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Mr. and Mrs. Bob McDonald and sons Robin and Chuck of Vernon visited here last Saturday in the Paul Zink and M. J. McDonald homes.

Reader Ads . . .

Bring in your treasured pictures, clippings, courtesy cards and other billfold items and let us seal them in plastic for permanent safe-keeping. Wright's Jewelry. c

Sherwood's Beauty Shop 506 Cash, Phone 5261 tc

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Cannas 5c, Queens wreath, daisies, stock, petunias, snaps, mums, tomatoes, peppers, carnations, lanterns, verbena, Sunken Gardens. c

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Come in and see the display of fishing equipment at Bradford's Furniture and Hardware. c

For Sale — Cushion Sand. Don Paul Lemons, Unit 35, Wichita Valley Farms. Phone 2-7758. tfx

TROPICAL AQUARIUM is now open at 209 Texowa St. Many varieties of fish; supplies and water plants. Mrs. Cereta Robinson. 1p

For Sale — Small house to be moved. New, Steele Lumber Co. c

Call Marie Bedford for Avon Products, agent west side of town. Phone 4711. 307 W. Ruby. tc

For Rent — 4 room unfurnished apartment. Phone 6361. 2c

For Sale at Public Auction on June 23, 1955—1 barrel 30 gallon Hydrotex Essentialube, at Miller & Miller Motor Freight Lines Warehouse, Sixth & Ohio Streets, Wichita Falls, Texas. Shipment from Harrison Brothers, Kremmling, Colorado, to Hydrotex Industries, Dallas, Texas. 11-12-13c

For Sale at Public Auction on June 23, 1955—2 cases car wax and oil & gas additives and 22 cases oil and gas additives, at Miller and Miller Motor Freight Warehouse, at Sixth & Ohio Streets, Wichita Falls, Texas. Shipment from Ken's Service Stations of Powell, Wyoming, consigned to King Petroleum Company of Dallas, Texas. 11-12-13c

Will care for school children, age 5 to 12, at my farm. Wichita Valley Unit No. 40. Call 3-1313 between 8:30 and 5:00. 2p

For Rent for Summer, until Aug. 20 — 2 bedroom furnished house with garage. Phone 4441 or 4911. c

For Rent—Large 5 room house. 404 W. Washington. Mrs. Noel. Phone 4731 or 8121. 1c

FOR SALE
DODGE SCHOOL BUS
43 Capacity
Bids Open to June 8th
May be seen at Iowa Park school, or contact Superintendent's office, 4811.

Church of God VBS Plans Program

Vacation Bible School is being conducted this week by workers of the Church of God. They have had an enrollment of 107 with an average attendance of 80.

There are seven classes with seven teachers and 12 helpers. The children have enjoyed the singing, Bible stories and handwork.

Theme of the lessons was "Ten Bible Bees," with a flannelboard story for each illustration.

Mrs. Cereta Robinson, director of the Vacation school, has had especially efficient and devoted workers. Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Pennington and their daughter have been faithful workers. Mrs. Pennington acted as secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Letna Mae Hall is pianist and Mrs. Kenneth Battle and Mrs. Bobby Fox are choir directors.

Everyone is invited to attend the closing program Saturday evening at 8:00, when certificates will be awarded.

Kamay Man Praises I.P. Volunteer Firemen

Mrs. Jean Lavender and her two boys, who live at Kamay, can consider themselves remarkably lucky. They were asleep in their home when the place caught fire and burned to the ground, destroying all their personal belongings.

But they awoke in time to escape the burning building.

E. C. Copeland, living next door, heard the children screaming about 2:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 24, and immediately called the Iowa Park Volunteer Fire department. He credited their quick response to his call and their firefighting ability with saving his home.

Mr. Copeland made a special trip to Iowa Park on Wednesday to express his gratitude and to praise the Iowa Park Firemen. He also said that all Kamay folks are voluble in their gratitude for the fire department.

Mrs. Dan Wilson of Chillicothe visited here Thursday with her aunt Mrs. Mae Tanner.

The Citywide Brotherhood will meet Monday evening at the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Roy Wood of Jacksboro and Mrs. Lula Morgan of Dallas visited Mrs. Mary Elita Thompson this week.

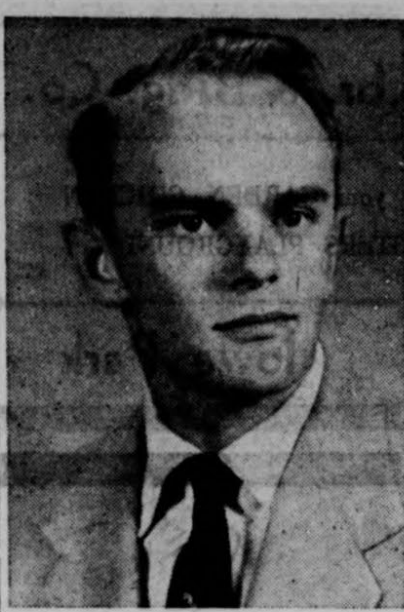
Mrs. Ann Kennedy, publisher of the Chillicothe Valley News, visited the Herald office Wednesday.



Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvy Sargent, won the reserve championship of the annual county junior poultry show at Wichita Falls last Saturday.

Championship rosette was given by John Wagner to Elizabeth, 9-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Perkins of Wichita Falls.

Both contestants raised pens of white rocks. This is Harry's third year in 4-H work. He will be an eighth grader



William H. Weiler will be graduated from Texas Technological college at Lubbock on May 30, with a bachelor of science in petroleum geology. On the Tech campus he has been active in the Geology club and in Alpha Phi Omega, service fraternity.

His parents Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Weiler, plan to attend commencement exercises.

First Aid Course To Be Offered

Arrangements are being made to present in Iowa Park a First Aid course this summer. Instructors will be Red Cross trained persons, probably a man and a woman.

The course will be taught at the high school twice weekly for a period of six weeks. Tentative plans call for beginning instruction on June 14 either in the afternoon or evening.

Sponsors of the First Aid course are the local Parent-Teachers association, and officers of the group are interested in getting a strong enrollment. Men, women and high school students are especially invited to enroll.

Feature of the course will be the instruction in civilian defense, which will be treated the last two weeks of the course.

Those interested should contact Mrs. Gibbons Brubaker or Mrs. Stanley Williamson.

Complete plans can be made only when the time convenient for the instructors and their pupils has been worked out.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Denny, Mrs. S. L. Denny, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Traylor and Mrs. Emma Gauntt plan to attend graduation ceremonies of TWC, Ft. Worth next Sunday.

64 Children Attend Pre-School Roundup For Health Check

In the pre-school roundup held here this week there were 64 children enrolled. These are the boys and girls who will enter the first grade in the fall.

The pupils attended the half-day classes and got acquainted with the teachers they will have when school begins next September. They visited the cafeteria and auditorium and other points about the school plant where they will be spending much time in the future.

In a health clinic held Thursday morning there were 30 boys and girls lined up to take physical examinations.

Dr. Gordon G. Clark and Dr. C. J. Simpson conducted the examinations, which included a check on general physical condition, the inoculations given, if any, the eyes, ears, noses and chests were examined; and the teeth checked for cavities and other defects.

Parents are reminded that inoculations for smallpox, diphtheria and whooping cough are mandatory to entering school in the fall. They are urged to have the children inoculated before the extremely hot weather begins.

Mrs. R. E. Waters, PTA health chairman for 1954, made arrangements for the clinic. She was assisted by Mrs. Lowell Short, health chairman for 1955, and by Mrs. Wilbert Kaspar.

Sargent Recommends Guar, Red Peas for Soil Building Use

With fine moisture in the ground, farmers have a golden opportunity to plant soil-building legumes. Elvy Sargent said this week.

Guar, a relatively new legume for this area, and Chinese red peas may be planted now.

Guar should be planted in three-foot rows, five to six pounds of seed per acre. Fertilize with phosphate, or on poor soil, with 100 pounds of 16-20-0.

Mr. Sargent recommends 10 lbs. of Chinese red pea seed if planted in rows and 25 lbs. if drilled. Fertilize similar to guar.

Farmers are urged to inoculate all legumes for better yields. Guar is an excellent crop for fixing free air nitrogen if it is properly inoculated with a specific strain of living bacteria. It produces up to 14 tons of organic matter an acre.

The District Agriculture Workers council, composed of agriculture workers of Wichita, Archer and Clay counties, is urging all farmers in this area to plant as many legumes as possible.

Bob Crocker, president, said conditions are now perfect for planting the valuable soil conditioning crops.

HEART-ATTACK IS FATAL FOR ALLEN BARWISE

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Denny have returned after attending funeral services of Allen Barwise of San Antonio, who died last Saturday morning of a heart attack. Services were conducted Monday in San Antonio.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Barwise are former Parkans and members of Pioneer families of this area. Mrs. Barwise is the former Miss Essie Mitchell.

Valley View Folk Visit in Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Childers and Mrs. Wiley Bishop of Valley View returned recently from Washington, D.C. Mr. and Mrs. Childers visited their son and wife Yeoman first class and Mrs. Marvin Dale Childers. Bud is assigned to duty in the office of the secretary of navy in the Pentagon building. His wife is a civil service worker in the same building.

Mrs. Bishop visited her daughter and her husband; Maj. and Mrs. Loy Norris. He is with the air force and works in the Pentagon also.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gleason of Dallas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Parmer last weekend. Mrs. Gleason remained for a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Aubrey Kelso and daughter Melinda of Perryton are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earle L. Denny.

