blinds. Nice for residence or business offices.

Lovely 4-room house, 20 acres, on pavement, close in.

Nice 6-room house, few acres, on pavement, mail and school bus routes, near town, reasonable.

Nice 5-room house, venetian blinds, wonderful location, sidewalks, paved corner, reasonable.

Several nice homes, various locations, vacant lots in all parts of town, reasonable.

**Mrs. Hudson**  
Phone 4861, Iowa Park, Tex., Box 237

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IF NOT PLEASED, your 35c back. Ask any druggist for this STRONG fungicide, TE-OL. Made with 90 per cent alcohol, it PENETRATES, Reaches and kills MORE germs faster. Today at Rexal Drug Store.

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## ONE ACT PLAYS FRIDAY NIGHT AT VALLEY VIEW

The interscholastic league meets this week with the one act play contests at Valley View school auditorium Friday evening to start at 6:30.

Five schools will send casts. The Valley View play title is Gray Beard. Archer City will present No Greater Love; Seymour, The Doctor Decides; Olney, Hero Worship; and Holliday, Who Gets the Car?

There will be an admission of 35 and 50 cents for the evening of fine entertainment.

## Celebrity at Door — Modest Fred Parkey Is Ferreted Out

By Mrs. M. L. Hines

In case one might be inclined to "get smart" with that man Parkey, he probably would pull in his claws should he glance at Parkey's ears—two knobby scarred projections on the side of his head—beyond a doubt the trademark of a wrestler, and in this case no insignificant wrestler. And thereby hangs a tale, one which has not been told to his many friends in Iowa Park and area.

Fred Parkey, work unit conservationist for Wilberger-Wichita Soil Conservation District at Iowa Park, was a member of the United States wrestling team which won first place among the 49 nations contesting in the Olympics at Berlin, Germany, in 1936. At that time he was a sophomore at Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college, 20 years of age, and weighed 136 pounds. He won first in the NAAU troyouts that year, at Chicago, and was selected for the U. S. team in the finals at Bethlehem, Pa., two men being in each team. His teammate was Francis Millard of North Adams, Mass.

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## STAMPS QUARTET TO SING HERE

The Stamps Ozark quartet will be in Iowa Park, Friday night, April 2, for an entertainment at the high school auditorium under the auspices of the young people of the Church of God.

The entertainers are heard daily over radio station KWFT and have many fans in this vicinity. Their program will be of an hour and a half duration in Iowa Park beginning at 8 p.m.

The public is invited to make advance purchase of tickets which are on sale among the members at 25 and 50 cents.

## FARM BUREAU LOCALS SIT AT WINNERS' TABLE

Luncheon for 97 Farm Bureau officials and membership workers was served at the Holt hotel in Wichita Falls at noon Monday as a climax to the membership contest running the past few weeks since the county organization program started.

Representatives from Wichita, Archer, Baylor, Young, Throckmorton, Stonewall, Haskell and Wise counties were winners of the membership drive contest and were served steak dinners. The losers ate cornbread and beans. The counties on the cornbread list included Wilberger, Hardeman, Foard, Montague, Clay, King, Cottle and Jack.

The winners secured 983 members and the losers 640 to make a total of 1623 new and renewals.

They are now approximately 33,000 Farm Bureau members in the state. Loys Barbour, district three director, announced that the district membership has reached 4,480.

Open discussion led by H. T. Cardwell, Cecil Streadwick and Mr. Barbour on problems of agricultural interest included the 100 per cent parity floor prices for commodities, which is advocated by the organization.

Some farm girl will be selected queen from Wichita county, then district and finally state, and will be sent to the national convention in Atlantic City in December, by a vote of the group at the luncheon. A special train will carry the Texas delegates to the convention.

## Bug Catcher Is On Exhibition Here

A machine of peculiar and interesting appearance has been on display in front of the Park Feed Store the past week and has drawn many spectators.

The machine is a bug catcher, says L. J. Lane of the Valley Farms who is sales manager for the machine in this district.

Bugs on the cotton, potatoes or any row crops are literally "in the bag" with one of these machines, Mr. Lane said. They are equipped with bags into which the insects are drawn by suction in the machine as it is driven through the field.

