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Saturday, Feb. 11, the county 4-H council will have its first meeting in 1956. The group will make plans for the National 4-H Week which comes in March, and discuss shows that 4-H boys and girls of the county will have opportunity to participate in. The council has been well attended this school year, which portends more participation in county 4-H events this year than ever before. All members of 4-H council are urged to be present this Saturday.

Feb. 18 at Valley Farms Community House the regular 4-H county-wide recreation program will be held. For entertainment the group will participate in and view the Share-the-Fun contest. All are elig-

ible to take part. Any 4-H boy or girl who can sing, dance or give any kind of entertainment is urged to try for prizes given to winners. There will be a division for boys and girls 9 to 13 years old, and another for those 13 to 21. An act may consist of one to nine persons. It is just an old fashioned amateur hour. So, all 4-H'ers and parents, be there!

Mike, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Orange Lester, is improving after suffering a throat infection for several weeks.

Herbert A. Smith, minister of the Petrolia Church of Christ, was guest speaker Wednesday evening at the Iowa Park Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McDonald of Happy have been in Iowa Park the past two weeks on business. This week they have been snowbound from their home on the Plains.



Evening Lions had as guests at their meeting Tuesday, Woody Featherston, deputy district governor, and Pat Cohen, zone chairman, both of Wichita Falls.

Lion Featherston spoke on the subject "When I Become a Lion." He pointed out that members are helping others by attending Lions club meetings and finding something important to do. He brought out that absentees could be made more interested if the club is accomplishing worthwhile projects.

The club is striving for 100 per cent attendance next Tuesday when their Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds are to be guests and present the program.

Pres. Doc Waters announced the charter for the Evening Lions club is now hanging in the State National Bank.

A directors and officers meeting is to be held Friday night in the home of George Trammell.

Lion Cohen presented the candidacy of Joe Childers for International director. Joe is from Abilene and is an outstanding Lion of District 2-E. The club voted unanimously to back Joe for the job.

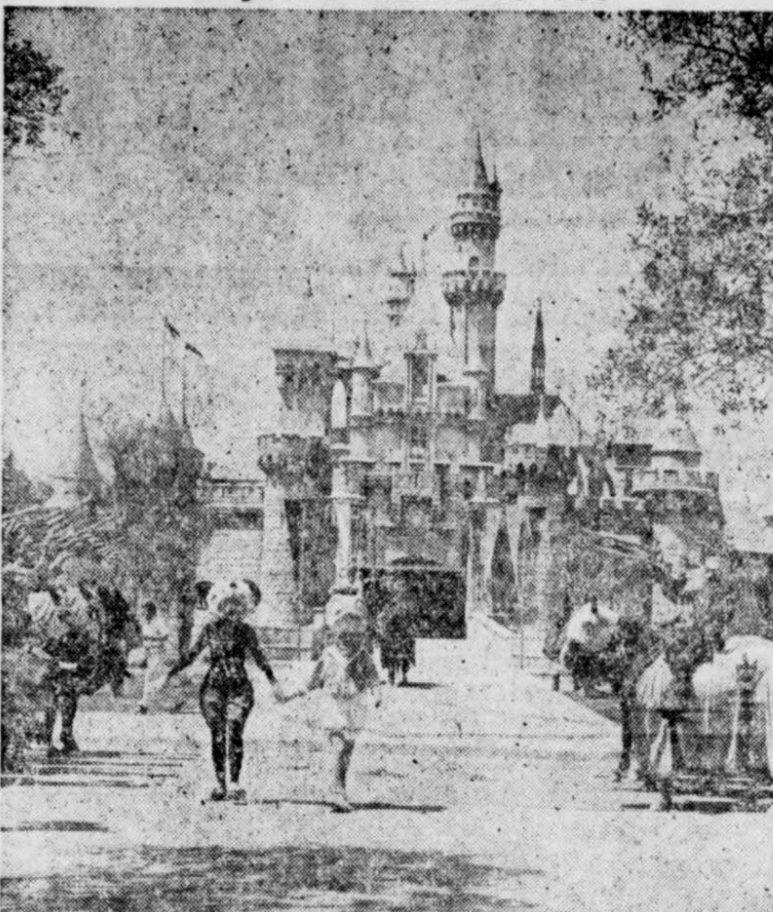
Cohen also urged all members to attend the district meeting in Mineral Wells the weekend of May 4, 5, 6.

