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The Army Chemical Corps has developed chemical rays which turn to red, green or blue in the presence of trace amounts of different gases. The Army reports the same technique could be used in air pollution studies to show presence of pollutants of potentially dangerous build-up.

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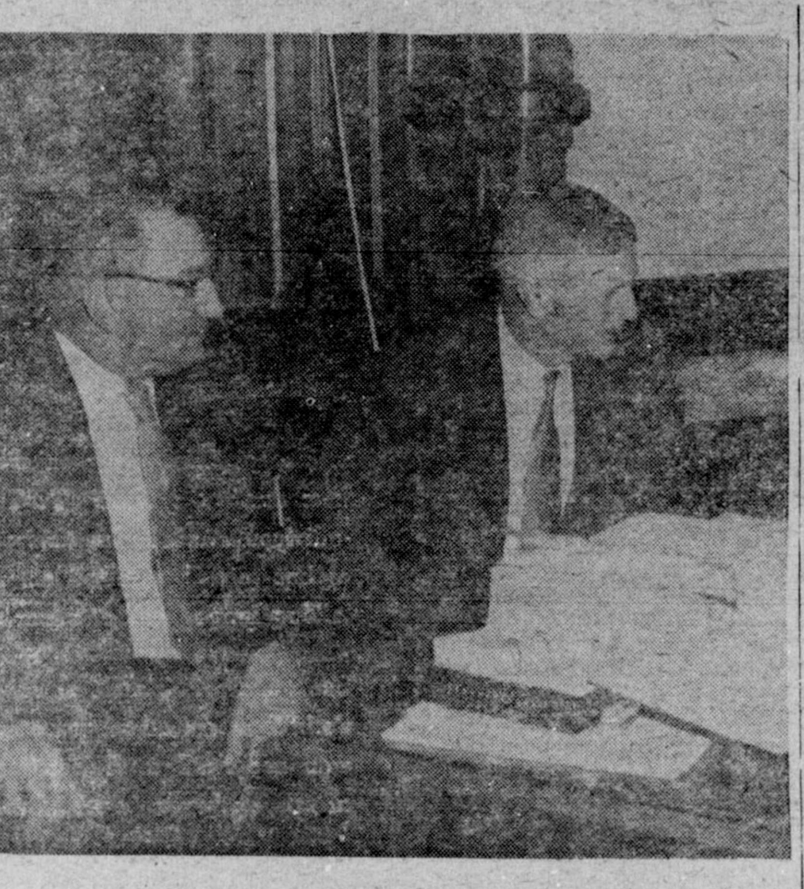
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Two Farm Bureau officials met this week with the governor to discuss the need for adequate funds to finance needed research into the agricultural industry. They were Loys D. Barbour (r.) of Iowa Park, TFB secretary-treasurer and chairman of the research committee; and B. J. Gist of Abilene, District 7 director and vice-chairman of the research committee.

Cost of the Farm Bureau's recommended program will be approximately \$10,500,000 for the next biennium. TFB also recommended an appropriation for the Extension Service for the same period.

23 Study Club
Mrs. Fred Widmoyer was hostess to members of 23 Study club when they met last Thursday afternoon in her home on West Alameda.

Following the pledge of allegiance and roll call, Mrs. O. E. Lochridge, leader for the afternoon, presented Mrs. Taylor George for an inspirational meditation on "Wisdom" based on verses from Proverbs. She emphasized the importance of teaching children obedience for their own safety and happiness.

Mrs. W. G. Steele, chairman of conservation of natural resources, introduced Jo Cowden, a sixth grade student, who is winner of the conservation essay contest sponsored by the club. Jo read her paper, which displayed a keen knowledge of water problems and the great need for conservation.

For the fine arts number, Mrs. L. E. Brooks gave a group of poems by Douglass Malloch and Grace Noel Crowell. The selections were "Before You Know," "Just Take a Walk," "Most of Our Trouble," "There's Got to Be Another," "You Make It Up," "Friendship" and "Daily Living."

An entertaining and educational feature of the program was the \$64,000 Question. Mrs. Lochridge was master of ceremonies; Mrs. Carroll Duke, bank custodian; Mrs. Taylor George, timekeeper; Mrs. King Abernathy, aide. Contestants with their categories were Mrs. Gibbons Brubaker, Shakespeare; Mrs. C. W. Coppock, music and song; Mrs. R. R. Brubaker, history; Mrs. S. L. Denny, pioneers of this area; Mrs. Sam Hill, fact and fiction; Mrs. T. M. Thaxton, Bible; Mrs. Homer Blalock, famous women.

Mrs. Steele disclosed a real talent for "convincing advertising" as she gave the commercials. In the social hour which followed refreshments were served from an attractive table decorated in patriotic motif. Mrs. Widmoyer was assisted in serving by Mrs. Thaxton.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation of the sympathy extended to use in our bereavement at the loss of our brother Wayne Beasley. Lida and Norman Beasley Mrs. Lorene Brown and Clint Cooper.