Valley View Seniors Go to Missouri Lake For 4-Day Outing

Valley View seniors, their teacher sponsor L. O. Matthews, and mother sponsors Mmes. Donnie Stephens, Herman Parnell, T. E. Hoskins, left by bus for Kirkwood Lodge, Lake of the Ozarks, Osage Beach, Mo., Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

They were to travel all night and arrive at the lodge in time for lunch Thursday.

There they will stay for boating, swimming, fishing, hayrides, horseback riding and square dancing until Monday afternoon.

Mr. Matthews said this will be the second year he has accompanied the seniors to Lake of the Ozarks, and he would enjoy making the trip every year from now on. The lodge furnishes every kind of outdoor entertainment, and has four meals a day for its guests. The place is so popular reservations have to be made months in advance.

The outgoing trip was made by way of Denison, Durant, McAlester, Ft. Smith and Fayetteville. Return will be through Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Lawton, making in all an 1180 mile trip.

Money for the outing is earned by class members at the T-O Fair, by selling drinks and sandwiches at basketball games, from pie suppers and senior plays, and from advertising in the school annual.

All members of the group will get a diploma, awarded the final night of their stay at Kirkwood lodge.



Mrs. Juanita Kildow McCollum of Los Angeles has been visiting her mother Mrs. P. G. Kildow and other relatives the past week.

Nita has lived in Los Angeles the past 10 years. She is a mezzo-soprano and has become established as a church soloist, on the radio, and as a member of the Los Angeles Opera company.

Mrs. McCollum was guest soloist last Sunday morning at the Wichita Falls First Christian church, and sang here in the evening for members of the Baptist church.

Red Cross Today Is 'Living Memorial' To Military Men

Monday the nation pauses to honor those who served and died in its military service. Established in 1869, the first Memorial Day was intended to honor those soldiers who died in the Civil War, but today the public looks to it as both a tribute to the heroes of past wars and today's soldiers as well. It is a solemn annual tribute by 156 million Americans.

And during the past year these same Americans have been paying another kind of tribute to our military people, through the American Red Cross. A tribute in the form of material aid, counsel and financial assistance.

Last year the Red Cross helped an average of 109,000 servicemen each month at military installations and hospitals around the globe and served approximately 213,000 families of servicemen and veterans each month through chapter home service. A total of \$11,778,000 was given in financial assistance to servicemen and their dependents and \$799,800 to veterans and surviving dependents.

In one recent month 204,000 communications were exchanged between field personnel at military posts and hospitals in this country and overseas and Red Cross chapters in local communities. The communications included requests for securing information for the military authorities as to the need for an emergency leave; the notification of illness or death in a family; and requests for "why Johnny has not written."

The Red Cross last year spent 49 per cent of its budget for welfare services to the armed forces, veterans and their families, and for special services and recreation in military and Veterans Administration hospitals, and plans to spend the same amount during 1955 as a "living memorial" to our servicemen, past and present.

DOES RADAR HAVE ANY EFFECTS ON ACCIDENTS?

During the first six months of Radar's use, the highway patrol has stopped with radar 2,355 speeders in this north Texas area consisting of Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, King, Knox, Foard, Montague, Hardeman, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young counties.

Results for the same period last year without radar were 21 fatal, 95 personal injury, 179 property damage accidents, totaling 40 accidents. With radar the past six months picture looks brighter with 14 fatal, 73 personal injury, 179 property damage accidents, making a total of 266 accidents—or 134 accidents that didn't happen.

Capt. K. B. Hallmark jr., commanding this district, says that radar has primarily helped this reduction, and continued effort on the part of the patrol will continue to reduce accidents, Hallmark says much of this reduction is due to voluntary compliance with speed



Elga Ann Denny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Denny, is a candidate for the bachelor of science in business administration degree, to be awarded at spring commencement exercises at Texas Wesleyan college, Fort Worth.

During her years of study at TWC Miss Denny has been in many extracurricular activities, including: Nominee for senior class favorite. Elected to Alpha Chi (national honorary scholarship). Senior delegate to national convention of Alpha Chi. Secretary-treasurer of Alpha Chi.

Recipient of Golden Shears award (recognition of outstanding extracurricular activities).

Vice-president, Ann Waggoner Hall last three years.

Corresponding secretary and reporter, Methodist Student movement.

Reporter for Beta Epsilon (business administration).

Elga Ann was salutatorian of the 1950 senior class of Iowa Park.

Top Seniors Win Further Honors

The top honor senior of Iowa Park High School received additional awards last week.