Present Tuesday evening were R. E. Waters, Jimmy Stewart, Bill Christian, Wayne House, James E. Todd, Bill Lane, Arch Hughes, Earl Griffith, D. H. Ford, Luther Skinner, Elden Cole, George Trammell, C. L. Vaughn, John Sibley, Paul Zink, Virgil Woodfin, Otis Gay, Paul Browning, Mrs. Thelma Gay and Mrs. Hazel George.

Members absent were W. C. Brown, Cecil Marquart, Bert Van Horn, W. A. George, Joe Baxter. Wayne House will give a report on the benefit basketball game at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bryant left Wednesday to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Beach and Pool association in Waco this Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Bryant is operator of Sand Beach swimming pool five miles east of Iowa Park.

## Disneyland Comes To You



HOLLYWOOD—The unbelievable dream of children the world over came true last summer with the opening of fabulous Disneyland in California. But every tot who dreams of such things will not be fortunate enough to make the trek to the playground to end all playgrounds.

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Mrs. Earle Denny recently was hostess to the 23 Study club for their program on traffic safety and driver education. Mrs. Sam Hill was leader for the day, and theme was "Strength for Responsibility through Public Affairs."

Each member responded to roll call by her assigned topic. Pledge of allegiance was led by Mrs. L. E. Brooks.

Mrs. Richey Abernathy used the 46th Psalm as basis for her meditation. "With trouble and unseen times it is well to remember to have faith in God."

Mrs. Charlie Cockpoock sang a group of songs accompanied at the piano by Mrs. O. E. Lochridge.

Mrs. R. R. Brubaker read excerpts from the Texas Driving Handbook and the Iowa Park Herald. A code of courtesy by Emily Post from "Motor Manners" was read by Mrs. W. C. Albright.

Mrs. Hill directed three Texas Road Tests. They were:

1. Safety questions
2. Intersections
3. Signs.

Only one member had taken a drivers training course. Others had received their licenses by application when it became a law in Texas to have a drivers license.

The tests had been prepared by the state highway department. Each member was graded and was permitted to take the tests and proper answers home to study.

During the business period conducted by Mrs. Lochridge, a card of thanks was read from SAFE hospital for the gifts sent for patients at Christmas time.

Members volunteered to assist in the polio drive. Each member was asked to write to congressmen opposing the closing of the Veterans hospital at McKinney.

A social hour was enjoyed in the flower room of the Denny home.

A guest, Mrs. J. E. Snell of Stigler, Okla., was presented by her sister Mrs. Albright.

## Leaders Make Camp Fire Plans

Mrs. Burk Scott, Mrs. Gene Lowrey and Mrs. H. B. Hadley met this week with Miss Jordahn at the State National Bank for their regular monthly leaders meeting.

A report was made on the Camp Fire candy sale. Iowa Park has already received 1,132 boxes.

Leaders reported sale of 45 tickets to the recent Lions club basketball game.

Next Tuesday evening Mrs. Scott's Camp Fire girls will visit the Evening Lions club.

The Father-Daughter box supper will be held February 24 at the Presbyterian church.

Thursday, Feb. 23, at 10:00 a.m. all mothers of second grade girls who are interested in starting their daughters in Blue Birds are invited to meet with Miss Jordahn at the home of Mrs. Lowrey.

March is Camp Fire's birthday month. Plans for observing this birthday will be outlined at the next leaders meeting. Miss Jordahn announced a regional Camp Fire meeting to be held in Lawton, Okla., March 8, 9 and 10. All leaders and sponsors are asked to attend.