Mike and Marsha, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Roberts, celebrated Marsha's fifth birthday Wednesday by attending the Little Rascals telecast in Wichita Falls. Their cousin William Dale Moss of Wichita Falls, went with them.

World Prayers for Peace

World Day of Prayer will be observed March 8 at 2:30 in the Christian church. Mrs. Rollins Woodall and Mrs. Homer Blalock are co-chairmen, and representatives from six local churches will participate in the program. Everyone is welcome to attend and worship together and pray for peace for our troubled world.

Proclamation

Whereas, World Day of Prayer will be observed this year in many places throughout the world where humble peoples, living against a background of universal tension and uncertainty, will bow their heads and lift up their hearts to Almighty God in prayer, and

Whereas, the Church Women of Iowa Park will join on this occasion with church women in communities throughout the nation and the world to form an articulate and inspiring chain of human prayer, and

Whereas, the troubled peoples in less fortunate nations than ours, and indeed, even in our own beloved country, need divine guidance as never before, especially as this is stimulated through prayerful communion,

Now, therefore, I, R. E. Van Horn, mayor of Iowa Park, do hereby proclaim Friday, March 8, 1957, at World Day of Prayer in Iowa Park, and I urge our citizens to observe this day by attending on that day the World Day of Prayer services, or by pausing for a minute of prayer at high noon to ask God to give us, in all our humility, the wisdom and courage to meet and successfully solve the profound problems of our times.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Iowa Park to be affixed this 28th day of February, 1957.

R. E. VAN HORN, Mayor

Kite Flying Can Be Dangerous

Texas Electric Service company this week appealed to parents to caution their children about flying kites near electric wires.

"Windy season brings kite flying time and this traditional sport is one that is lots of fun for children if it is done safely," Wayne N. House, local manager, pointed out. "Many don't realize the dangers in this pastime if certain safety rules are not observed, the most important of which is never to fly kites where there is the possibility of their getting tangled in electric power lines."

Other dangers are using metallic cord or wire for the kite string, making the kite frame of metal, flying kites in the rain when even a cotton string can become a dangerous conductor of electricity, and trying to retrieve a kite in case it does get caught in electric wires. "Local youngsters have been cooperative and careful in the past and we've had no serious mishaps in several years, but, over the nation, there are many cases of injuries to kite flyers," House said. "If kites are made right and flown right, kite flying is an enjoyable and wholesome sport."

To further impress children that safety is all-important in kite flying, TESCO is providing posters for school bulletin boards and announcements for school principals.

Planting Time for Coastal Bermuda

Time to establish coastal bermuda grass is close at hand, according to Elvy Sargent, soil conservationist of Iowa Park.

Coastal bermuda has met a definite need on tight soils in the Wichita valley, Sargent says. Some of the soils are too tight for field crops and a grass that will stand application of water over a long period of time has been a need. Coastal bermuda will meet that need, he says.

Wichita county ACP offers \$12 an acre on sodding and \$8 an acre on sprigging coastal bermuda as cost-sharing. Establishment should be from April through June for sprigging and April through July for sodding.

Area men who have had experience with coastal bermuda say:

1. Bermuda grass should not be fertilized until well established.
2. Elimination of competitive plants is important and date of planting should be selected that will give least competition.
3. Most successful establishment is by sod.
4. Sprigs should not be completely covered.

"Youth's Stake in Soil Conservation" is the subject on which students have written more than 800 essays in Wilbarger-Wichita SCD, Chairman Fenton Dale has announced.

Schools at Iowa Park, Electra, Harold, Vernon, Burkburnett, Lockett and Northside of Vernon had separate contests.

Veterans of Foreign Wars sponsored the awards for Iowa Park.

POST OFFICE GETS LATER START EACH DAY

Uncle Sam is getting short of money and has decreed that post office windows shall be opened each day half an hour later than customary.

Pete May says hereafter the fellow who has to do business with the post office can drink another cup of coffee, or something, because the local clerks just can't seem to get going good until 8:30. Orders, you know.

No raise in prices, and less time to do business. What a way to overcome a deficit!

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bray and sons Billy and Gene of Norman, Okla., visited Sunday in the home of her brother Mr. and Mrs. John B. Barbour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Willeford were Sunday evening guests of their son A. W. Willeford at Burkburnett.

Farmers Union speaks

Farmers Union Local 101 met Monday night at the Community House with good attendance. Fine reports were given by the directors.

In the drawing the name of E. R. Burns, route one, Burkburnett, was drawn. Since he wasn't present the \$5 he would have received will be added to next month's prize.

It was decided to have a box supper next recreation night, to be March 19.

James G. Patton, president of National Farmers Union, says in the March "Action Letter":

"The threat of private monopoly of our nation's electrical and natural resources enters a new and more dangerous stage in 1957. "As I see it, during 1956 the private utilities won private gains and suffered public losses. Their private gains came from favorable actions on the part of a friendly administration and sympathetic decisions from such 'regulatory' bodies as the Federal Power Commission.

