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# Council agrees with businesses on parking

There's an old saying, "You can't fight city hall." But that doesn't mean you can't persuade city hall. A group of business owners found the Iowa Park city council not only receptive, but cooperative, Monday night when they presented a petition calling for a change in the new parking arrangement on the 100 block of West Park. Presented by Judy Feix, the petition pointed out to the council that the new parking arrangement not only cut the available parking on the block to 22 vehicles, but it was done at a time when maximum parking was needed. A business-by-business survey of parking requirements was included in

the petition, and council members openly agreed a remedy was needed. Those business people who had spoken had said the cut back in available parking had, or would, affect their trade. City crews recently painted stripes for parking which were set at 30 degrees from the curb, as is recommended by the standards of the Texas Traffic Safety Council for streets of Cash's width and two-way traffic. When asked if the business people would object to having the one block designated one-way, so the angle of parking could be changed to 60 degrees, no one expressed disagreement.

Council members voted unanimously approved changing the one block to one-way west traffic. An ordinance must first be prepared and read at a future council meeting for it to become effective. A traffic survey made of Iowa Park last year had recommended changing the block to one-way traffic. **OTHER BUSINESS** Aldermen approved the lowest of two bids on the purchase of 100 portable trash containers, which will be placed at homes which cannot be served by the larger, multi-unit metal containers. EMCO bid \$54 per unit, besting the other bidder by \$3.48. Council members delayed any

action to advertise for bids for expansion of the police department building and on a storage building for the water department. A bid by Webco Tank to construct a new ground water storage tank was accepted, being the lowest of three bids received. The Webco bid was \$133,890. A portion of East Texas street, between Bond and Victoria, was officially closed by the council. The street was actually closed years ago when the baseball field was built. The

parking area became a connection between Bond and Victoria, however. A blockade will be erected behind the stadium which will provide for parking along both baselines, but prohibit through traffic. On a split vote, the council voted to continue leasing land near the sewer plant to Iowa Park Ready Mix for \$1 per year for the next five years. A proposal had been to increase the lease fee \$25 a year, beginning with \$50 this year, for the next five years.

Voting against the increased fee were Aldermen Bud Adams, Bill Gilmore and Bud Thompson. At the request of Keith Aulds, the city agreed to permit use of a city employee and the city's backhoe to dig graves at Highland Cemetery, at a rate of \$40 per grave. Aulds explained a commercial service in Wichita Falls was quitting the business, and would no longer be available. Council went into executive session to talk with their attorney.



CASH STREET BUSINESS OWNERS ... petitioned city council to change parking arrangements.

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## Clean-up Week starts Monday

The annual "Clean-up Week" begins in Iowa Park Monday and will continue through the following Saturday. In observance of the special week, citizens are being encouraged to clean

up around their homes and businesses. Throughout the week, free dumping at the city's sanitary landfill will be permitted, but directions of the attendant must be followed. Free dumping will be permitted only to residents of Iowa Park. Also throughout the week, residents unable to haul items and debris to the dump grounds, but are too large to be put in trash containers, can notify the city hall that they are placing the items next to the trash containers, and city crews will pick them up. The sanitary landfill can be reached by approaching Lake Buffalo from the east, the Harmony Road route, for those wishing to haul themselves. Youth groups, led by Scout Troop 38, will be picking up trash from ditches of major roads and in parks in the city the final day of Clean-up Week (April 26). Volunteering youths are to report at 8:30 a.m. at the Chamber of Commerce office, where they will be assigned areas of responsibility. Clean-up Week is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Mayor Johnny Crawford read an official proclamation designating Clean-up Week during Monday's city council meeting.

## About Town

### Tourney slated

The Iowa Park Little League Association is sponsoring a women's softball tournament Friday and Saturday at the W.F. George Field. The first game Friday will begin at 6 p.m. and last game at 10 p.m. On Saturday, the first game will be played at 8 a.m. and the last will start at 10 p.m.

### Bake sale slated

The Iowa Park High School band will hold a bake sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at H&S Food Store and JRB Supermarket. Purpose is to raise funds for the annual band banquet, and other projects.

### Ticks subject

Ticks and weed control in lawns and gardens will be discussed at a public meeting at 7:30 this evening in the ASCS building.

## Chamber of Commerce launches membership drive

Iowa Park businesses and individuals are being encouraged to support the Chamber of Commerce by placing their memberships in the organization. The Chamber is launching a community-wide membership drive, under the chairmanship of Philip Welch. Minimum dues for a business is \$84 for a year, which can be paid annually, semi-annually, quarterly or monthly. Personal membership dues are \$15. "Support of your Chamber of Commerce is highly important to all business and professional people and other citizens because it pays

dividends in the form of more business, better living conditions and provides a more attractive and desirable community," Welch said. "Since the services rendered by the chamber must be adequately financed in order to be effective, your support is highly important as all of the funds available are from membership dues. In progressive towns and cities over the United States, all business and professional people are members of the Chamber of Commerce. "They assemble and coordinate activities to promote the economic and civic welfare of the community. All persons of good standing who

sympathize with the objects of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce are eligible for membership, including business and professional men and women and individual citizens," Welch said. Some of the major workings of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce include: \* helping to attract Cryovac to Iowa Park. \* keeping a list of available housing rentals. \* sponsoring the annual Whoop-T-Do and Christmas parade. \* sponsoring the annual Clean-Up Week. \* welcoming newcomers with gift

coupon booklets. \* sending information to businesses and individuals interested in locating here. \* answering correspondence from all over the nation. \* furnish information on signboard downtown. \* provide merchants and churches with newcomers' list. \* provide industrial corporation print-outs for industrial prospects. \* provide lists of clubs and organizations in the community. \* provide students with history of Iowa Park for class assignments. \* helped sponsor construction of the Bicentennial Swimming Pool.

## HOLLIDAY RESIDENT 96

## Miss Emma still lives, 'God-willing'

By Kevin Hamilton On April 10, 1884 Miss Emma Murphree was born in a Decatur hospital, premature and weighing only two and one-half pounds. Even with today's medical technology, the odds are against a two and one-half pound premature baby surviving. Ninety-six years ago, it was called a miracle. On April 10, 1980 a miracle by the name of Emma Murphree celebrated her 96th birthday at a party hosted by the Holliday Baptist Young Women's Association. She is the oldest living resident of Holliday. Emma's father owned a farm in Comanche County at the time his wife became pregnant with Emma. Since there were no hospitals in the area, Mr. Murphree sought and found work on a ranch near Decatur. The move brought Mrs. Murphree closer to a hospital where Emma could be delivered. When she was born, doctors were skeptical of her chances of surviving. But Mrs. Murphree spoon-fed Emma three weeks, and she lived. When the doctors told the Murphrees Emma would live, they packed their bags and headed back to their Comanche County farm. Forty years later, Emma was the oldest of six children, (one sister and four brothers). The year was 1924, or the beginning of the depression.



