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SANTA'S COMING!

Christmas lighting ceremony tonight

The Tom Burnett Memorial Library will host the traditional Christmas lighting ceremony at 7 this evening.

Following a brief entertainment presentation and the turning on of the lights, Santa Claus will make his annual first visit to Iowa Park.

And through it all, the Library will be observing open house.

Santa -- who never arrives using the same mode of transportation -- will receive each of the youngsters present and hear their Christmas gift requests.

Two new lighted scenes have been erected on the Library grounds, adding to the Yule decorations which have been financed since 1984 by donations

from citizens.

That was the year residents realized their old second-hand street decorations could no longer be used, because they were worn out.

So the City of Iowa Park proposed to the residents that they could make a minimum of 10-cent-per-month donations to the Christmas lighting fund, by allowing that amount to be added onto their monthly utility bills.

The vast majority has continued to allow the donation tacked onto their bill. A few have had the deduction cut off, because it is voluntary. However, city hall workers say many residents have had their monthly contributions

increased.

Mrs. Phil Welch, who originally made the donation proposal to the city council and who has chaired a committee to oversee the project ever since, says eight new pole lighting units were purchased this year, in addition to the 10 new figures which are on the Library lawn.

Mrs. Welch says the committee likely will begin using the donated funds to have the pole lights that are in use to be renovated, so they will maintain their appearance.

The first pole lights purchased with the donated money were put out on display for the 1985 Christmas season.



TREMENDOUS DAMAGE, though the amount is yet unknown, was inflicted on the children's department of the Tom Burnett Memorial Library Saturday afternoon, when water caused the ceiling to cave in. Members of a wedding reception in the upstairs floor called police at 2:56 p.m. to report a loud noise. Upon investigation, it was determined a water leak had caused the heavy plaster ceiling to collapse into the room's interior. Authorities have been working through the week to determine the extent of damage to the structure, furniture and books. Most of the repairs are covered by insurance, but when they will be accomplished is yet to be determined.

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Police arrest suspect with stolen car, loot

Attentive work by Iowa Park police officers over the weekend led to the arrest of a man who allegedly had stolen not only a car, but several thousand dollars and numerous wrist watches in New Mexico.

Michael Lee Daughenbaugh, 19, remained in the Wichita County jail Wednesday under a \$50,000 cash bond on local charges as well as four from the eastern New Mexico city of Truth or Consequences.

Patrolman Jack McGuinn noticed the out-of-state vehicle parked in the 200 block of East Texas about 11:30 Monday night. It appeared to have been abandoned, McGuinn reported.

The officer had a computer check made of the license plate number, and

the response was that the car valued at \$6,500 had been reported Sunday as stolen in Truth or Consequences.

McGuinn called in assistance from officers Steven Davis and Royal Winters, as well as Det. Lynn Collins, and the group set up in observation areas to watch the vehicle.

Shortly later, according to the report, a man left a neighborhood home, got in the car, and began driving away.

He was stopped within a block and placed under arrest. The vehicle was towed to the police station, where it was searched.

Besides finding a brand new .410 shotgun and a new Stetson hat, officers also found two bags, containing not only several items of new clothing, but

\$1,310 in cash, including \$187 in coins, and 49 wrist watches.

Daughenbaugh, according to police in Truth or Consequences, had been employed by Newberry's Dept. Store as an assistant manager. The car had been loaned to him Saturday night by the manager, and he apparently had used his own key to remove the watches.

The money, or what was left of \$2,690 in cash, receipts and credit cards, also had belonged to the store. He was supposed to have made a deposit at the bank after closing time.

Daughenbaugh said he had thrown the receipts and credit cards out as he was driving. The unaccounted money had reportedly been spent between here and there on clothing, the gun, food and lodging.

The suspect was taken before Justice of the Peace Billy Robinson, who charged him with theft of a vehicle and set his bond, and he was transported to the jail in Wichita Falls.