"Their public losses came from the defeat of candidates who were running for office as private power 'partnership' candidates.

"Due to the tremendous show of private utilities' strength early last year, many public power advocates feared that Hell's Canyon would be completely in the hands of private developers by the end of 1956. Although the issue is still in doubt, the private utilities have not yet gained an unshakable foothold on Hell's Canyon. This is another setback the private utilities suffered.

But the private utilities solidified their position in other fields. Atomic production of power, for instance, is still being locked up for private exploitation.

"Because they know these things, the private utilities will spend even more money in 1957 than they did in 1956. They still have a friendly administration to help them along. But officials can read election returns, and they may be hesitant to stick their necks out for private power now that they know the voters are getting even with them for doing it.

"Farm families of America, as the largest individual users of publicly developed and co-operatively marketed power, have a tremendous stake in the present and future management of America's public power resources. That is why National Farmers Union carries a big share of the battle every year. And, let me assure you, we will be in there fighting harder than ever this year."

New Building Started for Texas Electric

Foundation work has been started for construction of a new office building for Texas Electric Service company.

The building will be owned by W. R. Creighton of Wichita Falls. Carl Sullivan, local contractor, is prime contractor for the 25x78-ft. structure, located on Wall street just north of the post office.

Plans call for concrete block construction with a Roman brick front. It is to be completed by May 1 of this year.

The front 40 feet will be used as office and display space, with the back 38 feet used as storage space.

They are a highly specialized singing group presenting choral and ensemble music under direction of Howard Skinner.

The public is invited to hear the concert at 7:30 p.m. at the Methodist church.

Cubs Have Annual Banquet

Awards were presented to 53 cub scouts for their achievements at the annual Blue and Gold banquet given in the school cafeteria last Thursday evening.

A large group of cubs, parents, leaders and guests enjoyed a covered dish supper.

Rollins Woodall served as emcee for the evening. Rev. Harold Dykstra of the Presbyterian church offered the invocation.

Pat Pastusek, institutional representative, presented the charter to the 23 Study club which sponsors cubbing in Iowa Park. Mrs. Dave Harbour, president, accepted the charter. Other club members present were Mmes. Gibbons Brubaker, Homer Blalock, R. R. Brubaker.

Woodall introduced the den mothers: Mmes. Max Campbell, Morris V. Jacks, Luther Skinner, W. P. Christian, China B. Smith, Roy Gressett.

Den mothers presented awards to parents to be pinned on the uniforms of cubs.

Cubmaster Morris V. Jacks commented on the many awards received during the past year. He also presented Edward Cabeen, assistant cubmaster, and expressed appreciation to the 23 Study club for sponsoring the cubs.

Bro. George Shropshire of Faith Baptist church pronounced the benediction.

Band Notes

March 1 and 2, a band clinic was conducted by the music department of TSCW at Denton. Nine Iowa Park girls asked to attend were Darlene Banner, Janice Wilson, Anita Thompson, Lenora Brown, Kay Scott, Betty Stewart, Glenna Archer and Nancy Smith.

Friday they attended four rehearsals of the band and a party given by the TSCW band girls. Saturday they had the privilege of playing in the first all-girl concert given in Texas.

We want to thank all the parents and friends who attended the concert. We know they received great inspiration from it.

Brotherhood

Iowa Park is going out for Brotherhood Week sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Three programs are scheduled for next Tuesday.

At 9:00 a.m. a team composed of Dr. Rabon Porter, Rabbi Morris Goodman and T. C. Foley, all of Wichita Falls, will appear in the high school auditorium and conduct a panel discussion.

At noon they will attend Lions club meeting and furnish the program.

Then in the evening, representatives of the observance will attend Evening Lions meeting, which will later be made into a public program and feature the Brotherhood theme.

All Iowa Park and surrounding area are invited to attend the public meeting in the sanctuary of the Christian church.

Mr. Foley, an official in the Wichita Sand and Gravel company, is a layman representing the Catholic church.

Mr. Goodman is an Auxiliary chaplain, member of the Ministerial Alliance and will represent the Jewish faith.

Mr. Porter has served about 30 years as minister of education in Methodist churches of Kansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Texas.

Reflections from the Bible

By Ray Marcum, Minister Iowa Park Church of Christ

When Paul questioned the Ephesians of Acts 19 about their baptism he found that they knew only the baptism of John. There was something better for them than the baptism of John. When Paul taught them about the baptism of Jesus, then the scriptures says, "When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus." Here is a group of people who had one baptism but they found a better baptism. They were willing to change, what they had, in order to possess something that was better. It can be said to the everlasting credit of the Ephesians that they were willing to change.

We know many people who have been baptized, some with the baptism of one denomination and some with the baptism of another. Some have been immersed and some sprinkled. May we urge you that you carefully study the baptism of the New Testament and that you study the subject with the kind of mind that characterized the Ephesians. If you find that your baptism is not the baptism of the New Testament, may God give you the courage to change.