Rev. and Mrs. Finis Crutchfield of Dallas visited Mrs. Mae Tanner last week. His father was an early day Methodist minister here.

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Sam (Rosy) Hill of Hill's Variety store was a little late for Lions

club luncheon Tuesday. It seems he had a caller. Girls, it is time to plant your rose bushes and help the cause along.

We will try to have a complete report on the Day Lilies vs. Night Bloomers basketball game some day. The score, money and players got all mixed up. They hope to have it straightened out by next week.

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## Soil Conservation

Blue panic grass may be one of the crops due worthy consideration by farmers and ranchers within the surrounding territory of Wichita county, who are interested in a crop that might be suitable to seed to restricted acreages for a few years.

Some farmers who have planted blue panic in Wichita county are Oscar Klinkerman and Ray Hirschi in the Clara community. They seeded around 40 acres on sandy land that carried a cow per acre during the summer months by rotation grazing.

Ralph Swinford of Friberg seeded blue panic on mixed land and received considerable grazing plus a fair seed harvest. Also T. J. Pace of Iowa Park seeded 15 acres under irrigation in 1953 and received excellent growth.

Blue panic is a warm season perennial grass that begins its growth in April or early May and continues growing until frost. It is well adapted to both light and heavy soils provided they are not too restricted in air space. Soil fertility rather than soil texture is the important limiting factor.

This grass is considered to be winter hardy, but some injury may occur during mild winters followed by early spring freezing.

Blue panic is quite tolerant to highly alkaline water and soil when well established. Recommended method of seeding is in rows where the grass can be cultivated in the spring to stir the soil and keep down early weed populations. The seeding should be in late spring after the soil has warmed.

Seeding rate in rows is about one pound of pure live seed an acre. Place seed in ground from about one-half to three-fourths inch and pack soil.

### IOWA PARK POLIO DRIVE

After the dust had settled and solicitors had all turned in reports, Marching Mothers were found to have collected \$1,459.75 for this year's Anti-Polio work. A low bow to the mothers and the organizations they represent, and hats off to the co-chairmen of the local drive!

### AL-KU-LA-NA

We met in the home of Mrs. Burk Scott, Feb. 8. Business was conducted by Betty Engledow, president. Linda Robertson was elected scribe.

After installation of new officers we went to Burk Burnett and sold candy. Mrs. Roy Sawyer, Mrs. Warren Reid and Mrs. Scott accompanied us.

We enjoyed yelling for the Night Bloomers and are glad they won. We are glad they asked us to have their program next Tuesday evening.

Betty Engledow was refreshment hostess for Sherye Compton, Linda Robertson, Donna Reid, Jo Cowden, Elaine Sawyer, Paula Gililand, Suzy Short and Angie Scott.

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"Results of the first week of the campaign—which extends through February—indicate Texans are becoming increasingly aware of the need for funds with which to combat heart disease," Johnson declared. "Those of us who know first hand the effects of heart disease and are aware of the valuable assistance science has received from previous Heart funds, are hopeful that the goal of \$676,000 for 1956 will be surpassed."

Contributions to the Heart fund are used through local, state and national Heart associations to finance continued research, education and community heart programs.

"Diseases of the heart and circulatory systems rank as the No. 1 killer," added Johnson. "Medical research supported by your Heart fund dollars has made tremendous strides in the fight against the killer in recent years. Your contributions will materially aid science and physicians in combatting heart disease."

### COUNTY AGENT SUGGESTS . . .

Poultry producers are turning more and more to infrared lamps in brooding chicks, says B. T. Haws, Wichita county agent.

If you are among those poultrymen who have not yet considered this method and have electric power on your farm, you might like to consider a change from your present system, Haws suggests. Infrared brooders are light in weight, easy to set up, move and store. And you can see the chicks without lifting a hood.

Readymade infrared brooders are available, with a large range of marketing prices, depending on the number of lamps used, the type of brooder and whether they have automatic regulators.