Truth or Consequences police have filed charges against the suspect for theft of a vehicle, and two charges of embezzlement.

OTHER CASES

Other cases included on the week-long police report included two arrests, property found, burglary of a vehicle, two reports of criminal mischief and one theft.

When an officer stopped Lee Harrison Haynes, 17, near Jackson and Poe at 11:26 p.m. Friday on a traffic check, it was determined the driver had an outstanding warrant issued locally for his arrest.

The outstanding warrant was capias pro fine for no driver's license, which carries a \$75 fine. Haynes was released at 1:55 a.m. after signing a promise to appear in municipal court.

At 3 a.m. Monday, police received
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Who's got the most spirit?

A Christmas lighting and decorations contest will be conducted this year, sponsored by the Iowa Park Clean and Green beautification committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

No prizes will be awarded, but the winners will have bragging rights for their recognition.

The four categories to be judged include religious, non-religious,

Iowa Park's city council put the ball back in the county commissioners' court, during Monday night's meeting.

Aldermen voted to cease fighting rural fires as of Dec. 31, unless a negotiated settlement concerning money and liability were reached.

No money amount was included in the motion, which was approved by a 4-1 margin, but it must be approved by Mayor Wayne House through negotiations, along with the county's acceptance of liability coverage for the firemen and equipment whenever they leave the city limits.

The latest offer by the county, according to the mayor, was to pay Iowa Park, Burk Burnett and Electra each \$26,500 annually. However, county officials reportedly are steadfast against providing liability coverage.

Mayor House reviewed contacts with the county court concerning the city's objection to financing costs of rural firefighting, explaining those costs are considerably greater than the \$14,400 provided by the county.

He said he first contacted commissioners last March about the city's concern.

The lone vote against the motion was cast by Alderman Johnny Crawford.

Though no decision was reached on how to inform rural residents about the city's cutting off firefighting service outside the city on Jan. 1, advertising in newspapers and by direct mail were discussed.

The mayor pointed out that homes immediately across the street from the city limits will be in the same position as those that are 10 miles away, if the cutoff does come to pass.

More than three quarters of the 92 fires fought last year by the Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Dept. were outside the city limits, House said.

Besides the cost of the fire trucks, their fuel and maintenance, House also pointed out that the city pays between \$800 to \$1,000 for equipment for each

of the firemen. And that, according to Fire Chief Danny Skinner, does not include a \$2,000 air tank firemen use basically when fighting structure fires.

An negotiated agreement between the city and county could be reached before the end-of-the-year deadline, it was pointed out.

The city of Burk Burnett is also threatening to cut off its rural firefighting at the same time, if no agreement is reached.

OTHER BUSINESS

In other business, the council postponed taking any action concerning hunting at lakes Buffalo and Iowa Park, approved a resolution which could help low income families with housing, and three different bid items.

Following a personal appearance by Lt. Rick Medford, state game warden who lives just north of the city who spoke on hunting and safety at the lakes, aldermen decided to rewrite an ordinance regulating such hunting.

A proposed ordinance that was to have been considered during the meeting would have forbid all firearms on city-owned property except shotguns. But Medford explained his department could not enforce it as written.
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DECEMBER 31 DEADLINE SET Council not backing down on fighting fires in county



DETECTIVE LYNN COLLINS
... inventorying stolen cash and watches.

Letter to Santa

Dear Santa,
This year I would like a Ricochet remote control car with a 9.6V battery pack. I would also like a 3 in 1 tournament table.
P.S. Hope you have a Happy Christmas.

Sincerely,
Erik

Does Your Subscription to the Leader expire this month? Check the list on page 4.



Mrs. Sammy Duggins

Jackie (Mrs. Sammy) Duggins said that she has always had a love for older people, and has worked in nursing homes since she was 18 years old.