May we emphasize this one important point. Though the circumstances in each of these instances differ; yet, the results are always the same. All of them reacted the same way to the introduction of new truth. All of them had open hearts and open minds and were willing to receive the more excellent way when it was preached to them.

BANK NOTES by Malcolm

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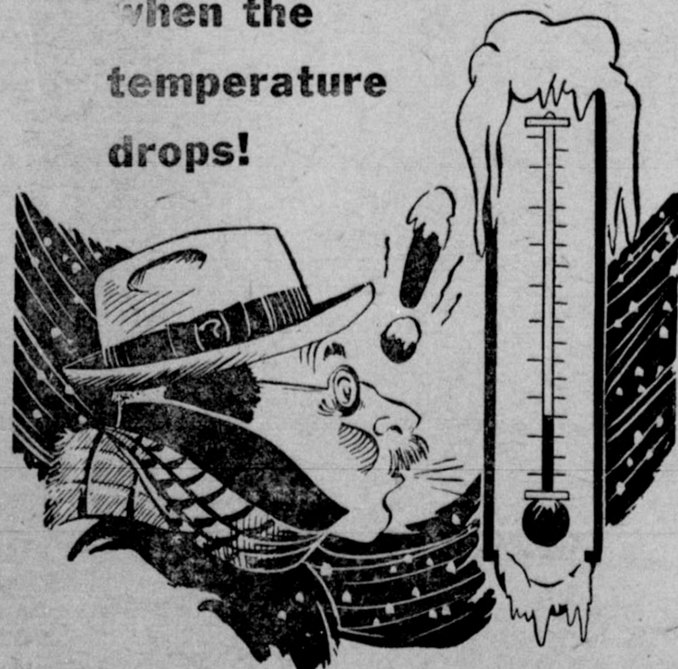
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PTA

Executive board of the PTA will meet Monday night at 7:00 in the home of Mrs. W. M. Owens, with Mrs. L. D. Hawkins as co-hostess. "We, the People, Interpret the Educational Opportunities Provided for Our Children" will be program theme when PTA meets next Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 in the school auditorium.

A film "Learning Democracy through School-Community Projects" will be shown. Business session includes election of officers.



At a recent meeting of the Iowa Park 4-H club girls Mrs. Cobb showed charts on healthful foods and drinks. She also discussed the county meeting which was to be held at the Community House.

Last Wednesday the group met at the Community House from 7:30 to 8:30. Several new members have been enrolled in recent days.

Susan McCarthy, reporter

CHEERY BLUE BIRDS

At a recent meeting of Cheery Blue Birds, officers were elected for the coming three months.

Glenda Levell was elected president; Jana Sue Combs, vice-president; Chesta Faye Miller, secretary-treasurer; Donna Sue Merriman, scribe; Judy Holmes, song leader.

Linda Hall was hostess for the day.

Last week the girls made decorative wall plates under direction of Mrs. Floyd Merriman. Pat Blackburn served refreshments to the 12 members.

FLYING BLUE BIRDS

The Flying Blue Birds met in the home of their leader Mrs. Robert Luthy. They had a party this week because the candle burned down. Mrs. Luthy furnished balloons and refreshments for Linda Sawyer, Glenda Sawyer, Linda Jo Grace, Joy Snider and Glendon Granger. The group received one new member Brenda Burnam.

After games and a Penny Hike, the meeting was adjourned with the Blue Bird wish.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Grimes of Fort Worth visited recently with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Dale.

George Weatherall of Clarendon and former Parkan visited friends here last week.

AL KU LA NA

Al-Ku-La-Na Camp Fire girls met in the home of Mrs. Roy Sawyer, and passed Honor 811 in Home by discussing the causes of common accidents in the home.

Linda Robertson served refreshments to Sherye Compton, Brenda Capehart, Betty Engledow, Jo Cowden, Angela Scott, and Elaine Sawyer.

The group played symbol bingo afterwards, and used the Woodgatherer's Desire for closing.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown Jr. of Alice announce the birth of a son on Friday, March 1. Mrs. Carroll Duke left Monday for Alice to spend several weeks with her new grandson.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the County Court of Wichita County, Texas, on the 18th day of March, A.D. 1957, at the Court House of Wichita County, in Wichita Falls, Texas, on the application of Kenneth W. Sullivan, guardian of the estate of Myrtle Ella Sullivan, non-compos-mentis, for permission to execute a mineral lease covering the one-eighth (1/8) undivided interest of said ward in and to the following described tract of land located in Wise County, Texas, to-wit:

26 acres, more or less, out of the James Pinchback Survey, Abst. 674, and being out of a 30 acre tract out of said survey heretofore sold by J. Bradley to S. M. Gose and also a 9 acre tract out of said survey sold by J. Bradley to S. M. Gose and described by metes and bounds as follows:

First Tract: Beg. at the SW corner of said 30 acre tract; Thence E 241 yards to corner; Thence N 333 1/3 yards to corner; Thence W 241 yards to corner, same being the NW corner of said above mentioned 30 acre tract; Thence S 333 1/3 yards to the beginning, and containing 17 acres.