## LEHMAN'S ANNUAL EGG HUNT ATTENDED BY 30

Approximately 30 children were entertained at the Rex Lehman farm Sunday with an Easter egg hunt. It is an annual custom of Mr. and Mrs. Lehman to give this treat to children on Easter Sunday.

## R. A. BOYS MEET

Members of the Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist church met with their leader and pastor, Rev. James N. Easterwood, Tuesday evening. The R. A. Commission and Declaratory opened the meeting with prayer by the leader.

Those present were Buddy Johnson, Jimmy Easterwood, Kenneth Richter, Charles Hanaway and Leonard Luckett. The meeting closed with the R. A. circle of Brotherhood.

## Car Tag Purchases Mount in Last Days

In spite of warnings for a month prior to the final day for purchase of car tags each year, there is always a list minute rush. The practice was repeated here at the local tax office in the City Hall when 325 tags were sold Tuesday and Wednesday.

Hereafter a penalty will be added to the normal price of the tags.

## Car and Garage of Boss Smith Burn in Easter Morning Fire

A fire starting in the garage at the Boss Smith home on South Colorado between 3 and 4 o'clock Sunday morning completely destroyed the family car, an almost new 1947 club coupe Chevrolet, and burned numerous articles of value in the garage.

Neighbors saw the blaze and alerted the Smiths and turned in the fire call. Mr. Smith is a member of the volunteer fire force and joined his fellow firemen in an effort to extinguish the fire which was far advanced when discovered.

Mr. Smith said he had insurance on the car and the garage which of course did not cover the loss. He lost a washing machine and other things of value stored in the garage.

Of chief minor loss he said was between 300 and 400 pounds of black-eyed peas he expected to plant.

The building was a double garage and usually two cars are parked there. On Saturday night however, Miss Betty Smith, drove her car to the garage and left it there. It was a sophomore at Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college, 20 years of age, and weighed 136 pounds. He won first in the NAAU troyouts that year, at Chicago, and was selected for the U. S. team in the finals at Bethlehem, Pa., two men being in each team. His teammate was Francis Millard of North Adams, Mass.

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## Pie Supper at Kamay Brings in Over \$350

Proceeds from the pie supper held at the Community and Scout building at Kamay, Friday night totaled \$351.10, it was reported by those in charge of the benefit affair.

Miss Verna Barrieks, senior at Valley View high school was voted Community Sweetheart and was presented a bouquet of red roses by a Wichita Falls florist.

There were approximately 80 pies. The bids ran from \$1.50 up to \$25. Merchants of the community donated various articles of merchandise that brought an additional amount. String band music and a quartet from Electra put on the program.

The money raised is enough to finish the building and pay the balance on the piano, the officials said.

Further fund raising campaigns will be made from time to time to buy chairs, a stove and other furnishings for the building, they said.

## Disciples Break Fast at Early Hour Easter Morn

A pleasant informality inspired by a sunrise service at the First Christian church and by out-of-town visitors in attendance was noted at breakfast at the Metz cafe following the service in which a number of church families and their guests and pastor participated.

The Easter breakfast is an annual custom of the church and was attended by about 18 persons.

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The local Parent Teachers association is bringing to Iowa Park next Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9, an optometrist from Wichita Falls who will test eyes of pupils of the local school who are enrolled for the first year or for some reason were not tested last school year.

If the pupils' eyes when examined need further attention, parents will be notified. It is the duty of the parents if notified that their child needs eye attention to secure care for him. If any underprivileged child requires glasses or care, the P.T.A. will assist if notified.

Many children are retarded in school advancement due to poor vision and a number have dropped out of school because parents thought they were slow to learn when the cause of their backwardness was faulty eyesight.

It is to give these a chance that the clinic is to be held next week. It is a part of the Health Project by the health chairman of P.T.A.

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## Hawks, Warriors Hold Dual Track Meet

The invitation track meet at Iowa Park last Friday turned out to be a dual meet between Iowa Park and Valley View since other schools invited were dismissed for Easter and did not enter.

Valley View won in shot put, high hurdles and high jump. Iowa Park won all other events.

In a dual track meet at Holliday, Wednesday afternoon this week Iowa Park lost to Holliday, whose point score was 48.

Choyce Brown was high Hawk with 9 points and for Holliday, Sam Caldwell led with 15 points.

## Six from Local Church To Attend Presby'n Meeting in Dallas

The annual Presbyterian Youth Fellowship Rally of Dallas Presbytery will meet on Saturday and Sunday, April 3 and 4, in the East Dallas Presbyterian church.