Iowa Park is fortunate that she is employed as Activity Director at Heritage Manor. It is important to her that the residents spend quality time participating in as many activities as possible.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Headings, Jackie has lived in Iowa Park all of her life, and is a 1978 graduate of Iowa Park High School. She attended Chico Junior College where she received her Certification for Activity Director in 1988.

She is married to Sammy Duggins who also attended Iowa Park schools, and is employed by Stephen's Engineering at Kamay.

Between them, Jackie and Sammy have three daughters. They are Christina Lewis, 18, who is married and lives in Iowa Park; Sarah, a 14-year-old freshman at Iowa Park High School, and Samantha, who is 10 and in the fourth grade at Bradford.

With her busy work schedule and family activities that include soccer and basketball games, Jackie doesn't have time for hobbies. But often, she prepares crafts for residents of the nursing home. The family likes to go camping and enjoys traveling.

Jackie is a member of North Texas Council of Activity Directors, and the family are active members of Lakeview Church of God.

Not having much time to cook, Jackie prefers recipes that are simple and easy to prepare. Some of her recipes are ones that have been handed down by family members. All of them would be good to use during the holiday season, and jalapeno lovers will be interested in the recipe for "South Side Pickles," a favorite of Sammy's.

Quick & Easy Banana Pudding

- 1 large box instant vanilla pudding
- 1 - 14 oz. can Eagle Brand milk
- 4 medium bananas
- 1 large carton Cool Whip
- 1/2 box vanilla wafers

Prepare pudding according to directions on box. Add sweetened condensed milk and fold in Cool Whip.

Alternate layers of pudding with sliced bananas and vanilla wafers to top of bowl, ending with vanilla wafers on top.

COOK OF THE WEEK

Rocky Road Chocolate Squares

- 1 - 12 oz. pkg. semi-sweet chocolate morsels
- 1 - 14 oz. can Eagle Brand milk
- 2 Tbsps. butter or margarine
- 2 cups dry roasted peanuts (cashews, etc.)
- 1 - 10 oz. pkg. miniature marshmallows

In top of double boiler, over boiling water, melt morsels with sweetened condensed milk and butter; remove from heat. In large bowl combine nuts and marshmallows; fold in chocolate mixture. Spread into wax paper-lined 13x9 inch pan. Chill 2 hours, or until firm. Remove from pan. Peel off wax paper, cut in squares, and cover. Store at room temperature.

South Side Pickles

- 12 med. jalapeno peppers, halved and peeled
- 12 slices bacon, cut in half
- 12 mushroom stems, halved
- 24 toothpicks

Water regularly to avoid leaf drop.

GARDENING HINTS

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

Winter landscape protection, bulb planting, poinsettia care, and even Christmas tree selection are some of the many home and landscape tasks through December.

Follow this garden check list to keep up with all of those Holiday Season landscape and garden activities:

- Planting:**
- * Plant containerized and ball and burlap shade trees and shrubs.
 - * Select living Christmas trees for Holiday enjoyment and later planting in the landscape. Eldarica or Afghan Pine is a good choice for the Texoma area.
 - * Plant pre-chilled hyacinth and tulip bulbs in early to mid-December. Plant in well-drained soil in full-sun locations.
 - * Select and plant colorful cool-season annuals such as pansies, ornamental kale and cabbage.
 - * Poinsettias are in abundance at local garden centers and nurseries. Keep your poinsettia in a bright indoor area away from hot or cold drafts of air.

Fertilization:

- * Use bond meal or a bulb booster fertilizer when planting bulbs.
- * Feed houseplants using a complete analysis houseplant fertilizer every other month through winter.

Pruning:

- * Prune shade trees in late winter to remove weak or damaged limbs. Do not allow anyone to top your trees.
- * Shape evergreens if needed to maintain an attractive appearance.
- * Carefully check all of your shade trees for limb breakage or weakness after recent high winds. Prune dangerous limbs as needed.

