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Full day's activities Sunday to be Bicentennial climax



Dedication of Iowa Park's Bicentennial Swimming Pool, a community-wide outdoor patriotic service and an afternoon of old time fun and games will highlight Iowa Park's observance of America's 200th birthday Sunday.

The day's festivities will begin Sunday afternoon with a city-wide bell ringing and climax that night with the patriotic service and performance by a community choir. The bell ringing service will be from 1 to 1:10 p.m. Sunday, according to Bill Bates, chairman of the Iowa Park Bicentennial Commission.

All Iowa Park churches are urged to ring their bells during the 10 minute period, which is synchronized to take place at churches throughout the nation.

It will be at that hour 200 years ago when the Declaration of Independence was signed.

Focus of other activities will take place on and around the campus of Iowa Park High School.

Dedication of Iowa Park's Bicentennial Swimming Pool is slated for 2 p.m. Sunday, Bates said.

Work toward completion of the pool continued this week at a rapid

pace, and the contractor indicated the swimming facility would be finished and ready for use by Sunday.

The Rev. Kenneth Flowers, pastor of First Baptist Church here, will give the dedicatory prayer at the pool ceremony.

Charlie Lee, president of Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce, will give the dedicatory address as the new community pool is unveiled to the public.

Giving the ceremonies a unique twist, a swimmer is slated to dive off the pool's diving board to snip the symbolic ribbon.

At 2:30 p.m. Sunday a wide variety

of old time fun and games will commence at various locations on the high school campus. Jimmy Alsop is chairman of the fun and games segment of the day's activities.

Participants will be eligible for 13 different trophies, Bates said.

Among the scheduled activities will be a mother-daughter sack race, and a father-son sack race.

Competition tug-of-war will be held in four categories.

Other competition games include horseshoes, washers, golf pitch and water balloon pitch.

Fun and games is slated to last

until about 5:30 p.m., followed by a watermelon feast until 6:30 p.m.

Also at 5:30 p.m., a community wide choir will be organized and rehearse in the high school football stadium. Derrrell Dick will direct the choir.

Bates encouraged anyone interested to participate in the community choir, which will perform during the patriotic services that night.

The community-wide patriotic service in the football stadium is slated from 8:30 p.m. Sunday, Bates said.

Preceding the service, winners in the fun and games activities will be

awarded their trophies.

Merle Anthony, patriotic speaker and teacher in the Wichita Falls Public School System, will be guest speaker.

Invocation will be offered by the Rev. Jim Conatser, pastor of First United Methodist Church here. The Rev. Keith Pierce, pastor of First Christian Church here, will give the benediction.

All phases of Sunday's July 4 celebration are open to the public, and Bates urged the entire community to participate in as many ways as possible.

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City sets new service fees, approves 1976-77 budget

Highlighting Monday night's regular meeting of the Iowa Park city council were the setting of the 1976-77 budget, and passage of ordinances setting new rates for sewer, water and trash collection service, annexing property to the city and controlling of animals.

The budget for the new fiscal year, which begins today, is \$1,002,790. Aldermen have yet to establish the tax rate, and cannot set it until the board of equalization completes its hearings with the public.

City Administrator Gene Britton said that even though \$1,161,000 in values had been deducted, \$155,000 by the equalization board and \$1,006,000 for veteran and elderly exemptions, he was still hopeful that the tax rate could be set at under the \$1.80 which had originally been figured.

The exemptions have reduced the anticipated revenue by \$438,600, which includes \$38,549 in personal property and \$339,451 in property.

Setting of the tax rate will likely be done at the July 13 meeting, after 22 citizens are heard tonight and 14 tomorrow night by the tax board. Ithama Jolly, tax assessor/collector said 65 citizens had met with the board prior to today.

UTILITY RATES

Most time-consuming subject of the meeting was the approving of Ordinance 216, establishing new rates for water, sewer and trash collection, both inside and outside the city.

All rates were increased, with those living outside the city assuming the bulk of the increases.

Residents living outside the city limits will be charged 3.2 times the rate charged residents of the city, according to the new ordinance. In other words, a citizen's bill for \$10 would compute to \$32 for one outside.

Minimum rate for water for residents of Iowa Park is \$3.75. Additional water above 1,000 gallons will be: 1,000 to 5,000, \$1.25 per thousand; 5,000 to 10,000, \$1 per 10,000 to 20,000, \$2.50 per 20,000 to 30,000, 45 cents per 30,000, 45 cents per.

For water service to patrons living outside the city, the rates will be: first 1,000 gallons, \$12 minimum; 1,000 to 5,000, \$2.50 per thousand; 5,000 to 10,000, \$2 per 10,000 to 20,000, \$1.80 per; 20,000 to 30,000, \$1 per; and over 30,000, 70 cents per.

Sewer service for residents will be \$4. Commercial users will be \$3.25 for first 3,000 gallons of water purchased, 30 cents per thousand from 3,000 to 10,000; and 15 cents per thousand above 10,000 gallons. Churches will pay \$3 for first 10,000 gallons of water purchased, and \$4.50 over; while schools will pay \$18 per month.

Numerous other increases were reflected in the ordinance, covering water taps, reconnections for default in payment and for depositors.

In setting the trash collection fees, the rate for homes was increased from \$2.25 per month to \$3, and non-residents will pay 3.2 times the city rates for residents and commercial users.

Probably the greatest effect from the new ordinance is the changing of wording from premises to unit,

affecting apartments.

It was pointed out that one apartment complex here was paying a monthly fee of \$45, and that was changed to a minimum of \$3 per unit, which computed to a considerable increase.

ANNEXATIONS

Approved for annexations, following presentation of petitions and developments of Shiloh I and II, with the housing areas along Johnson Road included; the Little League baseball fields and the Top 'O Texas Football League property, both of which are located on West Magnolia. Public hearings on the annexations will be held at 7:30 p.m. on July 12, at the Texas Electric Service Co. building.

REQUEST RECEIVED

C.A. Hicks again requested the city council, prior to its setting of the budget, to reconsider and lower the budget and taxes.

Hicks presented ballots, which had been printed in the Leader last week, showing that 165 were against the budget and one approved. He asked the council "Will you all honor the will of the people?"

Mayor Johnny Crawford said he did not believe 165 ballots represented the will of all the people.

"You," continued Crawford in speaking to Hicks "told me yourself you hadn't looked at this budget, and yet you're quick to criticize it. You don't realize what condition this city would be in if we hadn't taken some action, or what it would be, especially in 90 days."

"One of the hardest things about this is the effect on the senior citizens. I'm not happy with it at all, in fact it affects me too, considerably," said Crawford.

Alderman Joe Singer pointed out the amount of time the council had spent in working on the budget, stating he had not gotten home until 4:30 a.m. after one session. He also stated that Electra's budget was larger than Iowa Park's.

Renewed interest in consolidating the tax assessing and collecting efforts of the city with the school district was indicated, when Crawford sought and received permission from the aldermen to confer with board members on the subject.

Some two years ago the subject was last reviewed, and the city turned down a proposal to handle all the city's taxing work for \$10,000 annually.

"It's a shame to duplicate the expense to the tax payers to cover the same efforts and area," stated Crawford.

During the discussion it was also stated that Monty Rinear, who has been doing the tax assessing work for the city, would not be working next year, as his salary was not in the new budget.

Rinear was hired at \$5 an hour on a part time basis, but retained to continue to work.

Board accepts bids, new athletic budget

The Iowa Park school board Tuesday evening accepted bids to demolish the old W.F. George building and approved the 1976-77 school year athletic budget. It was a called meeting.

The Wichita Falls firm of Jack Hunter Construction Co. was low bidder to do the demolition work on the old structure.

Hunter's bid of \$15,000 was accepted over that of Baron Enterprises of Milan-

o, which was \$17,722. The successful bidder said he would begin in slightly more than a week. He is currently razing the old J.C. Penny building in Wichita Falls.

Fulton Irby was the only bidder to construct a

retainer wall around the east end of Hawk Stadium. His bid of \$14,870, some \$5,000 lower than anticipated, was accepted.

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Car-train wreck injuries minor

A car-train accident at the Burlington Line crossing on Jackson at 6:20 p.m. Monday resulted in only minor injuries to two of the three occupants of a car which received heavy damage.

Driver Donald Eugene Casper, 112 Hope Lane, told officers he could not hear the train's horn as he approached the crossing from the south, because the car's radio and air conditioner.

Casper, 24, was not injured, but Donna Casper, 15, and David Casper, eight, all of the same address, were taken to Park Clinic for treatment and released.

Cases reported to city police

One case each of theft and criminal mischief were reported during the past week to the Iowa Park Police Department.

Carl Davis told police Saturday he had discovered that someone had stolen between \$125 and \$135 in coins from the coin boxes at his car wash.

The boxes, he told officers, had been unlocked, the money removed, and then relocked. He had last checked the boxes June 21, according to the report.

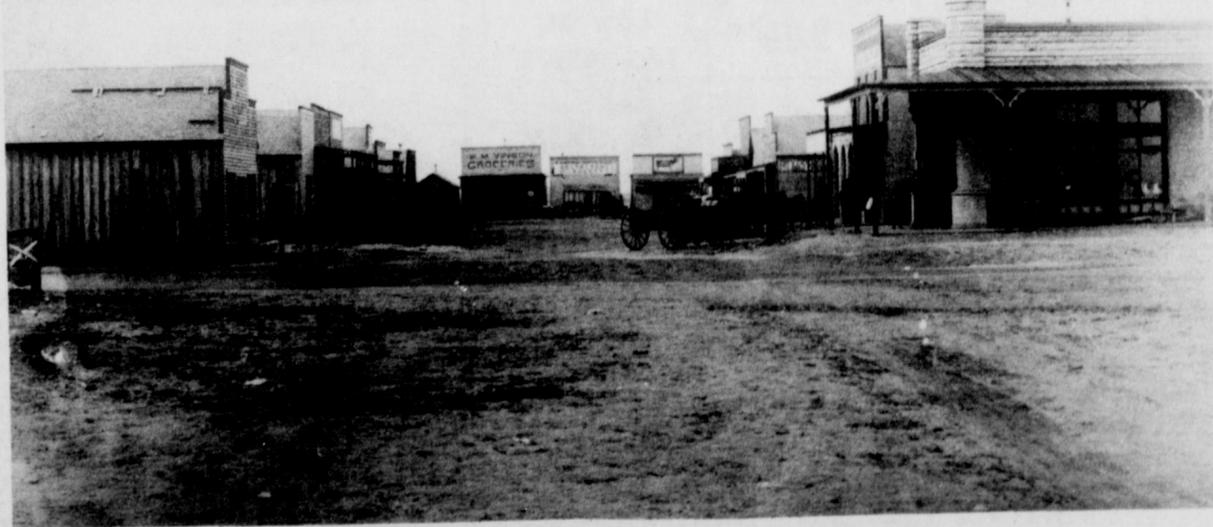
A window of a pickup belonging to Jeff McKnight was broken while the vehicle was parked in the driveway of his home at 700 E. Washington, police were told.