Henry Stafford, president of the presbytery, will preside. Speakers will include the Rev. Thomas W. Currie of the Oak Cliff church at Dallas, Rev. Paul F. Bobb of Sunset church, Dr. Cecil H. Lang, executive secretary for the presbytery of Dallas, Rev. Knox Bowling, East Dallas church, and Miss Marian Massengill, vice-president of PYP of the synod of Texas.

Such young terms as "Sea draft, Orders of the day, Muster for mess, Fleet inspection, Slink or swim, Shore leave and Bon voyage" appear on the programs that have been received by the local Presbyterian church.

Young people planning to go from the Iowa Park Presbyterian church include Bobby Birk, Riley Bomar, Sue Ridenour, Glenn Miller, accompanied by Mrs. G. S. McSteen and Robert Bruce Lowrance.

## P.T.A. COUNCIL TO MEET APRIL 6

The Wichita County Council of P.T.A. will meet in Iowa Park next Tuesday, April 6, it is announced by the local president, Mrs. D. O. James. The council will convene at 9:30 a.m. at the school auditorium for an all day meeting with luncheon in the school cafeteria at noon.

The main speaker of the day will be Dr. Bailey R. Collins of Wichita Falls. His subject will be "Health, a Must." Mrs. A. W. Shackelford, 13th district president, will be here to conduct a school of information and announce plans for the district conference in Jacksboro on April 13 and 14. Rev. James N. Easterwood will bring the invocation.

Winners in the junior and senior declamation contests for boys and girls will speak for the meeting and additional entertainment will be furnished by pupils of Mrs. Kathryn Sue Banks who will give the "Wedding of the Painted Dolls."

A regular meeting of the local P.T.A. will be held at 3 p.m. after adjournment of the council.

## P.T.A. Mother Singers Asked



### The New Super Cushion Goodyear Tire

Smoothest riding, More economy, and Greater safety

### Genuine Ford Front and Rear Springs

### Ford and Chevrolet Radiators

### Delco Remy Oil-Filled Ignition Coils

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### YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

RUTH HILL YEARGAN

It is to the credit of the citizens of Iowa Park that they support a Chamber of Commerce.

Many people living in a smaller town close to a large town, would be willing to let the larger town carry them; but Iowa Park's alert business men know that a small boy who lets his big brother carry him around and do everything for him will never learn to walk alone and care for himself as a man.

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If you do not yet have one of the new Chamber of Commerce membership cards on the wall of your office, store, study, shop, laundry, cafe or home, get one now and display it proudly, that others may see that you are backing your town in its progressive endeavor.

Mrs. Sam D. Jacks left Tuesday for a visit in Washington, D.C., with her daughter Mrs. Don Louderback and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dunn of Wichita Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Brubaker, Sunday.

Visiting Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Campsey were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Murray and three children of Perryton.

Mrs. Emma Gaunt had as her Easter weekend guest her sister-in-law Mrs. D. E. Holcomb of Denton.

Mrs. S. L. Denny was hostess on Easter to a family dinner. Out-of-town guests included her daughter Mrs. Arthur Beadle and Mr. Beadle and children of Houston who were here for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Darel Hair and baby son Denny Darel of Amarillo returned home Sunday evening after a weekend visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Hair and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garner.

Mrs. E. A. Stewart had guests Sunday including her sister Mrs. A. E. Troha of New Underwood, N.D.; her mother Mrs. Johnny Barton; a sister Mrs. Jim Crow and Mr. C. W. and a nephew James Lee Brock, all of Wichita Falls.

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### CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY WEDDING OF MISS SUMRALL AND MR. O'NEIL IS ANNOUNCED PAST WEEK. TO LIVE AT ELECTRA

Miss Eva Joy Sumrall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sumrall, became the bride of Patrick Edward O'Neil, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil of Wichita Falls, on the evening of Dec. 23, 1947, it was revealed by the couple the past weekend.

The bride graduated from Iowa Park High School and is a talented singer and musician. She is now attending Hardin college in Wichita Falls.

The groom attended Kemper Military Academy in Booneville, Mo., before serving 3½ years in the navy. He is now a junior at Hardin college.