Don Owens, valedictorian, won the Judy Wilson award. This award has been given the past two years in memory of Judy Wilson, a student who was killed last year in a car-train collision. Winners are chosen by the high school faculty on the basis of good character, citizenship and high ideals.

Mickey Sewell was chosen for the Judy Wilson award last year.

Caroline Sewell, salutatorian, was given the Arion music award, presented annually by the local Lions club. This is a nationwide honor and her name will be submitted to national headquarters of the Arion award, with a possibility she will be offered a scholarship to some college.

Previous winners of the award are Elga Ann Denny, Harold Lewis, Bobbie Grusendorf, Jimmy Jones, Anne Lowe and Cynthia Thornberry.

Laws and urges continued co-operation throughout the coming vacation season.

Final Honor Rolls Listed by Schools

Final report on honor students was released this week by James Elms, principal of both junior and senior high school. The report is divided into two categories: results of the final six-week period of the year, and results of the entire second semester. Naturally many of the names will be found in both lists.

Single A students must have at least an A minus average in all subjects, while Double A students must have made an A minus or better in each subject. All must have at least an A minus in citizenship in order to appear on an honor roll.

LAST SIX WEEKS

Double A
Seventh: Patricia Blaylock, Carolyn Entekin, Allie Jack Ralston, Harry Sargent.

Tenth: Josette Hensley, Harvey Klinkerman, Norman Marquart and Randall Pierce.

Eleventh: Roberta Butts, Sandra Fenner, Sara Johnson, Doyleene Morgan, Sharon Reed, Joy Scott.

Twelfth: Don Owens, Caroline Sewell, Barbara Tatom.

Single A
Seventh: Floyd Browning, Martha Good, Janice Miller, Judith New, Jerry Reed, Peggy Underwood, Brenda Watson.

Eighth: Sue Bedford, Dorothy Lee, Nancy Ann Smith, Nancy Gay Smith.

Tenth: Violet Brott, Patsy Harrell, Sue McDonald.

Eleventh: Wanda Hall Phillips, David Sewell.

Twelfth: June James, Henriann Zaliski.

SECOND SEMESTER

Double A
Seventh: Jimmy Banks, Patricia Blaylock, Carolyn Entekin, Allie Jack Ralston.

Eighth: Jo Ann Brubaker.

Tenth: Violet Brott, Josette Hensley, Lynn Hensley, Harvey Klinkerman, Randall Pierce.

Eleventh: Roberta Butts, Sara Johnson, Doyleene Morgan, Sharon Reed, Joy Scott.

Twelfth: Don Owens, Caroline Sewell, June James, Barbara Tatom, Henriann Zaliski.

Single A
Seventh: Floyd Browning, Gary May, Jerry Reed, Harry Sargent.

Eighth: Sue Bedford.

Tenth: Patsy Harrell, Norman Marquart.

Eleventh: Wanda Hall Phillips, David Sewell.

Apparently no ninth grade student made any of the honor rolls.

Collision Victim Is Buried at Vernon

Troy D. Boyd, 41, of Vernon, was crushed to death Friday afternoon in a head-on collision between a 1948 model Chevrolet club coupe and a tandem truck on the Electric highway near Burnett's Triangle ranch.

Critically injured in the accident were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stonesifer, also of Vernon. Mrs. Stonesifer was pinned beneath the steering wheel for some time before she was freed by highway patrolmen and others.

Her husband was thrown from the front seat and was pulled from between the space separating the two sets of right rear wheels of the truck float.

The Vernon folk were returning home from Wichita Falls. Mrs. Stonesifer had been staying there with her father who is in ill health. She is believed to have been driving at the time of the accident.