Fireworks pose problem in city

Citizens are again reminded by the Iowa Park Police Department that it is unlawful to set off fireworks of any description inside the city limits. Chief Charles Beaver cited

Ordinance 39, which prohibits firearms in the city and carries a penalty for violation.

Beaver also noted that one fire was set Tuesday by fireworks,



CASH STREET AROUND 1900 - On corner, right, hardware store built by Hyde and later purchased by J.A. Tanner. The building still stands and is owned by Koonce-McCullough. Tom Corridon, first white baby born in Iowa Park, identified most of the businesses which included on left side of street: Delia Short Dry Goods, Sam Williams Barber Shop, Cowboy Saloon, Lacik Saddle and Harness, Troutman Beer Parlor, McCrae Blacksmith Shop; Center:

Wendel Print Shop where the Register was published, Vinson Grocery, a restaurant, Powell Meat Market; Other businesses on right side of street were Driddy Confectionery, post office [A.J. Bell postmaster] Akers Grocery Store, Stone's Drug Store and Hines and Bullock Dry Goods. [Photo courtesy Robert Wilcox.]

Bohannon-Weaver wedding is held in Church of God

At the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey C. Bohannon relatives and friends shared in the ceremony uniting their daughter, Carol Denise, and Clifton Jay Weaver Friday evening at the Church of God. The groom is the son of Mrs. Clifton J. Weaver of Wichita Falls and the late Mr. Weaver.

The sacred service officiated by the Rev. W.F. Williams, pastor, emphasized that the most joyous of occasions is truly the union of man and woman in the celebration of life, the theme that keyed the couple's wedding invitation.

Wedding selections were provided by Steve Bohannon, cousin of the bride, organist and Robert Fletcher, her uncle, the vocalist who sang "Always", the song sung at the wedding of the bride's parents. The organist's offerings included the prelude music and traditional wedding marches.

Focal decorations in the altar setting were a central arch completely covered with gypsophelia, four seven-branched white wrought-iron candelabra, two tall white bird baths filled with pink and red roses, white carnations and mums, and the gold unity candelabrum ornamented with gypsophelia, gold wedding bells, white satin

and lace bows and streamers. The couple stood before the arch flanked by tall white candles burning in candelabra accented with commodore foliage to repeat their vows.

Background decorations were additional candelabra and the flower-filled bird baths on the rostrum. Interest in the setting was focused on the unity candelabrum where the bride and groom lighted the center taper to seal their vows.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, paused by her mother who stood waiting for them and presented her with a red rose. When the minister

asked, "Who gives this woman in marriage?" her father replied "Her mother and I".

The bride was attired in a formal white miramist and Venice lace princess gown styled with a dainty yoke, long sleeves with wide cuffs closed with tiny pearl buttons, a narrow set-in belt that tied in a soft bow in the back. A wide hemline flounce and detachable circular train provided skirt interest. Her tiered illusion veil cascaded to waistlength from a headpiece of blown glass and silk florets touched with pearls. Her lovely bouquet was a cascade arrangement of white roses and white carnations.

Adding sentiment to her bridal costume, she carried her mother's white linen handkerchief for "something old and borrowed" and she completed the rhyme with "something new and blue."

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Tracy Norris and Miss Gayla Chandler of Wichita Falls was bridesmaid. They wore long flocked pink organza A-line gowns with sweetheart necklines, short puffed sleeves finished with narrow ruffles and narrow belts that tied in soft bows in the back. They wore white picture hats and carried single long-stemmed red roses combined with baby's breath and silk streamers.

When the groom followed the minister to the altar, accompanied by his attendants, he was formally attired in a white jacket with black velvet lapels, white ruffled shirt and black trousers. The masculine members of the wedding party wore black tuxedos with pink shirts.

Wayne Casteel was best man. Tommy Casteel, the groomsman, also served as usher with Don Bohannon, brother of the bride.

As the couple was leaving the church after lighting the unity candle, the bride gave the groom's mother a red rose as a token of love.

The bride's parents were hosts for the reception held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The round registry table set up for the convenience of guests who did not sign the bride's book in the church foyer was laid with a full length white satin cloth and held a crystal bud vase with a pink carnation, baby's breath and a pink satin bow. The registry lectern in the foyer was covered with pink crepe adorned with white bows and pink roses. Miss Tammy Wilson and Miss Barbara Walls presided at the book.

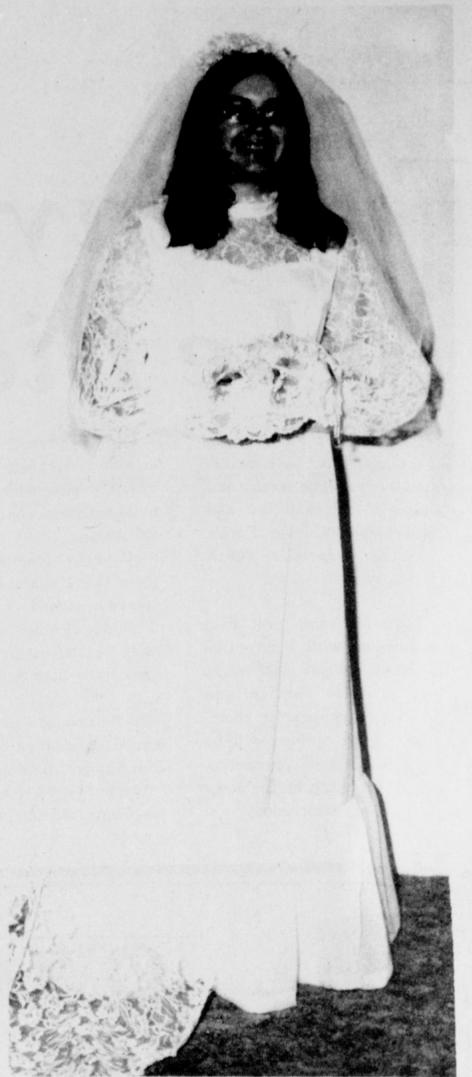
The refreshment table was characterized by a detailed look of loveliness. The cloth featured a white pure silk skirt falling to the floor beneath a white embossed satin overlay. The centerpiece was formed of two five-branched candelabra holding slender white tapers, and nosegays of pink and white carnations and mums.

The bride placed her bouquet in front of the four-tiered wedding cake, an all-white structure except for the pale pink frosting roses with their pale green leaves contrasting with the white shells and scrolls on the sides of each layer. The top tier held aloft by filigree columns was crested with a lacy heart dais holding white satin bells filled with pearl-centered flowers and linked together with simulated wedding bands. Punch was served from a crystal service.

Miss Donna Walls, Miss Cindy Smith and Mrs. W.F. Williams were reception assistants.

The gift table was centered with a glittered styrofoam Bible surrounded by symbols of the occasion and a large styrofoam heart outlined with crystal beads centered with glittered wedding bells was used to decorate the piano top.

The mother of the bride wore a pink double knit princess gown distinguished



MRS. CLIFTON JAY WEAVER

with long sleeves of pink miramist flocked with roses, and the groom's mother wore a long light blue knit dress with long sleeves. Both wore pink carnation corsages.

The bride was graduated from Iowa Park High School this spring. She was an honor roll student, office assistant and secretary-treasurer of OEA for two years. She is employed in the Newman and Hubbard Law Office. The groom, a graduate of Hirsch High School, works for Wilson Mfg. Co.

The rehearsal dinner was held at Furr's Cafeteria Thursday evening.

Following a short wedding trip, the couple will live at Woodbriar Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Bohannon and Mrs. P.L. Wright of Wichita Falls, grandparents of the bride, were special wedding guests. Out-of-town relatives

included Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Bethany and Mrs. Cora J. Moore from Duncan, Okla. Messrs. and Mmes. Steve Bohannon and Brandon from Childress, C.L. Hacker, Knox City and J.C. Voyles, Sharon and Karen, Round Rock.



Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gruber announce the birth of an eight pound, thirteen ounce son, Aubrey DeWayne, June 24th. Mrs. Gruber is the former Debbie Bohannon.

The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey C. Bohannon of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Toups of Newton. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Bohannon of Iowa Park, Mrs. P.L. Wright of Wichita Falls and Mrs. W.A. Gruber of Laureldale, Pa. Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Johnson of Iowa Park, Mrs. P.L. Wright of Bowie and Mrs. O.L. Voyles of Wilson, Okla.

A.G. Smith descendants hold reunion Sunday

Sixty-four attended the annual reunion of the A.G. Smith descendants held Sunday at the A.S.C.S. building.

Mary Lee Phipps was in charge of the business period when door prizes were given. Rev. W.F. Smith from Waco won the door prize for adults which was a nice Bible, and Ronny Sawyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sawyer, won a Bible in the children's division.

Attending from out-of-town were Messrs. and Mmes. Iven Phipps, Dallas, Robert McGee, Lubbock, Harold McGee, Paul, Penny and Patty, San Angelo, Joseph Smith, Poolville, Lenvill Phipps, James and Charles, Dallas, Steve Kirkpatrick and girls, Randlett, Okla., Mrs. Norman Roberts, Danny and Danita, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Roberts and Heath and Mrs. Cora Lee Harmon, all from Burkburnett.

Also Rev. and Mrs. W.F. Smith, Waco; Mrs. Kenny Roberts and Kevin, Devol, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and Douglas, Navasota. Those attending from Wichita Falls were Messrs. and Mmes. Dewaine Smith and Randy, C.E. Upshaw, Keith Smith and Mrs. Glenda Love and Jason.