Weed, Pest Control, and Freeze Protection:

- * Use a broadleaf herbicide to spot spray henbit, chickweed and other broadleaf lawn weeds.
- * Water regularly in the absence of rainfall to help protect lawn and landscape plants from freeze damage.
- * Use several inches of mulch in landscape beds to protect plant root systems.

Place 1/2 mushroom stem in 1/2 pepper and wrap in bacon. Use toothpick to hold mushroom and bacon in place. Cover with foil and bake in 350 degree oven until bacon is done and peppers are soft.

Easy Does It Stuffed Mushrooms

- 1 pkg. med. & lg. fresh mushrooms
- 1 pkg. cream cheese
- 3 Tbsps. bacon bits

Wash mushrooms well and drain on paper towels. Pop stems out of mushrooms. With electric mixer, whip cream cheese until fluffy with bacon bits. Stuff mushrooms to about level with top of mushroom. Bake 30 - 35 minutes at 350 degrees.

Easy Fruit Salad

- 1 sm. pkg. peach jello (leave powdered)
- 1 - 12 oz. ctn. cottage cheese (small curd)
- 1 med. can crushed pineapple (drained)
- 1 lg. can sliced peaches (drained)
- 1 lg. ctn. Cool Whip

Mix together and it's ready to eat.

Support group moves office to Women's Y

The Greater Wichita Falls Chapter office of the Alzheimer's Association Caregivers Support Group recently was moved to 801 Burnett (the Women's Y). The telephone number also has been changed.

Caregivers Support Group meets each Wednesday from 4-5 p.m. The new telephone number is 767-8800. For additional information contact Tamera Gillispie, executive director, at that number.

Girl Scout NEWS

Girl Scout Christmas Giving
The Girl Scouts will be going to Sikes Senter Mall on Monday night, Dec. 5. We will be leaving the RAC at 6:30 p.m. and will be returning at 8:15 p.m.

Each girl is asked to bring one box of Kleenex. If you are able to drive, please contact your daughter's Leader.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Saturday, Dec. 3, your popcorn orders should be ready to pick up from your Den Leader.

Sunday, Dec. 4, at 2 p.m. at the RAC, Ky Hunter and Kevin Hunter invite you to attend their Eagle Scout Court of Honor. This is the peak of their Scouting career, so be sure to come if you can. Notify your Den Leader so they can R.S.V.P. your plans to attend.

Monday, Dec. 5, at 7 p.m. is our monthly Committee Meeting at the Chamber of Commerce building. Please come and help plan the events for our Pack. Have a good week and we'll see you soon.

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LIBRARY NEWS

REMINDERS:
 Our Annual Open House will be this evening (Thursday) from 6 until 8 o'clock.
 We invite everyone to come and enjoy an evening with us and share in the cookies and beverages, following the Chamber Christmas Lighting.
 Santa will be in the gazebo to hear the children's Christmas wishes. If you would like your child's picture with Santa, polaroid pictures will be available for \$2

SANTA'S CASTLE will be held Wednesday, Dec. 14, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Reservations are a MUST, and will be taken all next week. We ask that there only be 15 children per each 15-minute time slot.

Please stop by or call the library to make your reservation. Our theme this year will be "The First Christmas Tree".
 Dec. 22 we will host an afternoon of movies for children. Watch next week's column for more information.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT
 We are sorry that our Easy and Junior sections of the library are unavailable for our patrons to utilize at this time. For those who enjoy this area of the library we ask your patience as we wait to repair the damage done.
 At this time we are not sure just when we will be able to reopen this department, but hope it will be soon.
 Our storytime classes that are held in this area are being held upstairs for the time being.

TRIVIA
 Q. What day was observed as Adam and Eve Day on the medieval church calendar?

A. Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. One element has survived from the medieval plays put on that day depicting Adam and Eve's fall: the paradise tree, representing the tree that bore the forbidden fruit. The paradise tree, set up in many German households by 1561, was the forerunner of the modern Christmas tree.

