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LITTLE-KNOWN FACT:

City is bird sanctuary

By Myrna Smith

Iowa Park was designated a bird sanctuary 22 years ago, however, the casual observer, or anyone passing through town would hardly notice.

Only two small signs are posted in the city to attest the fact, and these are at both approaches to Iowa Park on Loop 370.

Mrs. Sam Hunter, Mrs. Erwin Soell and Mrs. James A. Sewell, who were members of the Iowa Park Garden Club, were the initial instigators to have Iowa Park ordained a bird sanctuary.

It was at the Sept. 23, 1968 meeting of the city council that the entire area embraced within the corporate limits of the city be designated as such.

Present for that meeting were Dr. Erwin F. Soell, mayor, H.M. Mahler, Gerald Cormaday, Taylor George, Bill G. Robinson, and Charles H. Bentley, aldermen, and Dosia S. Smith, city secretary.

Others at the meeting were city secretary-elect K.G. Wilks, O. N. Newman, city attorney, Raymond C. Shook, fire marshal, Mrs. Betty Aull and two friends and Mrs. Soell, community service chairman and Mrs. Sewell, conservation chairman of Iowa Park Garden Club.

Several members of the club, as well as others in town were interested in birds and wildlife, and thought it would be good to have a bird sanctuary so residents would take care of the birds as they migrated.

At the meeting of the city council the ordinance was passed and approved that "it shall be unlawful to trap, hunt, shoot or attempt to shoot or molest in any manner any bird or wild fowl or to rob bird nests or wild fowl nests."

Perhaps the most difficult aspect of the sanctuary responsibility is accepting grackles and starlings. Their presence at the feeding stations can be more tolerated by supplying cheaper foods, such as cracked corn, tossed on the ground some distance from regular feeders.

"This method seems an easier solution than being constantly on the



SO EVERYONE WILL KNOW ABOUT IOWA PARK
... as they enter the city limits.

alert to frighten them away, and, after all, they are hungry too," Mrs. Hunter said.

A provision was made in the ordinance that "if starlings or similar birds are found to be congregating in such numbers in a particular locality that they constitute a nuisance or menace to health or property in the opinion of the proper health authorities of the City of Iowa Park, then in such event said health authorities shall meet with representatives of the Audubon Society, Bird Club, Garden Club or Hu-

mane Society, and as many of said clubs as are found to exist in the City of Iowa Park, after having given at least three days actual notice of the time and place of said meeting to the representatives of said club."

According to the ordinance, "If as a result of said meeting no satisfactory alternative is found to abate such nuisance, then said birds may be destroyed in such numbers and in such manner as is deemed advisable by said health authorities under the supervision of the Chief of Police of the City of Iowa Park.

"Anyone violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$100."

Mrs. Hunter said, "In about 1968 several Iowa Parkans were interested in organizing a bird club. They liked to feed them in winter and watch them

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distinctive design commemorating the base's 50 years.

The design includes the names of Iowa Park, Burkburnett and Wichita Falls.

Because all costs involved in the programs sold by the Chamber at the playoff games are not yet completed, President Harold Smith said a final report on profits would be made in the future.

Smith acknowledged, however, that restaurants and gasoline stations had all profited from hosting the games here and expressed appreciation to school officials for their assistance and use of the facilities.

Smith said a committee would be named before next fall to work out details for financing trophies presented to winners of playoff games held here.

Larry Dutton announced he was donating the plaque that marks the city's time capsule which is located on the Chamber's lawn.

Dutton also recognized the work of David Collins in improving the surface of the concrete stand on which the plaque is mounted.

Major sewer project is facing city council

The results of a six-month study of the city's sewer transmission system was presented to the city council Monday night in the form of a 141-page book and reviewed by engineer Kerry Maroney.

Overflowing manholes caused by heavy rains last spring prompted the council's call for the study, as well as recommendations for remediation.

In his recommendations, Maroney proposed a three-phase program. The first would care for the present to the year 1995; second phase, 1996-2000, and third phase, 2001-2005.

Bottom line for the 15-year project, which took into consideration increases in population, was \$1.45-million.

Mayor Wayne House told the engineer the council would take all the proposals under consideration for further study, but directed him to begin at once drafting plans on one of the plans in phase one.

The Texas Water Commission has directed all municipalities to begin next summer removing chlorine from water being released from waste water treatment plants.

Maroney reported the most economical method for dechlorination is to inject sulphur dioxide. And, because that process completely removes all oxygen from the effluent, it would have to be reintroduced into the water by means of aeration.

When asked why chlorine was harmful to anything in streams where the effluent was released, if humans needed it in treated water, Maroney said he had no explanation. "It's just the rule the commission has put into place."

To accomplish all that, a facility and equipment will cost an estimated \$90,000, Maroney told the council.

Cost figures on the three phases include \$1,050,000, including the dechlorination/recreation facilities, for phase one; \$150,000 for phase two, and \$25,000 for phase three, according to the report presented council members.

The mayor told Maroney to do what was necessary to keep the city out of trouble with the water commission.

LENGTHY MEETING

Because Monday's meeting was the only one scheduled in December, instead of the usual two each month, there were more subjects to be covered.

It was also the last meeting ever for City Administrator James Barrington, who has resigned to accept a similar position in Florida. His last day on the job here will be Jan. 3.

Barrington was presented a plaque in recognition for his work and effort during the past eight years he has worked for the city.

Alderman Diane Robnett made the presentation.

Tammie Lalk was recognized as the city's Employee of the Month.

Topics covered during the balance of the meeting were purchases of equipment and repairs, a policy concerning old tires at the landfill, a grant from the state to be used at Lake Buffalo, and contracting dirt work at the water plant.

Aldermen voted to accept a bid on a one-ton truck for the street department that was submitted by Ron Roberts Ford,



CITY ADMINISTRATOR JAMES BARRINGTON
... with plaque presented before departure.

for \$13,916.

Also approved was a bid on slurry equipment submitted by ScanRoad for \$82,113.25. Financing will include a downpayment from current funds and the balance borrowed from the city's long-term investments.

A bid of \$6,000 for lights to be installed at the senior Little League ballfield, submitted by CED/United Electric was approved.

The city's policy of not accepting discarded tires at the landfill unless they are split, quartered or shredded will be continued, as determined by the unanimous vote of the council.

Because the city is unable to construct a boat ramp at Lake Buffalo, since the existing ramp is approximately 120 feet from the present water's edge, the council voted to release its grant from the state.

Public Works Director Mike Price

explained workers were unable to build the ramp extension, because rains last spring had raised the lake's level. That came just before the state approved a grant for improvements at the lake.

Price said the state wanted the project completed, or the grant released, this calendar year.

Another application will be submitted for the 1991-92 year.

Aldermen voted approval of hiring Gary Crawford, local contractor, to do work at the water treatment plant.

Eventhough Crawford is the son of Aldermen Johnny Crawford, his hiring is legal, according to legal counsel, because he had been working on jobs for the city several years before his father was elected to the council.

Alderman Crawford stepped down from the council table during discussion and did not participate in either discussion or voting.

News Briefs

Area residents welcome rain

It wasn't much, but it was a lot more than had been received through the first 14 days of December.

The slow drizzle that moved into the Iowa Park area Saturday night and

continued through Tuesday deposited .70 of an inch precipitation, according to Virgil Woodfin.

Homeowners as well as farmers said it came at the right time.

Leader deadlines are changed

Today is the deadline for all news and advertising for next week's issue of the *Leader*.

Because of the Christmas holidays, next week's edition will actually carry a Dec. 25 dateline. It will be printed Friday afternoon and be distributed to subscribers, as well as be placed on the newsstands, Monday.

The paper's office will remain closed until Thursday morning, at which

time the staff will commence working on the Jan. 3 issue.

Deadline for news and all display advertising for Jan. 3 will be 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 28.

Classified advertising deadline for the Jan. 3 issue will be 12-noon on Wednesday, Jan. 12.

The Christmas issue will contain Letters to Santa from approximately 1,000 local youngsters.

No trash collections Tuesday

The city's trash trucks will be making their regular routes Monday, Christmas Eve, but will stay in their barn on Christmas Day, according to Mike Price, public works director.

Tuesday's collection routes, including roll-outs, will be picked up on Wednesday.

Christmas trees will be burned on New Year's Eve, a tradition observed

locally over the past several years.

Residents wishing their discarded trees to be picked up should place them at the curb in front of their homes, and call Public Works office, 592-2642, to be carried away.

Those wishing to haul their own trees should take them to the vacant area north of the Will Burnett ball park on East Texas, where a place will be marked for their deposit.

Chamber banquet tickets are put on sale this week

Tickets for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet, to be held Jan. 26 at the high school cafeteria, have gone on sale at the Chamber office.

Cost of the tickets, directors decided at their regular monthly meeting Monday, will be \$8 when purchased in advance and \$9 at the door.

Besides the brisket dinner, cooked and served by the Iowa Park MuleSkinners, those attending will be the first to know the names of this year's award recipients.

Entertainment at the banquet will be provided by the North Texas Men's Choir, many of whom are Iowa Parkans.

Other topics of business covered during the directors' meeting were the 50th anniversary of Sheppard Air Force Base to be observed in 1991, reports of the Chamber's part in attracting three state high school football playoff games, and a donation to the organization.

Glena Via, who is serving on the celebration committee, displayed several different items that are for sale to publicize the event.

She left at the Chamber jackets, sweat shirts, t-shirts, caps, coffee mugs, window stickers and towels, all with a

Christmas program given by 23 Study Club members

"Christmas in Many Lands," was the program given Thursday afternoon for the 23 Study Club annual Christmas meeting.

The meeting at Tom Burnett Memorial Library was hosted by Mmes. Howard Marler, Jim Medlinger and E. F. Soell.

Program theme was "Building Bridges Among Nations." The appropriate quote with the theme, "Blessed is the season which engages the whole world in a conspiracy of love," suggested how Christmas opens the greater narrative of Christ's life, ministry and legacy to the whole world.

Mrs. Riley Thompson gave "A Christmas Meditation" to introduce the program directed by Mrs. John Rentschler.

A study of Christmas customs around the world was given by Frances Park and Mmes. John Clapp, Keith Aulds, Medlinger, D.O. James, Joe Singer and Homer Blalock. Countries included Sweden, Denmark, Philippines, Bulgaria, Poland, Switzerland, Greece, Sicily, Italy and America.

Special music heightened interest in the program. A vocal quartet composed of Mmes. Charles Harrell, Warren McDonald, Aulds and Singer sang "Angels We Have Heard On

High," a French carol, and "Joseph Dearest, Joseph Mild," a German carol. They were accompanied by Mrs. Medlinger, who also presented a keyboard solo, "Christmas Island."

Mrs. Singer contributed "Buon Natale" for a vocal solo, and Mrs. Aulds provided piano accompaniment for her vocal rendition of "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." Mrs. Harrell led group singing of two carols, "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Joy to the World."

In keeping with the Texas Trivia planned for each program of the year, Mrs. C. L. Metz told interesting facts about Snyder which is famous for its Witness Tree, once used for making boundaries.

The meeting was climaxed with the exchange of gifts, after each member had given her monetary gifts to Girls Town, and the serving of Christmas delicacies during the social hour.

Mrs. Soell presented each member with a 1991 "Bless This House" calendar, as has been her custom for many years.

Decorations at the library, both inside and out, bear wishes for the merriest of Christmases, and were beautifully carried out in the room where the meeting was held.



Vonna Lynne Howe and Michael Loyd Bailey

Couple to wed

The engagement of Vonna Lynne Howe and Michael Loyd Bailey is being announced by her parents, Yvonne B. Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Leon J. Howe, all of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy J. Bailey, of Iowa Park, are parents of the future bridegroom.