MISS EMMA MURPHREE

The depression was taking its toll on farmers, and the Murphrees were finding it harder and harder to keep the farm. At that time an oil boom was reported in North Texas, near Holliday. The Murphree men figured the answer to poverty was the oil fields, so the family packed their belongings and moved to a home on Brittain Lane, just outside of Holliday's original townsite.

Mr. Murphree opened a blacksmith shop in Holliday, while three of his sons went to work in the oil fields. "Holliday was a sore sight to see in those days," remarked Emma. "All the roads were dirt, and when it rained, there would be wagon wheel ruts in the road, and you couldn't walk without tripping over them." "There was also nothing but two-room shacks," she added, "and the best ones were whitewashed." Emma was forced to look after her parents when her father lost an arm in a cotton gin accident, and her mother suffered a stroke. Most of the children went their separate ways, leaving Emma alone with them. "At the time I thought it was mean, them leaving mom and dad, so I stayed and looked after them," remarked Emma. "Now I don't hold a grudge, for everybody has to live their own lives," she added. When both parents died, Emma sought work. The local druggist, Bill Stegall, and his wife hired Emma to look after their baby, Nancy. Mrs. Stegall was a teacher at Holliday and wanted to return to her work as soon as the baby was born. While Emma could see that Mrs. Stegall had to work, she still didn't like the idea of a woman not being at home. "A woman's place is in the home," exclaimed Emma. "You never would know what the little kids were

thinking, or know their troubles." Emma never married herself. "I just lived a country life," she said. "Of course, there were hayrides and barn dances, but I had no time for them." "I never danced a step in my life," Emma continued. "They turned you out of the church in those days if you did such things." She never drank alcohol or smoked cigarettes, either. "A man gave my dad some moonshine after he lost his arm, and I took a swig," said Emma, "but I spit it out as soon as I found what it tasted like." "As for cigarettes, I once picked up one my brother had dropped," Emma said, "lit it, and took a puff, just like I heard you were supposed to. But as soon as I sucked the smoke in, I gagged and blew it out! After a few hours of heavy-heaving, I just knew they were't for me." "Of course," she continued, "everybody drank toddy and egg nog during the Christmas season, but now it seems like everyday is Christmas to most!" Emma's nephew, Eddie Murphree, comes to stay nights with her in the worn but appropriate three-room house on South Cedar St., where she has lived the past 30 years. "I know it is hard on him, coming to stay with me and all," she said, "but it is far

## Iowa Park math students rank high in state test

Iowa Park math students gave a good indication of the level of education at the local high school by scoring high in the annual high school mathematics examination. Sponsored by MAA, Society of Actuaries, NCTM, Mu Alpha Theta and Casualty Actuarial Society, students across the nation voluntarily take the test. Top three scores are submitted for consideration from each school. Norman Gwinn, Ronnie Reusch and Mark Nowell represented Iowa Park, ranking the school 52nd among 294 schools participating, and seventh among AAA schools in UIL classification. Gwinn was named to the Texas Honor Roll, with a score of 85. Only 134 of the 21,552 students tested in the state scored 80 or above on the examination. Gwinn and Reusch are seniors, while Nowell is a junior. LBJ High School at Austin had the highest school score in the state, with 301. Rider High at Wichita Falls was second with a 300, and had two students to make the National Honor Roll. Iowa Park's team score was 221.

considered outstanding when Wichita Falls High scored only 205. Hirsch's score was 165. The other AAA schools in the state scoring higher than Iowa Park were Westlake of Austin, 258; Polytechnic of Fort Worth, 258; Southwest of San Antonio, 252; Friendswood, 250; Huntsville, 239; and Liberty, 222.

## Theft, burglary reported here

One case of theft and one attempted burglary were reported during the past week to the police department. Someone attempted to burglarize a vending machine at Barbour Trucking sometime between 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Damaged inflicted to the machine was reported at \$35. Someone reportedly took two wire wheel covers off a 1978 automobile, it was reported by Mrs. Glenda Harris. The covers were valued at \$75 each.

# Cook of the Week

Someone has said "A major source of woman power lies in her skill with the skillet", referring, of course, to her ability to plan, prepare and serve well balanced meals. The words seem very apropos when applied to Ann (Mrs. Gordon) Walker, co-owner and manager of the Iowa Park Cafe.

She is probably very conscious that food is one area that is getting attention in the "back to basics" trend today. Most of her regular customers prefer the "meat and potato" meals, and her buffet service provides a choice of meats and vegetables, along with a salad, cornbread, rolls and dessert.

One of the most popular meats at the cafe is chicken, a longtime favorite meat which is equally as popular at restaurants and for family meals. Ann shares her recipe for Curry Chicken that she prepares for family meals with us today. The recipe takes on an exotic nature with the addition of paprika and curry powder, condiments from far away places.

Ann and her husband own the cafe, but she has the major responsibility of the business since he is an accountant with Steve Owens CPA. When she started working it was a whole new venture for her since she had been satisfied to be a homemaker, wife and mother. She says that she thoroughly enjoys her work and association with the public and finds both very satisfying and rewarding.

A graduate of Wichita Falls High School, she is now president of the Zundy P.T.A. She and her family are members of the City View Baptist Church where her husband coaches a softball team. She is a member of a team and their sons play on the mixed team. Their daughter plays on the YWCA team.

The couple's children are Monty, a high school freshman, Lanny, a seventh grader and Rene, a fourth grade student.

In addition to playing softball, Ann enjoys motorcycle riding, sewing and ceramics.

### CURRY CHICKEN

- 1 whole chicken, cut up
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1 t paprika
- 2 t curry powder
- 1 can cream of chicken soup
- 1 t salt
- 1 cup water

Shake chicken in flour and paprika mixture and fry until brown in butter. Pour curry powder and salt over chicken. Warm soup and water together and pour over chicken and cook for 1 hour or more.



Mrs. Gordon Walker

### GRAHAM CRACKER CAKE

- 1 box graham crackers (1 lb.) crumbled
- 2 t baking powder
- 2 cups sugar
- 5 eggs
- 2/3 cup milk
- 2 sticks oleo

Mix ingredients together. Bake in loaf pan for an hour or more.

### Ice with:

- 1/2 cup orange juice
- 1 cup sugar

Bring to boil and pour over cake.

### PEANUT BUTTER LOGS

- 2 sticks melted butter
  - 1 cup peanut butter
  - 1 pkg. (not box) graham crackers
  - 1 lb. box powdered sugar
- Mix and spread in pan, then melt 12 oz. chocolate chips in double boiler and ice. Let set in refrigerator overnight.

### CRANBERRY SALAD

- 3/4 lb. small marshmallows
  - 1 lb. bag fresh cranberries
  - 1 cup sugar
  - 1 or 2 cups nuts
  - 1 cup crushed pineapple, drained
  - 1 pint whipping cream, whipped
- Grind berries, add sugar and set aside; whip cream and add to berries. Fold in nuts, marshmallows and pineapple; set in refrigerator overnight.