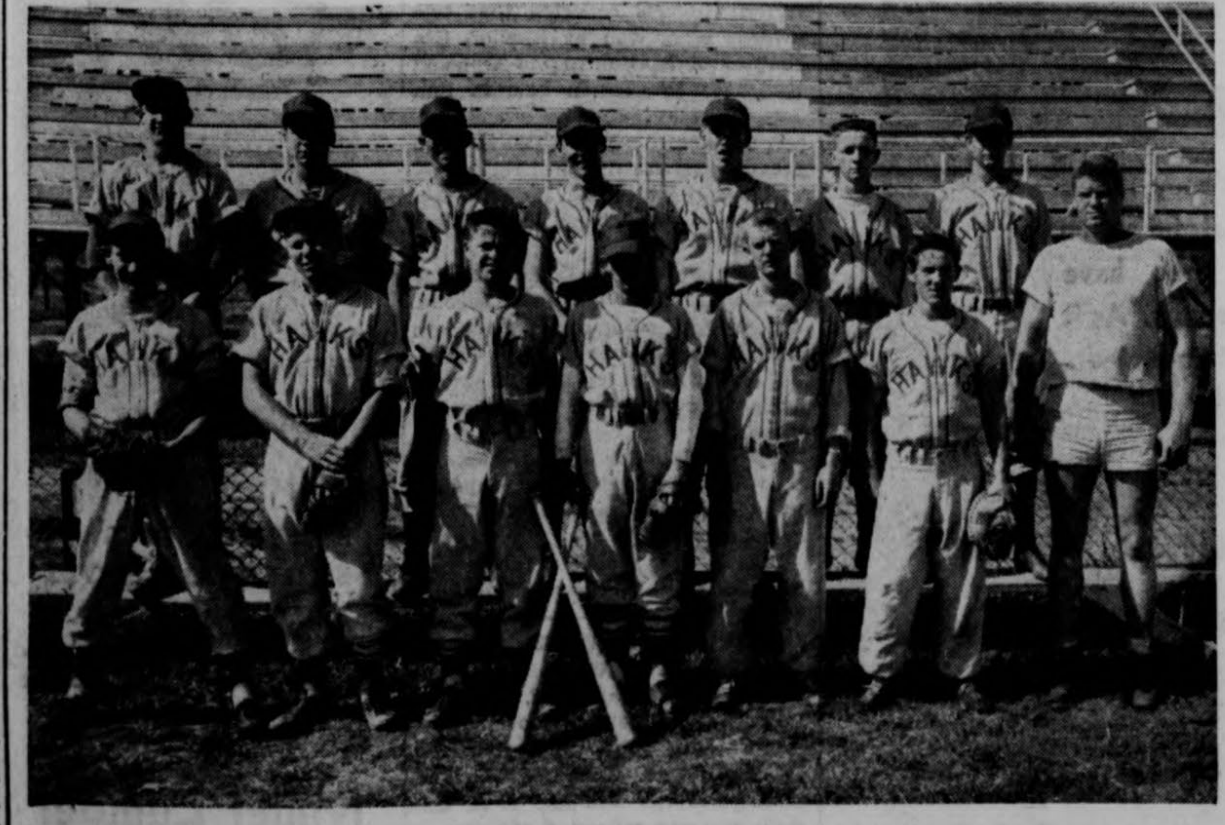
R. L. Goad, 50, of Dallas, driver of the Wales truck, said the coupe suddenly pulled in front of him on a straight clear stretch of road as both vehicles were traveling toward each other and only about 20 feet apart.

Goad said there was no rain and the highway was dry. He said the coupe was not attempting to pass another vehicle.

Boyd had been a resident of Vernon since 1927 and had been employed with Stonesifer trucking company there the past six months. He was born May 18, 1914 in Edom and married Miss Hazel Martin of Vernon July 11, 1936.

Funeral services were held last Sunday in Vernon.

Mrs. T. D. Eaton fell this week at her home and injured an arm.



We finally got a picture of the District Champion Hawks and their coach Gene Snipes.

In the back row, left to right, are Douglas James, Harvey Klinkerman, Larry Hall, Lloyd Klinkerman, David Sewell, Lynn Hensley, Norman Marquart.

The front row has Billy Middleton, Randall Pierce, Tex Boyd, Tommy Patterson, Jimmy Harris, Gerald Combs and Snipes.

Buddy Horine missed getting in the picture.

At latest reports, Jacksboro is still in competition for higher honors, after stopping the Hawks in a sudden death bi-district game.

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LEGAL NOTICE

We, the subscribers, have this day entered into a limited partnership agreeably to the provision of the Texas Revised Statutes relating to limited partnerships; and do hereby certify that the terms of our said partnership are as follows:

"The name of firm under which the partnership is to be conducted is Allied Electrical Contractors.

The general nature of the business to be transacted is the installing and repairing electrical equipment required in the construction of radio and television towers.

The names of all the general and special partners interested therein, distinguishing which are general and which are special partners, and their places of residence, follow:

B. J. Marak, general partner; place of residence, Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas;

Lloyd C. Thomas, special partner; place of residence, Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas.

The amount of capital contributed by the special partner is \$250.00 in cash and the amount of capital contributed by the general partner is \$750.00 cash.

The period at which the partnership is to commence is the 1st day of May, 1955, and the period at which it is to terminate is the 30th day of April, 1965, unless sooner terminated by another agreement.

This 2nd day of May, 1955.

B. J. MARAK
 General Partner
 LLOYD C. THOMAS
 Special Partner

The State of Texas,
 County of Wichita,

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, on this day personally appeared B. J. Marak and Lloyd C. Thomas, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purpose and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 2nd day of May, A.D. 1955.

(SEAL)
 MARGIE G. CHANCE
 Notary Public
 Wichita County, Texas

I hereby designate the Iowa Park Herald, as the official paper in which the foregoing instrument is to be published for four successive weeks following this date, May 12th, 1955.