Miss Howe is a graduate of Rider High School and Vernon Regional Junior College Dept. of Vocational Nursing. Bailey is a graduate of Iowa Park High School.

The couple plan to be married May 4, in Iowa Park.



RAC NEWS

THANK YOU

A sincere thank you to Joe and Wanda Singer, John and Katie Rains, Dale and Mary Thompson, Robert and Lydia Horton, Harold and Linda Smith, Howard and Adell Marlar, and Don and Dee Decker for opening your lovely, Christmas-filled, homes for our third annual Tour of Homes.

SQUARE DANCE CLASS

A Square Dance Class will begin at the RAC on Jan. 14. The time frame will be 7:45 - 10:00 p.m.

BEGINNING CLOGGING CLASS

Beginning Clogging Classes will begin on Jan. 29 at 6 p.m. The clogging instructor would like to plan a Cloggers Reunion about mid January. Everyone who took lessons, even for a short while, will be invited to this reunion. So dust off those shoes and get ready to join the fun.

LOW IMPACT AEROBICS

Low Impact Aerobics Classes will be offered on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings at 8:15, and Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 7:00, beginning Jan. 8.

CLOSED FOR HOLIDAYS

The RAC office will be closed Dec. 24 - Jan. 2. Office hours are 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Mrs. Decker hosts Christmas luncheon

Iowa Park Garden Club members met for a Christmas luncheon Friday in the home of Mrs. Don Decker, and officers to serve the next two years were nominated.

Mrs. John Clapp, president, conducted a short business session. Thought for the day, "My Christmas Wish," was read by Mrs. Gene Young. Members answered roll call with a Christmas tradition observed in their homes.

Mrs. Billy C. Gilmore, chairman of the nominating committee, pre-

sented names of the following members nominated to serve 1991-93:

Mrs. Clapp, president; Mrs. Billy C. Gilmore, vice president; Mrs. Bill J. Gilmore, recording secretary; Mrs. Charlette Kennedy, treasurer; Mrs. Ray Copening, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Kay Cole, historian.

Officers are elected in January and installed at the last meeting in May.

Mrs. Jim Gilmore announced that club members had been notified by the district scrapbook awards chairman that the 1989-90 scrapbook had

been judged at the district level and was found to qualify for state competition.

The scrapbook was compiled by Mrs. Deryl James. It scored 98 out of a possible 100 points.

Mrs. Gilmore also announced that the club's observance of Arbor Day, scheduled for the middle of January, will be postponed until the new RAC is ready for landscaping. Each year in January Garden Club members plant a tree in a public area in observance of Arbor Day.

During the business session, members voted to make a monetary contribution to the Friendship Garden in Washington, D.C. It is a newly constructed area in the National Botanic Gardens which is sponsored by garden clubs across the USA.

Mrs. Billy C. Gilmore displayed a Norfolk Island pine as the horticulture exhibit. She stated that the pine in its natural habitat can reach a height of 200 feet.

Following the business session Mrs. D.O. James, Yard of the Month Chairman, presented a plaque to Mrs. Lucy Price for the Yard of the Year. Mrs. Price resides at 36 Surrey.

Following the presentation members exchanged plants.

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Foreign missions reviewed

Mrs. S.B. Reaves continued the review of a foreign missions newspaper format, prepared by Irma Duke, assistant vice president for the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board's Department, for a meeting of the Thelma Smith Baptist Women of First Baptist Church held Monday at the Church.

The format describes some of the ways Southern Baptists are performing in five Middle East countries, and Yemen was the country focused upon during the review. Mrs. Reaves said witnessing about Christ is prohibited in Yemen because of the Muslim belief and that Christians have to find different ways to minister. She discussed the Baptist Hospital at Jibla, Yemen as one of the greatest ways Southern Baptists have to minister.

The Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board appropriates some \$170,000 to cover annual expenses

that the patients cannot meet. It is an 80-bed facility which employs 150 Yemens, 14 international workers and 19 Southern Baptists representatives.

Mrs. Reaves called attention to the work that has been done there by Dr. Martha, a physician, Bill Koehn, hospital administrator, and an Australian-born midwife, which is making an impact on the country. She discussed the hospital's vaccination program which accounts for 45,000 vaccinations annually, the efforts expended to improve sanitation, decrease mortality among children, home delivery, prenatal care in addition to the normal service and care the hospital provides.

A salad supper preceded a business meeting directed by Mrs. V.I. Woodfin and missionary birthday calendar of prayer by Mrs. E.T. Patterson.

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Gifted students topic of inservice meeting

S.P.A.A.C.E. Inservice meeting was held Nov. 28 at the high school with Pat Coker and Candice McKee as presenters.

Other faculty members attending the session were Coleen Roberts, George Collin, LaRae Collin, Ruby Black, Herman Escue, Pat Davis, Mozelle Sullivan, Janet Bowling, Vicki Johnson, Patricia Costello, Brenda Riley and Sharon Pepiton.

Subjects for discussion included What is Gifted?, characteristics of the gifted, demands and needs of the gifted, good students vs. gifted students, and what will result if needs of gifted students are not met. A brief question and concerns meeting was conducted preceding the lunch hour.

Focus was on curriculum in the afternoon session, including what a differentiated curriculum is not, curriculum based on G.T. needs, including content, process, product, how-tos, what is included, and six pillars of gifted education.

The meeting concluded with questions and concerns and plans for district and for more inservice meetings.

ESA has Christmas dinner

The annual Christmas dinner for members of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority was held Tuesday evening in the home of Denise Henderson.

The traditional dinner was prepared by the members.

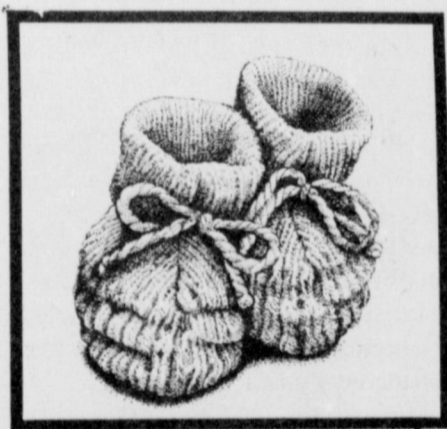
Following the meal, gifts from secret pals were exchanged. To climax the evening, everyone had fun participating in a "Chinese Christmas gift exchange."

Hale is honor graduate

Brett Hale graduated Magna Cum Laude, Dec. 15, from Texas Tech in Lubbock. He received a BBA degree in Accounting.

He is a member of Beta Alpha Psi and Beta Gamma Sigma Fraternities. A graduate of Iowa Park High School, Brett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hale of Iowa Park.

He and his wife Kristy will continue to live in Lubbock, where he will be employed by Ford Bank Group, a bank holding company.



LOOK WHO'S NEW

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ginnings are the parents of a daughter, Stephanie Kay, born Dec. 10, at Wichita General Hospital, weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces. She is the couple's first child. Mrs. Ginnings is the former Connie Heard of Iowa Park.

Grandparents are Lucy Price of Iowa Park and Jim and Ann Ginnings of Wichita Falls.

Great-grandparents are Hallie Price of Iowa Park, Jewell Heard of Seymour, and Marie Hunter of Dallas.

A daughter, Ashleigh Renee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williams Dec. 17, at Wichita General Hospital weighing six pounds, nine ounces.

Grandparents are Jerry and Lydia Starr of Iowa Park, Jimmy and Elizabeth Roberts of Wichita Falls, Ron and Jan Hart of Waco, and Mike and Shirley Williams of Wichita Falls.

Great-grandparents are Jean and Earl Neighbors and Mat Williams all of Wichita Falls.

Great-great-grandparents are Doris and Elmer Mewbourn of Vernon.