### BANANA SPLIT CAKE

- 1 stick oleo
  - 2 cups graham crackers crumbs
- Make crust and spread in pan. Whip following ingredients FULL 15 minutes: 2 sticks oleo

2 eggs

1 box powdered sugar

Spread on crust. Drain large can crushed pineapple and spread on filling. Slice 4 or 5 bananas on top of pineapple; then top with large carton of Kool Whip, cherries and pecans.

## Alpha Epsilon Sigma officers installed

The Ritual of the Badge was conferred upon Mrs. Roy Dorman, new officers were installed and committees appointed to highlight the Monday evening meeting of Alpha Epsilon Sigma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. Mrs. Danny Holman was hostess for the meeting.

Gayle Cleghorn, president, installed the following officers: Mmes. Holman, president; Ron Fullerton,

vice president; John Conklin, corresponding secretary; Dorman, recording secretary; Jerry Peeler, council representative; and Cleghorn, treasurer.

Chairmen of committees named were: Mmes. Gene Bond, service; Lavonne Stogner, program and yearbook; Jerry Peeler, scrapbook; Fullerton, membership; Bond telephone; and Dorman, ways and means.

Mrs. Fullerton gave the program on "Living Loveliness" followed by an open discussion when members mentioned people of their acquaintance who possessed lovely qualities.

Rituals were led by Mrs. Holman and Mrs. Bond.

Mike Dryer, American Red Cross representative, will be the speaker for the next meeting in the home of Mrs. Conklin.

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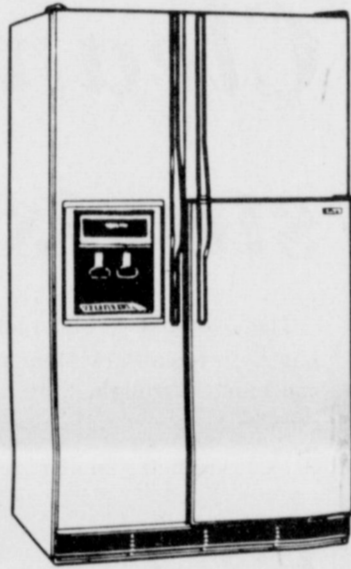
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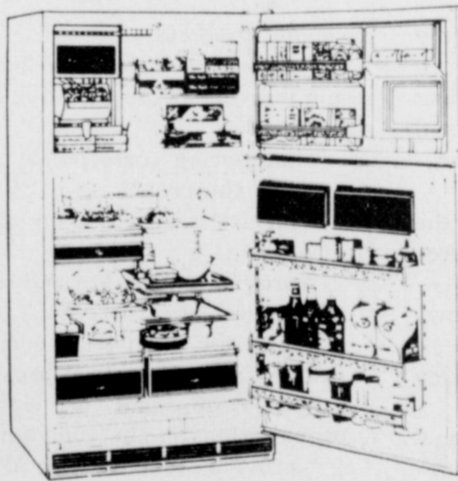
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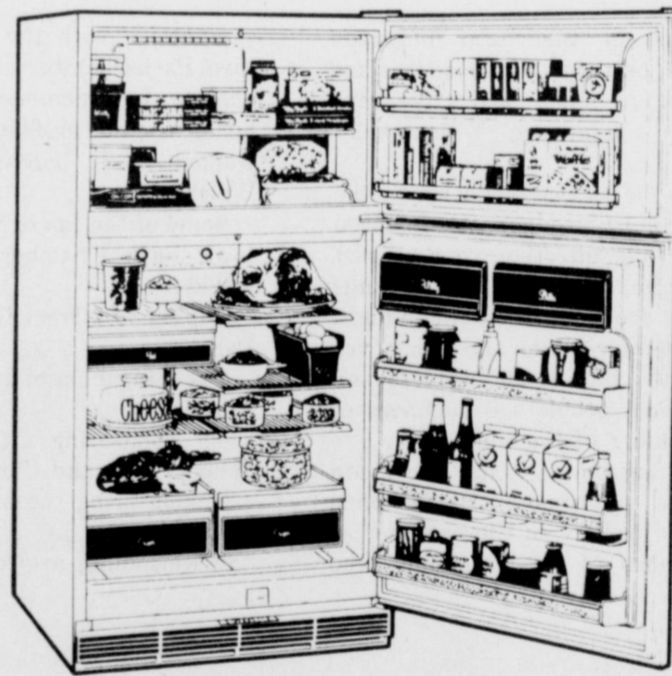
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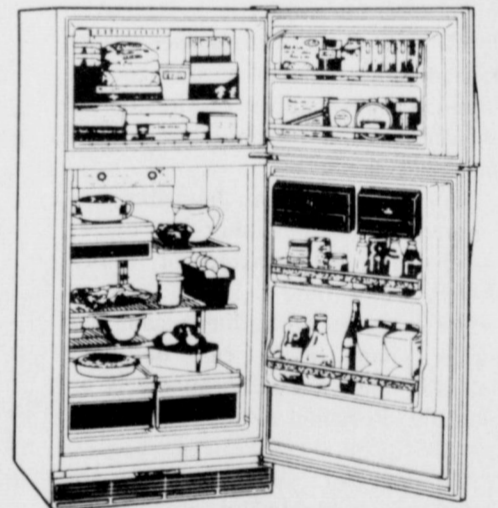
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# Cummings-Costello nuptials solemnized Saturday night

At the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Costello, a large host of relatives and friends assembled at the First Baptist Church Saturday evening to witness the marriage of their children, Miss Patricia Ann Cummings and Bradley Leon Costello, popular members of the younger set.

The bride's brother, Clifton Ray Cummings, music and youth director of Calvary Baptist Church at Lindsay, Okla., directed the couple in the recitation of their dignified double-ring nuptial vows.

Guests arriving at the church signed the bride's book with white plume pens at a table covered with pink dotted white organza over white taffeta. A narrow ruffle framed the table around the edges at the top and the full skirt dropped to the floor. The table was centered with the bride's book featuring a picture of the bride and groom on the front cover and a tall white candle imbedded with the couple's wedding invitation. Mrs. Jack Merchant of Sweeney, cousin of the bride, and Miss Cheryl Frederick directed signatures of the guests.

Mrs. Bill Bates, organist, played a medley of traditional wedding selections. These included "Liebestraum", "Traumerl", "Arise", "Evening Star", "The Wedding Prayer" and "Whither Thou Goest". She heralded the approach of the bride to the altar with "The Wedding March" from Lohengrin by Wagner and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Ray Cummings who sang "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" for the recessional.

Mrs. Cummings furnished her own piano accompaniment for two pre-nuptial solos "Follow Me" and "Wedding Song", the latter presented for the bride's attendants to precede her to the altar.

The solemnity of the occasion was emphasized in the altar decorations through the white-cushioned face-to-face prayer bench entwined with baby's breath and pink roses and the unity candlestick decorated in the same theme, both pieces symbolizing the place of prayer and fidelity in a successful marriage.