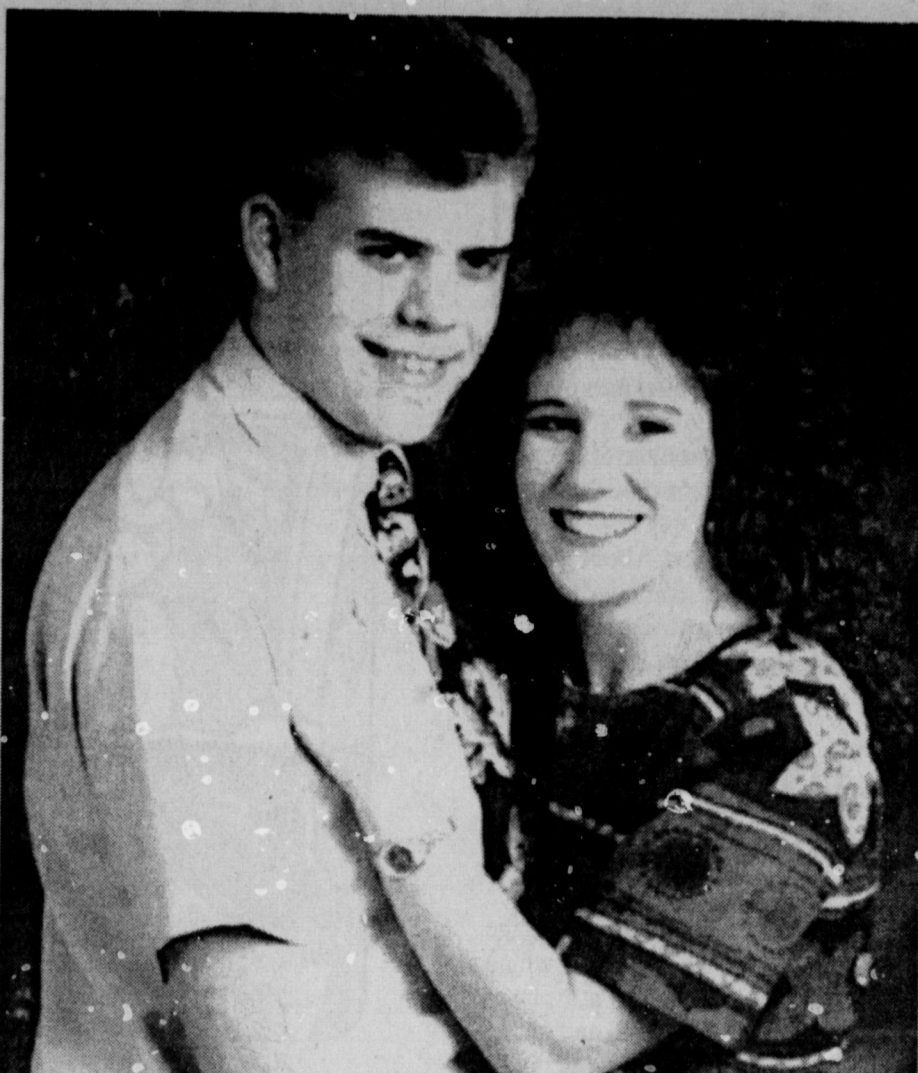
CAMP FIRE NEWS

The Mother-Child covered dish banquet will be held Saturday evening at 6 o'clock at the RAC. Members should wear their vests and bring cans of food for the food box which will be donated to the local food bank. Bring a covered dish and expect a memorable evening. Please plan to attend.

"Gang Awareness" with McGruff will be held Dec. 7 at 3:30 p.m. at Harrell Park for grades kindergarten through second grade.

Look Who's New

Smith
 A son, Garrett Dylan, was born Nov. 25 at Wichita General Hospital to Sheryl and Gary Smith of Iowa Park. He weighed nine pounds and five ounces. The new baby has a nine-year-old brother, A.J.
 Grandparents are Larry and Betty Smith of Iowa Park, and Sharon and Red Parks of Henrietta.