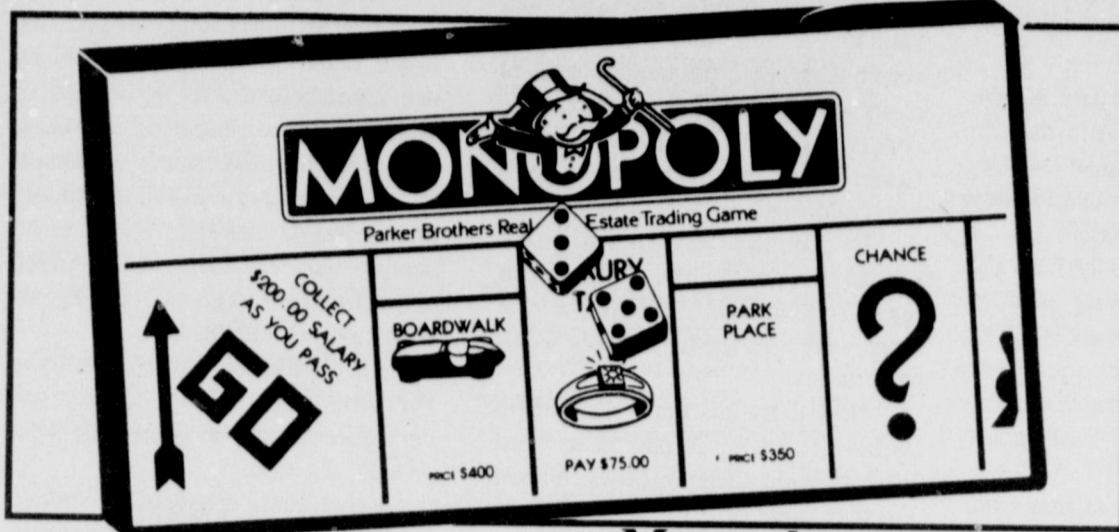
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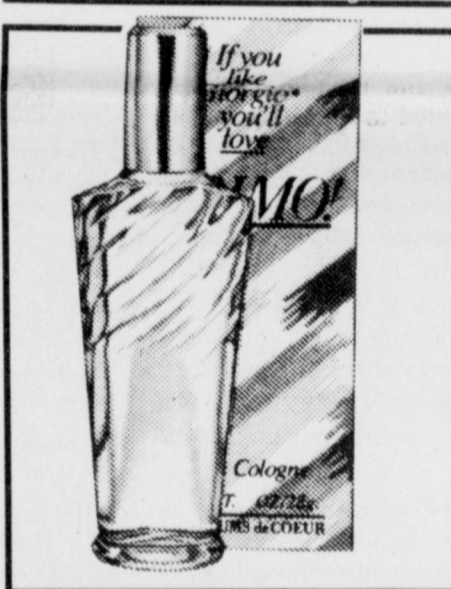
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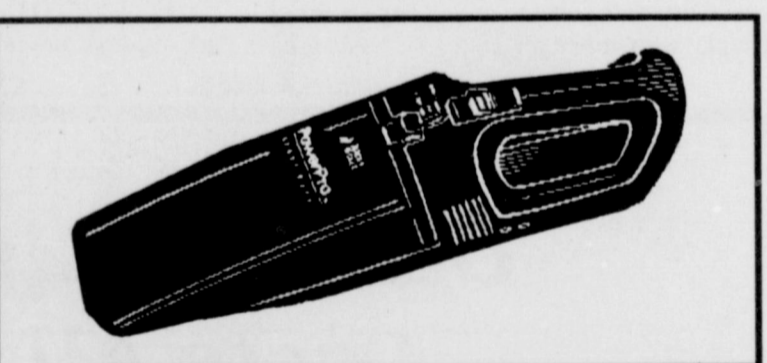
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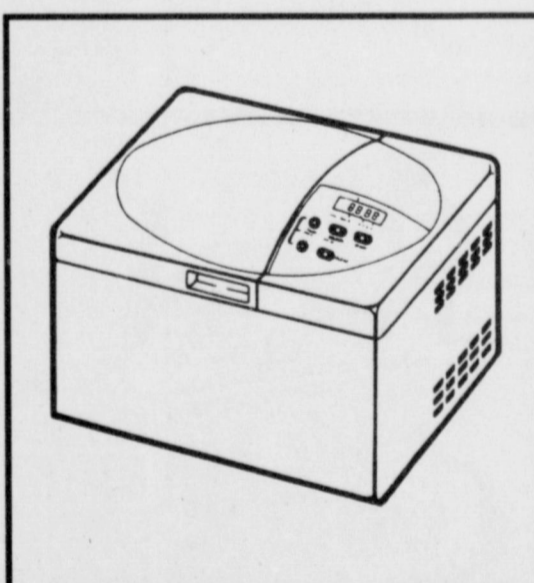
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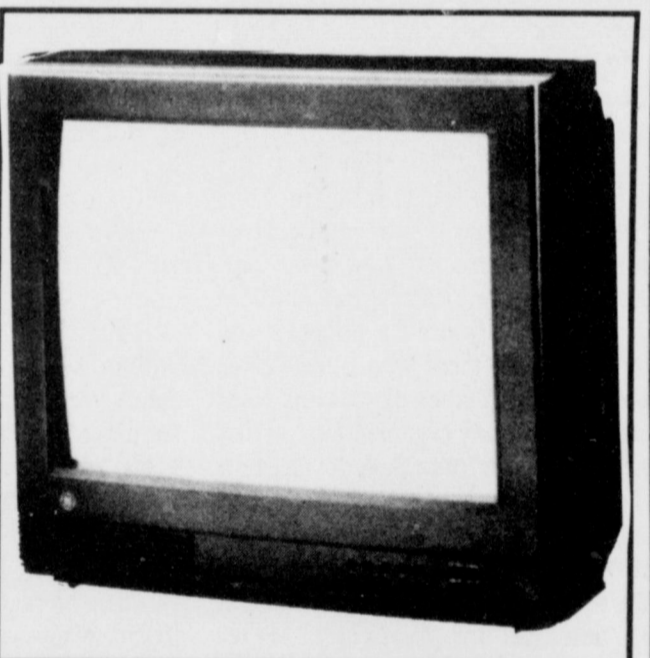
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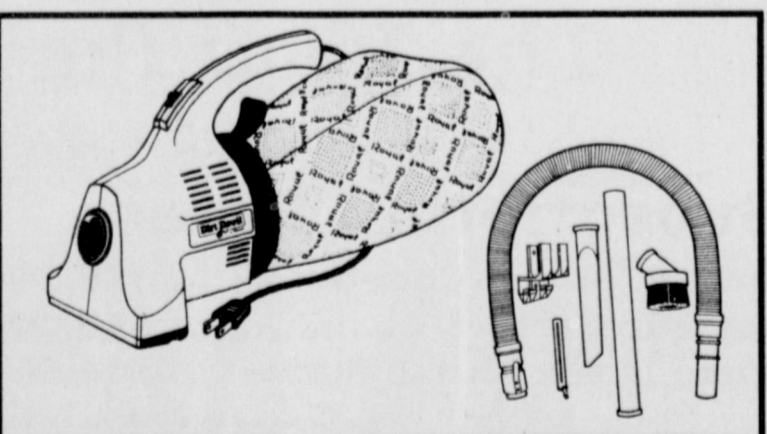
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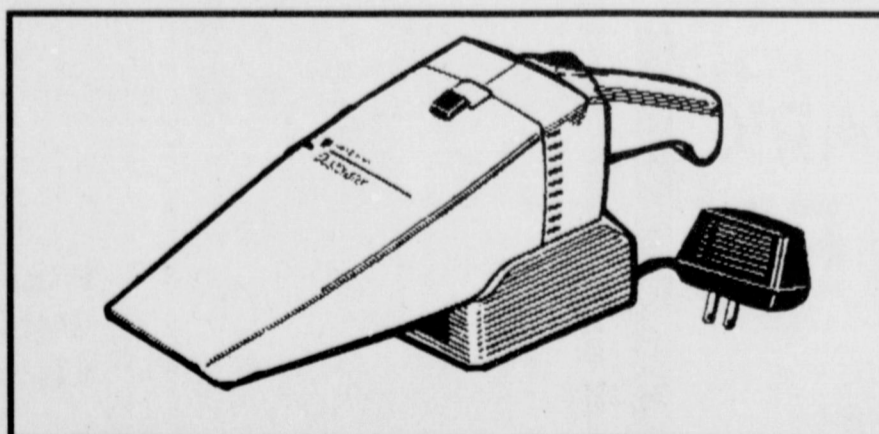
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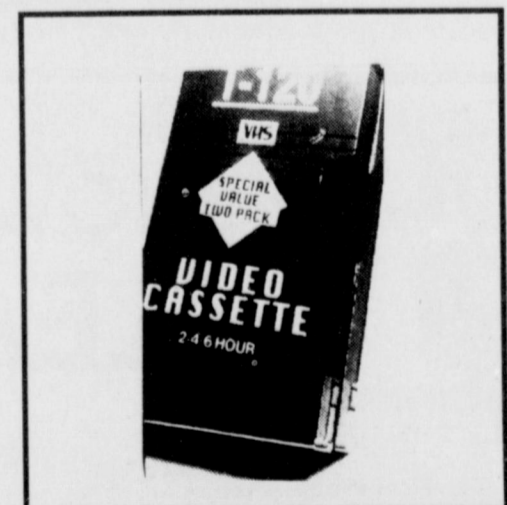
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As I See It. . .



By Bob Hamilton

I've heard the bicycle riders in neighboring Wichita Falls are planning an evening tour of that community's Christmas lighting.

That's great, but I hope the riders observe the law better than they do out on our rural roads. Otherwise, someone could get hurt.

I'm sure they've all read page 77 of the *Texas Drivers Handbook*, which states:

"Every bicycle in use at nighttime shall be equipped with the following:

"a. A lamp on the front which shall emit a white light visible at a distance of at least 500 feet to the front.

"b. A red reflector on the rear of a type approved by the Department of Public Safety which shall be visible from all distances up to 300 feet. A red light on the rear visible from a distance of 500 feet in addition to the red reflector may also be used."

I'm not picking on bicycle riders, but I feel they should abide by the law just like those of us who have to dodge

them on the roads.

And if those who will be on the tour in Wichita Falls don't pay any more attention to the law than some of our local riders, including youngsters, then the outcome could be bad.

Speaking of Christmas, I hope you find the time to read all the 1,000-plus Letters to Santa we'll have in next week's edition.

We've had a blast setting the type for them. They're great, and some will tug at your heart strings.

And, speaking of heart strings, those who may be affected by federal government funding cutbacks next year should be aware that the cost of our congress in 1991 will be \$2.2-billion.

That is up \$500-million since 1985, and nearly \$2-billion more than in 1970.

Besides having to make do with free gymnasiums, swimming pools, saunas and masseurs in their respective

buildings in Washington, D.C., those poor congressmen are in for tough times financially.

Cong. Bill Sarpalius and all the others in the House will have to make do with only \$125,100, because they refused to raise their own salaries any more from this year's \$96,600.

And the senators really held the line on their salaries, raising them to only \$101,800 from the current \$98,400.

Of course, senators can keep \$23,837 they receive from making speaking engagements. That kinda' makes things better.

And while all of us at home are facing medical insurance increases up to 50 percent this year, our elected officials in Washington have a full health clinic in the capitol, as well as the use of Walter Reed Hospital and other military hospitals around the country.

Maybe we should send care packages to them all this Christmas.

City is bird sanctuary

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in summer."

The North Texas Bird and Wildlife Club was finally organized in the early 1970s, with Mrs. Hunter as the first president.

For many years Mrs. Hunter had given programs and taught young people about natural resources and habitats for birds and wildlife. She continues to be a frequent speaker at clubs, youth clubs and organizations concerning native habitats in Wichita County, how to provide for the bird population and on birding in general.

Mrs. Hunter knew an avid birder she asked to come here and assist in organizing the Bird Club. At one time there were 100 members from a 50-mile radius.

Now there are members in Iowa Park, Henrietta, Archer City and Wichita Falls. They meet each third Tuesday night of the month. Purpose of the club is to educate people on habitats, environments and preservation.

The North Texas Bird and Wildlife Club is affiliated with the National Society, which includes the Americas, West Indies and Canada.

Mrs. Hunter said Bird Club members have a field trip once a month if there are rare or unusual birds in the area. They also go to the Wichita Mountains for birding and to identify birds.

Each year around Christmas interested birders have a bird count. There will be a count Dec. 15. This helps to give them the number of permanent resident birds. Birders start very early in the morning as soon as they can see and do not quit until it gets too dark to count.

The annual count is done by birders everywhere and is published once a year in the *American Birding Association Magazine*. This will be the 91st annual bird count.

Last year counters here saw 36 white fronted geese, 350 Canadian geese, many ducks and an unusual bird, a LeConte's sparrow.

Mrs. Hunter explained that birds are an excellent environmental barometer. If the bird population is dwindling, it is an indication that their habitats are being destroyed, they are illegally killed, or may be dying because of chemicals that people and industries are using.

She added that most states are in the process of sustaining a project of monitoring two or three times a week. The migrant population is changing so much because so many things are affecting the population, such as when so many Purple Martins were killed in South America, she continued.

"Birding is not all fun and games, and it isn't just for the 'little old ladies in tennis shoes,'" emphasized Mrs. Hunter. She said there are some very prominent people who maintain an

interest in birding. Birders run the gamut from housewives, salespeople, surgeons, pediatricians, retired newspaper publishers and government employees.

She recently returned from a tour in California with some of these people for the express purpose of birding.

"We saw the most western birds, both migrant and permanent residents. I saw about 40 species of birds I'd never seen before. And we saw a lot of wildlife, even to a humped-back whale that gave me a thrill," said Mrs. Hunter.

It has been argued that birds should not be fed or they will forget to go south in winter. But, regardless of the cause, there is a large number of year-round avian residents here.

Purple Martins come to the Iowa Park area about Valentine Day and chickadees can be seen the year around, she said.

Other birds frequently sighted here are American goldfinches, kinglets, and flickers, all interesting to watch. There are many birds that congregate in Oscar Park around Gordon Lake north of town, Mrs. Hunter says.

"Many people call us when they see an unusual bird," she continued, "a bald eagle was seen Dec. 2 on Peterson Road and an evening grosbeak was seen recently on Yosemite Street, only three blocks from downtown. They have been known to breed in the city park."

Vermillion flycatchers were first sighted in the county near Wichita Falls. Woodcocks and tundra swans also have been seen in this area.

Mrs. Hunter said one of the most unusual birds that had been seen here is the rare alert. "People from all over came to see it," she added.

"We wish more people would call us if they see an unusual bird or other wildlife," Mrs. Hunter said. People may call her, Peggy Kasper, Erna Kibler or Gerry Thurlo.

As the days grow colder, not only is it necessary to feed the birds, but also to provide some protection from the weather as well.

This is mostly accomplished with evergreen trees, shrubs and bushes, but the addition of ledges under sunnyside eaves will provide welcome shelter from the elements. Dense shrubs also afford them protection from predators.

Those who enjoy watching birds in the spring and summer should put out shrubs and other plants that will furnish them shelter, and plant things they like to eat.

The winter diet for birds should contain plenty of suet, which will aid in their growing a fatty insulation, while providing much needed energy. Although there are commercial suet feeders on the market, a mesh onion bag serves well.

Also, Iowa Park residents are re-

minded to keep the ice cleared in birdbaths, unless you wish to invest in one of the heating devices designed for this purpose.