Complementing these were a brass archway enwrapped with baby's breath dotted with pink roses and topped with a pink satin bow accented with two white doves, and two heart-shaped votive candelabra. The setting was completed with two bouquets of pink carnations and white spider mums supported by white Grecian columns in the lower altar. Pink satin bows marked pews for family members.

The bride was especially lovely as she was presented in marriage for both parents by her father who escorted her to the altar. As they walked the aisle, she paused to express her love to her mother through the gift of a red rose. As she and her groom started their exit from the church, she bestowed a duplicate floral token on the groom's mother.

For her wedding, the bride chose a formal gown of white silk organza over peau de soie. The sweetheart neckline, empire waist and bishop sleeves were adorned with Venise lace appliques. The attractiveness of the A-line skirt was enhanced with dainty chapel pleats in front and an attached train of chapel length in the back.

The bride's veil of illusion drifted to the popular fingertip length from a pearl-encrusted Juliet cap. She carried a bouquet of pink pixie carnations, red roses, gypsophila and English ivy that covered and

cascaed from a white lace-covered Bible which belonged to her mother, and provided the "something borrowed" bridal tradition.

For "something new", she wore earrings set with diamonds and rubies, a gift from the groom. She carried a linen handkerchief that had belonged to her late great-grandmother for "something blue" and "something old", and completed the rhyme with the sixpence in her shoe.

A maid of honor, matron of honor and two bridesmaids made an attractive picture in their long pink Qiana knit sleeveless gowns which were fashioned with flattering drop cowl necklines and unusual treatment of shoulder ties. Special waistline interest was created with self belts that tied in dainty bows. They wore gold necklaces presented to them by the bride. Blending with their formal gowns were their nosegays of pink carnations, white spider mums, baby's breath and satin streamers which showered floorward.

Miss Jan Tennant participated in the wedding as maid of honor. Mrs. Mark Simons of Abilene held the position as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Kim Baca and Miss Kim Costello, sister of the groom.

The petite flower girl was Miss Crystal Collier of Wichita Falls, cousin of the bride. She wore a long flocked pink polyester dress with a round neckline and cap sleeves trimmed in lace.

Brett Ming, nephew of the groom, carried the two rings on a white satin heart-shaped pillow. His attire matched that of the groomsmen and ushers.

Attending the groom as best man was Roger York. Groomsmen were Vance Walck of Wichita Falls, Dan Williams and Mike Costello, brother of the groom. Duties of ushering were assigned to Roger Cummings of Fort Worth, brother of the bride, and Steve Ming, the groom's brother-in-law.

The groom, groomsmen, ushers, ring bearer and fathers of the couple wore tuxedos that reflected a color harmony and unity. Each wore a tuxedo Regency tuxedo, the groom and fathers wore white shirts trimmed in variegated ruffles and all other male participants wore pink shirts.

Mothers of the couple graced their wedding dresses with cymbidium orchids worn on their shoulders. Mrs. Cummings was attired in a dress of soft pink voile accented with pale blue floral prints. In design, the dress featured a blouson bodice, V-neckline and long sleeves. Mrs. Costello wore a three-piece blue polyester dress with matching sheer sleeves.

Immediately after the wedding, the newlyweds were honored at a reception given by the bride's parents in the Fellowship Hall of the church where decorations repeated the colors chosen for the wedding.

True to form, the bride's table captured attention in the setting and presented beauty in a most gracious fashion. It was draped to the floor with a white lace cloth flounced at the top over white crepe.

The three-tiered sentimental and frilly bride's cake with romantic traditions and a covering of royal white icing stood out beautifully in the table decor. Clusters of pink roses contrasted softly with the deep white garlands on the sides and the scallop shell, star and bead borders around each layer. Tall white cherub pillars that separated the second and third tiers were embraced with the pink

rosebuds that trailed from pillar to pillar.

A sentimental theme characterized the top ornament where cherubs posed on a filigree heart trimmed in tulle, pink and white blossoms offered a romantic serenade to the bride and groom.

The pink napkins engraved with "The Greatest of These Is Love - Patricia and Brad, April 12, 1980", and the silver punch bowl further adorned the table where Miss Karren Brown, Miss Inga Brown and Miss Cindy Riley served.

Mrs. Steve Ming, sister of the groom, and Miss Sandra Sorey presided at the groom's table laid with ecru cut lace over brown linen. The appointments were a three-branched silver candelabrum holding tall brown tapers, a heart-shaped chocolate cake decorated with pink frosting roses and lettered with "Brad and Patricia" and the silver coffee service.

Elsewhere in the setting, a round table covered with pink polyester overlaid with pink dotted white organza held a large white basket with a handle laced with pink satin ribbon filled with the pink satin rice rosebuds. These were handed out by Jami Ming, the groom's niece. Another table decorated in the chosen scheme held an anniversary candle.

Houseparty members were Mmes. Alton Hunter, Max Solomon, Eddie Sasser, Ken Hines, Charles Heacox and James Adams.

The dinner held in connection with the rehearsal for the wedding was given by the groom's parents Friday evening at the Country House in Wichita Falls.

The newlyweds are at home in Iowa Park. They are planning a wedding trip to Washington D.C. and West Virginia later in the spring. They were both graduated from Iowa Park High School in 1977. She is a junior at Midwestern State University majoring in elementary education and works in the business office.

## Prayers discussed

Rev. Michael Jackson discussed "Prayers of Jesus" for a special meeting of the United Methodist Women Tuesday morning. He chose Christ's prayers in the cry of jubilation, Garden of Gethsemane, at the grave of Lazarus, in the temple and as high priest for emphasis.



MRS. BRADLEY COSTELLO

She was freshman nominee for Outstanding Woman of the Year and class beauty. He is employed by Cryovac.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Knowles of Bedford and Mrs. H.E. Cummings of Bonham, grandparents of the bride; others were Mrs. Gary Carley, Kimberly and Kent of Farmers Branch, Mrs. Odie Fuchshuber and Hector Eduardo De Leon, both of Fort Worth, Mrs. Rita Kirby, Mike and Daniel of Irving, and Barry Woods of San Antonio.

## Salad supper fetes members

Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha held its annual salad supper for members, former members and sponsors and guests Tuesday evening in the Fellowship Hall of First Christian Church.

A spring theme was carried out in table decorations which featured white cloths with blue, yellow and pink runners topped with matching carnations in bud vases. The same hues were used in the ribbon favors accented with bows and small roses. The musical program following the

meal was provided by the Madrigal Singers of Iowa Park High School, directed by Miss Janet Walker. Grous selections, solo, duet and trio numbers were included in the program.


Committees responsible for the function included Mmes. Paul Tigrett and Roy Reid, decorations; Barry Spruiell, favors; Robert Needham, Richard Hicks, name tags; Tim Hunter, Allen Gilstrap, program.

Mrs. Bud Mercer, president, welcomed guests.