(SEAL)
 DORA DAVIS
 County Clerk
 Wichita County, Texas

General Insurance Bonds

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Miss Butcher To Head Wesleyan Guild

Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. T. C. Scott. During the business session different secretaries gave reports for the past year.

In an impressive candle lighting ceremony Mrs. Roy Anderson installed Miss Mary Butcher as president for 1955-56, along with other officers.

Mrs. Otis Gay led the devotional, using as theme "Be Ye Doers of the Word," after which Mrs. S. E. Watson conducted the pledge service.

Refreshments were served to Mes. G. E. Trammell, R. E. Waters, J. H. Hafton, Otis Gay, Riley Bomar, S. E. Watson, LaDell Jordan, T. J. Pace, Roy Anderson, C. J. Thurber, M. O. Cheves, M. J. McDonald; Misses Ethyle Kidwell, Mary Butcher and Joy Scott; and the hostesses Mrs. Emma Gauntt and Mrs. Scott.

State Honors Won By Epsilon Eta

At a meeting held recently, Mrs. Rollin Roberts reported that two awards were won by Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha at the state convention held in San Antonio, May 6-8.

A poster depicting Ways and Means activities won first place. The poster was made by June McCarthy, Louise Clapp and Bobbie Mitchell.

The chapter scrapbook compiled by Bonnie Medlinger won second. A scrapbook from this district won first in its division.

These will be entered in international competition at Wichita, Kans.

State President Jean Beasley of Austin appointed Miss Raydean Brown of Iowa Park as District VI co-ordinator.

Socials for members and their families will begin here in June.

MEMORIAL SERVICES OBSERVED BY O.E.S.

Iowa Park Chapter 42, Order of Eastern Star held memorial services recently for three deceased members: Mrs. Maggie Cobb, Mrs. Deamy George and Mr. T. A. Ulrich; and several grand officers.

The candlelight and flower service was directed by Mrs. Bernice Compton, worthy matron, and other chapter officers.

Farewell Luncheon Given Mrs. Vaughan

Mrs. O. M. Jones, assisted by Mrs. Lila Traylor, was hostess for the Ruth circle of the Baptist WMS last Friday at a luncheon honoring Mrs. Lee Vaughan, who left Sunday with Mr. Vaughan to make their home in Winnsboro.

After a delicious meal, a social hour was enjoyed and Mrs. H. M. Riek presented the honoree a gift of pottery on behalf of the circle. Mrs. Vaughan has been a faithful circle member and Bible teacher for the past year.

Members of the Ruth circle are Mes. Will Burnett, Clifford Roberts, H. M. Riek, Pat O'Brien, Curtis Hill, R. R. Brubaker, Charles L. Metz, Traylor and Jones.

WSCS

Mrs. Harry Hadley, secretary of children's work, presented the program at the regular meeting of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, May 24.

Janice Wilson gave the devotional, accompanied at the piano by Jane Waters.

Mrs. China B. Smith presented a group of third grade primary children in a playlet entitled "David and Jonathan." The children, dressed in appropriate costumes, were Donna Ann Stockton, Mary Helen Wallis, Ronnie Waters, Bobby Jones and Bailey Smith. Barbara Jean Hadley was narrator for the playlet.

Mrs. Hadley gave a brief outline of the children's work and read several passages of scripture and poems emphasizing the importance of such work, closing with "It Isn't the Church, It's You" and "Believe in Yourself."

During the business conducted by Mrs. W. M. Owens, quarterly reports were given by all officers present.

Everyone was urged to attend the school of instruction to be held at Grant Street church in Wichita Falls on May 31, from 9:30 until 11:30 a.m.

WSCS will meet only once each month during June, July and August. Next meeting will be in circles on June 14.

Others present were Mes. R. E. Waters, Travis H. Smith, Roy Anderson, T. R. Horine, Fred Widmoyer, W. C. Albright, Gene Owens, Richey Abernathy, S. L. Denny, W. E. Stockton, C. J. Simpson, Gene Lowrey, Jay Laible, C. J. Thurber, Betty Campbell, Scott Morris, John Houser, Gordon G. Clark, G. E. Trammell, Ray Low, H. B. Jones, Miles Thompson.

'Slow Down and Live'

From Memorial day to Labor day has been made "Slow Down and Live" period by the entire nation. Objective is to reduce death, injury and property damage on the streets and highways during the peak period of summer travel.

The "Slow Down and Live" program was introduced in 1953. In 1954, operating in 24 states from Maine to Texas, it provided the first across the board reduction in traffic casualties reported by any group of states since World War II. A total of 601 lives were saved in the 24-state area.

Between Memorial day and Labor day of 1954, 9,511 persons were killed on the highways of the nation. With the prediction that 60 million Americans will travel on vacations this year, we have a tremendous challenge to reduce the death toll in summer driving.