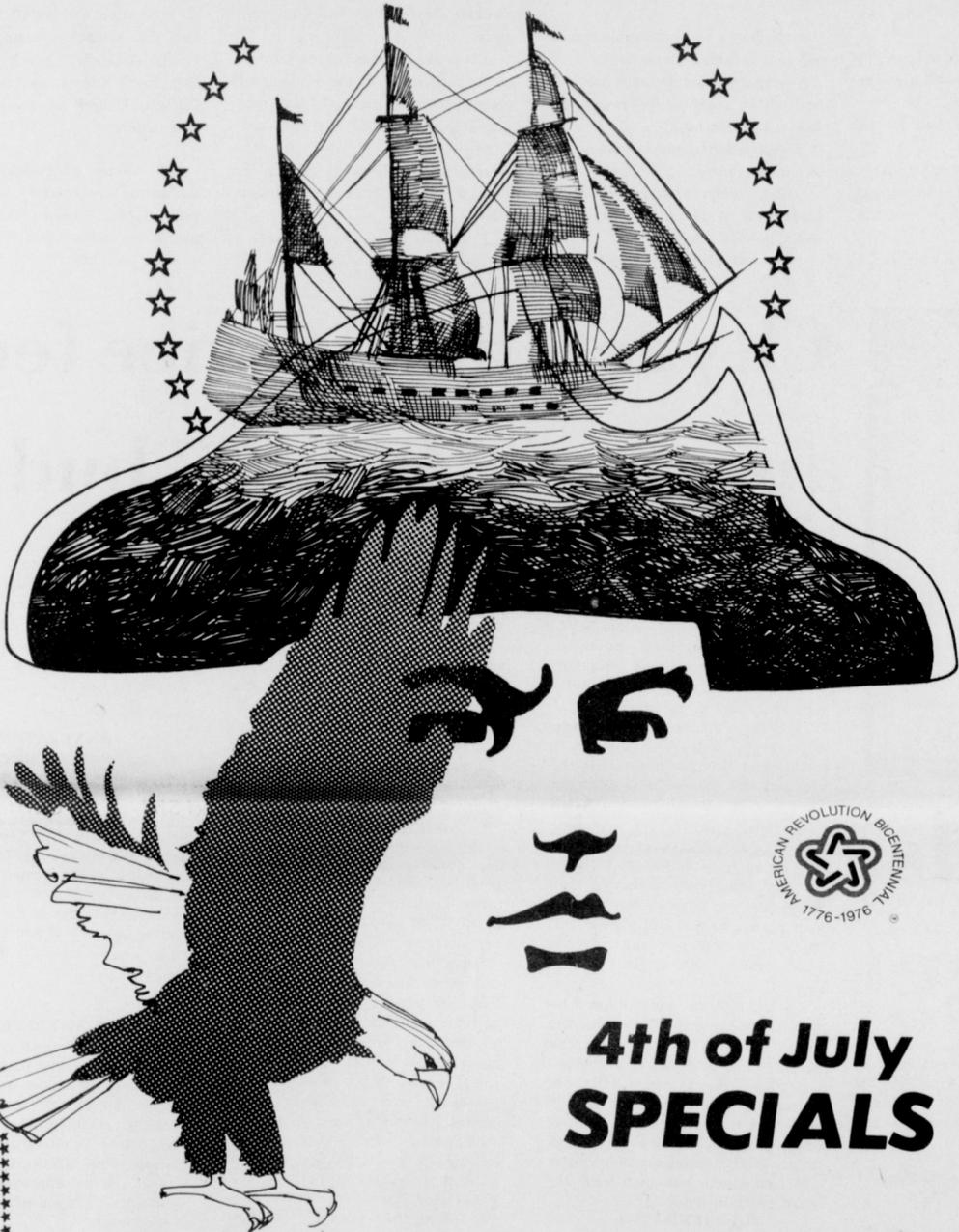
From Iowa Park were Mrs. Lydia J. Hudson, Mrs. Jessie Smith, Mrs. LaRue Smith, Messrs. and Mmes. Harroll Brown, Farley Friday, Roy Sawyer, Louis

Sawyer, Jeff and Ranny. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phipps, Wesley and Kimberly and Larry Phipps, all of Richardson.

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Senior Citizens

Nine attended the Senior Citizens weekly meeting Monday. Those present agreed to dispense with the meeting next week due to the Fourth of July holiday and to hold the regular monthly luncheon meeting July 12.

Members attending were Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Berg, Mmes. Gladys Thompson, Shirley Trimm, M.L. Hines, Hill Spruiell and O.M. Jones.

Honeymooning in Red River, N.M. are Lt. and Mrs. Bernard Richard Blair Jr., who were married Saturday evening at First Baptist Church. The wedding which took place at eight o'clock was solemnized before a host of relatives and friends with the Rev. Kenneth Flowers, pastor of the church, officiating.

The impressive altar decorations were richly illuminated with flowering huckleberry-entwined gold cathedral candelabra. The

white wrought-iron prayer bench draped with the chosen foliage was featured in the decorations to symbolize the important place prayer played in the lives of the bride and groom during their courtship and planning their marriage and their resolve to build their lives together upon it.

Gold oval candelabra flanked by green chamaedorea trees stood back of the prayer bench, and cathedral candles uprising from gold candelabra in the lower altar completed the candlelight setting.

The pre-nuptial musical presentations were offered by Miss Kellie Hamilton, flautist, Dave Bridgers, organist, Mrs. Dan Zeigler of Post and Mrs. Ken Day of Lubbock, vocalists and Lt. Mark Hedman of Othello, Wash., guitarist.

Accompanied by the organist, Miss Hamilton played "Colour My World". The guitarist furnished accompaniment for Mrs. Zeigler's solo "Treasures". She and Mrs. Day rendered "The Lord's Prayer" for a duet number. They were accompanied by the organist whose additional contributions to the wedding music were "Brian's Song" played for the processional and the recessional by Mendessohn.

The bride was lovely as she was escorted to the altar and presented in marriage by her uncle, Jack Weatherford of Farmington, N.M., the young lady attired in a formal gown of delustered candlelight satin and Chantilly lace. The bodice of the gown was of lace accented with seed pearls, complemented by a raised waist and high illusion neckline of the lace and pearls. Chantilly lace medallions were scattered over the skirt, its beauty further accentuated by a hemline highlighted with lace and pearls that was caught back to form a chapel train.

The bride's illusion veil embellished with lace medallions and a border of the chosen lace at the fingertips floated gracefully from a Chantilly lace-covered headpiece. Equally lovely was the bride's bouquet, an English cascade of white gardenias and trailing English ivy.

A matron of honor, maid of honor and three bridesmaids made an attractive picture in their very soft

apricot sheer polyester gowns designed with scoop necklines accented with collars of layered ruffles that spanned the shoulders. The full gathered skirts with smart hemline flounces extended from set-in mid-ribs distinguished with bows at the back. Complementing their frocks were nosegays fashioned of apricot silk roses, baby's breath with falling lace and white satin picot-edged streamers.

The charming quintet of attendants were Mrs. Mike Sells of Wichita Falls, matron of honor, Miss Cyndi Cuba of Megargel, maid of honor, Misses Sue Sisk of Alvord, Pam Bolden, sister of the bride, and Debbie Catlin.

The groom and his attendants in the military wore dress blue uniforms and the other masculine members of the wedding party wore black tuxedos.

Bernard Blair, father of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Sam Morrison, Lt. Mark Hedman, Othello, Wash., Bobby Blair and Randy Blair, brothers of the groom. Duties of ushering were assigned to Randy Newman, Lt. Dale Snyder, McLean, Va. and Lt. Mark Premont, Niceville, Fla.

The bride's mother's wedding ensemble featured a long mint green knit dress covered with a green lace coat and the groom's mother chose a mint green A-line miramist dress lined with satin with which she wore a green-flowered miramist sleeveless coat. They wore white gardenias.

The bride's mother was hostess for the attractively appointed post-nuptial reception held in the Fellowship Hall of First Christian Church. Decorations placed emphasis on bridal white with accents of apricot.

The bride's book round table was draped with a white linen cloth topped with a white flocced lace-bordered sheer cloth. A gold stand holding an antique book opened to the couple's wedding invitation, the handiwork of Mrs. George McClarty of Burkburnett, was a significant appointment. The table also held an apricot rose in a crystal bud vase. Miss Carrie Andersen presided at the table during the reception.

The refreshment table

was arranged before the fireplace and was covered with a luxurious white satin floor length cloth. Branches of baby's breath veiled the cloth around the edges of the table on top and the same

greenery was seen in swags across the fireplace hearth. The four-tiered wedding cake, a beautiful all-white creation, achieved a distinctive look with its flowering side borders, scrolls and

draped garlands, and cherub dividers between the third and fourth tiers. The top ornament, a gold cross bearing two intertwined rings was selected by the couple to express the Christian meaning and permanence of their marriage.

The centerpiece for the table was nine-branched silver candelabra holding a floral arrangement of gardenias, baby mums and gypsophelia. Crystal and silver appointments completed the setting. Flanking the table were tall white net topiary trees "blooming" with apricot silk roses.

Reception assistants were Misses Alyce Bondurant, Ann Comstock, Kellie Hamilton, Mrs. David Anderson and Mrs. Larry Oldham of Canyon. Members of the houseparty were Mmes. Kenneth Garrett, Dean Caldwell, Ed Tigrett, Charles Quick, A.K. Settle and L.W. Teel Jr.

The bride and groom were 1972 graduates of Iowa Park High School. She received a B.S. degree in Education from Midwestern State University this spring. At the university, she was active as a pledge trainer in the Chi Omega sorority and participated in Student Government as vice-presi-

dent. Richard graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point this spring and is commissioned as a 2nd Lt. in the U.S. Army. He received a B.S. degree and was active as superintendent of the West Point Sunday School program.

Following the honeymoon, the couple will live at Fort Benning, Ga. for a short time and then go to Fort Sill, Okla. where he will attend training school until March, 1977 when they will be assigned to Germany.

Out-of-town relatives and guests included Mary Schneck, Bloomington, Minn., Mrs. Phillip Verrell, Virginia, Minn., Mrs. Fred Bailey, Windsor, Mo., Chester Blair, Duluth, Minn., Richard Beaty, Porterville, Calif., Jack Weatherford, Farmington, N.M.; Messrs. and Mmes. Jack Harris, Minneapolis, Minn., Fred Hilbers, Haskell, Wayne McKinney, Knox City, Ken Day, Lubbock, Dan Zeigler, Post, A.C. Weatherford, Porterville, Calif. and Sgt. and Mrs. Paul Ruske, Del Rio.

In connection with the rehearsal for the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Blair, parents of the groom, hosted the dinner at Underwood's in Wichita Falls.