You might make a brooder yourself, says Haws. Simple plans for building an infrared brooder have been prepared by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Copies of these can be obtained from your county agricultural agent.

Another advantage of infrared brooders, according to Haws, is that the lamps have many other uses around the farm and home. They can be used for brooding pigs and calves and lambs, for thawing frozen pipes, or even as a heat lamp in the home.

The 1956 school census has been completed with an enrollment of 850 children who will be eligible to attend here next fall. This is an increase of 46 over the census report from last year.

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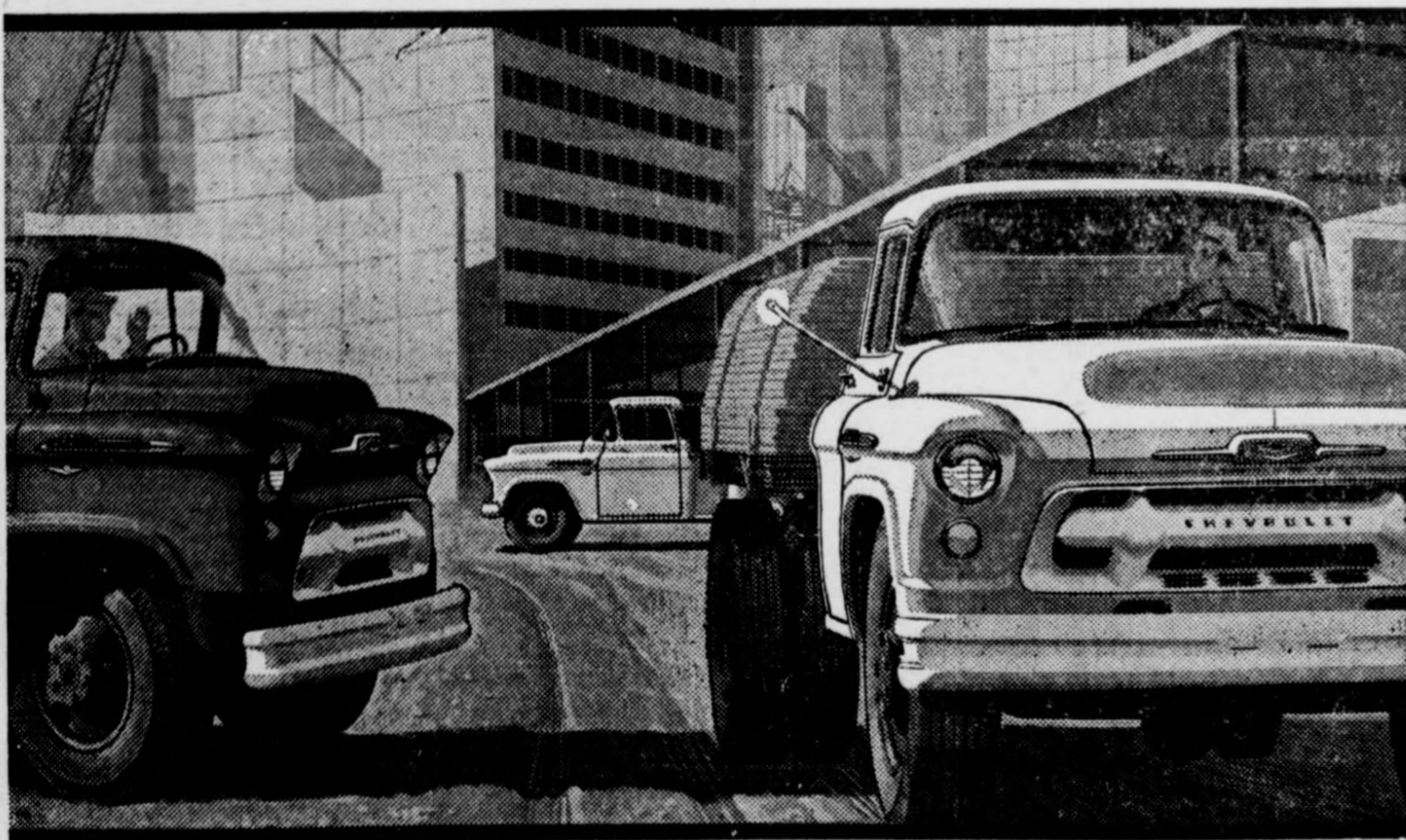
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### Junior News

Harvey Klinkerman was chosen on the all-tourney team at Burk two weeks ago as the Hawks won the tournament from Burk.