"Slow Down and Live" concentrates on the driver who is perpetually "in a hurry" and throws caution and courtesy to the winds. This drive is not a gigantic speed trap. Excessive speed, speed too fast for conditions, improper passing, following too closely and falling to yield right of way are the habits which produce most traffic fatalities. We have an obligation to protect those using the highways from

the "hurry bugs" who try to get there first and fastest. Last year Texas had 663 deaths from 19:01 a.m. Friday, May 28, to midnight on Monday, September 6. "Slow Down and Live" is designed to improve that record this year.

The Tallaferra home was scene of a reception following the ceremony. Members of the house party were Misses Darleen Hill, Jo Lynn Jones and Geraldine Hill.

W. G. Steele Lbr. & Bldg. Co.

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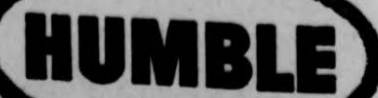
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W. A. Medlen of Childress, formerly of Iowa Park, visited in the Herald office Monday.

Dr. L. A. Crawford plans to attend the 40th annual convention of the state chiropractic association, to be held June 9-11 in San Antonio.

Mrs. T. C. Burnam, who has been staying in Amarillo with her daughter Mrs. Arthur Groen, is expected home Friday of this week.

Ditchbank Meditations

by Bill Ripple

BETTER SLOW DOWN

Life has become a speedway with too many breakdowns and too many crashes. What is there to gain if life is lost in the running? I'd better slow down. You'd better slow down.

Better that we should enjoy the daisies along the way than to have them growing at our headstones too soon.

Better be called sluggish by the speed-mad crowd than to be so soon returned to dust.

Nature's children have not upped their paces, why should we get in such a hurry?

Teach me, little butterfly, how you flit in happy, carefree flight, searching out the beauties and the sweets of every flower you pass. Tell me how you find time to set for awhile on the petals of some flower more lovely than the rest.

I can't seem to find time for a pause to drink in the beauty of the flower for having to hurry on to some convention ahead.

You fly when you care to and set when you wish, while I race on unabated.

You leap with unbounded joy and energy after each glorious pause. And how you do seem to enjoy your rest stops, while I fall by the way exhausted, only to rise again before I am half rested.

You prolong your pauses according to the fascination of the moment, while I cut mine short because of the necessity to get ahead to something or other.

You seem to drink deeply of the nectar of life while I race on, thinking maybe some day I'll find time to pause and drink of the beauties and grandeur which you enjoy.

Teach me, little butterfly, how you do it. Hurry or it will be too late.

USE THE WING YOU HAVE LEFT

The reason some of us don't come in on a wing and a prayer is because we don't try to use the wing we have left.

While conversing with a store manager, I saw a man with no feet come stubbing by. His durable work clothes were streaked with sweat and the wrinkles in his shirt were crusted with salt. Everything about him marked him as a laboring man. His expression and demeanor were those of a man interested in his business and not afraid to work.

"I just bought a load of hay from that man, off that truck there," remarked the store manager.

The absence of both feet did not deter him from doing a big and difficult job. He is succeeding in ordinary business because he will not accept defeat. He is making full use of the "wing" he has left.

Perhaps the first essential of our petitionary prayer is the determination to make the best possible use of what we have.

Mrs. Dale Hansard and Clint returned last weekend to their home at Pratt, Kans., after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. O. James. Juanelle came home for June's and Deryl's graduations.

Loyd Coleman Weds Wichita Falls Girl In Church Ceremony

Miss Bernice Helen Tallafiero and Arnold Loyd Coleman were married Sunday, May 15, in the Wichita Falls South Side Baptist church. Rev. H. L. Hood of Pleasant Valley church read the vows. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tallafiero of Wichita Falls are parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Coleman of Iowa Park are parents of the groom.

The bride, wearing a navy street-length dress with low neckline and full skirt, was given in marriage by her father. Her gloves and other accessories were white, her nose-gay fashioned of blue and white carnations.

Miss Geraldine Hill was maid of honor, and Jerry Paul Evans of Iowa Park was best man.

Music for the occasion was furnished by Miss Joan Phillips, soloist, and Mrs. June Hunt, organist. Mrs. Coleman, a graduate of Wichita Falls high school, is employed in a retail store there.

Mr. Coleman, 1953 graduate of Iowa Park, enlisted in the navy in September, 1953, and is a fireman apprentice stationed in San Diego, Calif.

The newlyweds will establish a home at San Diego.

Farmers Union speaks

Fight to repeal the sliding scale farm law moved into the Senate last week with renewed spirit following a hairline 206 to 201 victory in the House.

Sen. Humphrey (D-Minn) stepped into the lead of the repeal drive. In letters to Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex) and Ellender (D-La), Humphrey demanded that Democrats keep "the promises we have made" by reversing the Eisenhower administration's sliding scale law.