KATHY TAYLOR AND JAMES KINGERY

Couple sets August date

Miss Kathy Diane Taylor and James W. Kingery will be united in marriage August 21 at the Trinity

United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls, according to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor who are announcing the engagement. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kingery.

Miss Taylor is the granddaughter of Mike Medlinger and the late Mrs. Medlinger. She was graduated from Rider High School where she was a twirler with the band for three years and is presently working for Beacon National Insurance. Her fiancé was also graduated from Rider High School and is a pre-law student at Midwestern State University. He is employed at Spears Furniture Co.

Cemetery group delays meeting

Due to the Fourth of July festivities planned for Sunday the regular quarterly business meeting of Highland Cemetery Association has been postponed until July 11 at 2:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church, according to George Richter, president.

The president said that several important business items were on the agenda and urged officers and members to be present. There will not be a program.



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The double-ring wedding ceremony for Miss Susan Marie Sitgreaves and Rev. Val Fowler was performed Saturday afternoon in the First Baptist Church. The former Miss Sitgreaves is the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Robert J. Sitgreaves and the groom is the son of Mrs. James G. Fowler of Amarillo. Officiating at the ceremony was the Rev. Kenneth Flowers in a setting featuring a white-cushioned prayer bench intertwined with baby's breath and accented with yellow satin bows. At one side stood the white wrought iron trinity candelabrum where three candles burned during the ceremony. Completing the decorations were two tall wicker baskets filled with yellow gladioli, carnations and blue straw flowers.

Kerry Johnston, organist, gave a stirring pre-nuptial concert, his selections including "Aria" (Peeters), "Ava Maria" (Bach-arranged by Gounod) and "Meditation" (Bridge). He played "Voluntary on Old 100th" (Purcell) for the processional and for the recessional he played "Prelude in Classic Style" (Young).

Tad Fowler of Amarillo, brother of the groom, escorted the bride to the altar. Her becoming ensemble consisted of a lustrous fabric empire dress covered with a cloudy sheer moonbeam pale yellow long-sleeved dress. She wore a single yellow rose in her hair. Yellow roses were delightfully arranged with miniature white carnations and blue baby's breath in a bouquet for her to carry.

The maid of honor, Miss Karen Lytle of Quanah, wore a powder blue gown with empire waist and puffed sleeves and carried a single yellow rose.

The groom wore a yellow rose in the lapel of his vested wheat-colored suit. Serving as best man for his brother was Shawn Fowler of Amarillo. Another brother, Kit Fowler of Amarillo, escorted his mother. The ushers were Marty Sitgreaves and John Sitgreaves, brothers of the bride.

The bride's parents were hosts for the reception held in the church library. Guests were received by mothers of the newlyweds, who wore long gowns emphasizing the bride's chosen colors of blue and yellow. Mrs. Sitgreaves wore a yellow-flowered white sheer gown with capelet sleeves and Mrs. Fowler wore a blue flocked white sheer gown. Both completed their costumes

with yellow orchid corsages. The table where guests registered and the long refreshment table were covered with white crepe cloths centered with wide white lace.

The refreshment table held the lovely bride's cake and the groom's chocolate cakes made by Mrs. Arlene Wright of Amarillo. The three-tiered bride's cake was decorated with garlands of pale yellow and blue confection roses. The top tier was ornamented with three white satin bells with puffs of white net forming the outer decoration lending a soft and lovely appearance to the arrangement. Yellow roses were scattered along the table at vantage points.

During the reception, Mrs. Robert Kingston served at the bride's cake, Miss Sandy Esparaza served at the groom's cake and Mrs. Rose Puder and Mrs. Eugene Johnston presided at the crystal punch service.

Miss Ami Carol Sitgreaves, sister of the bride, was at the bride's book to direct signatures of the guests.

The bride chose an ivory hand-embroidered sweater dress for travel when she and her groom departed from the church for a four-day honeymoon along the Texas Coast. Following the Fourth of July celebration in Quanah, they will leave for a four-week driving tour of the eastern United States and Canada, including the following places in the United States: West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, New York, Boston and Washington, D.C.

The new Mrs. Fowler was a 1971 graduate of Iowa Park High School where she was an A Cappella Choir officer and two-year member of National Honor Society. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education from Midwestern State University and this fall will begin her second year as teacher in the Quanah school system. She taught math at Travis Middle School during 1975-76.

Rev. Fowler, a graduate of Tascosa High School at Amarillo, attended Amarillo Junior College. He was graduated cum laude in 1971 from Brown University with a B.A. degree in New Testament and he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He received a master of divinity degree from Princeton Theological Seminary and is beginning his second year as minister of First Presbyterian Church at Quanah.

Out-of-town guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Robert Kingston, Al Martin, James

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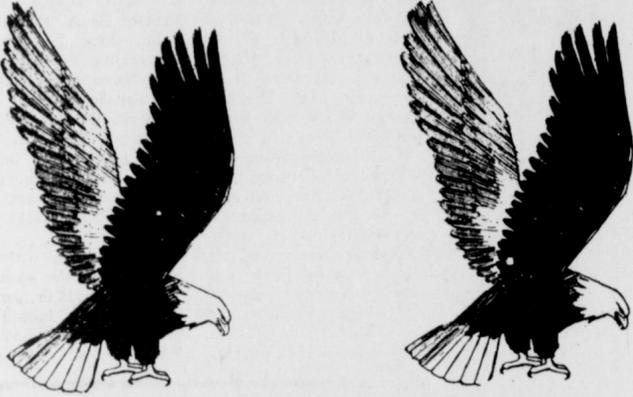
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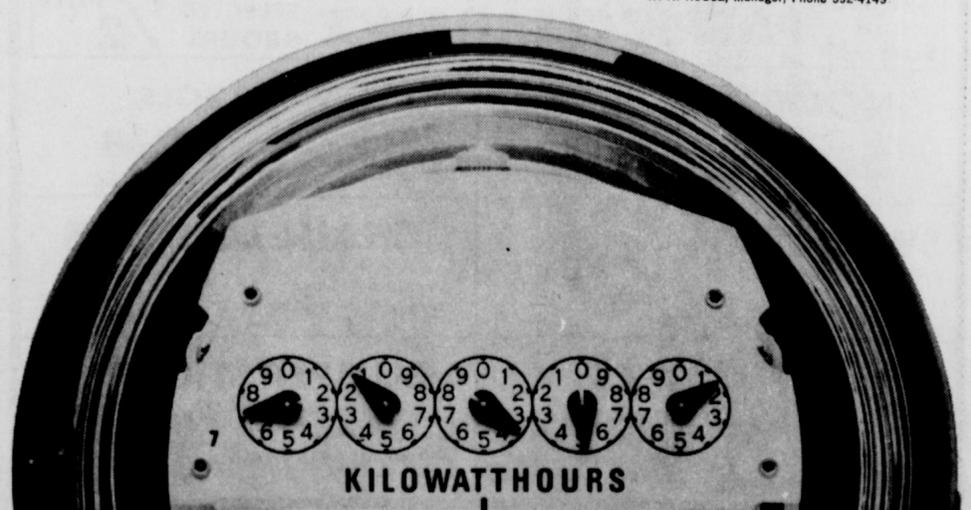
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As I See It...

by BOB HAMILTON



To a certain degree, participation in Sunday's activities at the high school campus is a demonstration of patriotism.

And it will be interesting to see if we can show our love of our country, without requiring a war.

My awakening years, as a teenager, were spent during World War II. During that time, with our friends and relatives overseas, facing death every day to protect our country and freedom, there was no need for a demonstration of

patriotism.

We lived it!

We grumbled some about the lack of all the sugar, coffee, shoes, rubber items and gasoline we wanted, but when the anthem was played, we stood, and proudly.

I remember the many times when the American flag would be flashed on the movie house screen, for one reason or another, and the audience would applaud as loudly as football fans when the hometown team scores.

We knew the respect to give the flag, and we gave that respect at every opportunity.

Our rights as citizens were not taken for granted, for we were well aware that all our rights were earned, not issued, not given, not response to demands. For our people were earning our rights on the battlefields.

That kind of patriotism has been slipping and falling from sight since

the end of the war in '45, it seems to me.

I've actually seen people, approaching a football stadium, turn their backs when the national anthem was played, so they didn't have to take their hats off in salute. And I've seen them fail not only to stand, but to take off their hats, in audiences when the anthem was played, or the flag passed.

It's hard to be patriotic, if you don't show it at every opportunity.

You might say being a good citizen is like being a good Christian ... you've got to live it to be happy and appreciate it.

There'll be a lot of patriotic demonstrations Sunday, as well as fun and entertainment. It's all part of our observance of our nation's 200th birthday.

Come join us, and enjoy.

I can't pass up this one other comment about our new city budget.

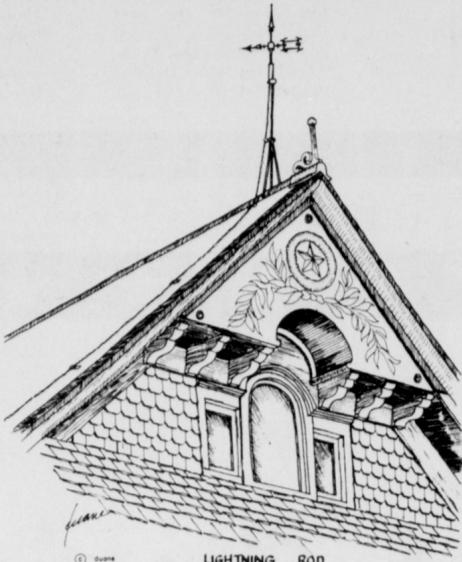
How many of our citizens have been highly critical of the federal government for its lack of fiscal responsibility, and continually outspending its revenues year after year?

Our city fathers apparently feel these people were correct, and have stopped deficit spending. We're returning to the old "pay as you go" policy.

For this, they need our support and confidence.

REMEMBERING...

By BILL D. BROOKS



LIGHTNING ROD

LIGHTNING RODS

Roof tops of the finer, more stately homes used to be adorned with lightning rods. The specific purpose of the rods was to protect the structure from the devastation of bolts of lightning. I am told that our own Benjamin Franklin (you might know) thought up the idea and it became fashionable during the early 1900's.

Metal rods about four to six feet tall were fixed to the high points of the roof. Several were used, depending upon how many gables or ridges the particular house had. Heavy wire cables led from the rods down to rods driven deep into the ground.