In the spring, your enjoyment in watching the nesting process can be increased by placing bits of colored yarn or string on limbs, or on the ground, where birds will pick them up to use in nest construction.

The colors will help you spot a nest that otherwise might be camouflaged with earth tones. Also, the lint from your dryer filter might provide the finishing touch to luxury nests.

Mrs. Hunter says they have had numerous requests for bluebird houses south of Iowa Park.

Several years ago bluebirds were becoming so endangered that there were many people who had never seen one.

Now there are bluebird trails around the Iowa Park area. A bluebird trail usually consists of about 50 houses, according to Mrs. Hunter. There is a trail on the Hunters' farm in the Valley View area, one at Chapparel Baptist Assembly, south of town, one on the grounds of Wichita Falls State Hospital and some in Burkburnett.

Mrs. Hunter has given many programs for Boy Scout groups and the Boys Club on specifications for bluebird houses. Some groups have made and sold them for fund raisers.

Anyone who is interested in bluebird houses should contact Mrs. Hunter.

She especially enjoys working with young people, and told of one time she showed some boys a raccoon track who had never seen one. "It gives me personal satisfaction when I can teach young people about our natural resources and the need for conservation," Mrs. Hunter said.

She explained the importance of feeding the birds, especially if we have a bad, cold winter. She said birds will not freeze if they can have food, but they will freeze swiftly if they do not have anything to eat.

She said it also is good if you can put out warm water for them when the weather is extremely cold. And it is important to continue feeding birds in the spring until the insects and berries come out. She says she has seen as many as 200 birds at one time on her Waxwing Pyracantha.

Mrs. Hunter acquired her love of birds and nature from her mother, who was a nature lover and could identify birds by their call.

She encourages anyone with an interest in birds or wildlife to explore the possibilities of birding. One of the best things about birding, she says, is that "you never even have to leave your room, because you can bird right out of your window. And, this proves so beneficial for those who are lonely, or who are handicapped and cannot get outside very much," she added.

Worth Quoting

Syndicated columnist Walter Williams has been taking his lumps lately after writing a column about how money is spent by the nation's largest health charities. Williams cited statistics to show that most of the money does not go for research and treatment of various diseases but goes to support fat salaries and lifestyles of the principals who run the organizations.

All of us who have received requests, mainly by mail, for funds to support these worthy causes have wondered just how much of our money goes to those who operate the organization. Well, Walter Williams reports that the American Lung Association spends only four percent of its budget on research. The American Cancer Society spends 26 percent and the American Heart Association spends 30 percent. These organizations seem to be more concerned with fund raising, lobbying, asset accumulation and high executive salaries than in medical research.

Some of us can remember the March of Dimes which raised millions of dollars to fight the dread disease of polio. The March of Dimes was supported strongly by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, himself a polio victim, and each year there were fund drives and March of Dimes dances and local March of Dimes organizations across the land. When Jonas Salk developed a vaccine which has effectively wiped out polio as a dread disease, the March of Dimes organization was devastated. The revelation by Dr. Salk that the March of Dimes did not contribute to his research did not help the organization.

Yet the march of Dimes had built quite an organization with headquarters in Bethesda, Maryland and its president, Basil O'Conner, had a nice salary that he did not want to give up. So the March of Dimes cast about for something else that they could substitute for polio. They hit upon birth defects. After all, pictures

of children with birth defects carries a powerful emotional appeal and people want to help them. So the shift was made and the March of Dimes carries on.

However, the organization prefers to concentrate on fund raising rather than disclosure of where the money goes. The march of Dimes, which formerly had a vast network of local fund raisers, now relies primarily on the mail.

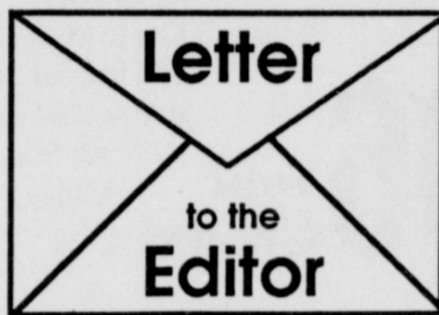
The American Heart Association raises a lot of money and in this community has a number of workers dedicated to its programs. Yet if only 30 percent of the income goes for heart research, donors have a right to question where the rest of the money goes.

Reluctance to disclose financial information keeps this organization, as well as others, out of the United Way fund raising effort. The AHA raises considerable money in this community because the fund raising drive is headed by dedicated workers, most of whom have had heart surgery and are determined to do their bit for heart research.

We get a lot of requests for contributions in the mail. We are told of the plight of starting children in Ethiopia. We learn of the plight of Indians in Alaska who are cut off from federal funds. We have Christmas Seals, homes for unwed mothers, church related colleges and nursing homes. There are plenty of opportunities to give, along with the United Way and local charities here at home.

The average person with something to give wants to be sure that his contribution is used wisely and for the purpose intended. If Walter Williams is correct in his report about the three leading health organizations of this country, then perhaps we should ask more questions before parting with our money.

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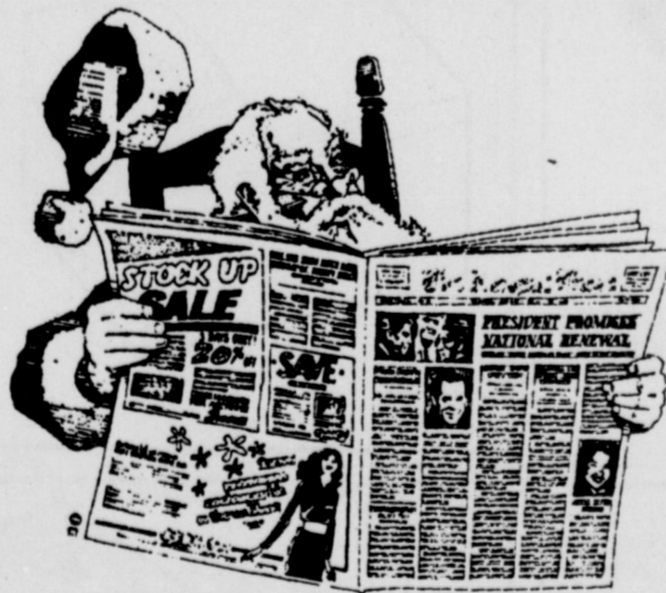
Spruiell in Scotland
Dear Bob Hamilton,

This letter is to notify you of our address change. As you can see up above we have moved to Scotland. Do we need to pay an additional amount to continue to get the *Leader*? If so please send us a bill and we'll pay it. We miss our "hometown" paper and all the news of Iowa Park.

Jeff is working in the North Sea now on a semi-submersible rig, the Sedco 706. He is the rig engineer. I think he is in for a cold winter on the rig. It will be drilling fairly close to the Arctic Circle. Presently the rig is at Iwergordon undergoing changes to get it fit for North sea work. His rig was in the Gulf of Mexico. Jeff's office is actually in Aberdeen. Newtohill is a small village just south of Aberdeen.

Well, I gotta run. Please let us know if we need to pay you some more money. Take care and we hope you and your family have a very Merry Christmas!

Sincerely,
Donise Spruiell
(Editor's Note: Spruiell's new mailing address, for his friends who might want to write, is: Jeff Spruiell, 5 St. Terman's Road, Newtonhill, Stonehaven, Scotland, AF3 2PF.)



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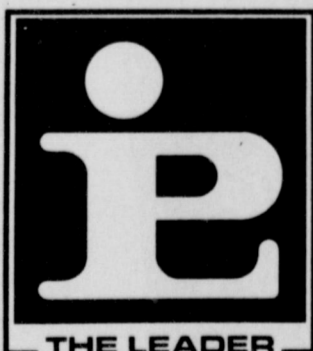
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Recipes for Holiday Cooking

HOT CRANBERRY PUNCH

Friendly Door folks enjoy this at their finger food Christmas party. 9 cups unsweetened pineapple juice 9 cups cranberry juice cocktail 4 1/2 cups water 1 cup brown sugar 4 1/2 tsp. whole cloves 4 sticks cinnamon (broken) 1/4 tsp. salt

Combine juices, water and brown sugar in 30 cup automatic coffeemaker. Place cloves, cinnamon and salt in coffee basket. Perk. Yield: 30 servings.

Myrna Robinson

BANANA NUT CAKE

Sift together, into large mixing bowl: 2 1/2 cups, minus 5 tablespoons flour 1 2/3 cups sugar 1 1/4 tsp. baking powder 1 tsp. soda 1 tsp. salt

Add: 2/3 cup shortening 1 1/4 cups bananas, mashed 1/3 cup buttermilk

Stir all together to dampen flour. Beat at medium speed 2 minutes.

Add: Another 1/3 cup buttermilk 2 large, unbeat eggs 2/3 cup nuts, chopped 1 tsp. vanilla

Beat 2 minutes longer. Pour into angel food cake pan and bake in 350 degree oven about 45 minutes.

Lucile Holm

TORTILLA ROLLS

8 oz. soft cream cheese 3 Tbsp. medium picante sauce 1 tsp. lemon juice 1 chopped, green onion 1 tsp. jalapeno juice 6 flour tortillas

Mix first five ingredients together and spread on each tortilla Roll up and chill two hours. Then slice each tortilla roll crosswise, to make bite-size pieces, and serve.

Coleta Grubbs

OATMEAL COOKIES

1 cup shortening 1 cup brown sugar 1 cup white sugar 2 beaten eggs 1 tsp. vanilla 1 1/2 cups flour 1 tsp. salt 1 tsp. soda 3 cups quick oats

Cream shortening, sugars; add eggs and vanilla and beat well. Sift dry ingredients and add. Mix, then add oats and mix.

You can add nuts or raisins. I like to add a dash of cinnamon. Bake 10-12 minutes at 350 degrees.

Judy Brown

CHOCOLATE DROPS

1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened 1 cup sugar 1 egg 2 oz. melted unsweetened chocolate (cool) 1/3 cup buttermilk 1 tsp. vanilla 1 3/4 cups flour 1/2 tsp. soda 1/2 tsp. salt 1 cup chopped nuts

Mix thoroughly: butter, sugar, egg, chocolate, buttermilk and vanilla. Stir in flour, soda, salt and nuts. Cover and chill 1 hour.

Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Drop dough by rounded teaspoonsful, 2 inches apart, onto ungreased baking sheet. Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until almost no imprint remains when touched. Immediately remove from baking sheet and cool.

Lou Ann Baugh

SOUR CREAM PEACH CAKE

1 pkg. yellow cake mix 2 eggs 1/2 cup sour cream 1-21 oz. can peach pie filling

Mix all until moistened. Spread in 12x9x2" pan. Bake 40 to 45 minutes at 350 degrees. Good iced or plain.

Lois Bartosh

HAWAIIAN HAM SPREAD

2 cans Hormel chunky ham 2 - 8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese Dash garlic salt 1 tsp. chives 2 round loaves of Hawaiian bread

Mix first four ingredients well. Chill. Hollow out one loaf of bread. When ready to serve, add dip to bread bowl and serve with remaining bread.

Mona Henderson

NANCY'S CANDIED YAMS

Boil 6 lbs. yams with jackets (peel) on till fork will insert. Cool. Peel and slice in half. Place in greased 9x13" pan. Cover generously with Karo syrup; cover generously with sugar. Add 1/4 lb. butter in pats on top. Bake at 350 degrees until potatoes candy. Spoon syrup over each potato and continue cooking until tender and sticky.

Nancy Henderson

BROWNIES

1 1/4 cup flour 1/4 tsp. salt 2 cups sugar 1 cup margarine (melted) 1 cup chopped nuts 1/2 tsp. baking powder 4 eggs, beaten 3/4 cup cocoa 2 tsp. vanilla

Mix flour, baking powder and salt. Set aside. Combine eggs, sugar, cocoa, margarine and vanilla. Stir in dry ingredients. Mix well. Bake at 350 25 minutes. Frost if desired.