Kamron Diane Robnett and Robert Matthew Bonnette

January wedding planned

David and Diane Robnett are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kamron Diane, to Robert Matthew (Matt) Bonnette.
 The prospective groom is the son of Ron and Linda Bonnette and Jim and Dixie Goins of Lake Jackson.

College Night slated this evening at Rider

A College Night for all students and their parents will be at Rider High School in Wichita Falls today from 6:30 to 8 p.m.
 Many colleges and technical schools will have representatives to visit and share information with prospective students and their parents. There is no admission charge.

Eastern Star school slated here

"Reflections of His Love" Eastern Star School for District 2, Section 6, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held Tuesday, Dec. 6, at the Iowa Park Masonic Lodge Hall, 700 W. Washington.

Participating chapters will be Bluegrove, Burkburnett, Faith, Henrietta, Iowa Park, J.A. Kemp, Petrolia, Quanah, Vernon and Wichita Falls.

Registration will be at 8 a.m. and the school will be called to order at 9 a.m. by Mrs. Faye Anderson, Deputy Grand Matron of Section 6.

The school will be directed by Mrs. Sue Phares, District Deputy Grand Matron of District 2.

"Reflecting His Glory" banquet will be at 6 p.m. at First Christian Church Fellowship Hall.

"Humanitarian Responsibility" presentation will be held at the Lodge Room at 7:30 p.m., followed by the Joint Fraternal Visit of Mrs. Wanda Fairchild, Worthy Grand Matron, honoring Charles Morris, Worthy

Grand Patron, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.
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- 1 TXism: "sharp as a ..."
- 5 medicinal plant grown in the Valley
- 6 south TX citrus
- 7 San Saba AM radio
- 8 TX Willie's "Most Unoriginal ..."
- 9 small bills
- 13 TXism: "tall hog ... the trough" (important)
- 15 agricultural stabilization service (abbr.)
- 17 desk novelty item of the '60s (2 wds.)
- 20 TX Bum Phillips book: "... Ain't No Bum"
- 21 Beaumont TV station
- 22 "Lady Bird's" initials
- 24 this George was a leading scorer for the Houston Oilers
- 30 in Colorado Co. on 90
- 34 TX electric co. (abbr.)
- 35 TXism: "got as much ... a hibernating bear" (not busy)
- 36 TX Rex, film critic
- 37 TXism: "costs ... and a leg"
- 39 TX Montgomery doctored this group in Barcelona ('92)
- 43 "Bloom County" was a comic ... by TX Berke Breathed
- 44 Hereford is the "town without ... ache"
- 45 this Colt invented a 5-shot pistol used by TX Rangers (init.)
- 46 TXism: "... misery up to my armpits"
- 47 TXism: "took ... of" (noticed)
- 48 TX or NM town: Santa ...
- 50 TXism: "took ..." (liked)
- 53 sportscaster Hitzges (init.)
- 54 TXism: "got knocked down a peg ... two"
- 55 TXism: "got ... for it" (knowledgeable)
- 56 border river with Mexico
- 59 Duncanville BB girls' coaches ... and prayed before '91 ban
- 60 TXism: "spread like gossip ... church meeting"
- 61 TXism: "... horn" (amateur)
- 62 Traveling Wilburys' "... of the Line"