Some folks believed the rods would keep lightning away but actually the opposite was true. The rods actually attracted bolts of lightning. The theory was that the electrical charge would strike the rod instead of the structure, pass through the cable and discharge harmlessly into the ground. The systems were apparently useful because there were government booklets and

guide lines available which told exactly how to install them.

An interesting thing about lightning rods, though is that most people didn't install them for lightning protection at all but rather to be in style. The rods added character, grace and beauty to the homes in those days. The rods came in many different ornamental styles. The designs included straight or twisted rods, rods with weather vanes and roosters attached, owner's initials, names or brands were sometimes used. Some rods had special insulating glass balls incorporated into their design which added color and looked pretty.

Not many lightning rods can be seen today even though the houses they once adorned are still around. I suppose that when shingles and other roofing materials had to be replaced the rods were removed and not reinstalled. It is a pity though, for something so beautiful and even more functional to be done away with just because they were a little trouble to put back in place.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Bob,

After spending many hours at city council meetings during the last few months, I would like to say that I am strongly behind the work being done by Mayor Johnny Crawford, council members Bill Gilmore, Bud Adams, Leta Watson, Joe Singer and Greg Ross and City Administrator Gene Britton.

Through personal knowledge I know the amount of study and work that went into the preparation of the budget for 1977.

It is unfortunate that we are faced with these increases, but the assessments in the majority of property were based on figures arrived at in the 1960s or earlier.

Council meetings have been marked by harmony and cooperation during the period the present council has been in office. Members of the council represent a wide variety of personalities but they have all, in my opinion, made every effort to keep expenses as low as possible and to begin running the city on a business like basis.

I hope that the citizens of Iowa Park will give the council, mayor and city administrator time to implement their policies. They're doing their best and I feel fortunate to have them!

Sincerely,
Connie Rowell
(Mrs. C.W. Rowell)
1304 N. 4th
Iowa Park

Letter to the Editor

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

It is my pleasant duty to voice to you—for your most helpful support—the thanks of the Wichita Falls Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. Because residents of Iowa Park rely on the Iowa Park Leader for information, they acted generously on the basis of the information you supplied them about multiple sclerosis.

This support will mean much to the estimated 80 residents of this area who today suffer from MS and will help to strengthen the research program which will one day bring this disabling disease under control.

When the few volunteers who have not yet sent in their final reports and MS volunteers kits make their returns, the Hope Chest Campaign will achieve the high level at which it aimed.

Your help, and the generosity of the many who made contributions of time and money, are deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,
Kathleen Gavin Hawkins
Executive Director

Weather Report

Weather reports are officially compiled for Iowa Park at the Texas Experiment Station, southeast of town.

Rainfall for week 1.71
Total for month 2.02
Total for year 11.68
Total last year 24.85



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from first issue of Wichita
Daily Times, May 14, 1907

The second quarterly conference for the Iowa Park circuit was held at Beaver Creek school house, officially known as Marvin's Chapel, Saturday and Sun-

day, May 11 and 12.

Those present from other communities were Rev. T.R. Pierce, presiding elder of the Bowie district, Rev. F.L. McGhee, pastor at Iowa Park, E.M. Yeakley and J.B. Winfrey and wife of Iowa Park. Dinner on the ground was had both days, and, taken altogether the time

was most pleasantly and profitably spent.

Besides the regular routine of church business, E.M. Yeakley, now a teacher in Iowa Park school, was unanimously recommended to the district conference for license to preach.

Rev. Pierce preached on Saturday morning, the

business meeting was held Saturday evening and Saturday night services were conducted by Mr. Yeakley and Rev. McGhee. There were two conversions at the night service. Sunday morning a child was baptized by the presiding elder, after which he preached an excellent sermon and the

sacrament was administered.

After the dinner had been served Rev. Pierce left for Iowa Park, from whence he proceeded to Wichita Falls, where he had intended preaching Sunday night, but on account of a protracted meeting then in progress, the service was called in.

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After training, teams of young people and pastor directors will be sent to California, New Mexico, Missouri, North Dakota, Texas, Wyoming and Ohio. One team will go the the Philippines and Hong Kong.



Mrs. Allen Sexton

Glancing at Mrs. Allen Sexton's recipes, we notice that the egg is an important ingredient in each one which is a reminder that the egg has "a thousand and one uses". It is a necessity in many desserts, as in the case of the recipes this week, but eggs have almost limitless uses in meats, vegetables, salads, entrees, etc.

Perhaps the poem by Oliver Herford will enhance appreciation of the "hen and the egg": "Alas - my child where is the Pen That can do justice to the Hen? Like Royalty she goes her way, Laying Foundations every day.

Though not for Public Buildings yet - For custard, cake and omelette. No wonder, child, we prize the Hen Whose egg is mightier than the Pen".

Margie Sexton and her husband, Allen, who is recruiter for the Marine Corps, and their two-year old daughter, Jennifer came to Iowa Park five months ago from Lubbock.

A native of Connecticut, she was graduated from high school at Anaheim, Calif. and attended Fullerton Junior College where she belonged to the New Sounds, a singing group.

Mrs. Sexton has been cooking for many years. Her mother, who was born and raised in Scotland, started training her girls early to be good homemakers by teaching them handcraft, cooking and the fine points of housekeeping. It is not surprising that cooking is one of her hobbies. Another fascinating and interesting hobby is oil painting. She has not painted to sell but has made many people happy by giving her works of art for gifts.

The Sextons are members of the American Baptist Church and since there is not a church of their faith in the area they have not been attending since they moved to Iowa Park. She has joined the recently organized Opti-Mrs. Club.

BANANA TEA BREAD
1 1/4 cup sifted flour
2 3/4 t baking powder
1/2 t salt
1 cup mashed ripe bananas
1/2 cup shortening
2/3 cup sugar
2 slightly beaten eggs
1/2 cup nuts

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Beat the shortening until creamy and glossy (2 minutes at medium speed). Gradually add sugar

Cook of the Week

to shortening, beating until light and fluffy after each addition. Add eggs and beat until thick and pale lemon in color. Add flour and bananas alternately. Stir in nuts. Grease bottom only of loaf pan. Bake at 350° for 60-70 minutes.

POUND CAKE

1/2 lb. butter
1/2 cup shortening
3 cups sugar
5 eggs
1 cup milk
3/4 cups cake flour
1/2 t baking powder
1/8 t salt
3 t vanilla

Cream together butter and shortening. Add sugar and blend very lightly. Break in all eggs and blend around once. Alternately add flour mixture and milk, ending with flour. Blend in vanilla. Pour into greased tube pan. Bake at 300° for 90 minutes.

minutes. Meanwhile, in a warm bowl, sift in flour and salt; rub in butter, add egg and then yeast mixture. Knead dough for approximately 10 minutes. Cover and let rise for 1-2 hours, till doubled in bulk. Knead thoroughly, then shape by rolling into a rectangle 10 in. by 8 in. Brush with 2 T melted butter, sprinkle with mixture of 1/4 cup brown sugar and 2 t cinnamon.

Roll up dough from long side as a jelly roll. Form in a circle on a greased baking sheet with the seam on the bottom. With kitchen scissors cut at an angle 1 inch slices to within 1/4 inch of center. Turn slices on their sides. Cover with plastic bag and let rise for 40 minutes. Bake in 350° for 30-35 minutes. Remove from sheet and cool on rack. When cool, decorate with icing of 3/4 cup

sifted confectioners sugar and 1 T lemon juice. Top with candied cherries.

ABOUT TOWN

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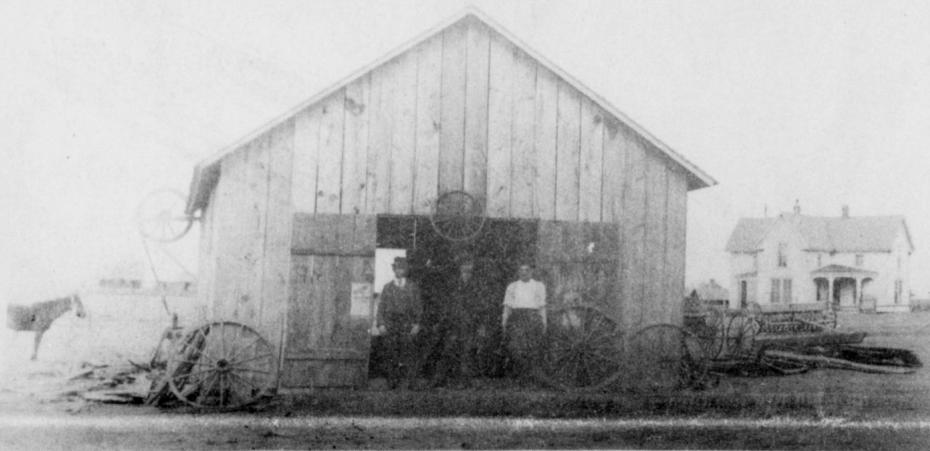
Early day scenes in and around Iowa Park



BUTCHER WAGON YARD-A popular place in Iowa Park during the early 1900's. It became a popular place for travelers to stay overnight and for people to leave their teams when they came into town to shop. Sam Butcher and Andrew Butcher were the original owners. In the background is the L.C. Denny house, a landmark for many years. Photo courtesy Robert Wilcox.

CHOW TIME -- Back before the days of air-conditioned pickup truck ranchers often had their noon meals on location, among the mesquite and prickly pear. A scene familiar to cowpokes 30 years ago is this photograph taken in the 1940s during cattle branding time on the Bill Burnett Ranch southwest of Iowa Park. Mrs. Bill [Maggie]

Burnett, left, catered to the ranch hands on this particular day. The hungry cowpokes, from left, are Jerry Reed, Tommy Reed, Bill Burnett, Boss Smith, Lige Reed Jr., Clyde Bonner and Lige Reed. [Photo courtesy of Earle Denny]



FIRST SCHOOL HOUSE-Pictured are students who attended school in Iowa Park's first school building located in the south part of town in the area of Yosemite and Lafayette Streets. Gale Lawrence and Tom Corridon, who still live in Iowa Park, are two of the students in the picture that was taken around 1900. Photo courtesy Gale Lawrence.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH building erected shortly after the church was organized in 1900. It was used until 1925 when a two-story brick structure was built. The bell in the steeple was rung each Sunday morning to call people to worship and the same bell which was put in use again in March 1976 is rung now to call people to worship. Photo courtesy Robert Wilcox.