Shawnee Raines

KARO SYRUP PIE

1 cup Karo 1 cup sugar 1/2 cup butter, melted 1 tsp. vanilla flavoring 3 eggs, separated

Mix Karo, sugar, butter, egg yolks and vanilla together. Beat egg whites stiff and fold into mixture, blending well.

Pour into uncooked pie crust and bake. Can be used for plain or pecan pie.

Jettie Sampley

BUTTERMILK LEMON PIE

3 eggs 2 cups sugar 1/4 cup butter 3 Tbsp. flour 1 cup buttermilk

Juice of one lemon or lemon flavoring

Beat the mixture well and pour into a prepared crust. Bake at 350 degrees until knife comes out clean. This makes two small pies.

Ora Mae Cummings

WASSAIL

Dissolve 2 1/2 cups of sugar in 3 cups of boiling water. Add enough water to make 1 gallon and heat to simmer.

Add: 12 oz. can frozen orange juice 6 cinnamon sticks 5 cloves 5 tea bags 6 oz. can frozen lemonade

Mix and simmer 30 minutes. Serve steaming hot.

Charles Seets

LEMON CAKE PIE

2 egg yolks 1 cup sweet milk 1 cup sugar 3 Tbsp. flour 1 Tbsp. melted butter Juice of 2 lemons

Mix sugar, flour, egg yolks, lemon juice and milk. Fold in egg whites which have been beaten stiff. Pour into an unbaked crust and bake in slow oven.

Pauline Singleton

SNICKERDOODLES

1 cup shortening 1 1/2 cup sugar 2 eggs 2 3/4 cups sifted flour 2 tsp. cream of tartar 1 tsp. soda 1/2 tsp. salt 2 tsp. sugar 2 tsp. cinnamon

Cream shortening and 1 1/2 cup sugar thoroughly; add eggs and mix well. Sift flour, cream of tartar, soda and salt together and stir into sugar/eggs mixture. Chill dough and roll into small balls. Roll balls into sugar/cinnamon combination. Place on ungreased cookie sheet and bake 8-10 minutes at 400 degrees until lightly brown.

Lou Ann Baugh

ROLLED OATMEAL COOKIES

2 1/2 cup flour 1 tsp. baking powder 1/2 tsp. salt 3/4 cup margarine 3/4 cup sugar 2 Tbsp. milk 1 egg 1 tsp. vanilla 1 cup oatmeal

Cream sugar and margarine. Add milk, egg and vanilla and mix well. Add all dry ingredients and mix. You will have to use your hands. Roll dough on lightly floured surface. Cut into desired shapes and bake 10 to 12 minutes in 350 degree oven. Cool, frost and decorate.

NOTE: I have used this recipe for 38 years. Our oldest son told the teacher I would bake heart shaped cookies for Valentines Day for the whole class. My only rolled cookie was very delicate and would have been a box of crumbs by the time they arrived at school. I found this recipe in a Woman's Day

magazine a long time ago. Even the kids can roll it and cut it and frost it. It became our project with the children every Christmas, and I can tell you we have had some real strange looking cookies to eat when they got done. Now my married kids use this same recipe, with their kids helping. I would not venture a guess as to how many times I have baked this cookie and sent it to school. Four kids kept me busy.

Jean Duffey

TATER TOT CASSEROLE

1 lb. ground beef 1 1/4 cup chopped onion 1 can cream of chicken soup 1 - 16 oz. bag tater tots

Brown ground beef with onion until crumbly. Place in 2-quart casserole dish. Top with soup and tater tots and bake at 350 degrees 45 minutes.

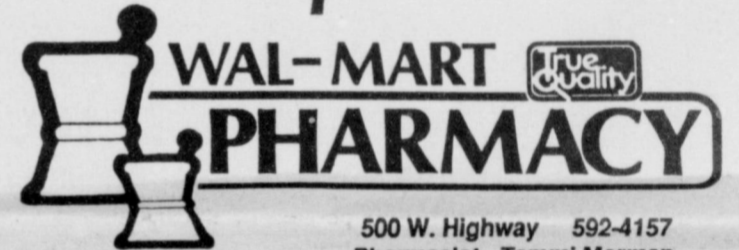
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Obituaries



J.W. "Jake" McLemore

Services for J.W. "Jake" McLemore, 58, were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Dutton Funeral Home with Rev. Duffy Terry, pastor of Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God, and Rev. Derrell Monday, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

McLemore, a resident of Iowa Park since 1957, died Sunday in Jack County. He was born in Brownwood June 23, 1932 and was married to Patsy Parrott in Henrietta.

McLemore, a retired self-employed truck driver, was a veteran of the Marines and a former employee of Burcamp Steel in Wichita Falls. He was a Protestant.

A former member of Iowa Park Optimist Club he was a volunteer with the Boys Club and with youth baseball and football in Iowa Park.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, James of Iowa Park and Rusty "Bill" of Wichita Falls; one daughter,

Patty Lambert of Indianola, Okla.; his mother, Mildred McLemore of Iowa Park; one brother, Lawrence of Iowa Park and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Larry Terry, Garry McLemore, Paul McLemore, David McLemore, Mark McLemore and Stacey Parrott.

Memorials may be made to the Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God's Children's Fund.

Larry W. Smith

Larry W. Smith, 47, father of Steve Smith of Iowa Park, died Sunday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Owens & Brumley Funeral Home with Dr. E.B. Compton, pastor of Christ United Presbyterian Church, officiating.

Born March 5, 1943 in Fort Worth, he was a longtime resident of Wichita Falls.

Other survivors include his wife; one daughter, La Rena Swanner of Wichita Falls; his father, Lowell Wre, Wichita Falls; his mother, Rena Cannedy, Wichita Falls; one brother, Nowell Smith, also of Wichita Falls and one granddaughter.

Ruby Johnson

Services for Ruby Johnson, 81, of Bowie, mother of Eldon Johnson of Iowa Park, were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Forestburg Church of Christ.

C. E. Cole and Troy Burden officiated. Burial was in Dye Mound Community Cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson died Sunday in a Bowie hospital. She was born Dec. 17, 1908 in Oklahoma.

Survivors include two other sons, Starr of Montague and Larry of Bowie; five daughters, Alna Jones of Arlington, Frankie Johnson of Forestburg,

Linda Jackson of Powderly, Judy Melton of Bowie and Mary Nance of Bridgeport; 22 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Cecil Chowning

Last rites for Cecil Chowning, 82, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Womack-Manard Funeral Home in Crowell. Rev. John Ward of Iowa Park officiated.

Burial was in Truscott Cemetery.

Chowning died Friday in a Wichita Falls hospital. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a retired oil driller.

He was born Sept. 10, 1908 in Jacksboro and had lived in Electra and Truscott.

Survivors include one son, Marty of Iowa Park; two daughters, Faye Powell of Berea, Ky., and Mary K. Daniel of Crowell; one sister Azora Abbott of San Angelo, and one brother, Walter of El Paso; 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Jordan Chris Keck

Services for Jordan Chris Keck, infant daughter of Robert and Sharon Jeanette Keck, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Pentecostal Church of God in Nocona, with the pastor, Rev. Rod Messer, officiating.

Burial was in Eagle Point Cemetery.

The infant died Sunday at a Fort Worth hospital. She was born Aug. 21, 1990 in Nocona.

Survivors include her parents; one sister, Jana Stephanie of Nocona; grandparents, Jimmy and Shirley Keck and Jerry and Pat Carter of Nocona; and great-grandmothers, Myrtle Carter of Iowa Park and Hazel Keck of Nocona.

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Imogene M. Gavin

Services for Imogene M. Gavin, 70, mother of Betsy Moore of Iowa Park, were held Monday at 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Wichita Falls. Christian wake was Sunday at 6 p.m. at Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home.

Rev. Aidan Donlon, chaplain of Bethania Regional Health Care Center, officiated. Burial was in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Mrs. Gavin died Friday in a Wichita Falls Hospital.

Born Dec. 3, 1920 in Van Alstyne, she had lived in Wichita Falls since

1929. She was married to Howard Gavin Jan. 1, 1942, in Wichita Falls.

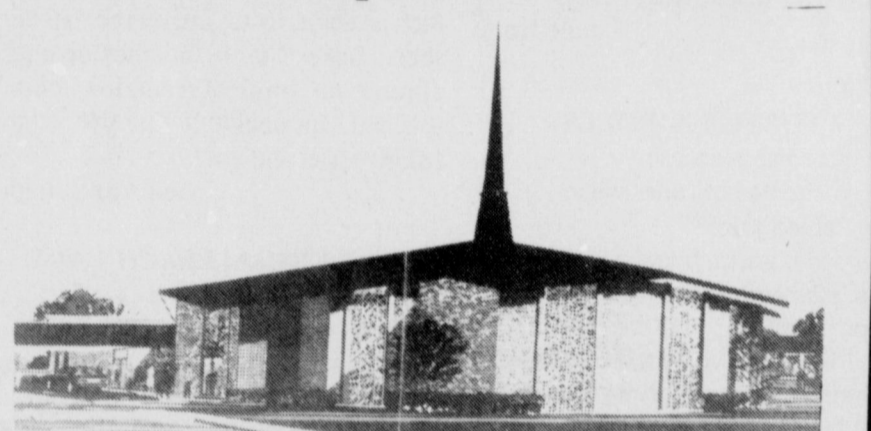
Mrs. Gavin was retired from Bethania Regional Health Care Center. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Altar Guild and Holy Family Associates, which she served as treasurer.

Survivors include her husband, two other daughters, Peggy Thompson and Billie, both of Richardson; a son, H.I. of Richardson; one brother, John P. Brannon of New Orleans, La.; her mother, Bessie Brannon of Wichita Falls; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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Suddenly as the American and Germans were firing on each other across the open field, the family's little two year old girl broke away from her mother, ran out of the barn, and started running across the field.

Soldiers on both sides saw the little child and immediately screamed to cease fire. All shooting stopped instantly and all was quiet until the child was safely back in her mother's arms inside the barn.

What all the world leaders, generals, and diplomats had been unable to do, a small girl had accomplished; that a child had brought peace in the midst of a war.

In a sense, that's what Christ did. He entered the world as a baby to announce that all hostility had ceased. He made peace when peace seemed impossible. Further, He opened the way for us to God; but it cost Him His life. We who were sinners, enemies of God, may now be reconciled to God because of the work that He accomplished.

Let's remember in this holiday season as well as the new year, that the greatest wonder of all is His love for us, the magnitude of the sacrifice He made, and the debt we owe to Him.

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SUNDAY Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Worship 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY Evening Study 7:30 p.m. FREE BIBLE COURSE! Call for information.

Church youth to present nativity scene in City Park

Youth of First United Methodist Church will present a live nativity scene Sunday from 7 until 8 p.m. This will be located in the city park back of the police station.

The public is invited to drive or walk by the scene. Food items will be collected to donate to the Food Pantry.

Youth will be directed in the scene by Annetta Reusch, Linda Horton, Galyia Kasparek and Freda Beals.

Members of the cast are Mary, Summer Tigret; Joseph, Rusty

Spruiell; the wisemen, Darren Ratcliff, Kurt Helwig and Philip House;

Shepherds include Jennifer Spruiell, Heather Rinehart and Andrea Baxter, and cast as angels are Kelly Helwig, Ashli Thomas, Jayne Jordon, Amanda Marchand and Amanda Thompson.

Lori Kasparek is in charge of music. Senior high school students will provide live animals for the nativity scene.

Area Oil & Gas News

A 2,000-ft. developmental bid is planned in the Wichita Regular Field by J.F. Hood, independent operator from Fort Worth.