DOWN

- 1 TXism: "... blue streak" (doesn't shut up)
- 2 album by TX-born Tracy Lawrence
- 3 seat of Comanche Co.
- 4 "on an even ..."
- 9 San Antonio park: "... Waterin' Hole"
- 10 TXism: "... jaybird"
- 11 TXism: "in cahoots with the devil"
- 12 TXism: "they ... spell" (visited)
- 13 Posi's h.s. class
- 14 Gov. Campbell (init.) (1906-10)
- 16 TX Fairchild soap: "... Tomorrow"
- 18 a son of TX Willie
- 19 Fort Bliss' "Desert Storm" missile
- 23 TXism: "don't ... conclusions"
- 24 heat meas. (abbr.)
- 25 with TX towns Fresno or Ebanos
- 26 a fuss
- 27 TX pitcher Ryan
- 28 in Liberty Co. on 90
- 29 TXism: "smelly ... balls"
- 31 TXism: "... the lead out" (hurry)
- 32 TX Tommy ... Jones
- 33 Austin ... settlers to TX with land deals
- 38 sweater or socks
- 40 non-TX Edgar Allen
- 41 TXism: "got ... from the mare's mouth"
- 42 this TX George was "Our Gang's" Spanky
- 49 Cowboys' Williams
- 51 TXism: "tight as a cinch on ... horse"
- 52 ex-Ranger reliever Robb
- 57 El Paso colonist: Juan de ...
- 58 TXism: "don't ... over your head" (be careful)

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As I See It

By Bob Hamilton



Boy, what a wonderful time of the year!

Part of which I refer is that last Thursday was Thanksgiving. Not only did we have a few days off from the office, but the Hamilton home was its usual self Thursday.

Besides our traditional Thanksgiving meal -- for 20 -- that is the day we always take the picture of our grandchildren, which will grace the front page of our Christmas edition.

There's no question that our five children and their spouses enjoy their mother's dressing and giblet gravy, and wouldn't miss the big meal, but they also like the idea that their children get their picture taken for that issue.

You may have noticed I referred only to Dolores' dressing and giblet gravy. That's because I bought one of those deep-fried turkeys from the Wichita County Young Farmers, and it was absolutely great!

Of course, one turkey wouldn't be enough for 20 of us, so we also had a honey-cured ham. Yep, it also was great!

Though somewhat chilly, the weather still was good enough Thursday to take the grandduns' picture out of doors, which is a considerable departure from the past.

But that brings up another thought. I guess I'm going to be forced into a heart-to-heart conversation with the

preachers of Iowa Park, and see if they can't do something about weather conditions on my days out of the office.

Frankly, I don't care to play golf when the wind is gusting to 65 MPH, or its drizzling hard enough to drown a frog, and situations like that.

Notice, I intend to refer my case to the preachers. That's because I don't have any faith in weather forecasters. Not the way they keep on missing their predictions!

Actually, I shouldn't get upset with the weather. With Thanksgiving still in mind, I suppose I should be satisfied with my good health, and shut up.

But before I do the latter, I've gotta let you know that Iowa Park's assistant

superintendent will really pass over the hill Saturday.

Robert Palmer will be 50 years of age at 12:01 a.m. Saturday, December 3, 1994.

Be patient, Robert. About 14 years from now, you'll try to remember, as do I, what it was like when I observed my 50th birthday.

City

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The game warden suggested the council consider an ordinance which would limit shotgun hunting at the lakes during game bird seasons, and added that certain colored clothing items be worn.

Additionally, the city might consider limiting the number of hunters allowed on either lake in a day, by issuing permits.

The resolution approved concerned submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a grant which would assist first-time home buyers and home renovations or rehabilitations.

A bid submitted by Arendale Ford Sales of Arlington to purchase a new police cruiser for \$15,728 was approved. The city had joined with Wichita Falls in seeking the bids, and though Wichita Falls decided to not accept them, it was still the lowest bid Iowa Park received, said Administrator Mike Price.

Price was authorized to advertise for bids to construct a sewer line from land owned by the Industrial Development Corp. along the north side of US 287 access road eastward to FM 368.

It was explained that Smith X-Ray plans to build on that site, which would free the former Ford dealership building on West Highway the company now occupies and allow a new dealership to move in.

The dealership mentioned is Karl Klements of Decatur.

A bid of \$3,000 from Denny McCarthy for a year's grazing lease at Lake Buffalo was approved.

Aldermen agreed to hold only one meeting in December, on the 19th, and also decided to consider at that meeting the setting of rates for using city-owned equipment on private property.