The two popular young people were united in marriage in Henrietta in rites performed by the Rev. A. H. Logan. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil have established residence at 308 East Franklin in Electra at the present time.

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### Luncheon and Business Feature W.M.S. Meeting

"The Christian Home, Our Immediate Task" was the topic chosen for discussion for the Mission program presented by the Mary-Marta circle of the Baptist W.M.U. at the church Monday morning. After the devotional by the leader Mrs. P. A. Blaylock in which she emphasized the importance of religion in the home, Mrs. E. A. Jones discussed "Home Sweet Home" followed by Mrs. Virgil Woodfin on the "Influence of the Home."

The leader further emphasized the importance of building Christian homes, after which Mrs. Jim Miller discussed "Woman and the Home."

An attractive poster was on display emphasizing the importance of the home.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon with the men as guests.

At 1:30 Mrs. L. E. Brooks presided at the business session. Reports from standing chairmen were heard and Mrs. Carroll Duke asked for quarterly reports.

The benevolence chairman, Mrs. Sam Hill, announced that the egg crates were on hand and urged that eggs be sent in for Buckner Orphan Home. Mrs. Jim Miller was elected assistant mission chairman to aid Mr. West in the mission study work.

Mrs. Taylor George announced plans are being completed for the Senior Banquet on April 22. Plans were made for special community work.

The W.M.S. will meet in circles next week.

Miss Clara Lowrance left Friday for Dallas where she took a plane to fly to Winston-Salem, N.C., to attend the famous Moravian Easter services. She plans to spend some time visiting the Crossnor mountain school where she once taught weaving. She will visit relatives in several eastern states before returning home.

George Jones and Boss Smith are serving on the Grand Jury at Wichita Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lott of Weatherford visited over the weekend with their son W. E. Lott and family.

Mrs. King Abernathy and daughter Mrs. G. S. McSteen and another daughter Miss Dorothy of Sherman spent the Easter weekend in San Antonio where they were joined by a third daughter Miss Carol Abernathy, who is a teacher in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Horn and daughter Patsy were at Mankins, Tuesday evening for a fish dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooster.



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### Forty-two Party for S.C.S. Families

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gilbreath's home was the scene of a forty-two party for other couples of the Soil Conservation office last Thursday night. In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreath were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Bra-shear and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Par-key.

### PRESBYTERIAN MEN TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

Monday night, April 5, the Presbyterian Men's organization will meet at the church at 7:30 for a regular monthly meeting. An interesting evening of inspiration and fellowship is planned, the leaders stated.

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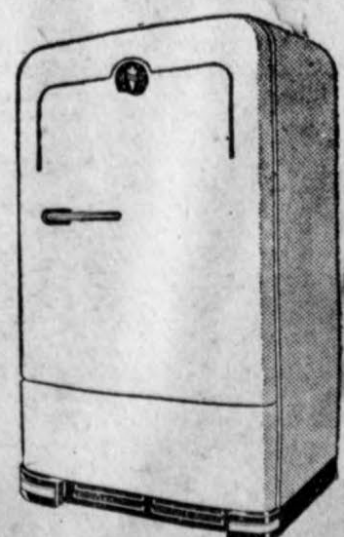
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## Peter's Ministry Studied by Women of C. W. C.

The Women's Council met Monday afternoon at the First Christian church for Bible study directed by Mrs. W. G. Steele. The general topic was "Peter's Second Use of the Key; the Gospel Given the Gentiles." Outstanding points of the lesson from Acts 10 to 12 were Peter's vision and Cornelius sending for him; Peter's sermon to Cornelius and his friends and their acceptance of the gospel after which the Holy Ghost fell upon them; Peter's friends in Jerusalem reproaching him for associating with the Gentiles and his vindication for his ministry to the Gentiles; the church at Antioch in which the disciples were first called Christians; the continued persecution of the Christians and Peter's arrest and miraculous escape. Those taking part in the discussions were Mesdames Curtis Sewell, S. T. Buzzard, Forest Bates, Rollins Woodall, E. J. Shook, W. G. Steele and Mrs. R. B. Sisk.