The well is designated as the No. 4 Marlborough-S&J. It is in the Moses Roberts Survey A-246, about 1.5 miles north of Kamay.

Tom Swanson, independent operator from Electra, has slapped the dry hole label on an unsuccessful developmental venture in the Wichita Regular Field, six miles southeast of Electra. The well was known as the No. 2 Cato "C." It was taken to total depth of 1,970 feet with no commercial shows in the H&TBRR Survey A-131.

A Dallas operator is preparing to make hole for a trio of developmental wells in the Wichita Regular Field from six to seven miles north of Iowa Park.

With Exmoor Oil and Minerals as the operator, the wells are designated as the Nos. 184 and 185 Ruyle Unit "E" and the No. 9 C.N. Prothro "E."

Thomas Production Co. of Electra has driven stake for a 1,990-ft. developmental try in the Wichita Regular Field, about five miles northeast of Electra. It will be known as the No. 18 Bruce Gillis "B" and is situated in the AB&MRR Survey A-339.

The No. 3 W.F. George is scheduled for spudding in the Wichita Regular Field with KROT Oil of Wichita Falls as the operator. It will be a 1,900-ft. test located about three miles northwest of Burkburnett in the TE&LRR Survey A-292.

At a drillsite five miles north of Kamay, Winfrey Oil of Wichita Falls is preparing to make hole for the No. 38 T.J. and J.L. Waggoner "C" in the Wichita Regular Field. It is in a lease in the H. George Survey A-454 and is under permit for an even 1,000 feet of hole making.

Singleton Production of Wichita Falls has posted first production figures for two new producers in the Munger leases of the Wichita Regular Field, about one-half mile northeast of Kamay. The wells are designated as the No. 2 and No. 3 Munger "G."

They came in pumping 18 and 19 barrels of oil per day, respectively, along with 37 and 30 barrels of salt water.

Production will range from 1,226 to 1,230 feet into the wellbore.

Pumping 27 barrels of oil per day, the No. 1 Munger "B" has been brought on line in Wichita County Regular Field, about one mile northwest of Kamay.

The well will produce at 1,746 to 1,748 feet into the wellbore. Don R. Talley of Holliday is the operator.

Water production totaled 10 barrels per day.

J.F. Hood of Fort Worth has posted first production figures for two new producers in the Wichita Regular Field, showing combined ability to pump 30 barrels of oil per day, the wells will be known as the No. 2 Kemp and No. 23 Marlborough.

They potentiated at 16 and 14 barrels of oil per day, respectively.

Production is from perforations ranging from 1,575 to 1,582 and 328 to 336 feet into the holes, respectively.

The Kemp well is two miles north of Kamay, while the Marlborough is 1.5 miles north of Kamay.

Freddie Crampton of Holliday has filed for permit to drill the No. 85 Waggoner "D" in the Wichita Regular Field, eight miles southeast of Electra. It will be a 2,000-foot test with drillsite in the W.F. Smith and GH&HRR Survey A-748.

Don R. Talley of Holliday has staked location for two 1,999-ft. developmental wells in the Wichita Regular Field. Both wells are just under one mile northwest of Kamay. They are designated as the No. 2 and No. 3 Munger "B". They are in the KWVFL Survey Block 25, Lot 15.

Ray Craighead of Wichita Falls has staked drillsite for the No. 18 Mrs. E.D. Collett "C" in the Wichita Regular Field, five miles south of Electra. Carrying permit for an even 2,000 feet of hole, it is in the GC&SFRR Survey A-767.

The No. 41 D.D. Feldman is scheduled to be drilled in the Wichita Regular Field about 10 miles south of Electra with Tom Swanson of Electra as the operator. It will be spudded in the H&TCRR Survey A-116 and is under permit for 2,000 feet of hole making.

The No. 9 Lydia Daume is scheduled for spudding in the Wichita Regular Field, 1.5 miles north of Holliday. The 1,875-ft. probe is in a lease in the SPRR Survey A-266, with ABB Oil Inc. of Wichita Falls as the operator.

In The MILITARY

Franks an observer

Pvt. Cody D. Franks has graduated from the aeroscout observer course at Fort Rucker, Daleville, Ala.

Graduates were taught aviation medicine and life support, map reading, navigation, aircraft systems and communications, survival, escape and rescue, and combat operations.

The 1989 graduate of Iowa Park High School is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klinkerman of Iowa Park.

Hutchings promoted

Pfc. Benny G. Hutchings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Davidson of Iowa Park, has been promoted to his present rank while serving at Marine Corps Communications and Electronics School, Twentynine Palms, Cal.

He joined the Corps in March.

Molone promoted

Cpl. Steve L. Molone, a 1985 graduate of Holliday High School, was recently promoted to his present rank while serving at Marine Corps Combat Development Command, Quantico, Va.

He joined the Corps in February 1988.

Rice in Saudia Arabia

Andy Rice, a 1987 graduate of Iowa Park High School, has been transferred with his outfit from Frankfort, Germany to Saudi Arabia, as part of Operation Desert Shield.

His mailing address, for those who might wish to write him, is:

Spec. Andy Rice 457-73-4055
Operation Desert Shield
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APO New York, NY 09631-7130

Local student enrolls at UTI

Jamie Huff of Iowa Park has been accepted into the automotive/diesel technology program at Universal Technical Institute in Houston.

Freshman girls win tournament

The Lady Hawk Freshmen successfully defended their title of the annual tournament hosted last weekend by Hirschi.

In the first round Friday, they knocked off Wichita High 44-23, with Gina Inman and Jennifer Ricks doing the scoring honors, racking up 14 and 13 points, respectively.

Graham was the club's victim in the second round, as Iowa Park handed the Young County team its first loss this

season by a 37-32 margin. Inman had 12 and Ricks 10 in that contest.

Saturday night's final was much easier, as the Frosh handled Burkburnett 38-29 for the championship trophy. Inman and Ricks each scored 11.

Monday evening, the Frosh beat

Holliday 33-21 to extend the team's season record to 12-1. Inman was high with nine.

The Frosh will not see action again this year. Their next opponent will be Breckenridge, Jan. 4, when they open district play.

Junior high teams split with Graham

Iowa Park Junior High girls' "B" teams split games Thursday with Graham.

The Eighth Grade won, 18-15, but the Seventh Grade suffered a 19-12 loss.

Mandi LaBriar and Brandi Catlin each had six points in the Eighth Grade contest. Jodi Jordan scored 10 of her Seventh Grade's 12 points.

Iowa Park will host a tournament Jan. 3, 4 and 5.

Iowa Park Police Department Activity Report for November, 1990

	1990	1989
Homicide	0	0
Rape	0	0
Robbery	0	0
Assault	2	3
Burglary	3	2
Theft	7	6
Auto Theft	0	1
Calls Served	1,031	683
Traffic Arrests	8	8
Citations	77	26
Minor Accidents	5	3
Major Accidents	0	0
Juvenile Activity		
Burglary	0	0
Theft	0	0
Assault	3	0
Need Supervision	1	3
Runaway	3	0
Traffic	3	2
Criminal Mischief	3	0
Public Intoxication	1	0

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ERICA KNIGHT BATTLES ARCHER CITY PLAYER FOR BALL

Lady Hawks win, Hawks lose

The Lady Hawks won their two games played during the past week, but the Hawks lost both their's.

Both will see action again tonight at Holliday, and then are entered in the Archer City tournament Dec. 27-29.

After jumping out to a 11-1 lead by the end of the first quarter, the Lady Hawks easily handled Holliday here Friday night by a 52-33 margin.

Then, Tuesday night at Archer City, Iowa Park had to fight off a determined rally by their hosts. Despite the fact they had beaten the Lady Wildcats by 20 and 30 points in two previous meetings, they managed only a 55-45 decision.

Melody Gray and Kerri Dornier each had 10 points in the Holliday game. At

Archer City, Dornier led Iowa Park with 14, and Erica Knight followed with 11.

The Hawks led Holliday 35-32 at the halftime of their game Friday, but the Eagles outscored Iowa Park 27-18 in the second half to take home a 59-53 victory.

Scott Skinner produced 22 points in that contest and Brent Wineinger had 12.

Midway in the third quarter of the boys' game at Archer City, the Wildcats held a 36-18 lead. But the Hawks put on a rally, and though it fell short, finally lost by only 10 points, 55-45.

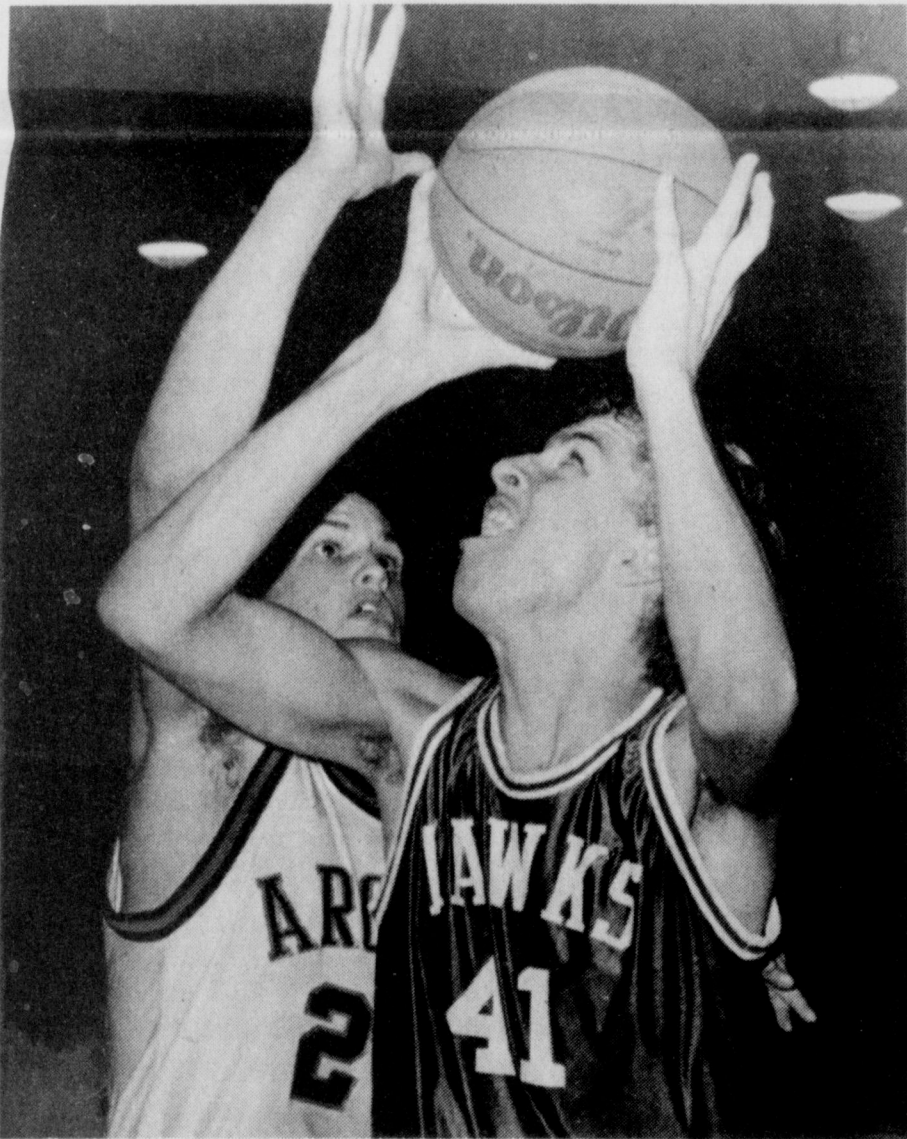
Jeremy Carroll was the only Hawk to finish in double digits, scoring 13.