Second Tract: Beg. at the NW corner of said above described First Tract; Thence N 260 yards; Thence E 142 yards; Thence S 280 yards to N line of said above described First Tract; Thence W 142 yards to the beginning, and containing 9 acres.

KENNETH W. SULLIVAN
Guardian of the person and estate of Myrtle Ella Sullivan, non-compos-mentis.

WEATHER SUMMARY FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY

by Virgil I. Woodfin

Weather in this area was unlike anything on record. There was more rainfall than usual. The mean maximum temperature was about normal but the mean minimum and mean mean temperatures were above normal. The mean minimum was the highest it has been since 1932.

February was more like the month of March in respect to minimum temperatures.

Average maximum was 60.3 degrees, which is 1.7 below normal. Average minimum was 42.1, 7.1 degrees above the 32-year average (35 degrees).

Total rainfall was 1.93 inches, .31 inch above the normal (1.62).

Average relative humidity was 79.9 per cent, 15.1 above the average (64.8).

Total evaporation was 1.37 inches.

Twelve of the 28 days had .01 inch or more precipitation.

Highest temperature was 86 degrees on the 9th; lowest was 29 degrees on the 23rd and 27th.

Twenty of the 28 days during February were cloudy; 6 were clear and 2 partly cloudy.

Rainfall for the year had reached 3.09 inches at the end of the month. This is .26 inch above normal for the year.

Conditions for the month were excellent with a bright crop prospects for the year.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. D. O. James was honored with a surprise birthday party Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Those enjoying the informal occasion were Mmes. Ruth Gard, George R. Huckaby, Alan Berry, Taylor George, H. Pierce, Cecil Marquart, Rollins Woodall, Gilbert Steele, F. M. Wilson and the honoree and hostess.

Mrs. James was presented many useful gifts and a beautiful cake.

Skating Party

A benefit skating party and cake walk has been planned for the Child Guidance and Opportunity center located in Faith Village, to be held March 15 at 7:00 in Skateland, Wichita Falls. Tickets are 50 cents. Mrs. J. B. Upham is serving as ticket chairman of the Iowa Park area.

Mr. and Mrs. Upham's 5 year old son Ricky Lee attends this wonderful school for handicapped children, which is operated on donations alone.

At the beginning of the school year 43 were enrolled. Some have made such progress they were able to enter public school the second semester.

Mrs. Upham urges everyone to attend this fun night and help the children find their places in our world. All proceeds go to the Guidance school.

If you are interested, phone Mrs. Upham at 4161 Iowa Park.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Willeford and children of near Archer City, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Willeford of Burkburnett, Mrs. Jo Ann Cobb and sons of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ratcliff and son Dwayne of Perryton were visitors last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Willeford.

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Juniors

Hi, Gang:

The Jrs are in a working spell, in English, that is. Mrs. Owens is getting us good, but we need it.

Week before last three Jrs received medals in the essay contest. Tommy, Billie and Margaret. Congratulations, kids.

Basketball girls' awards came in this week. Linda received a jacket and Oleta a sweater. They are pretty, girls.

The four Jr band girls had a gay old time at Denton over the weekend. Sam loves to go to Dallas on Saturday afternoons. We enjoyed every moment at TSCW. Wished more could have gone.

The Jrs hope Anita and Glen recover soon. Know they hope so too. Hurry back, you two crazy lovebirds.

Bettie and Sam were absent yesterday. What's the matter, girls, did the trip get you down?

Honor Society has been founded in our beloved school, and James and Tommy were the Jr members. Good luck, boys, you'll have to stay a jump ahead of your grades now. Well, that's it. See ya.
—NICK

Herman Kight was admitted to Wichita General hospital Monday for observation and treatment.

J. H. Brooks is recovering from pneumonia in Wichita General hospital.

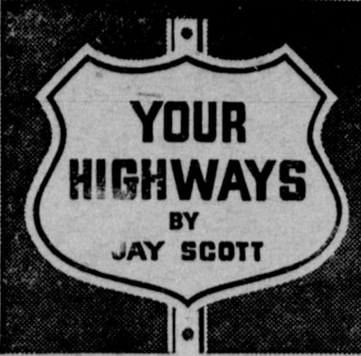
Everett Stephenson, employee of John B. Barbour Trucking company, was admitted last week to Wichita General hospital, with a diagnosis of polio.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guest and sons Harry and Mark of Ft. Worth visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown last weekend. The Brown and Guest families spent Sunday in Wichita Falls visiting another daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Looney and Randy and Vicki.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Zion attended a recital featuring Rhonda Rushing in St. Jo last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wolf of Dallas visited his mother Mrs. J. L. Wolf over the weekend.

Mrs. Buna Brooks and son Don of Jacksonville were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ray.



A few laughs:
A clerk in the Denver, Colo. police auto theft bureau telephoned his superior to say he would be late for work because somebody had stolen his car.

When two cars collided in Greenville, Mich. the drivers were most embarrassed — because both were driving instructors.