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# Willhite-Sargent wedding vows exchanged Saturday

When Miss Gloria Ann Willhite exchanged wedding vows with Michael J. Sargent Saturday afternoon, she was wearing a beautiful formal white satin and Venice silk lace gown that she had made, according to the mode of Designer Belinda Bellville. Special details of the bodice which accentuated the charm of the gown were rows of French tucks in both front and back, the ones in front being covered with lace appliques, a scoop neckline, and sheer organza bishop sleeves terminating in satin cuffs. A self-belt hugged the waistline and tied in a soft bow in the back. The full skirt floated gracefully into a chapel train.



MRS. MICHAEL J. SARGENT

yellow and blue were reflected in the long gowns worn by her attendants. Mrs. Mathew Brown, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. She wore a gown of peach sheer flocked with yellow-centered white daisies styled with a fitted bodice and full skirt. The most attractive features of the costume were an elbow-length capelet covering the shoulders and a matching waistline sash that crisscrossed in front and terminated in a soft bow in the back. She wore white gloves and carried a cascade of miniature yellow carnations, white daisies and baby's breath.

The bridesmaids wore gowns identical to Mrs. Brown's, except for color. Mrs. James England, sister of the groom, wore yellow and Mrs. Troy Montgomery of Wichita Falls wore pale blue. They wore white gloves and the carnations in their bouquets matched the colors of their gowns.

Stephanie Shelton and Amy Trollinger of West, the flower girls, wore white sheer dresses flocked with yellow daisies made with fitted bodices, short sleeves, sashes and gathered skirts. They wore white gloves and scattered crepe paper rose and daisy petals in the bride's path from natural wicker baskets.

Chris Trollinger of West wore a beige suit as he carried the rings for the service.

The groom chose to wear a western-style ivory tuxedo trimmed in satin with a white shirt and a yellow carnation centered with a white rose for his boutonniere. His attendants wore shirts coordinating with the colors of the bridal attendants' gowns with their western-style ivory tuxedos.

The men who took part in the wedding were Donnie Dowell as best man, James England and Wayne Willhite of Blanca, Colo., brother of the bride, as groomsmen. Duties of ushering were assigned to Darrel Willhite and Danny Sargent, brothers of the bride and groom.

Mrs. Willhite, mother of the bride, was attired in a long sheer lavender print dress set apart with a matching cape, and Mrs. Sargent, mother of the groom, wore a full length toast chiffon with long sleeves and a gold belt. Each wore a corsage composed of white sweetheart roses and yellow daisies.

The wedding reception and buffet dinner were held at the American Legion Hall in Wichita Valley Farms. The quartet tables for the meal were centered with candles softened by net and ribbon trim.

The bride's table was covered with white lace over white damask. A bouquet of yellow gladioli and iris, white daisies and emerald greenery appointed the center of the table. The extremities were marked with a silver punch bowl and the bride's cake.

The imposing style of the three-tiered cake was enhanced with frosting dexterity featured in floral ornamentation of white daisies and roses, garlands and string work. Tall white columns raised the top tier from which wedding bells dangled to show iridescent doves on the layer below. The eloquent top ornament was a silver cross bearing two rings expressing the meaning and permanence of marriage.

The groom's chocolate cake was served with coffee from a silver service at a table covered with yellow linen cloth with a floor-length white net skirt.

Reception and buffet assistants were Mmes. Martha Trollinger, Danny Shelton, Don Ondrej of West, John Ondrej and Lorenz Kluck of Waco. Miss Nancy Sonneman of

Wichita Falls presided at the table where guests registered in the bride's book with a white plume pen.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday evening at Salt-Lick Restaurant.

The new Mrs. Sargent was graduated from Sierra Grande High School in Blanca, Colo. and attended Baylor University at Waco. She is a cashier-checker at the main exchange at Sheppard Air Force Base and organist for chapel 2.

The groom was graduated from Iowa Park High School and TSTI at Waco. He is manager of the E&S Exxon Station.

The couple will live in Iowa Park following a wedding trip to Colorado.

Other out-of-town wedding guests were Mrs. Otto Brinkman of Waco, grandmother of the bride; Messrs. Danny Shelton and Don Ondrej of West and John Ondrej of Waco.

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daisies and baby's breath accented with cascading ivy. The ribbon that trimmed her garter made from the satin and lace in her gown was the touch of blue to the bridal costume.

The bride's father escorted her to the altar and gave her in marriage for both parents. Chapel 2 at Sheppard Air Force Base was the scene of the wedding. The minister who officiated the double-ring service to unite the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Willhite of Blanca, Colo. and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin J. Sargent of Iowa Park, was Rev. Paul A. Kluge, pastor of the Zion United Church of Christ, Evangelical Reformed, Waco.

The altar decorations featured two triangle-shaped arrangements of yellow gladioli and iris, white daisies, leather and emerald, and branched candelabra holding candles which were lighted by Patrick Sargent, brother of the groom.

The musical setting was provided by Miss Linda Krottinger, organist, who played a medley of wedding selections preceding the ceremony. She played Handel's "Largo" for the bridal attendants to walk the aisle to the altar, then changed to "Festive March" for the bride's walk. She concluded her offerings with "God of Grace and God of Glory" for the recessional.

The bride's chosen colors of peach,

## Flower show date is set

The Iowa Park Garden Club will hold its annual Flower Show April 25 at Texas Electric Reddy Room. Mrs. Michael Hodson and Mrs. David Parkey are chairmen of the show.

A silver tray will be awarded to the person whose arrangement is selected People's Choice and each person who attends the show may cast a vote to help determine the winner of the honor. The show is free and door prizes will be given each hour from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Members of the club met Friday to make final plans for the show at Texas Electric Reddy Room. Posters were made to be placed in various businesses in town.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. L.C. Hill and Mrs. Margarette Archer. Mrs. Michael Hodson won the door prize.

### Friendly Door Lunch Menu

Fri., April 18 - Country stew, red beans, pickles, onions, purple plums.  
Mon., April 21 - Italian steak, spaghetti, green beans, salad, apple fried pie.

Tues., April 22 - Fried chicken, potatoes, peas, carrots, three bean salad, cup cakes.

Wed., April 23 - Pork casserole, macaroni, tomatoes, corn, slaw, pears.  
Thurs., April 24 - Ground beef pie, baked beans, salad, fruit jello.

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Monday, April 21 - Enchiladas w/cheese & chili, meat & cheese sandwich, soup, whole kernel corn, steamed vegetables, chocolate & plain milk, banana pudding.

Tuesday, April 22 - Chicken fried steak, meat & cheese sandwich, soup, mashed potatoes & gravy, steamed vegetables, hot rolls & butter, chocolate & plain milk, Wacky Cake.

Wednesday, April 23 - Cheeseburgers, meat & cheese sandwich, soup, French fries, pinto beans, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, chocolate & plain milk, ice cream bars.

Thursday, April 24 - Italian spaghetti, meat & cheese sandwich, soup, green beans, combination salad, cheese toast, chocolate & plain milk, peanut clusters.