BUFFALO BASEBALL TEAM provided diversion and entertainment for Iowa Park in the "good old days". Managers of the team were Bill Burnett, left, and C.L.

Metz, right. Iowa Parkans on the team at the time the picture was taken include the late V.R. Munden, back row, fifth from left and Kelly Denny, standing next to Metz. In

front row, third from left, the late Bert Van Horn, and Earle Denny, fifth from left. Robert Wilcox was the bat boy. [Photo courtesy Earle Denny]



LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 221 ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE ARTICLE I Definitions

SECTION 1. When used in this ordinance, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings ascribed to them below:

Animal - Any live creature, domestic or wild.
Animal Shelter - Any facility operated by a humane society, or municipal agency, or its authorized agents, for the purpose of impounding or caring for animals held under the authority of this ordinance or state law.

Circus - A commercial variety show featuring animal acts for public entertainment.

kennel - Any lot, building, structure, enclosure, or premises wherein 6 or more animals, 4 months of age or older, are kept or maintained for the purpose of breeding, training, boarding, or raising for profit or pleasure.

Owner - Any person, partnership, or company owning, keeping or harboring one or more animals. An animal shall be deemed to be harbored if it is fed or sheltered.

Performing Animal - Any spectacle, display, act, or event other than circuses, in which performing animals are used.

Pet - Any animal kept for pleasure rather than utility.

Public Nuisance - Any animal or animals which do any of the following:
A. molest passersby or passing vehicles
B. attack other animals without provocation
C. trespass on school grounds
D. are at large
E. damage private or public property
F. bark, whine, or howl in an excessive, continuous, or untimely fashion

At Large - Any animal not secured by a leash or lead, and not physically restrained within the real property limits of its owner.

Sterilization - In the male, a testectomy; in the female, an ovariectomy.

Veterinary Hospital - Any establishment maintained and operated by a licensed veterinarian for surgery, diagnosis and treatment of diseases and injuries of animals.

Vicious Animal - Any animal that by reason of its behavior would constitute a physical threat to human beings or other animals.

Wild Animal - Any animal of the canine or feline species normally found in a wild state, and poisonous snakes, raccoons, skunks, opossums, wolverines and badgers.

Zoological Park - Any facility exhibiting animals that is operated under the auspices of a governmental agency, or possessing a municipal permit.

Animal Control Warden - The Police Chief of the City of Iowa Park, Texas.

Animal Control Officers - All employees for the City of Iowa Park, Texas. Animal Control Officers are under the administrative authority of the Animal Control Warden.

City Animal Control Center - The Wichita County Humane Society located at Route 1, Box 57A, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301.

Wichita County Humane Society - The City Animal Control Center located at Route 1, Box 57A, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301.

Humane Society Agents - All personnel employed or otherwise providing services for the Wichita County Humane Society.

ARTICLE II In General

SECTION 2. Animals running at large. The running at large of horses, mules, jacks, jennets, cattle, sheep, goats, hogs and geese, within the City is hereby declared a nuisance, and positively prohibited, and it is hereby made unlawful for the owner or keeper of any such animals to permit the same to run at large within the City.

SECTION 3. City Animal Control Center authorized.

The City Council shall select and establish a place within the City for impounding such of said animals as are found running at large.

SECTION 4. Impoundment, disposal of animals, referenced in Section 2 above, found running at large. The animal control warden and animal control officers shall take up and impound any animal found running at large in the city limits. The animal control warden shall immediately deliver said animal to the City Animal Control Center. The City Animal Control Center shall have complete care, custody and jurisdiction until said animal is claimed by rightful owner, adopted, or disposed. Provided that if such animal be diseased or afflicted in any manner to render it worthless or a menace to public health, advertisement that it has been impounded may be dispensed with, and when certificate of any licensed veterinarian shall be filed with the city clerk appropriately and declaring that no reasonable expectation exists for its restoration to a marketable condition, such animal may be destroyed in the manner directed by the Animal Control Warden.

SECTION 5. Redemption of impounded animals. The owner of any animals impounded as aforesaid may redeem the same as follows:

(1) By paying the expenses of taking up and keeping and the City's fee for impounding the same.
(2) By delivering a receipt evidencing the payment of said expenses to the City Animal Control Center. The said receipt shall serve as proper notice to the City Animal Control Center to release the impounded animal or animals.

SECTION 6. Impoundment fees. The following shall be the fees charged as poundage for taking up the impounding for such animals: per head ten dollars (\$10.00); fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per head for the second time within a twelve (12) month period; twenty dollars (\$20.00) per head in any case in which the same owner's animals are impounded for the third or more times in any twelve (12) month period. Fees for taking care of such animals, per head per day two dollars (\$2.00).

SECTION 7. Unauthorized persons not to impound animals. It shall not be lawful for persons other than those designated in this article to engage in catching or impounding stock; nor shall any reward be given for such catching or impounding, and any person detected driving any such animals into the City, and any officer or person authorized to impound such animals, detected in offering a reward of any kind whatsoever to any person to catch or impound any such animal, or to drive the same within the city limits, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 8. Records to be kept. The animal control warden shall keep a book giving the description of all animals impounded by him and the date of impounding.

SECTION 9. Detention of trespassing animals. If any of the animals named in Section 2 break into the enclosure or are found upon the premises of anyone, the owner or occupant of such premises shall have the right to confine such animal until he can notify the animal control warden or assistant animal control officers to come and impound such animal; provided the same is done within a reasonable length of time. When so notified, it shall be the duty of such officers at once to cause such animal to be impounded.

SECTION 10. Fowls running at large. It shall be unlawful for any person owning or controlling any chickens, guineas, turkeys or other fowls to allow the same to run at large within the city limits, except Antwerp messenger or homing pigeons commonly called carrier pigeons and racing pigeons.

SECTION 11. Quarantining of rabid dogs or animals and animals which have bitten persons; redemption fee. Every animal that bites, scratches, or otherwise attacks any person or persons within the city limits shall be, upon complaint of the injured person, quarantined and held for a period of ten (10) days in any veterinary hospital approved by the Director of Public Health, in the Animal Control Center, or any other facility approved by the Director of Public Health. Any such animal, prior to being redeemed by an owner, shall be examined by a licensed veterinarian, and the cost of such examination shall be borne by the owner. In the event an owner of a subject animal has not been identified, the victim at his option may elect to have the dog examined by a licensed veterinarian or have tissues submitted for laboratory examination. The costs incurred will be borne by the victim.

SECTION 12. Breeding or keeping of certain pigeons prohibited.
A. It shall be unlawful for any person to breed, raise or keep pigeons within the corporate limits of the city, except Antwerp messenger or homing pigeons commonly called carrier pigeons.
B. The Antwerp messenger or homing pigeon commonly called carrier pigeon shall have the name of its owner stamped upon its wing or tail or bearing upon its wing or tail a band or ring with the name or initials of the owner or an identification or registration number stamped thereon when being permitted to race or to fly for necessary exercise and training and under restraint and control of its owner. The coop, pen, housing, structure or enclosure shall be kept clean and free of offensive odors and shall not be less than a distance of fifty (50) feet measured in a straight line from the nearest point of the pen enclosure or other structure in which such pigeons are kept to the nearest point of any residence, church, school, convalescent home or nursing home other than the residence of the keeper, possessor or owner of said pigeons.

SECTION 13. Keeping of swine prohibited. It shall at any time be unlawful for any person to keep hogs, or pigs, within the City.

SECTION 14. Fee for collection and disposal of dead large animals. There is hereby established a fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for the collection and disposal of each dead large animal within the City of Iowa Park. This fee shall be paid either directly to the City of Iowa Park, or to such contractor for remittance to the City of Iowa Park. The term "large animals" shall include horses, mules, donkeys, cattle, sheep, goats, hogs, and other animals of like or larger size.

ARTICLE III Rabies Control

SECTION 15. Reporting rabid dogs and cats. It shall be the duty of the owner, and the harboring, and the practicing veterinarian to report to the Director of Public Health all cases of rabies with which he comes in contact or to which his attention has been directed. This report shall be made immediately upon diagnosis or suspicion of such cases of rabies.

SECTION 16. Quarantining of dogs and cats exposed to rabies. Any dog or cat that has rabies or symptoms thereof or that has had positive exposure to rabies shall be at once released to the Animal Warden for disposal or, at the direction of the Director of Public Health, confined in a veterinary hospital approved by the Director of Public Health and shall not be released until a regimen of anti-rabies treatment has been administered.

SECTION 17. Vaccination required. It shall be unlawful for the owner of

any dog or any cat to keep or maintain such dog or cat unless it shall have been vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian or approved anti-rabies clinic with rabies vaccine within one (1) year preceding the date on which such dog or cat is kept and maintained.

SECTION 18. Vaccination of redeemed dogs and cats. Any dog or cat at the City Animal Control Center must be vaccinated against rabies subject to the provisions of Section 17 of this article within seventy-two (72) hours of being redeemed.

SECTION 19. No person shall keep or permit to be kept on his premises any wild or vicious animal for display or for exhibition purposes, whether gratuitously or for a fee. This Section shall not be construed to apply to zoological parks, performing animal exhibitions, or circuses.

SECTION 20. No person shall keep or permit to be kept any wild animal as a pet.

SECTION 21. The Animal Control Warden may issue a temporary permit for the keeping, care, and protection of an infant or injured animal native to this area which has been deemed incapable of surviving on its own.

SECTION 22. The Animal Control Warden with the advice and consent of the Texas Game Management Officers shall have the power to release or order the release of any infant or injured wild animal kept under temporary permit, which is deemed capable of survival.

SECTION 23. No performing animal exhibition or circus shall be permitted in which animals are induced or encouraged to perform for entertainment through the use of chemical, mechanical, electrical or manual devices in a manner which will cause, or is likely to cause, physical injury or suffering.

SECTION 24. All equipment used on a performing animal shall fit properly and be in good working condition.

SECTION 25. The owner of every animal shall be responsible for the removal of any excreta deposited by his animal(s) on public walks, recreation areas, or private property.

SECTION 26. Running at large declared nuisance. The running at large of a dog or dogs within the City is hereby declared a nuisance, and positively prohibited, and it is hereby made unlawful and deemed a misdemeanor for the owner or keeper of any dog or dogs to allow the same to run at large within the city limits.

SECTION 27. Impoundment. It shall be the duty of the City Animal Warden or his deputies to cause to be taken up and impounded all dogs loose and at large, in violation of the terms of this Article.