A traffic accident case in Louisville, Ky. involving a truck and a pedestrian ended with the truck driver awarded damages from the pedestrian.

Arrested for driving without a tail light, a New London, Conn., autoist, aged 44, was found by police to have been driving for 26 years without a licence.



Courtesy saves lives.

Chicago Police Commissioner O'Connor says he'll fire any policeman he finds hiding behind billboards to trap unsuspecting speeding motorists.

A man in North Carolina drove past two state policemen — then stopped his car and asked to be given a ticket because his driver's license had expired.

The Newark, N. J. Police had a new one recently when a motorist was charged with passing a bad check to pay for his speeding ticket.

Back seat drivers may be suffering from nothing more than inadequate nutrition says the International College of Surgeons.



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Annual City Election set for the first Tuesday in April, being April 2, 1957, to be held at the City Hall—only one voting place, two Aldermen to be elected.

Council members whose terms expire April 1957 are: C. L. Metz and W. J. Beasley Jr.

Holdover members of the City Council are: R. E. Van Horn, Mayor; Harrel R. Sullivan, F. F. Rauschuber and L. L. Thompson, Aldermen; Dossia S. Smith, City Secretary.

Deadline Set For News

All write-ups and club reports must be in the Herald office by Tuesday at noon of each week to be used for the issue of that week. To help us get the paper out on time we are asking the co-operation of our fine organization reporters and publicity chairmen.

If you have a story of interest or a personal item, please call 3161. Help us to produce a good hometown paper.

A new vinyl latex wall paint has been developed which is said to kill germs on contact. The killing effect is reported to last for a period of two years or more. Hospitals and laboratories are particularly interested in the new product.

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Seniors

Harvey Klinkerman was born Feb. 12, 1939, in Burkburnett to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Klinkerman. They moved to Iowa Park when he was two years old. Harvey has attended I.P. schools all 12 years. He was valedictorian of the 8th grade. Has lettered four years in basketball, football and baseball, and ran track three years. Honorable mention all-state in football Jr and Sr years; all-district Soph, Jr and Sr years; all-area in basketball two years. Harvey was the Who's Who in Sports the Jr year and was voted Most Popular boy in high school. Attends Trinity Lutheran church at Para. Undecided as to which college he will attend.

Linda Janice McCarty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCarty, started school at Eagle Bend. She was valedictorian of the 8th grade there, and started as a freshman at Valley View. Jan was chosen Best Student by the faculty her Soph year and Honor Student of her class. Served as president of PHA and president of Soph class. In 1955 she started the Jr year in IPHS and was one of the soil conservation essay winners. Cheerleader and Football Queen this year. Attends Methodist church.

Janice Wilson, a friend of mine wants to know what happened at the station you passed on the way to Denton.

LaWanda Jo Darnell and Edna Holloway attended a YWA clinic at HSU, Abilene. There were eight other local girls, but only the two Srs.

Glen Wester and Anita Thompson were hurt in an auto accident Sunday afternoon. We are missing you two, but are happy to hear you are improving. Hurry back and let's get the Sr play on the boards! Sr play has been postponed until next Thursday. Tickets can be had at Edna Holloway, Darlene Banner and Malcolm Bell.

See ya next week, —JODY

Methodist Happenings

Mrs. Miles Thompson opened the meeting of Methodist women Tuesday morning, with a business session. The group elected Mrs. C. J. Simpson as delegate to the annual conference at Greenville. Mrs. S. B. Keeter was named alternate delegate.

Mrs. Owens announced the study "Youth in a Responsible Society, a Christian Concern" will begin March 19. Circle meetings will be held March 12; Circle I will meet with Mrs. Fred Widmoyer at 2:30; Circle II with Mrs. T. R. Horine at 9:30; Circle III at the church at 9:45.

Devotion was presented by Mrs. Gene Owens and Mrs. Thimphon. Mrs. Owens led the program "The Church and Mental Hygiene." She was assisted in a panel discussion by Mrs. Bill Christian and Mrs. Simpson.

Others present were Mmes. W. E. Stockton, Elden Cole, C. J. Thurber, W. M. Owens, Richey Abner, S. L. Denny, John Mixon.

D. L. and Euell Spruiell of Van visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Spruiell last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Emmons of Pampa visited her brothers and families last week: Sam Spruiell of Kamay, Hill and Will Spruiell of Iowa Park.

Bob Robinson of Ft. Bliss visited last weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Robinson.

Miss Clara Lowrance is visiting relatives in Tennessee and Mississippi.

PARKANS' AUNT DIES
Mrs. R. R. Brubaker and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Banks of Iowa Park and Mrs. H. B. Young of Wichita Falls attended funeral services of Mrs. E. Kathrine Davis, 90, of Denton, Tues., Feb. 26.
Mrs. Davis is an aunt of Mrs. Banks and Mrs. Brubaker. She was born and reared in Denton county.

MORE KAMAY NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Collier and family have moved back from Kansas and are now residing on Turtle Creek road.
Valley View seniors are conducting bake sales each Saturday at Kincaid's Grocery.