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## Civil War Aftermath Problems and Prices Compare with Ours

A letter written 40 years ago by the great-grandmother of Mrs. Lloyd Lowe gives food for thought today since it tells of conditions following a war of another year. The grandmother was Mrs. Nancy Langley who was 13 years old when the Civil War was being fought. She wrote that calico was selling for 50 cents a yard and that she wore her calico dress with as much pride as if it had been silk. Her mother, she said, paid \$10 for a 10 pound bunch of warp in the bale. She said she spun and wove cloth and still was weaving carpets when she wrote the letter in 1908. She wrote that in 1904 she wove 1186 yards of carpet and quilted 50 quilts. The men, she said, were all taken away from their home to war in 1862 and she and the other girls of the family helped in the tobacco fields where she lived in Missouri.

## SENIOR NEWS

The seniors returned to school Monday with many things to tell about what happened during the Easter holidays. Several seniors went to the Easter pageant. Most of them had one important thing to say — which was to dress like Eskimos if you intend to go there to enjoy yourself. Many people seemed to have gotten tired and bored while waiting for the program to start. Bradley Johnson, Patsy Ozee, Kenneth Watts and Robbie Starr never spent a dull moment as long as Mr. Ozee was around. He tried to sell everything, from souvenir olive branches (which were nothing but mesquite limbs) to bathing suits. He even offered to awaken people when the pageant started, for 15c. Yes, we saw a good show on the hill before the pageant started under the hill! Eleven senior girls went on a picnic Monday at noon. A few senior boys complained about not being invited. Well, the 11 were generous enough to bring back to scraps to Bradley Johnson. Last Friday night the seniors had a hayride and Weiner roast. Every one seemed to enjoy himself. Visitors were invited. Mrs. Clark always manages to bring the best looking visitors. Where does she find them? We had everything from weiners to ice cream — Oh yes, I (Robbie Starr) promised to put Bob Robinson's name in the paper for an extra dip of ice cream. Bob fixed the ice cream cones. Glen Miller seemed very happy over the weekend. It must have been because Helen came home. Why does Bobbie P. go over to the little store so much? Is it true that George Huckaby stays over there a lot? When you forget all the jokes you ever knew and want to learn some new ones, call on Bonnie Zeck, Irma Archer and June Fortner. They know some of the CUTEST ones. Tickets are now being made for the Senior Class Play. Get your money handy because they'll be on sale pretty soon. There is one month left for practice. The in-between-acts and the play practices are moving along just fine. Wanda Chandler was one happy girl one day last week. She finished her typing requirements—bless her.

## WSCS at Valley View Honors Members' Birthdays

The W.S.C.S. of the Valley View Methodist church met in the annex Monday, March 29 for a birthday luncheon honoring members whose birthdays came in the first quarter of the year. The plates and decorations were in keeping with Easter. Secret pals were revealed and names drawn for secret pals for next quarter. Hostesses were Mrs. Paul Coppock, Mrs. H. L. Culpepper, Mrs. O. D. Childers and Miss Maude Kirschner. A short business meeting was held with Mrs. W. C. Harrell presiding.

## New Equipment for Barbour Trucking Co.

The John B. Barbour Trucking company has two new International trucks to add to the already large fleet of oil field transportation trucks. The new vehicles are in the shops this week being repainted yellow to match the other company cars and trucks. They are 48,000 pound trucks equipped with oil-field beds and trailers. Additional new equipment found at the Barbour Trucking offices this week on a visit there included a new calculating machine and a stamp canceller, both machines the newest and most efficient on the market. The fully automatic tabulating calculator will do everything but talk with the push of numerous keys, which Ira A. Campsey, office manager, is learning to operate. The speed with which the machine will add, subtract, multiply and divide will greatly expedite payroll and job deductions for the company. The cancellation machine is for the purpose of stamping outgoing envelopes including mail from the company office and makes them ready to go out when they are deposited in the local post office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Holt had as guests over the weekend their daughter Mrs. S. E. Hassell and children Judy and Pamela of Garland, Texas. Mrs. Hassell also visited a sister Mrs. W. C. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown had as guests Easter Sunday their children Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guest of Grapevine and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Looney of Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Woolley and daughter Carolyn of Guthrie, Texas, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Park. Mrs. Scott Morris who has had the flu for three weeks is able to be up this week. Miss Helen Dale Clark, at home for Easter with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Clark, returned to Fort Worth, Monday, where she is a student at T.O.U. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brashear and children spent the Easter weekend in Rising Star. Gene Jackson returned to the University of Houston, Monday after a holiday weekend here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jackson. Thomas Pace Jr. returned to school at Southwestern university, Georgetown, Monday concluding an Easter vacation visit with his parents. Mrs. Robert Horton arrived Wednesday from Abilene to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mitchell. By calling at the Herald office, Mrs. Joe Bell will receive two free tickets to see "This Time for Keeps" with Ester Williams, at the Parkway on Wednesday and Thursday, April 7 and 8. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Baldwin spent Sunday afternoon in Duncan, Okla. Mrs. A. H. Estes and her grandchildren Susie and Bobby Short visited in Childress this week. They went home with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffin and daughter Paula Ann of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Reid Estes of Abilene who were here for Easter. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Campsey for Easter and to attend christening services for their son Jimmy, Sunday morning were Mr. Campsey's mother Mrs. A. L. Campsey of Jacksboro, who remained for the week; and Mrs. Campsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Callaway of Wichita Falls.