Malcolm Bell won a watch on "My Favorite Program" last week. He wouldn't tell us what his favorite program is.

Janice Wilson has been acting more strangely this week. I believe

her case is getting worse.

Is that an engagement ring on Ann Self's left hand?

Carol and Janice, what's so interesting at the little store you feel it necessary to play hooky every day at 6th period?

Anita and Glen are getting along fine. Glen must have got her mind off the Burk boys.

Josette was really worried about a question Mrs. McDonald gave on her test Tuesday. Josette, you

shouldn't get upset when you know the answer to one of her questions!

Mrs. Owens told the Jr. class that more than half of them made A in English last six weeks.

Jrs had a surprise when they received report cards. Department grades fell down, but we will pull them up to normal next six weeks.

Randall Pierce was high point man in the Hawks' victory over Chillicothe. He is now called the standing forward. He made 20

points. The rest of the team held the fabulous Scott to 5 points.

Hawks are looking for their 17th victory when Henrietta comes here Friday—and the eastern division title. Come out and support them. Keep cool, Norman.

Mrs. H. L. Denton and children visited Mr. Denton in Hobbs, N.M., last week. They returned home Monday and reported a lot of snow in that area.

### ESA Hears of District Meeting

Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Tuesday night, Feb. 7, in the home of Mrs. Jack Coleman with Mrs. Buck Voyles as co-hostess.

Mrs. Helen Roberts conducted the business meeting and committee reports were given by chairmen.

Mrs. Bryan Farris reported on the 42 and canasta party. We would like to thank all those who supported and bought tickets to the party.

Members decided to invite the two Wichita Falls chapters of ESA to attend our next meeting.

Mrs. Jack Coleman gave a report of the District 6 meeting of ESA held Jan. 29 at Gainesville. Twelve members of Epsilon Eta attended.

Highlights of the state convention to be held in Ft. Worth were discussed by Marjorie Irby, second state vice-president of Ft. Worth.

Iowa Park won the attendance award for having the most members present.

Next district meeting will be held in Iowa Park in April.

Members attending from Iowa Park were Louise Berry, Mildred Mills, Bobbie Mitchell, Raydean Brown, Maurayne Overbey, Billie McCullough, Bernice Watson, Evelyn Farris, Essie Caldwell, Theda Voyles, Bobby Coleman and June McCarthy.

Mrs. Mildred Mills, program chairman, presented Mrs. John Nixon, who gave an interesting talk on the life of Mary McLeod Bethune.

Delicious refreshments were served, carrying out the Valentine theme, to those previously mentioned and Louise Clapp, June Crawford, Annie Hill, Doris Perry, Lois Reeves, Viola Scott, Ela Simmons, Kitten Thompson, Patsy Cope and Mrs. Chas. Coppock.

### 87th Birthday

Mrs. Sallie Matthews was honored on her 87th birthday, Wednesday, Feb. 8, with an informal lunch given by her daughter Mrs. Otis Gay.

Those enjoying the day were Mrs. Carrie Smith, May Palm, R. N. Watson, James Stewart, and by Mrs. Walter Willard who was also celebrating a birthday.

Mrs. Matthews has spent most of her life in this area. She was born in Tennessee and in 1882 came to Beaver Creek with her parents Rev. and Mrs. D. J. Powell when she was 12. Her father was the first Methodist preacher in Beaver Creek community and the first Sunday school was conducted in the Powell home.