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Alexandria Daily Town Talk

Orchid to the Railroads

Railroads serving the Southwest's drought belt, and particularly the Texas and Pacific, have found it necessary and advisable to buy newspaper space to tell America a little something about their situation.

Rare Appreciation
Since the day of Sam Bass, when many Texans approved his robbing of trains, causing the railroads to be unpopular. While many have advocated about freight rates, others have complained of noise and tax officers have made the rail lines with more than their share of levies.

Golden Deed, Indeed!
The nation's railroads through the years have been good neighbors in most instances—extending aid, financial and otherwise, to their friends and neighbors and to their country in times of emergency.

Railroads Render a Vital Service
The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. deserves a word of leadership from its current advertisement that explains the railroads' \$25,000,000 good deed for the drought area.

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BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1957
Thanks For A Big Good Turn

"If all the trucks in the unstocked areas of the West and Southwest were asked by President Eisenhower to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates on their loans to farmers and ranchers, it would be considered most unusual. But when the railroads are asked by the president to make a 50 per cent reduction in their rates on hay or other freight during the drought area, it is not considered unusual at all. It is a golden deed indeed!"

Farmers Praise Railroads For Reducing Freight Rates On Drouth Hay Shipments

Railroads serving the drought area are actually doing more than 50 per cent more than \$2,000,000 by the freight rate during the period Oct. to the present time. One of the best representatives of agriculture has received more than \$200,000 in drought relief benefits through reduced rates, volume of the area to maintain their livestock herds when they would otherwise have had to be sold.

The Longview Daily News

February 7, 1957
The \$25 Million Good Deed

While thinking about good deeds (this being Boy Scout Week, and Scouts being famous for good deeds), we should all say "thanks" to the railroads of America. Any question that the railroads do not make sacrifices to aid agriculture is a good deed for which they receive credit. But they are entitled to the consideration of their people.

The Galveston Daily News

Railroads and Drouth

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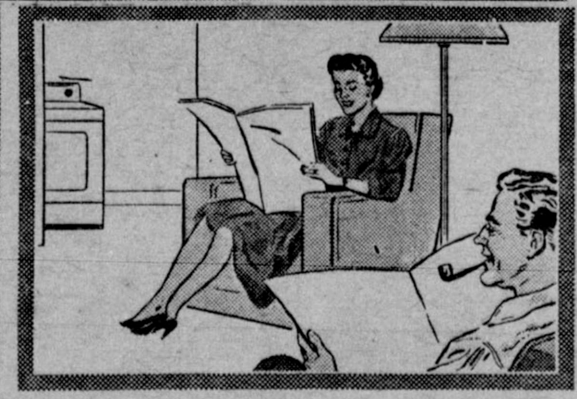
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Telegram is in reply to WIRE sent by Wylie Stewart, Scripps-Howard Newspapers

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Daughter of Mrs. Gayle Park of Iowa Park, Mary Gayle will teach Spanish in one of the secondary schools.

Senior Play Postponed

The Senior play originally set for this Thursday night has been postponed until March 14 because of injuries suffered by two members of the cast in an accident Sunday afternoon. They are Anita Thompson and Glen Wester.

Next Wednesday the play will be presented in a matinee performance for the benefit of the elementary school pupils, beginning at 12:30.

The Thursday night performance will begin at 7:30.

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BWC

Mrs. Henry Jones taught the first chapter in the home missions study book for a meeting of the Business Women's circle of First Baptist WMS, Monday evening.

An electric flip chart depicting the Christian influences upon which our nation was founded, the great leaders, different nationalities, industries and evidences of a spiritual awakening in the US added interest to the study.

Prayer by Mrs. Bonnie Hudson opened the meeting. The chairman Mrs. Dorothy Thompson was in charge of the business period when reports were given by Miss Ella Simmons, vice-president; Mrs. Hudson, community missions; Mrs. Carl McKinnon, stewardship; Mrs. Bratton Reaves, treasurer.

Mrs. Bernard Birdwell was recognized as a new member.

The meditation was contributed by the chairman and closed with prayer by Mrs. Homer Thompson. Dismissal prayer was offered by Mrs. Carroll Duke.

Mrs. Homer Blalock was hostess for the meeting held in the church parlor.

Next meeting will be Wednesday evening, March 6, when the circle will sponsor presentation of the play "Daughters of Destiny." Cast will include Mmes. Henry Jones, W. K. Barron, Wayne Williams, Glen Miller, Perry Blaylock, Bonnie Hudson; Mr. Floyd Browning and Richard Esparza. Mrs. Dorothy Thompson will be narrator and Mrs. O. E. Lochridge will provide organ music.

WSCS

Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Tuesday morning. Mrs. John Nixon presented the call to worship on the piano.

The meditation was given by Mrs. Richey Abernathy assisted by Mrs. C. J. Simpson, who read the scripture. Hymns sung were "The Voice of God Is Calling" and "Awake, Awake to Love and Work."