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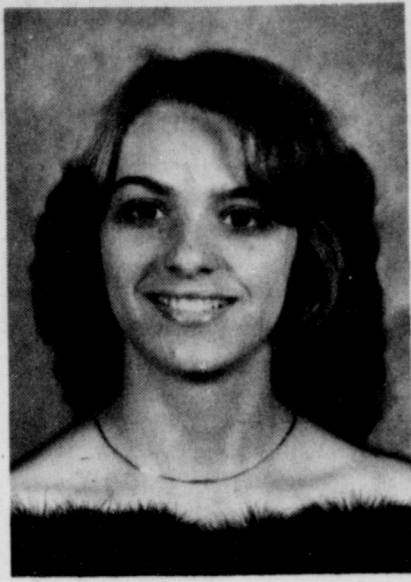
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## Michele Baker named finalist

Michele Baker, a senior at Iowa Park High School, has been named a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship competition. She has received a stipend to the University of Texas at Austin.



MICHELE BAKER

Miss Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Baker, began National Merit competition in October 1978 along with approximately 1.3-million other junior and senior high school students. She was successful in becoming a semifinalist and then being named finalist in March of this year.

She proposes to major in biological sciences at the University of Texas at Austin.

## Leader receives press awards

The Iowa Park Leader received three awards during the annual convention of the North and East Texas Press Association Saturday at Fort Worth.

A plaque for first place in news photos and certificates for third place in news story and fourth place in general excellence were accepted by Mrs. Bob Hamilton, co-publisher.

Entries were submitted from newspapers published during 1979. Four divisions are judged: small weeklies, large weeklies, small dailies and large dailies.

## Watson winner in zone contest

Wayne Watson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Earl Watson, won his division in the Optimist International Oratorical zone contest held Sunday at Texas Electric Reddy Room in Wichita Falls. He competed against speakers from Wichita Falls and Vernon.

Watson will now progress to district competition to be held May 3 at Tyler where zone winners will vie for \$500 scholarships. At the zone meeting, he delivered his outstanding oration on "Our Challenge in the '80s".

The Iowa Park Optimist Club has sponsored the oratorical contest seven years. Watson won first in his division on the local level in February. Almost \$40,000 in scholarship money is awarded annually by Optimist International.

## Iowa Park girl overall winner

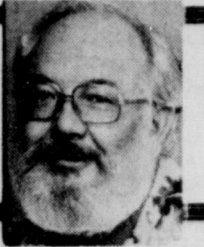
Kayla Nault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nault, was the overall winner in Miss Dixie Talent in the Silhouettes of America Southern Belle Pageant held in Wichita Falls Saturday and Sunday.

She was awarded a trophy, crown and banner for her twirling and modeling competition, and will be eligible to compete in the national pageant at Lawton, Okla. in July.

Launa Thrush and Peni Lee won several ribbons and trophies in competition and Peni was named first alternate Miss Dixie Deb.

# As I See It....

By BOB HAMILTON



I've been putting this off for so long, I can't remember when it was that I first started putting it off.

What it is that I've wanted to tell you about concerns some of the services the Iowa Park Leader provides, free of charge. Now, this isn't your normal column material. But there seems to be so much confusion about some of the services, that I think now is the time to quit putting it off.

Most of these services are charged for at other newspapers, some of them are limited in scope, and some just aren't allowed.

For instance, the Leader does not charge for a "card of thanks." That is, on a personal note, not commercial. I've never been able to bring myself to charge someone for saying thank you to those who've helped them in some way or another.

You are expected to write it yourself, however.

Some of my fellow publishers have really taken me to task for this policy.

No, we don't charge for wedding or engagement stories. Not even for the pictures. In fact, if you need a wedding or engagement picture to run with your story, and haven't one, we'll take it for you, free. We certainly don't charge for a news picture of an automobile wreck, or for a picture of a fullback scoring a touchdown.

I must admit, there are some things

we don't permit, that other publications do, however. We do not print, for free, poetry. This is a can of worms I'd rather not get involved with, if I can help it. Poetry requires a certain amount of room and we just don't have the space for it. Maybe some day, it'll change.

We encourage your letters to the editor, regardless of the subject. If they are not liable and are signed, we will print them. If you don't want your name published, make it known. But the letter must remain in our files and be available to anyone wanting to read it, and the signature, if they desire.

I'd like to see half a dozen letters to the editor each week. I know I enjoy reading them, and I think the public in general does also.

A community newspaper must be just that, reflecting the community it serves. There must be limitations, of course. But when news coverage and limitations are done without favor,

equal, objectively, the end result is a better-informed community and a newspaper with credibility.

## Little League start April 26

The Little League regular season will start April 26 and will be kicked off with a parade through downtown at 9 a.m.

All teams are to report to their manager at the junior high school. The parade will start there and break up at Park West Shopping Center, according to Mike Wilson, League president.

The MuleSkinners will be cooking and serving sandwiches during the morning.

Games will begin at 11 a.m. at W.F. George Field and 5 p.m. at Burnett Field.

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## Epsilon Eta wins awards

Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha won a number of district awards during the District VI convention held at Gateway Inn in

Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mrs. Phil McDonald was named District VI "First Year Member" and Mrs. Bud Mercer won second place in "Outstanding ESAer" and received the "ESA Member" award for having rushed the most pledges during 1979-80.

The chapter won the service award for sponsoring the Red Cross Bloodmobile visits to Iowa Park during the year; first place on the educational program for March and second place for the year's programs on "Continuing Education with Friends", coordinated by Mrs. Carter Pirkle; and placed third as outstanding chapter in the district.

Mrs. Frank Harlin, member at large, who presented the annual Maxine Larson award to sorority chapters having the largest increase in membership, gave two engraved silver platters this year, one to Epsilon Eta chapter and the other to Sigma Iota chapter at Bedford.

Mrs. Jean Hudnall directed the installation of officers for 1980-81.

Announcement was made of the state convention at Fort Worth May 23-25 and the next District VI meeting at Eules June 22.

Others attending from Iowa Park were Mmes. Luther Shaw, member at large, Bill Hrcirik, Jean Proulx, Fulton Wheeler, Jim Spears, and Darrell Gunderson.

## Municipal Court Records

Results of municipal court held here Thursday were:

Randy McLaugh, disobey stop sign, \$28.50;

Donnie Ray Taylor, speeding, \$30.50;

Linda Johnson Hatfield, speeding, \$28.50;

Gilbert Henry Sutton, fail to stop at stop sign, \$28.50;

Leslie John Chambers, improper left turn, \$28.50;

David Wayne Turner, speeding, enroll in Defensive Driving Course, \$29.50;

Denneth Dale McCreary, speeding, \$33.50;

Dale Scott Ridley, speeding, \$28.50;

Keith Ray Karstetter, speeding, \$29.50;

Larry Keith Latimer, speeding, \$32.50;

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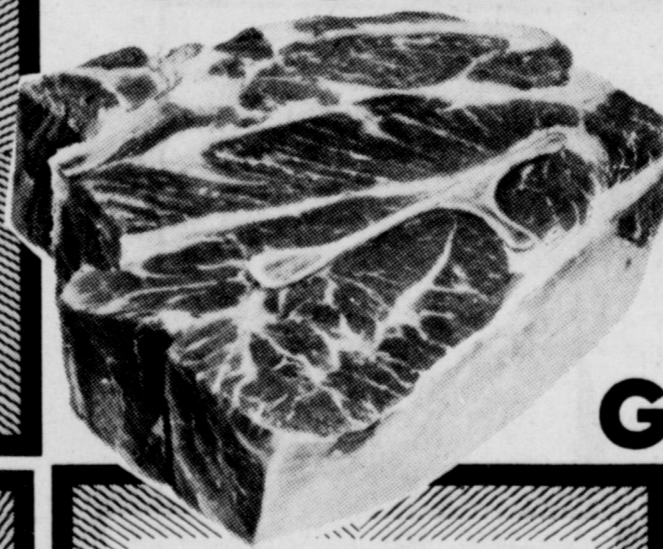
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# Obituaries

## Seebie O. Hail

Services for Seebie O. Hail, 71, were Tuesday afternoon in Tanner-Aulds Funeral Home.