Oct. 5, 1890 she was married to John W. Matthews. In 1901 they moved to Iowa Park. He died in 1934.

Her youngest daughter, Mrs. Gay and family make their home with Mrs. Matthews at the corner of Poe and Pacific.

Mrs. Matthews has one son John of Canyon; and three daughters besides Mrs. Gay: Mrs. Zula McKittrick of St. Anthony, Idaho; Mrs. Jeff Wallace of Albany; and Mrs. Jack Gwinn of Dallas.

Mrs. Matthews has been confined to her home for some time because of a heart ailment, but is improving now.

The Herald joins other friends in wishing Mrs. Matthews many more happy birthdays.

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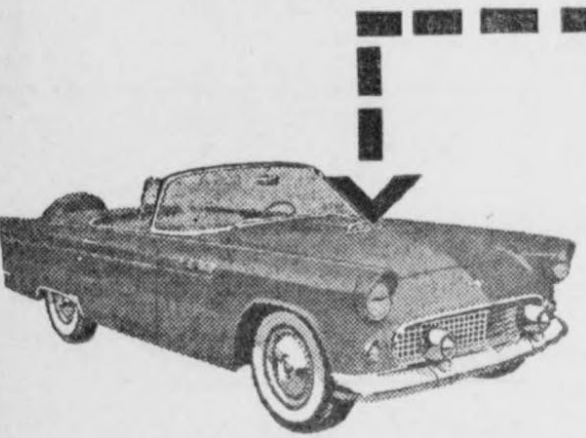
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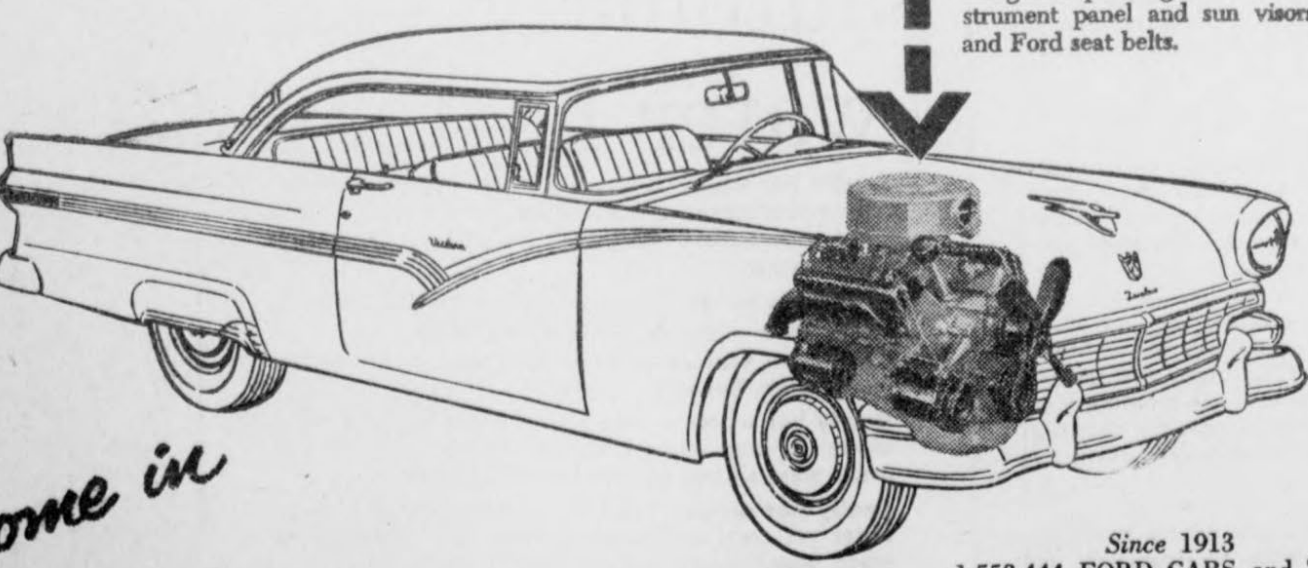
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