"Whom Shall I Send?" was the lesson presented by Mrs. Elden Cole. A playlet "Those Who Serve" was portrayed by Mrs. Bill Christian and Mrs. Jay Laible.

Mrs. Miles Thompson conducted a business period during which Mmes. Christian, T. R. Horine and Cole were elected to nominate officers for the coming year.

Others present were Mmes. W. E. Stockton, Fred Widmoyer, W. F. George, W. M. Owens, Gene Owens, Riley Bomar, Grace Hadley, Gene Lewrey.

A new chemical appears to spell doom for Canada thistle, worst weed pest of the central states. Extensive tests at agricultural colleges show that one spray application controls the troublesome weed. The chemical kills the thistle by interfering with the plant's manufacture of chlorophyll.

Speaking of chlorophyll, have you heard the answer to the various advertising campaigns designed to publicize the merits of chlorophyll in tooth paste, deodorants, etc.? It goes, "Why reeks the goat on yonder hill, who seems to dote on chlorophyll?"

Chemical conservationists are hopeful that a new all-season poison will help to eliminate sea lampreys from the Great Lakes. Small amounts of the chemical have proved effective but at present a more economical way to produce the fish killer is needed. No name has as yet been given the chemical.

Faith Baptist

YWA's of the Faith Baptist church were honored with a banquet Feb. 25 to celebrate their 50th anniversary during YWA Focus Week. The banquet was prepared and served by the WMU at the home of Mrs. Jim Miller.

June Dickerson, YWA leader, served as master of ceremonies. Rev. Bob Beck of Jolly was guest speaker. Dinner music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Price.

Attending were Bro. and Mrs. S. George Shropshire, Miss Reba Jean Schroeder, Mrs. Jim Miller, Billy Joe Dickerson, Jan Patterson, David Middaugh, Bonnie Callaway, Roberta Hill, Loretta Britt, Delpha Keiningham, Tommy Starke, Wilma Kingcade, Charles Tatom and Betty Tatom.

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Light to moderate showers have fallen in and around the community the past several days, bringing much needed moisture to the area.

KAMAY

By Mrs. E. L. Holbrook
Route One, Electra

Approximately 230 young people attended the Wichita-Archer Baptist Youth Rally, Saturday at Kamay.

Program theme "Youth in a Christ-Centered Life" was effectively presented in song and scripture.

Westside of Wichita Falls won the attendance banner.

A fellowship hour was conducted following the program and business, under direction of the host church.

Local members taking active parts on the program were J. C. Holder, Jo and Jan Collins and Ginger Simmons.

Mrs. Ezra Jones was honored by members of the Kamay Sewing club with a surprise farewell party recently in the home of Mrs. J. W. Land. Games were played under direction of Mrs. John Hamilton. Mrs. Jones received a lovely array of gifts.

Members and guests present for the courtesy were Mmes. W. H. Cornog, A. W. Marchbanks, Coy Thomason, John Hamilton, J. T. Riley, W. F. Byrd, C. L. Hacker, Howard Thomason and E. L. Holbrook.

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munity soon after her husband's retirement from work with American Petrofina.

Monthly singing conducted at the Assembly of God in Kadane Corner has been postponed until Thurs. March 14, in order that members can attend the Sunday School training courses in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Fred Faulkner is gravely ill at her home in Kamay.

Valley View junior class is sponsoring a Pancake Supper at the school cafeteria Friday, March 8, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door or from any junior.

Mrs. J. A. McDonald has returned from Hardin-Simmons university where she attended the YWA houseparty.

Members of Valley View Methodist WSCS met in the home of Mrs. Howard Thomason of Wichita Falls recently for the monthly social. Mrs. W. W. Bishop was in charge of games and program.

Mrs. Ezra Jones was honored by the group with a WSCS lifetime membership and pin. Miss Maude Kirschner, president of the Valley View society, made the presentation.

Others assisting in the meeting were Mmes. W. F. Byrd, Hut Buzbee, Roy Lakey, Swan Reaves, E. L. Linley, Clarence Adams, Wooten Bishop, Doss Miller, Paul Carter, Ocho Childers and C. C. Burnett.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Holbrook were Mrs. Dewey Jones and Mrs. Jack Moser of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Richards of the Valley Farms and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Riddle of Holliday.

Ed Lowery underwent surgery last Thursday at the McKinney hospital and is doing nicely.

Ordination services will be conducted at Kamay Baptist church next Sunday at 2:30, when Coy Thomason and Earl Cravens will be ordained as deacons.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones and Carrol of Dallas were weekend visitors in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Jones.

M. A. Groom of Hood county is visiting in the home of his daughter Mrs. R. L. Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Euady and Randle Lynn of Ft. Worth were recent visitors with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Horn.

Members of the Valley View PTA presented faculty members, cafeteria personnel and the PTA president corsages Monday as a part of Public Schools Week observation.

Kamay Baptist WMU organizations are observing Week of Prayer for Home Missions. Theme is "Our Mission in Home Missions" with a different phase of the work covered each day.

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