Humphrey slapped at Ike's false promises to farmers made during the 1952 campaign. He urged Democratic leaders to "prove our own greater integrity and greater degree of responsibility in keeping the promises we have made."

WHEAT QUOTA VOTE

The House vote to repeal sliding scales greatly increased chances for

the two-thirds "yes" vote in the wheat marketing quota referendum this summer, which will be needed to have effective price supports next year.

Application of the sliding scale may cause farmers to ditch marketing quotas and gamble on all-out production at unsupported prices. Kansas Farmers Union has warned Sen. Carlson and Sen. Schoepel (both Republicans). The resulting crash of wheat prices will "drag all farm prices with it as wheat is channeled into feed use. The whole farm economy will rock to its foundations, forcing thousands from the land."

LABOR BACKING FARMERS
City Congressman provided the margin of victory in the House vote to repeal the sliding scale. The critical vote switches were

the result of all-out support by organized labor for the repeal.

Favoring repeal were 116 Democrats from rural districts, 79 Democrats from city districts and 22 Republicans from rural districts.

Opposing repeal were 89 Democrats from city, 86 Republicans of city, 21 Democrats from city, and 15 Democrats from rural districts.

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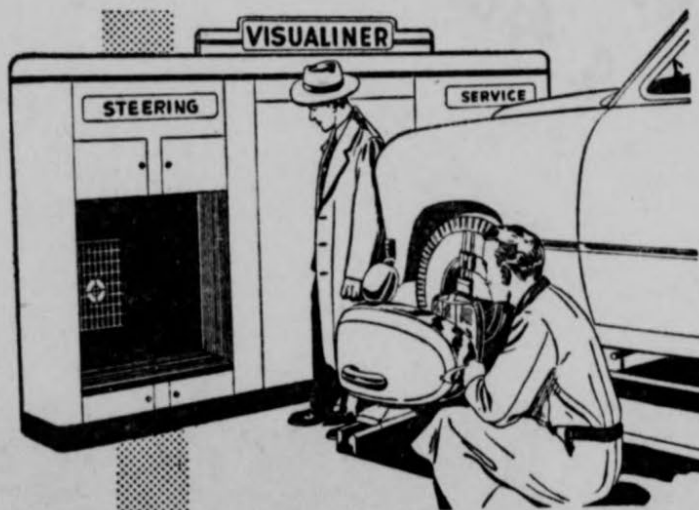
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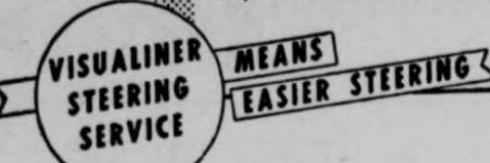
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"Get your Farm Bureau members to oppose this tax," he said. "Also explain to them what is about to happen to the people in the cities, who are not organized, and encourage and insist that they too write letters and send telegrams in opposition to this most unfair and inequitable tax."

Hammond said there is a concerted effort on the part of the administration, highway commission, trucking industry, city and county governments and the oil and gas industry to increase the gasoline tax.

The proposed federal tax of four cents and state tax of six cents would put a total of 10 cents a gallon on gasoline.

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The local Christian church will be host to members of all the area Christian churches Sunday evening at 7:30. Plans are to have a social hour on the church lawn before the worship service.

Representatives from First and Highland Heights in Wichita Falls, and from Henrietta, Archer City, Burkburnett, Electra and Vernon are expected.

Local members are being contacted this week concerning plans for refreshments.

Women of the church are busy completing plans for feeding the crowd which is expected to attend the Underwood quarterhorse sale in Wichita Falls next month.

Two large lights have been installed on the church playgrounds so that night games can be enjoyed.

Men of the Century class are enjoying their sessions in the directors' room of the State National bank. Dr. LeRoy Carter teaches the class.

Wichitan Named USO Drive Chief

C. E. McCutchen of Wichita Falls has been named chairman of Region 3 in Texas' forthcoming campaign for the USO.

McCutchen said this week, "It is most important that each of us do everything possible to maintain the ties of home with these boys and girls in service so that their morale may be kept high while they are away, that their hopes of a decent future may be assured, and that they may return to us as good and useful citizens."

"The USO is still providing a 'home away from home' for our young people in uniform, and will continue to do so as long as our freedoms are threatened."

S. B. Keeter returned Monday night from a buying trip at Dallas for the Famous Department store.

Mrs. Bess Smith of Houston visited here last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Dale and other relatives and friends.

Willie Ferguson of Silver City, N.M., and his sisters Mrs. Lillie Hooks and Mrs. Pearl Boyd of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. Mae Tanner this week. They all are former residents of Iowa Park.

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