Archer City also won the JV game,

46-38.

When they return from the Christmas holidays, the Lady Hawks will begin district play Jan. 4 when they host Breckenridge.

The Hawks will not begin district until Jan. 11.



BRENT WINEINGER TAKES AIM AT BASKET

Lady Hawk JV loses 1st game

The Lady Hawks Junior Varsity suffered their first loss of the season Saturday, when they were edged 26-23 by Seymour in the championship contest of Seymour's tournament.

But the team rebounded Tuesday to humiliate Archer City 30-10.

In the first round of the tournament Iowa Park knocked off Olney 45-19, and then advanced into the finals with a 51-32 win over Archer City.

Laura Davis had 18 points against Olney, 17 in the tournament game with Archer City, and 11 against Seymour.

Christie Catlin led scoring Tuesday with 10 points.

In Tuesday's game, the JV defense was so determined, they allowed host Archer City only two field goals the entire game.

Iowa Park's record is now 13-1.

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Heritage Manor Activities

Christmas is just around the corner and we really appreciate all the nice gifts.

Faith Baptist GAs made a Texas size Christmas card, the First United Methodist Ladies Auxiliary brought handmade ornaments to the residents and Christ the King Church brought gifts for all the residents.

Helen Stewart, daughter of Minnie Smith, brought a large tin of mixed popcorn and homemade peanut butter. All Occasions florist sent a beautiful poinsettia and the Optimist Club brought fruit sacks. Kathy Whitt made swan planters and filled them with aloe vera plants or fruit.

The Red Cross transported 12 residents to the "Fantasy of Lights." They really enjoyed the trip.

Myrtle Carter returned from the hospital. Everybody is glad to see her back.

Troy Robinson and Annie Johnson are in the hospital. We wish them a speedy recovery.

We would like to express our sympathy to the Cecil Chowling family on the loss of their loved one. He will be missed by all.

K-G Studio, three to five year old dancers entertained us last week. They were really cute and did a great job. Thank you, little ladies.

We heard some beautiful Christmas music this week. The Iowa Park High School Choir and First Christian Church carolers filled our halls with music.

The residents got a nice surprise last week. Bill Cornwall returned to call Tuesday bingo. Everybody was glad to "hear" him back.

Walmart gave the residents a nice Christmas party. Santa Claus had a gift for everybody. Carolers sang and the refreshments were great. It was really nice. Thank you, Walmart.

Mae Raglin will be celebrating her 97th birthday this week. Her children all came in to help her. Her son, Hubert Raglin, her two daughters and their husbands, Charlene and

Marvin Parks, and John and Dorothy Chandler.

Also her grandchildren, Johnny and Teresa Chandler, Debra and Terry Roberts, Renae and Jesse Roberts. Mary Parks and her children, Wandean and Elzie, also will join the celebration. There will be a special cake, balloons, gifts and other surprises. Happy Birthday, Mae! Go for 100!

The residents' Christmas party was a great success. Santa Claus and his elf, Lil Cornwall, distributed gifts and candy.

Mary Moree, Leola Dodd's daughter, won the beautiful centerpiece door prize. Resident door prizes went to Cora Lewis, Margie Lewis and Billie Hogan.

Mrs. Don Lewis led the caroling and, as usual, our dietary department did an excellent job with refreshments.

We would like to wish everybody happy and safe holidays. Thank you for all of your help and support you've given us this year. This home wouldn't be as good as it is without your help. God bless you all. See you next year.

Friendly Door Menu

Friday, Dec. 21
Beef stew with vegetables, okra, pears with grated cheese, cornbread, Jello, graham crackers, milk.

Monday, Dec. 24 Closed for Christmas Holiday

Tuesday, Dec. 25, Closed for Christmas Holiday

Wednesday, Dec. 26
Salisbury steak, brown gravy, oven browned potatoes, green beans, cornbread, banana pudding, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 27
Meatloaf with sauce, macaroni and cheese, okra, orange, cornbread, oatmeal cookies, milk.

Friday, Dec. 28
Chicken pot pie, corn, celery, cheese, biscuit, cranberry crunch, milk

Monday, Dec. 31
Roast beef with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, Brussels sprouts, hot rolls, banana cake, milk

Speech Club activities numerous

Speech Club officers who are serving this school term include Paul Schlaud, president, Dawn Beeman, vice president, Jessica Galliton, secretary.

Members of the Senior Council are Anthony Garcia, Troy Mooneyham and Cassie Fisher. Junior Council members are Tess Goodwin, Jerry Stanford, Crystal Collins and Leanna Preston.

Those on the advanced mock trial team for 1990-1991 include Paul Schlaud, Jessica Galliton, Dawn Beeman, Gary Green, Anthony Garcia, Jana Jordan and John Trayland.

Novice mock trial team for the year include Melissa Ervin, Patricia Fry, Leanna Preston, Crystal Collins, Casey Hunter and Steve Boomer.

In the Vernon Speech Tournament held in October, Jessica Galliton and Paul Schlaud received first place in CX debate. Anthony Garcia was a quarter finalist in the Lincoln-Douglas Debate; Violetta Luckey received fourth place in advance poetry; Brande Overman received fourth place in novice prose and Becky Dayton took a fourth place in novice poetry.

At the Breckenridge debate tournament held in November, Schlaud

took a first place in championship LD debate and received the Outstanding Speaker Award for the tournament. Garcia received second place in the novice LD debate at Breckenridge.

Schlaud won second place and an individual trophy and Garcia made it to the quarter finals with a 3-0 record at the Rider debate and speech tournament held in November, and Jessica Galliton had a 2-1 record and qualified for quarter finals.

Others participating in debate but did not advance were Holly Burroughs in LD; Leanna Preston and Casey Hunter, Melissa Motl and Kim Welch, and Darrin Langford and John Ojeda, in CX.

Violetta Luckey received second place and an individual trophy in poetry at the Rider tournament. Becky Dayton made it to the semi-finals.

In prose, Steven Day won first place and an individual trophy. Michelle Church made it to the semi-finals in duet acting, and Becky Dayton and Crystal Collins placed sixth overall and received ribbons.

Patricia Fry made it to the semi-finals in humorous interpretation and also entered poetry.

Troy Mooneyham, Shawn Green and Heather Krause made to the semi-

finals in persuasive extemporaneous speaking. Mooneyham also did oratory.

The team of Melissa Ervin, Amanda Dunn, Paula Pettyjohn and Steve Boomer advanced to the semi-finals in improvisation. Melissa, Paula and Steve also were in informative extemporaneous speech.

Other participants who did not advance were Dawn Beeman in prose, Tina Smock in informative speaking, Leanna Preston in persuasive speaking and Willissa Shaw in poetry.

Iowa Park won second place sweepstakes award with a total number of points gained by the entire team

in the Hirschi debate and speech tournament held Nov. 30-Dec. 1.

In LD debate, Schlaud won first, Garcia won third and Jessica Galliton made it to the quarter finals.

In CX debate, Leanna Preston and Casey Hunter won second, Holly Burroughs and Darrin Langford qualified for quarter finals.

Other students qualifying for the semifinals were Violetta Luckey in poetry, Steven Day in prose, Jessica Galliton in extemporaneous speech, Violetta Luckey, Karen Elder, Shawn Green, Tess Goodwin and Tracie Stark in group improvisation.

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Drill team has planning meeting

In an organizational meeting of the Rockin' Hawkettes drill team, the following adults were chosen as executive members for 1991: Jo Lynn Cockrum, director; Donna Lively, assistant director; Laura Landers, treasurer; and Connie Kuykendall, secretary/reporter.

It was also decided to develop committees to handle budget, advertising and programs.

The cost of joining the Hawkettes, which includes uniform and registration fees, was discussed. It was decided to add gloves, new socks and sweats to the standard uniform, and an additional fee will be added to cover the cost of a weekly practice class taught by a paid instructor.

Registration dates, practice schedules, rule changes, and the instructor were also discussed, with final decisions to be made at the next meeting to be held in January.

The Hawkettes is open to girls in grades 1-6 as of September, 1991. Parents interested in being involved in the organization should contact Jo Lynn Cockrum at 592-4436.

In The MILITARY

Freeman completes course

Pvt. Jay R. Freeman Jr. has completed the mobile subscriber equipment transmission systems operator course at Fort Gordon, Augusta, Ga.

Students were taught to install, operate and perform maintenance on radio access units and other electronic devices. They were also taught to install and operate power generation equipment used for telecommunications.

Freeman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Freeman of Iowa Park and is a 1990 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

His wife, Andrea, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Chowning, also of Iowa Park.

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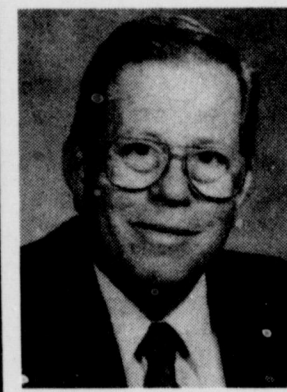
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9:00 p.m.

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December 31
7:00 p.m.

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*A Blessed and Happy Christmas to all
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"Let's talk."

Information about your changing telephone service from Dan Adams, Area Manager

PUC approves landmark \$1.2 billion consumer package

On November 28, the Texas Public Utility Commission approved an agreement between Southwestern Bell Telephone and 24 other parties which will boost the Texas economy and provide customer benefits worth more than \$1.2 billion during the next four years.

Originally called Texas First, the negotiated settlement was the culmination of nearly two years of intense discussion among PUC staff, Southwestern Bell and the 23 intervening groups. It represents a turning point for telecommunications in Texas.

A Win for Texas

Under the terms of the settlement, our Texas customers will receive the largest telephone rate reduction in the history of the PUC. This agreement benefits every telephone customer in every community of Texas. It also provides us an incentive to modernize our statewide network without increasing your basic telephone costs.

Highlights of the agreement

- ▶ A one-time credit to all residential and business customers beginning with bills received in December.
- ▶ A four-year cap on basic local telephone service rates.
- ▶ Rate reductions on several monthly service items, including Touch-tone.
- ▶ Reduction in residence service connection charges.
- ▶ Reductions in Southwestern Bell's long distance, WATS and 800-service rates.
- ▶ Reduced access charges to long distance companies, with flow-through of resulting savings to many long distance customers.
- ▶ A Lifeline program for eligible low-income customers providing a \$7.00 monthly discount.
- ▶ Elimination of party-line service with no associated rate increase for existing customers.
- ▶ Elimination of monthly mileage charges now paid by rural customers who live outside the base rate calling area.
- ▶ Expanded optional toll-free calling to 32 cities around Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio.
- ▶ A flexible earnings range for Southwestern Bell in Texas.
- ▶ Opportunity for customers to share in profits earned by the company over the next four years.

When do benefits begin?

The benefits of the agreement have already begun! The one-time credit should appear on your December bill. The reduction in Touch-tone monthly charges and long distance should begin in days. And, you can count on your basic local service rate not to increase for the next four years.

Other more complex changes will, obviously, take a little more time to complete. The elimination of party-line service and mileage charges for customers outside the base rate calling area as well as installation of new central office equipment will take place throughout the next 48 months. Don't worry. We'll be providing you specific information well before the effective dates.

What does this plan mean to our community?

The agreement gives our community an even stronger sense of certainty. We know that we can count on the benefits of the approved program and plan accordingly. That goes a long way in helping us compete with other areas for new businesses. After all, with a first class telecommunications network in place, we increase the opportunities for economic development and jobs creation.

In these times of fluctuating economic conditions, residence and business customers can receive the benefits of low telephone rates and count on four years of basic local telephone service without an increase in rates. For our eligible low-income customers, a new Lifeline service could provide a \$7.00 monthly discount.