SECTION 28. Redemption rights; disposal of unredeemed dogs.
A. The owner of any dog impounded in accordance with this Article shall have the right to redeem the same upon payment to the City accounting department a ten dollar (\$10.00) impounding fee and the sum of two dollars (\$2.00) for each day held in the City Animal Control Center, for each dog so redeemed. In a case in which the same owner's dog or dogs are impounded for the second time in any twelve (12) month period, the impounding fee shall be fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per dog; in any case in which the same owner's dog or dogs are impounded for the third or

more times in any twelve (12) month period, the impounding fee shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00) per dog.
B. It shall be the duty of the Humane Society and/or its Agents to keep all tagged dogs for a period of one hundred twenty (120) hours from the date of impounding, and all untagged dogs for a period of seventy-two (72) hours from the date of impounding. All such dogs not redeemed within the time shall be destroyed, or adopted, provided, however, that should a dog be destroyed it shall be the duty of the City Animal Warden or his appointed agents to supervise such destruction. All dogs so destroyed shall be destroyed by injection of a lethal drug or other humane methods, but in no instance by gunshot.

SECTION 29. Any person who shall harbor or keep on his premises or in or about his premises, or premises under his control, any dog or animal of the canine species which, by loud or unusual barking or howling, shall cause the peace and quiet of the neighborhood or the occupants of adjacent premises to be disturbed, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and each and every twenty-four (24) hour period that such dog shall remain or be kept on any such premises shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 30. Dogs' owners shall securely confine their female dogs while in season within an enclosure in a manner that will prevent the attraction of male dogs to the immediate vicinity.

SECTION 31. No owner shall fail to provide his animals with sufficient food and wholesome food and water, adequate shelter and protection from weather, veterinary care when needed to prevent suffering, and with humane care and treatment.

SECTION 32. No person shall beat, cruelly ill treat, torment, mentally abuse, overload, overwork or otherwise abuse an animal or cause, instigate or permit any dogfight, cockfight, bullfight, or other combat between animals or between animals and humans.

SECTION 33. No person shall abandon an animal.

SECTION 34. No person shall give away any live animals as a prize for, or as an inducement to enter, any contest, game or other competition, or as an inducement to enter a place of business; or offer such animal as an incentive to enter into any business agreement whereby the offer was for the purpose of attracting trade.

SECTION 35. Any person who, as the operator of a motor vehicle, strikes a domestic animal shall immediately report such injury or death to the animal's owner; in the event the owner cannot be ascertained and located, such operator shall at once report the accident to the appropriate law enforcement agency or to the local humane society.

SECTION 36. No person shall expose any known poisonous substance, whether mixed with food or not, so that the same shall be liable to be eaten by any domestic animal or person. This Section is not intended to prohibit the prudent use of herbicides, insecticides, or rodent control materials. No person shall expose an open trap of metal jaw type that shall be liable to injure any domestic animal or person.

SECTION 37. The civil and criminal provisions of this ordinance shall be enforced by those persons or agencies designated by

municipal authority. It shall be a violation of this ordinance to interfere with an Animal Control Warden, and Animal Control Officer, the Humane Society or the Humane Society Agents in the performance of their duties.

SECTION 38. If any section, sentence or clause of this ordinance should be declared invalid, all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

SECTION 39. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance, except Section 29, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00). If any violation be continuing, each day's violation shall be deemed a separate violation. If any person be found guilty by a Court of violating Article IV, his permit to own, keep, harbor, or have custody of animals shall be deemed automatically revoked and no new permit may be issued.

SECTION 40. That the Aldermen of The City of Iowa Park, Texas adopt the above Animal Control Ordinance.

SECTION 41. That the Aldermen of The City of Iowa Park, Texas, in regular session assembled this the 17th day of May, 1976, /s/ Johnny Crawford, Mayor The City of Iowa Park, Texas

SECTION 42. That the Aldermen of The City of Iowa Park, Texas, in regular session assembled this the 17th day of May, 1976, /s/ Gene Britton City Administrator

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Little League

SENIOR LEAGUE

Senior League play ended Tuesday with the Red Sox and Orioles tied with identical 13 wins and five losses.

The Red Sox pulled into a tie with the Orioles, whom they had been pursuing most of the season, with a 5-0 win June 22. Jeff Martin hurled a two-hitter and contributed three hits. Jerry Graves and Wes Klinkerman also supplied two hits each for the Red Sox.

The scheduled playoff game for today between the Red Sox and Orioles was cancelled as a number of the Orioles were unable to be there and they can't field a team.

ALL STARS

Senior League all stars were announced after the last game Tuesday night.

The team is composed of Kelly Crush, Jeff Nolan, Jeff Martin, Doug Rogers, Gerry Graves, Jeff Taylor, Jimmy Brown, Jerry Smith, Randall Griffith, Mike Ray, Chuck Thompson, Perry Schreder, Gary Blackerby, Daryl Beals and alternate Tommy Ross.

Ross will replace Taylor who will be out of town. Ralph Klinkerman, manager of the Red Sox, will manage the team which is to play in the tournament at Burk Burnett July 22-23, meeting Electra in the opening round.

MAJOR LEAGUE

	W	L	T
Pirates	10	3	1
Yankees	8	7	1
Giants	7	7	1
Dodgers	7	7	1
Astros	3	11	0

Harmon, Lambard quit jobs here

Though no action has yet been taken by the Iowa Park school board, two coaches submitted their resignations during the past week, it was learned by the Leader.

Head basketball coach Phil Harmon quit to return to Carlsbad, N. Mex., where he has accepted the position as head coach at that school. He left Carlsbad, where he was an assistant, to head the program here one year.

The other resignation is from assistant coach William Lambard, who reportedly has taken an assistant's job at Clear Creek High School. Neither of their positions have yet been filled.

The Pirates sewed up the Major League title as they defeated the Dodgers and Yankees.

The Dodgers also lost to the Yankees, but defeated the Giants.

The Giants played even, beating the Astros, losing to the Dodgers, and tying the Yankees. The Astros also lost to the Yankees.

The season will end today and Friday, with the all star team being announced following the Friday game.

MINOR LEAGUE

The White Sox opened the playoffs with a big 15-5 win over the Bears. The Bears scored all five of their runs in the first inning, only to have the White Sox come roaring back. Tommy Butts had a big triple in the first for the Bears while Jimmy Collazo, Jimmy Byars, John Roach and Clark Waters supplied hits for the White Sox. John Roach was the winning pitcher.

The Bad News Bears scored nine big runs in the first inning of the second game and went on to beat the White Sox 15-7 to tie their playoff series at 1-1. Though outbid by the White Sox, the Bears used a liberal serving of free passes to tie up the series.

The final and deciding game will be played at 8 p.m. today.

Sales winners are named

Top seller in the Girls' Softball League candy sale was Lori Costick, who sold 106 bars and received 18 silver dollars for her effort.

Second prize of 14 silver dollars went to Ginger Barnes of the Sidewinders for selling 50, and third prize, nine silver dollars, was earned by Vicky Shirley of the Roadrunners, who sold 49.

Mooney issues band call

All 1976-1977 high school band students are needed to play at the Fourth of July Bicentennial Service at 8 p.m., according to David Mooney, director.

Rehearsals will be

Saturday at 1 p.m. at the band hall and Sunday at 5:30 p.m. school-owned instruments will be issued.

All band members are encouraged to participate in this important event.

New officers are installed

Jerry Vandiver, past district governor District 2 E1, installed officers of the Evening Lions Club at the meeting Tuesday. He also presented Johnny Huff with a past president's pin.

Officers who assumed duties were Mel Moulton, president; Gordon Griffith, first vice-president; Wayne House, second vice-president; Steve Lankford, third

vice-president; John Fecher, secretary-treasurer; D.B. Houini, tail twister; R.E. Waters, Lion tamer; Arch Hughes and Mitch Miller, holdover directors; Johnny Huff and Sam Hunter, new directors.

John Fecher presented the outgoing president with a plaque. Dinner music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Singer and Mrs. E.L. Gallop.

49 to die in wrecks

The most celebrated

holiday in 200 years will occur this month and with it regrettably will be many unnecessary holiday deaths." Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety announced this week. "Texans will join other Americans in an all out salute to this great country of ours over the holiday period. Last year over the Fourth of July period 49 persons lost their lives on Texas roads and highways in the holiday slaughter." Major Bell added, "It is up to each one of us to do his part to avoid such a high death toll by driving defensively and remaining alert to the driving hazard."

The Texas Department of Public Safety will be on full alert on all roads and highways of the area to control traffic, lower speeds and get the drinking driver from behind the wheel.

"We in this region hope to have the safest Fourth of July holiday on record to add as our part of the tribute to a great country's Bicentennial Celebration." Major Bell summed up, "Our people are the ones the celebration is for and what better way to celebrate than by keeping them alive."

Benefit barbecue is slated Sunday

The Leon H. Smith Jr. Post of the American Legion will host a barbecue feed Sunday between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m., with all proceeds going to the National American Legion Cancer Research Fund.

According to Post Commander T.A. Ellis, barbecue and all the trimmings will be served at the post, formerly known as the Wichita Valley Community House, on 367 and Bridwell Road.

"The Post welcomes the public as well as all Legionnaires, to make the project a success," stated Ellis, who added this will be an "all you can eat" meal.

Girls' team enters Irving tournament

An Iowa Park girls' softball team will be participating in the Irving Softball Tournament this weekend, against some 20 clubs in the senior division.

The Iowa Park Green Sox played in the YWCA City League in Wichita Falls and finished in fourth place with a 4-3 record.

Players going to the tourney include Kathy Brott, Debbie Baxter, Leora Copas, Suzanne Davis, Pam Ervin, Linda Frederick, Donna Gandy, Renea Harrington, Cheryl Hoffman, Suzan Hutchins, Terry Rowell, Diane Smith and Gayla Wells.

Three girls who have played with the team all season but will not be going to the tournament are Cathy Baston, Kim Hamilton and

Donise Kidwell. Hutchins feels his team should compete well in the tournament and possibly make the playoffs.

He listed the following as

contributors to finance the team's trip: Iowa Park Plumbing, Louis Jewelry, The Bee Hive, Discount Foods, the Gun Shop, Parkway Furniture, D&D

Music, Harvey's, Mary's Barber Shop, JRC Corral, American Legion, Kathy Kerr, Donnie Dowell, the Opti-Mrs. Club and the Wichita Falls Elks Lodge.