The Rev. Jerry Parker, pastor of Jefferson Street Baptist Church in Wichita Falls, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Born Feb. 24, 1909, in Wise County, he had been a resident of Iowa Park 60 years before moving to Wichita Falls 3 1/2 years ago. He was married to Leola Mae Heaton Aug. 6, 1932, in Walters, Okla. He was a Baptist and retired carpenter.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Mrs. Jessie Hail of Iowa Park; three daughters, Betty Norwood of Olney, June Dickerson of Iowa Park and Mary Rye of Petrolia; a brother, Clyde of Iowa Park; a sister, Oleta Hughes of Wichita Falls; 20 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Frank Blancett, Joe Dickerson, Eddie Dickerson, Steve Norwood, Mike Mason, Jimmy Rye, Raymond Hail and J.D. Lasley.

## Mrs. C.O. Whitman

Services for Mrs. C.O. "Frances" Whitman, 48, were held Friday in First Baptist Church at Electra.

Rev. Joe Ainsworth, pastor, and Rev. Miles Graham, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiated. Burial was in the Electra Memorial Park under direction of James B. Totten & Son Funeral Home.

Mrs. Whitman was born Feb. 29, 1932, in Greenwood and had lived in Electra most of her life.

She is survived by her husband; a son, Chuck of Electra; five daughters, Sherry Wilson of Oklahoma City, Barbara Couch of Wichita Falls, Mary Peterson of Holliday, Linda and Brenda Whitman of the home; four brothers, Dewey Branch of Jacksboro, Raymond Branch of Electra, Ralph and Farrell Branch, both of Eunice, N.M.; four sisters, Lillian Jones of San Angelo, Val Jean Martin of Ponca City, Okla., Doris Ware of Quanah, Verta Mae Nolan of Eunice, N.M.; her mother, Anna Mae Branch of Quanah; and four grandchildren.

## Wayne Hartgrove

Services for Wayne Edward Hartgrove, 45, will be today at 11 a.m. at the Iowa Park Church of God. The Rev. W.F. Williams, pastor, will officiate.

Burial will be in Crestview Memorial Park under direction of Tanner-Aulds Funeral Home.

A five-year resident of Iowa Park, he was born March 28, 1935, in Dallas. He was a self-employed superintendent of a commercial construction company. He was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Irving where he lived before moving to Iowa Park and he was active in REACT.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Henry Stevens Jr. of Irving; a son, Scott of Iowa Park; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Ramsey of Iowa Park; a sister, Wanda Rogers of Dallas; and two grandchildren.

## Mrs. Mattye Dell Hale

Services for Mrs. Mattye Dell Hale, 79, who died Wednesday morning in a Wichita Falls hospital, will be today at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church at Crockett. Burial will be in Cedar Point Cemetery under direction of Callaway Funeral Home. Local arrangements are directed by Tanner-Aulds Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hale was born July 30, 1900, at Crockett and lived there until three years ago when she moved to Iowa Park. She was a retired bookkeeper for REA, a member of the Eastern Star Lodge at Crockett and the First Baptist Church in Iowa Park.

She is survived by one son, Lee Hale of Iowa Park and two grandchildren.

## E.C. McKenzie

Mrs. Ruth Gard was notified this week of the death of E.C. (Mac) McKenzie, minister of the Iowa Park Church of Christ between 1925-27, in a letter from his wife.

He was living in Canton at the time of his death Feb. 24.

He had been a minister 62 years and preached from a wheel chair a short time before his death. He is survived by his wife, one daughter and several grandchildren.

## Mrs. Polly Beavers

Services for Mrs. Polly Beavers, 72, who died Monday in a Metairie, La. hospital, will be Friday at 11 a.m. in Tanner-Aulds Funeral Home. Rev. Charles Hensley, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery.

She was born Oct. 23, 1907, in Dougherty, Okla. and had been a resident of Metairie 37 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Betty Mahoney of Monongahela, Penn.; a brother, Brad Kemp of Oklahoma City; two sisters, Linnie Lakey of Houston and Katie Garner of La.; two grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

# Local artists' works to be viewed Monday

The Philia Study Club members had an opportunity to appreciate the talent of local artists Monday evening when they met at Country Collections Art Gallery for a tour directed by Mrs. Bill Gilmore, owner.

Mrs. Gilmore introduced Jack Stevens, renowned bronze sculptor artist, who displayed some of his current works and gave the background of his art emphasizing the proper use of God-given talents.

Club members later assembled at the home of Mrs. Vern Horsky for a business meeting. Mrs. Michie Compton was co-hostess.

Mrs. Thomas Johnson conducted the business. Mrs. Deryl James gave the federation counselor's report.

Mrs. James Cowley was named chairman of the Santa Rosa District Scholarship committee and Mrs. Jerry Padgett was appointed chairman of the summer reading program held at the Iowa Park Library.

Mrs. Johnson announced the TFWC Convention at Amarillo April 24-27, stating that Mrs. James who won first place in the Fashions for Fun contest at the district convention would compete at state.

Mrs. Compton brought the devotion on "Spiritual Insight" by Lewis E. Bisch and Mrs. Herman

Escue led the group reading of "Whatever Your Gift". Roll call was answered with

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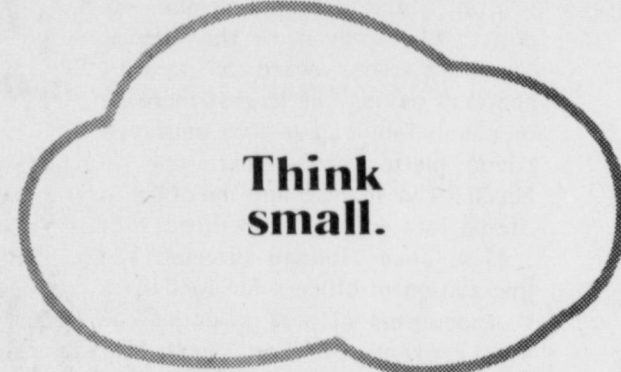
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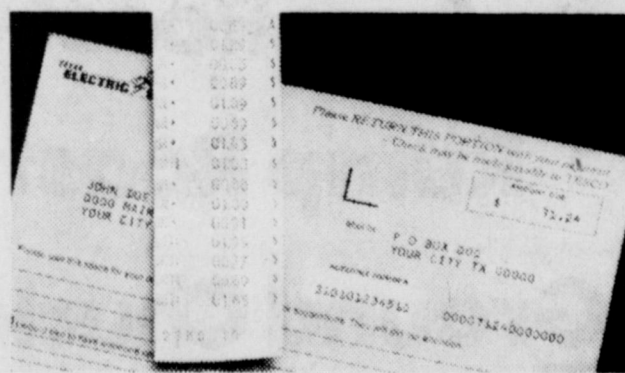
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TERRY PARNELL AND JAKE COTTRELL [right] are sworn in during Monday night's school board meeting. Cottrell will serve his first term while Parnell won re-election to the board.