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# IOWA PARK'S FUTURE

All of us who expect to make Iowa Park our home are greatly interested in the things that will make Iowa Park prosper. Anyone who has an idea to offer or a sensible project to suggest has little trouble in securing support from the citizens.

There are too few, however, who will champion a movement and head it until success is assured or until it fails of accomplishment. Leadership is absolutely required and it makes no difference how loyal, how progressive or how intelligent and untiring the citizens of a community are, they will fail without the spark of enlightened leadership.

We have been taught to look for this leadership to our Chamber of Commerce, an organization which, while not usurping the rights and functions of other city organizations, occupies a position important to city, county, state and occasionally national affairs.

A Chamber of Commerce is described as an organization of business people for their mutual benefit, or for the wider purpose of promoting the business and commercial and rural interests of their community. The fundamental purpose is to increase the prosperity of the community, and incidentally of its individual business interests.

The usefulness of Iowa Park's Chamber of Commerce depends upon the interest, energy and ability of its members. It is impossible for its officers to maintain a high level of enthusiasm and production if the members are disinterested.

How many business men and women of this city are members—yet never have time to attend the meetings? How many feel they have discharged their duty by attendance alone, who have never been known to make a suggestion, offer an opinion, or in any way indicate that the problems of their community are of interest to them?

Letting the other fellow make all the motions, organize all the drives, lay all the plans and take all the blame for plans gone astray, is a habit that grows unbreakable with practice. Yet every individual's opinion is valuable, as a means to open new channels of thought, or in provoking healthy discussion. The man who never voices an opinion at the meetings is losing not only for himself, but for his community.

Business men of Iowa Park, don't let your Chamber of Commerce down. Make it a habit to attend the meetings. Take an active and intelligent part in group discussions. If you have an idea for the betterment of your city—express it. If you disagree with some policy or procedure—make it public. This is the only way in which your Chamber of Commerce will grow, and its growth is an index to the growth of your community and of your business. A city is comparable to a great business institution—we draw dividends from it in exact proportion to what we have put into it. Let's put more into our Chamber of Commerce. The things we all want can be obtained under its leadership.

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**W.S.C.S. Has Executive Board Meeting Monday**  
The W.S.C.S. conducted an executive board meeting at the Methodist church Monday, March 29. This was followed by a luncheon.

Mrs. W. E. Stockton gave an interesting report of the annual conference of the Society which was held at Denton. The devotional was read by Mrs. Herman Mahler.

Those present were Mmes. W. E. Stockton, W. M. Owens, Elgin Denny, Carl Sullivan, Joe Bell, Richey Abernathy, Dan Sunday, Hugh Thompson, Neil Johnson, Herman Mahler, Book Taylor, A. D. Butcher, L. A. Teal, Miles Thompson, Harry Weaver, L. C. Perry, L. L. Thompson and Floyd Boulware.

**Bunch-Hayes Nuptials Event of Sunday at Parsonage at Kamay**  
The marriage of Miss Doris Bunch senior at Valley View high school and Bob Hayes, ex-V.V. student, took place Sunday at 2 p.m., March 28, in the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Rolande Whatley, Baptist pastor at Kamay.

The bride wore an aqua suit with red accessories. Her corsage was of red roses. She carried a white Bible and for something old a handkerchief.

Miss Kathryn Hoover was maid of honor. Her suit was navy blue and her accessories red. Her corsage was also red roses.