Graves takes Hirschi post

Former head football coach and athletic director Grady Graves has been named assistant football coach at Wichita Falls Hirschi High School, it was announced this week.

Graves, who resigned his post here last spring, had been in the Iowa Park system since fall of 1969. He assisted Tommy Watkins to two state championships, 1969 and 1970, and a 7-3 record in 1971, first year in AAA class.

He took over as Head Hawk in 1972, leading the Mean Green to three identical 8-2 seasons, before falling to last year's 0-10.

Graves is presently building a home south of Holliday, next door to Eagle mentor Don Lucy.

Tennis group slates meeting

The Iowa Park tennis Association will hold the monthly meeting July 8 at 7:30 p.m. in Texas Electric Reddy Room. Miles Thompson will be in charge. During the meeting a tournament will be discussed and dates set and challenges matches will be updated.

Anyone who is interested in playing tennis is invited to attend the meeting.

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Handful appears before tax board

Seventeen persons appeared Monday before the Holliday Independent School District Board of Equalization.

"It was less people than we'd ever had before," said Supt. Ray Coe. "It appears everything is in real fine shape."

Coe indicated property owners have accepted the additional financial responsibility of financing the new high school and reconstruction project, which voters here approved in April.

Coe said the tax equaliza-

tion board met for about two hours Monday in the school cafeteria.

Eight persons appeared concerning personal property, and three persons confronted the board on taxation of real property.

Six persons appeared concerning taxation of oil.

Members of the tax equalization board include Freddie Crampton, Alvin Parish Jr., Sam L. Lawson and Mike Robertson. Don Talley is the board's secretary.

Holliday News

Two LL teams seek sponsors

Two newly-formed Little League baseball teams in Holliday are seeking sponsors, according to Dan

Owen.

One of the teams is for high school age players. The other team, the Holliday Red Sox, is for boys ages 13-15. They will confront a AAA team, the Wichita Falls Coyotes, at 8:30 p.m. Friday at the baseball field in Holliday, Owen said.

Owen and Red Denney are coaches for the younger team, which tied the Wichita Falls Cobras last week in a 6-6 shootout.

Quorum lacking

No official action was taken at last Tuesday's Holliday City Council meeting because a quorum of members was not present.

Next regular session of the council is set for 7 p.m. July 13.

New Kamay post office opened

Kamay has sprouted a new U.S. Post Office, and Postmaster Nadine Riley was busy last week settling into her new working quarters.

The new brick structure is time and again more contemporary than the old Post Office, which had been in use since the 1930s.

Construction on the new building began last October and was finished last week. "It's just great. It's fantastic," said Mrs. Riley, who has been Kamay postmaster since 1974. She began serving Kamay postal patrons is 1967 as a mail clerk.

The new brick building sports a circular driveway, and is equipped with a ramp which provides access for persons in wheelchairs.

The interior is indicative of the Postal Department's efforts to primp up its facilities.

The walls are a combination of gold and pumpkin colors, and woodgrain formica is tastefully utilized in the office work area as well as the lobby.

The new Post Office is 874 square feet, Mrs. Riley

explained. Just about everybody involved with distributing Kamay's mail has taken a part in providing the new building with a personal touch.

Maxine Gragg, Kamay mail clerk, who helps Mrs. Riley on weekends and holidays, crocheted an Old Glory to be displayed inside.

Dixie Haithecock, Star Route carrier, crocheted a hanging pot plant.

Ala B. Poyner, former postmaster, potted the plant and made a small Liberty Bell that's displayed on the counter.

Asked about her job as postmaster of 125 boxes, Mrs. Riley answered, "I do a little bit of everything. The duties are the same as any Post Office, except you do it all."

She said one of the most enjoyable aspects of running a small town Post Office is the person-to-person contact which takes the edge off the business atmosphere found in metropolitan postal centers.

"I like it. It's the people," Mrs. Riley said.

Obituaries

Vern George

Funeral services for Vern George, 67, who died June 20th in a Dallas hospital were June 22nd at the First Baptist Church in Bogata. The Rev. Curtis Hoover officiated and burial was in the Bogata Cemetery under direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Born May 25, 1909 in Young County, he had been a resident of Red River County for over 50 years. He was the son of Emanuel and Aletha Inches George. He married Ebitha Miller June 28, 1932. He was a member of the Fulbright First Baptist Church and a retired bus driver and farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Ebitha; his mother, Mrs. Aletha George of Dallas; one son, Dennis George of Iowa Park; two daughters, Mrs. Rachel Burns of Dallas and Mrs. Vernell Hale of Clarksville; a sister, Mrs. Leota Martin of Dallas; and five grandchildren.

deases until 1940 when she and her husband, F.N. Campbell, moved to Chicago. In Chicago, she was a staff member of the Cook County Hospital and head of the pediatric section.

Her husband preceded her in death Sept. 21, 1963.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Verna Barbour of Iowa Park and Mrs. Nina G. McCombs of Oildale, Calif.; several nieces and nephews, one of whom is Dr. William B. Lindsey of Clinton, Iowa who was with her at the time of her death.

One brother, William B. Lindsey preceded her in death.

Nile Eula Howard

Funeral service for Nile Eula (Mrs. Bobby J.) Howard 67, was Friday afternoon in Tanner Auld's Funeral Home chapel. The Rev. Jacky Newton, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, officiated and burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Born Dec. 25, 1908 at Meridian, she was married Oct. 31, 1960 at Rockwall. She had lived in Iowa Park 25 years.

Survivors include her husband; a son, J.D. Chapman of Iowa Park; four sisters, Mrs. Virginia Weber of Bellevue, Ky, Mrs. Zelma Adams of Houston, Mrs. Ruby Rodgers of Montebello, Calif. and Mrs. Elsie Flesham of Paramount, Calif.; four brothers, Hiley Berry of Tyler, Albert Berry of Pampa, Minor Berry of Palestine and Joe Berry of Newbury Park, Calif.; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Monty Britt, Doyle Koonce, Ed. Leigh and Steve Holder and Harrell Sullivan.

Dr. Maude Campbell

Dr. Maude Lindsey Campbell, a former resident of Iowa Park where she taught school, died June 13 in Chicago, Ill. Burial services were held June 17 in Turney Cemetery, Cameron, Mo.

Dr. Campbell was born on a farm north of Lima, Ill. Nov. 5, 1893 and moved to Iowa Park in 1911 with her parents, the late Joseph and Fannie (Reager) Lindsey.

She did pre-med work at Colorado University and Washington University in St. Louis. Her internship in pediatrics was at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn. She came to Wichita Falls in 1929, practiced pediatrics and specialized in women's



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NEW POST OFFICE—Postmaster Nadine Riley moved into her new working quarters last week following completion of the new 874-square-foot Kamay post office. The old post office had been in operation since the 1930s.

Attend workshop

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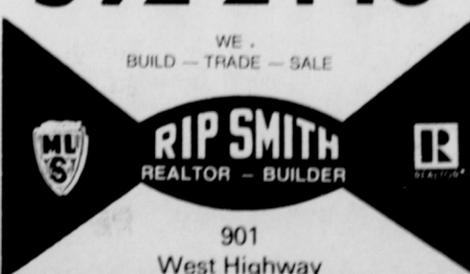
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ODD FELLOWS BAND - Made lively music in Iowa Park in the early 1900's. Picture taken in the street in front of where Parkway Furniture is now located at the intersection of N. Yosemite and Bank Streets. Photo courtesy Robert Wilcox.

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First gallon of West Texas gasoline was produced in Iowa Park refinery

The first gallon of gasoline refined west of Fort Worth was produced in Iowa Park 62 years ago in what was to become a major step in the gasoline distribution network to West Texas.

Although the refinery here was in operation only about seven years, it served as an important factor in developing this area's economic welfare during World War I.

Tom Corridon, recognized as the first white man born in Iowa Park, recalled how Iowa Park's oil refinery

came into being.

The year was 1914, a bad year economically when money was scarce and when federal assistance programs as we know them today did not exist.

"You couldn't even give cotton away back then,"

Corridon said.

A promoter, who had experience in the business, came to Iowa Park with the idea of building an oil refinery here, Corridon explained.

With capital stock of \$20,000, Wichita Valley

Refining Co. was organized in the summer of 1914.

Some of the major figures who played a part in raising the money and incorporating the business were J.A. Kemp, John T. Overbey, R.S. Allen, J.F. Boyd, H.B. Hines, J.A. Tanner and Mrs. Mamie Dale Brown.

As a symbolic Christmas gift to this area, the first gallon of gasoline and kerosene refined west of Fort Worth was produced here on Dec. 25, 1914, Corridon recalled.

"I helped build the refinery," said Corridon.

Wichita Valley Refining Co. was located where the Texas-Oklahoma Fair later would be held. It is now the site of Park West Shopping Center.

Throughout the years, many modifications were made to the refining operation here in an effort to keep up with the science of oil refining as it progressed, Corridon added.

"The success of the refinery was attributed to management in securing outlets for the refined products by establishing wholesale outlets all over West Texas.

"Likewise, they had some purchasers of the refined products in such places as Fort Worth and El Paso," Corridon explained.

World War I erupted during the fall of 1914.

"Refined oil products were in demand," Corridon

said. Major oil product purchases by France and England from the United States had an impact on production at the refinery here, he said.

In 1920, six years after refining operations began here, the stock of Wichita Valley Refining Co. was sold to Texoma Oil Refining Co. of Wichita Falls.

The stock sold for \$1 million, a sizable increase as compared to the initial stock of \$20,000.

While the Wichita Valley Refining Co. was in operation, all profits made were plowed back into undivided profits, Corridon said.

"The stockholders were not dependent on dividends, and did not receive any until the final sale," Corridon said.

When the refinery changed hands it owned pipelines, producing oil leases and leases with potential, Corridon added.

"When Texoma made the purchase, it was a stock purchase which entitled Texoma to all the assets of the company," Corridon said. "Likewise, it assumed all the liabilities of the company."

Texoma Oil Refining Co. later sold the refinery and other assets to Walker Consolidated Oil Co.

"The refinery was operated here for a year or more and gradually went out of business," Corridon said.

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SUNDAY BEST -- The late Rev. C.C. Davis and his wife, Eunice Ida Huff, pose for a formal portrait in a garden gateway. The Rev. Davis, displaying his Bible, was a First Methodist Church minister in Iowa Park around the turn of the century. [Photo courtesy of Mrs. James A. Sewell]

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