## Trustees re-elect Mankins president

School trustee Tommy Mankins was re-elected president of the Holliday school board during Monday night's meeting.

Also elected were Jack Ayres, vice-president, and Terry Parnell, secretary.

Incumbent Parnell and Jake Cottrell were issued the oath of office by Mankins.

Trustees voted to furnish a school bus or pay 50-cents per mile for a chartered bus to send 27 U.L.L. band solo and ensemble students to Austin May 30.

A resolution passed stating that anyone not affiliated with the school should seek permission from the school board before using school facilities.

In other business, bids were accepted for a new van, T.A. Litteken was hired to draw plans for the new vocational building and results of an audit by the Texas Education Agency were given.

Slack Ford Co., of Bowie submitted the lowest bid for a new van at \$250 over invoice cost.

T.A. Litteken of Wichita Falls was hired to draw plans and provide the architect's stamp for the new vocational building for a \$1,500 fee.

Results from the Texas Education Agency, audit department, were excellent, according to Ray Coe, superintendent. The only thing sent back to Coe was an unsigned form which Mankins signed during the meeting.

Don Talley and Louis Hodge informed the board of the last meeting of the county-wide tax appraisal board. Talley showed board members the basic changes in the tax tables, including the future appraisals for taxes at 100 percent market value. One example by Talley and Hodge showed a 1979 property tax at \$85.92 jumping to \$276.71 at 10 percent market value appraisal in 1980 if the same rate is applied.

## Miss Emma

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better than staying in a nursing home. They are so cold and impersonal."

Having lived on Social Security for 31 years, Emma is quite an expert on how to live on a fixed income. "You have to be particular about what you use your Social Security check on," warned Emma, "it's getting especially bad with the utility rates climbing so fast."

When most people in this area hear "April 10", the first thing that comes to mind is the killer tornado that hit Wichita Falls. Emma was alone in her home that day when news came over the television that a tornado was in the vicinity of Holliday. "I couldn't get out of my rocker, and I knew I couldn't go far with my walker, so I just sat there," said Emma. "I was terrified, paralyzed with fear that the tornado would get me. But then I just started praying to the Lord, prayed like I never had before, and He saw fit to save me," she continued.

"The next day, I heard the tornado took a wide turn around Holliday," said Emma, "and I just knew the Lord had answered my prayers."

It is no wonder Emma is so religiously devoted. "I have been a Baptist for 80 years now," she stated. Her grandfather came overseas from Ireland in the mid 1800s, and married a woman from Tennessee. The mixture of Irish Protestant and Southern Baptist prevailed throughout three generations of Murphrees, and Emma believes her devotion is the answer to her longevity.

Through 96 years, Emma has lived through good and bad times, and has

overcome adversities from the day she was born. And, although time has taken its toll on her physically, Emma still has a sparkle in her eyes, and a sense of humor polished with age, which leads you to believe she will live to enjoy many more birthdays in the future, "Godwilling", as Emma would put it.

## Holliday School Menu

Friday, April 18

Breakfast: Cereal, milk, fruit.  
Lunch: Sandwiches, lettuce and tomatoes, potato rounds, peanut butter cookies, milk.

Monday, April 21

Breakfast: Buttered toast, peanut butter, jelly, milk, fruit.  
Lunch: Burritos, Ranch Style beans, salad, peach crunch, milk.

Tuesday, April 22

Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, milk, juice.

Lunch: Turkey and dressing, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, green beans, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, April 23

Breakfast: Biscuits, gravy, milk, fruit.

Lunch: Chili beans, macaroni and tomatoes, turnip greens, corn bread, fruit, milk.

Thursday, April 24

Breakfast: Cereal, milk, juice.  
Lunch: Chalupa, taco salad, cheese, tomatoes, lettuce, jello, milk.

## Holliday News

### Lady Eagles champs

The Lady Eagle track team captured the team trophy at the District 13-A track meet Friday in Holliday.

The Holliday girls nudged Boyd for first place with 134 points to Boyd's 131½. Nocona was third at 131.

First place winners from Holliday were Laura Holt in the shot put, Jamie Smyers long jump, and Donna McGill 400 Meters.

The Lady Eagles swept the 1600 meter run with Lori Denney placing first, followed by Cindy Davis and Paye Wood.

The 800 meter relay team consisting of Cathy Halencak, Smyers, Holt and McGill placed second. The 400 meter relay team of Smyers, Halencak, McGill and Nancy O'Neil also finished second.

Terah Molina finished second in the 800 meter dash.

Third place finishers were McGill high jump, and Halencak 100 meters.

Kristi Lucy finished fourth in the 100 meter hurdles and fifth in the triple jump.

Placing sixth was Lonnita Moore in the 400 meters, and Smyers 200 meters.

In the junior high division, the eighth grade girls won the team title, outpointing second place Petrolia by 51 points.

First place winners from Holliday were Terri Davis 200 meters, Krish Williams 100 meter hurdles, Karen Molina 400 meters and the 400, 800 and 1600 meter relay teams.

Placing second was Laura Lowder triple jump, Leslie Mankins shot put, Susan Lowe 400 meters.

Finishing third was Suzy Allen 1600 meters and Lowder 100 meters.

The seventh grade girls placed third behind Nocona and Petrolia with 106 team points. Nocona placed first with 178.

First place winners were Buffie Broyles in the long jump, and the 400 and 1600 meter relay teams.

Finishing second was Stephanie Loyd shot put, and the 800 meter relay team.

Third place winners were Deanna Chase in the discus, Broyles 800 meters, and Rebecca Cox 400 meters.

### Former pro is speaker

Don Rives, six-year professional tackle for the Chicago Bears, will be the keynote speaker at the Holliday all-sports banquet, according to Don Lucy, athletic director.

The banquet will be held Monday, at 7:30 p.m., in the high school gymnasium. Tickets are \$4.

After playing high school football at Wheeler, Rives was recruited by Texas Tech, where he garnered All-SWC honors in 1971 and 1972, and was named second team Associated Press All-American in 1972.

Rives was drafted by the Bears in 1972, where he played six years. He has a wife, Sammie, and one son, Chad.

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