Thank You

The Public Utility Commission took a giant step forward when it approved this landmark case. And, I'm sure their actions were in no small way due to the overwhelming public response throughout the entire two-year process. Through literally thousands of letters, calls and resolutions, communities all over Texas made it clear they wanted this enlightened plan implemented.

Bringing modern telecommunications to all communities of Texas is a job Southwestern Bell proudly accepts. We intend to keep you posted as we move further into the implementation of the program. And, if you need more information — Let's Talk!



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- 410 S. Colorado Corner lot with 2-bedroom mobile home.
- 610 W. Washington Mobile home, shop & lot, \$12,000.
- IN THE TEENS**
- 1203 S. Johnson Mobile Home. Assumable, 2 bedroom with fireplace. Very attractive.
- 300 W. Ruby 2-bdrm. being remodeled
- 307 W. Emerald **REDUCED** 3 bedroom, large lot, big master bdrm.
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- 117 James Non-qualifying assumable 3-bedroom.
- IN THE 30's**
- 1117 W. Louisa Extra Large living area, 4-bedroom.
- 205 Valley **ASSUMABLE**. Total electric 3-bedroom.
- 713 Park Plaza **IN CONTRACT** 3 bedroom, fireplace, close to Cryovac.
- 704 W. Texas 2 bedroom, central H/A, storm windows.
- IN THE 40's**
- 1312 Edgehill **NEW LISTING** Affordable 3-bedroom home.
- 1308 Emma 3-bedroom, 2-bath home with fireplace.
- 907 Dositia **IN CONTRACT** Total electric 4-bedroom home.
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- 1016 Foley **SOLD** 3-bedroom, study, beautifully landscaped.
- 1308 N. 4th Low maintenance, close to Kidwell.
- 1508 Karen 3 bdrm., 2 living areas, double garage.
- IN THE 50's**
- 703 W. Coleman **IN CONTRACT** Work no further. 4-bedroom, 2-story home with shop, beautifully landscaped yard, and more!
- 700 N. Yosemite Beautiful 3-bedroom home on large corner lot. Assumable.
- IN THE 60's**
- #25 Surrey Beautiful home on corner lot in choice location. Call to see!
- 210 W. Magnolia Beautifully decorated, large rooms
- 1515 Rita Impressive 3-bedroom home, great location.
- IN THE 80's**
- 1700 Johnson Road **NEW LISTING** 3-bedroom home on corner lot. Recent inside renovation; beautifully decorated. Call to see!
- 2144 Huntington Remodeled country home on 10 acres.
- IN THE 90's**
- 1688 FM 368 North Beautiful, 4-bedroom home on 10 acres.
- 1606 Yucca Large rooms, formals, pool and more.
- IN THE 100's**
- 1946 Johnson Road Lovely home on 5 acres with many extras.
- 2398 Bridwell Rd. 4 bdrm., 3 bath, on 3.06 acres.
- 1703 Quail Valley **IN CONTRACT** Beauty, charm, and comfort on 5 acres.
- LAND**
- 5 Acres Fenced, with water meter.
- 2.95 Acres Bridwell Road
- 6.06 Acres Haws Road
- 6.55 Acres FM 367 & Old Electra Rd.
- 7.49 Acres Haws Road
- 32.01 Acres Peterson & 287 Expressway
- 54.75 Acres FM 367
- COMMERCIAL**
- 811 W. Highway Make offer - must sell!
- 1.54 Acres Old Iowa Park Hwy. & Magnolia
- Tract 2 Park West Shopping Center
- LOTS**
- 700 W. Clara Corner Lot.
- Shiloh 3 Estates Johnson Road
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RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES

The Teens
408 E. Bank - Contract Pending
KAMAY - 2 bedroom - lease or sale
602 S. Park - Reduced
511 N. Victoria - Corner lot, Reduced

The 20's
305 E. Lafayette - Fireplace, Shop
707 E. Cash - Owner says "Make Offer"

The 30's
405 W. Clara - Non Qualifying Assumption. Lease or lease purchase. - In Contact
410 W. Louisa - Corner lot, many extras.
1117 W. Louisa - Reduced. Has current FHA appraisal. 4 bedrooms, baths, fireplace.

The 40's
1017 W. Cornelia - Remodeled, fireplace, small shop.
1309 Blue Jay - Wonderfully decorated 3-1 1/2-1, FHA assumption or will qualify as a Farmer's Home Administration. Call for details. - In Contract

The 50's
870 South Bell Road - Lease-purchase custom built, fireplace. Needs some repairs. Make offer.
1305 BlueJay - Dutch ceilings, fireplace.
907 Foley - Non-qualifying assumption, 4 bedrooms, fireplace.

The 60's
509 W. Rebecca - Sunken den with fireplace, extra storage, additional lot.
614 Manes - Corner lot, 4 bedrooms. Bring offers.

The 70's
606 W. Manes - 4 bedrooms, lovely yard. Owner may trade down.

Commercial Properties
KAMAY GROCERY & STATION All equipment to remain. Rental property in rear to remain also.
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PROPERTIES

- Lake Cabin at Diversion• All household items, furniture remain! Make offer! \$9,000.
- 210 W. Crystal - Small house & large lot. \$12,500. **NEW LISTING**
- 811 S. Wall - Has small workshop. Make offer. \$13,500. **NEW LISTING**
- 201 W. Diamond - 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. \$18,500. **WANTS TO TRADE**
- 608 E. Bank • 3 bedrooms, fenced yard. \$26,000. **SALE OR LEASE**
- 304 W. Washington• Remodeled and cute. Room to negotiate. \$27,000.
- 108 W. Garden• Carpeted, central heat & air, nice storage building. \$28,500
- 902 Foley• Nice Neighborhood. \$34,500. **SOLD**
- 710 W. Texas• Lots of cupboards, skylight in bath. Owner will negotiate. \$38,000.
- 710 S. Colorado• Lg. bedrooms, lg. kitchen, central H/A. Sits on 1 1/3 acres \$42,500.
- 713 W. Louisa• Qualifies for FMHA. \$45,000 **SOLD**
- 704 W. Coleman• Superb home. Approx. 1,856 sq. ft. of living. \$63,500.
- 509 W. Coleman• Beautiful Home. Cathedral ceiling in kitchen, plus more. \$76,750.
- 1600 Quail Valley• Sits on 7.9 acres, remodeled kitchen-dining. \$97,500.
- 1705 Quail Valley• 2,700 sq. ft.. Negotiable with contract. Call for terms. \$110,000

LAND }

- 100 W. Garden• Vacant Lot. \$1,500.
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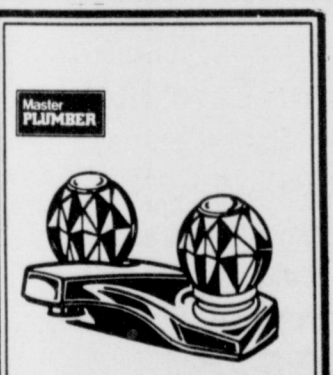
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BUSINESS

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Wichita

TO: ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, Respondent(s) **GREETINGS:** YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable County Court at Law No. 2, Wichita County, Texas at the Courthouse thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas, by filing a written answer, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty days from the date of service of this citation then and there to answer the petition of **DANNY RAY DOTY AND MARGARET DOTY** filed in said Court on the 13th day of November, 1990, against **ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**, Respondent(s) and said suit being numbered **CCL-756-90-F** on the docket of said Court, and entitled; **IN THE INTEREST OF UNBORN CHILD** the nature of which suit is a request to **TERMINATE THE PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP** Said child **UNBORN CHILD WILL BE BORN IN WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS** The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption, which will be binding on you. **ISSUED AND GIVEN** under my hand and seal of said Court at Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 13th day of December 1990.

DORSEY R. TRAPP, Clerk
County Court of Law No. 2
Wichita County, Texas
By: Sharon Lam, Deputy

IMPORTANT NOTICE
YOU HAVE BEEN SUED. YOU MAY EMPLOY AN ATTORNEY. IF YOU OR YOUR ATTORNEY DO NOT FILE A WRITTEN ANSWER WITH THE CLERK WHO ISSUED THIS CITATION BY 10:00 A.M. ON THE MONDAY NEXT FOLLOWING THE EXPIRATION OF TWENTY DAYS AFTER YOU WERE SERVED THIS CITATION AND PETITION, A DEFAULT JUDGMENT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU.
12-20-1tc

NOTICE

EMPLOYMENT WANTED - Home health aide, housekeeping, secretarial, insurance. Weekdays only. 592-5857. 11-8-tfc

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for library books for Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District will be received by the Board of Trustees at the School Administration Building, 413 East Cash, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 until 2:30 p.m. Monday, January 7, and then at said location be publicly opened and read aloud. Bid forms may be obtained by writing to Glen Mitchell, Superintendent Box 898, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 12-13-2tc

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is accepting bids on Maintenance and Custodial supplies to be used by the district for the period January 21, 1991 to August 31, 1991. Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. January 10, 1991, in the School Administration Office, 413 East Cash, Iowa Park, Texas 76367. Bids will be opened 2:00 p.m. January 10, 1991, in the School Administration Office. Invitations to bid, general instructions, and specifications may be obtained at the School Administration Office, 413 East Cash, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 or by calling 592-4194. 12-20-2tc

NOTICE

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

Owens Oil Company, P.O. Box 237, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas. The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the 1800' Cisco Sand Jennings D, Well Number 9. The proposed injection well is located 2 miles SE Electra in the Wichita County Field, in Wichita County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 1822 to 1832 feet. **LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512:445-1373). 12-20-1tc

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NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS
The Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is accepting bids on food and non-food items (excluding bread, milk, and ice cream) and frozen food storage for the food service department for January-May, 1991. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Iowa Park Administration Building, 413 East Cash, Iowa Park, Texas between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Bids are to be returned to Robert Palmer, P.O. Box 898, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 no later than 9:00 a.m., Monday, January 7, 1991. Bids will be opened at the Administration Building Monday, January 7, 1991 at 9:00 a.m. 12-20-2tc

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For information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons involved in theft, vandalism, arson, fishing or hunting on any of our properties in Wichita, Archer, Wilbarger, Clay, Wise or any other county in which we may have equipment located. Tom Swanson Oil Co., TS&T Drilling Inc. Ph. 817-495-3971.

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa
I have been as good as a 17 month old can be. I would like any thing you bring me.
Love,
Christopher Carroll
17 mo old

Dear Santa
I have tried to be good this year. I would like to have a Ken Barbie A New Kids on the Block tape Crang, Foot soldiers Batman. Love
Dusty Carroll
5 yrs old

Dear Santa,
I want a Game Boy and a Plastic Pool table and double dragon for nintendo! Your friend
Dusty

dear santa
I won for Christsms some scates and some cloths and a barbes car I will leave you cooky and milk
I Love U Amy Rust

Dear Santa -
My name is Cole & I am 3 years old. I have been pretty good this year so mom & daddy said I could write & tell you what I want for Christmas! I want a big bow & arrow like my daddy has. And I want a train, a firetruck to drive, a Ninja turtle chair, & Raphael, Donatello & Leonardo - I already have Michaelangelo, & I need Bebop, Shredder, Splinter & Kreang & 2 footsoldiers cause Shredder always sends them out 2 at a time. & I guess I need a mouser too! Oh, Santa - I have a new baby sister this year - her name is Shawna and you can bring her something too!
I love you
Cole McGarry

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Baby Sparkle Doll, Dance Magic Barbie, Rub a Dub Dolly Love,
Nena

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a P.J. Sparkle Doll, Baby Sparkle Doll, A crayon box Love,
Jacqueline

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a shovel, lunch bos, a crayon box.
Love,
Nic

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