Billy Kendrick acted as best man for Mr. Hayes. The groom is employed for the Consolidated Oil company. They are making their home at Kadane Corner.

**F. E. HILL FAMILY AT EASTER REUNION**  
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hill, their son Travis and their daughter Miss Mary Ann (who was here for the weekend from Denton) spent Easter Sunday in Fullbright at a family reunion in the home of a brother, Paul T. Hill.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Palm, Saturday was her sister Mrs. B. F. Nicholson of Nocona. Mr. Palm's daughter Mrs. Rollins and two sons of Wichita Falls visited in the Palm home Easter Sunday.

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**FRED PARKEY HOME HAS EASTER WEEKEND GUESTS**  
Relatives of Mr. Parkey visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parkey, Saturday included his mother Mrs. J. R. Parkey, his sister Mrs. A. A. Edmonson and children Doris and Alvis, and his brother Wade, and brother-in-law Maynard Knox, all of Temple, Okla. Mrs. Knox and a baby daughter Carol Ann, born on Saturday in a Wichita Falls hospital were the inspiration bringing the visitors here.

Coming Easter day were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parkey of Amarillo and Mrs. Loyd Newsum of Temple.

The Rev. and Mrs. Caperton Pace and their son Robert of Plainview visited last week in the home of his brother T. J. Pace and Mrs. Pace.

R. C. Acuff will leave Saturday for Waco where he is to manage a wholesale merchandise distributorship.

Miss Mary Ann Hill, who spent her Easter vacation from T.S.C.W. here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hill, was accompanied back to Denton by her mother Monday evening.

**Helen Mitchell Is on Honor Roll at Tech**  
Helen Mitchell, who is enrolled as a freshman at Texas Technological college in Lubbock, has been listed on the honor roll which is made up of the upper 5 per cent of students. Having maintained an A average, she has recently been made a member of the Freshman Honor Society. She is also a member of the Texas Tech chamber of commerce, College Choral club, the Press club, and recently was initiated as a member of Las Chaparritas, which is a social club at Texas Tech.

Helen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mitchell and is majoring in business administration.

Mrs. Orbie Cannedy and children Rodney, Ray and Jimmie of Quanah spent the Easter weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Redin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Clingman had as guests the past week Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clingman of Pueblo, Colo.

**Volley Ball and Basketball Players of Junior Hi Celebrate with Party**  
Junior high school volleyball girls and basketball boys and their mentors, Lee Brigham and Miss Polly Clark, celebrated the closing of a successful season with a party and weiner roast in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Huckaby, Monday night.

Outdoor games and weiner roasting formed the entertainment. At the refreshment hour the young people were served a cake which Mrs. Huckaby had decorated with Easter eggs and candies and used as a centerpiece on the dining table.

Adults present were Miss Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Brigham, Mrs. Taylor George, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Patterson, J. W. Kent of Norman, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby.

Team members attending were Lou Ann Gay, Naomi Baxter, Ruth Mary Dale, Loise Haney, Joe Robertson, Charles Quick, Ray Mundt, Gene Voyles, Ooy Reneau, Robert Nolen, Bob Johnson, Ben Huckaby, Myra Taylor, Mae Lucy, Weldon Garner, George Patterson, Evelyn Coats, June Brittain, Margaret Talley, Marjorie Fenner, Rose Mary Grundy, Connie Copeland, Janice Kight, Wanda Long, Frances Genn, Mary Gayle Park and Jimmy Joy George.

By calling at the Herald office, Betty Chastain will receive two free tickets to see Robert Young and Randolph Scott in "Western Union" at the Parkway on Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3.

Miss Martha Kate Hudson was here from Denton to spend the Easter holidays from N.T.S.C. with her mother Mrs. Bonnie Hudson.

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Appearing before a senate appropriations subcommittee to seek restoration of a cut in selective service appropriations, Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director, said the proposed plan is a "breath-taking idea. We have had almost no experience in trying to control everybody."

He added that the plan calls for mobilization of men at a much faster rate.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. James and children June, Douglas, Deryl and Janelle spent the weekend in Nocona in the home of Mrs. James' brother J. R. Horn and Mrs. Horn. The children attended a big Easter egg hunt.

John and Jim Bradford visited over Easter with their Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bradford, David Gene Dodge, who spent Easter vacation with his parents, and Mrs. Earl Dodge, returning their school work at Abilene's tan college Monday.

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