Police

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a report that a man, with blood on his shirt, was walking on South Yosemite.

Officers stopped David Lance Torgerson, 33, in the 200 block of S. Yosemite, and placed him under arrest for public intoxication.

Torgerson was released at 8:16 a.m. after signing a promise to appear in court to answer the charge.

An employee of Food Depot went to the police station Thursday morning, and reported he had found a handgun while cleaning around the store's cardboard crushing machine.

The .25 cal. semi-automatic, with one shell in the chamber and three more in the clip, had apparently been hidden underneath the machine, where it was found.

Police took possession of the weapon, which is not listed statewide as having been stolen, officers said.

A resident in the 100 block of Westview reported the theft of some \$30 in cash from a car while parked overnight Friday.

The two criminal mischief reports included a pickup having been scratched on its side Friday night while parked in the 700 block of West Alameda, and green spray used to write vulgarity on the side of a garage in the 700 block of West Louisa sometime over the weekend.

A plastic snow man was reportedly taken from in front of a home in the 800 block of South Wall Sunday night.

WORTH QUOTING

I was listening to the scanner radio when the voice of a policeman traveling south on U.S. Highway 287 came across the airways seeking local assistance. He was transporting a prisoner from Wichita County to Tarrant County when he radioed the Clay County Sheriff's Office dispatcher to complain about a motorist who was tailgating him at speeds up to 85 miles per hour.

He did not express concern about the motorist possibly planning to help free the prisoner. His complaint was that the female motorist was showing disrespect for law enforcement by driving as fast as he was.

A Clay County deputy stopped the motorist and scolded her for tailgating the policeman transporting the prisoner. She didn't get a citation, which seems fair to me. If she would have received a citation, the traveling policeman should have received one too.

Doesn't it just burn you up to be cruising down the highway at the legal speed limit, only to have a policeman blow your doors off in a non-emergency situation?

If a policeman's emergency lights aren't flashing, it should be safe to assume that he's not on his way to an emergency situation. Except for emergencies, the police should obey the speed limits like the rest of us.

I don't think transporting a prisoner could be classified as an emergency situation, so I'm curious as to why that traveling policeman was driving 85 m.p.h. in the first place. I'm not saying the woman should have been speeding or tailgating, but the policeman had no cause to be driving so fast either.

License to speed does not come with a police officer's certification, and they should be aware of how these improprieties can taint their image in the public's eye.

LEWIS SIMMONS
Clay County Leader

Did'ja hear about the man who inquired what his wife would like for her birthday?

The wife was coy, but he insisted. He mentioned a diamond ring, a mink coat, a gold necklace.

"I already have all of that," the wife said.

"Well, gosh, what do you want?"

The wife finally blurted out, "What I really want is a divorce."

"Gee," panned the husband. "I wasn't planning to spend that much."
JAMES ROBERTS
Andrews County News

News Briefs

Rain, temperatures are watched

Rain and temperatures dominated Iowa Park's weather during the past week.

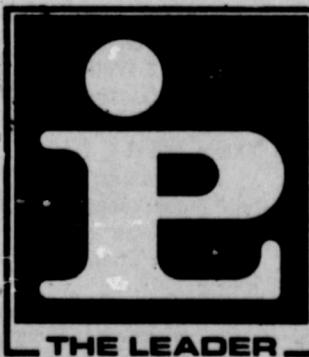
Almost half an inch precipitation was measured by Virgil Woodfin. Most of the .43 he measured fell Saturday.

Though drivers had reported having to scrape frozen frost off their windows during the past couple of

weeks, the thermometer didn't fall to freezing until Monday morning.

Weather observers in Wichita Falls reported the Nov. 28 freeze was the latest of any year on record.

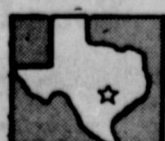
Temperatures in the upper 20s on the two following days, Tuesday and Wednesday, had leaves falling from most trees at a rapid pace.



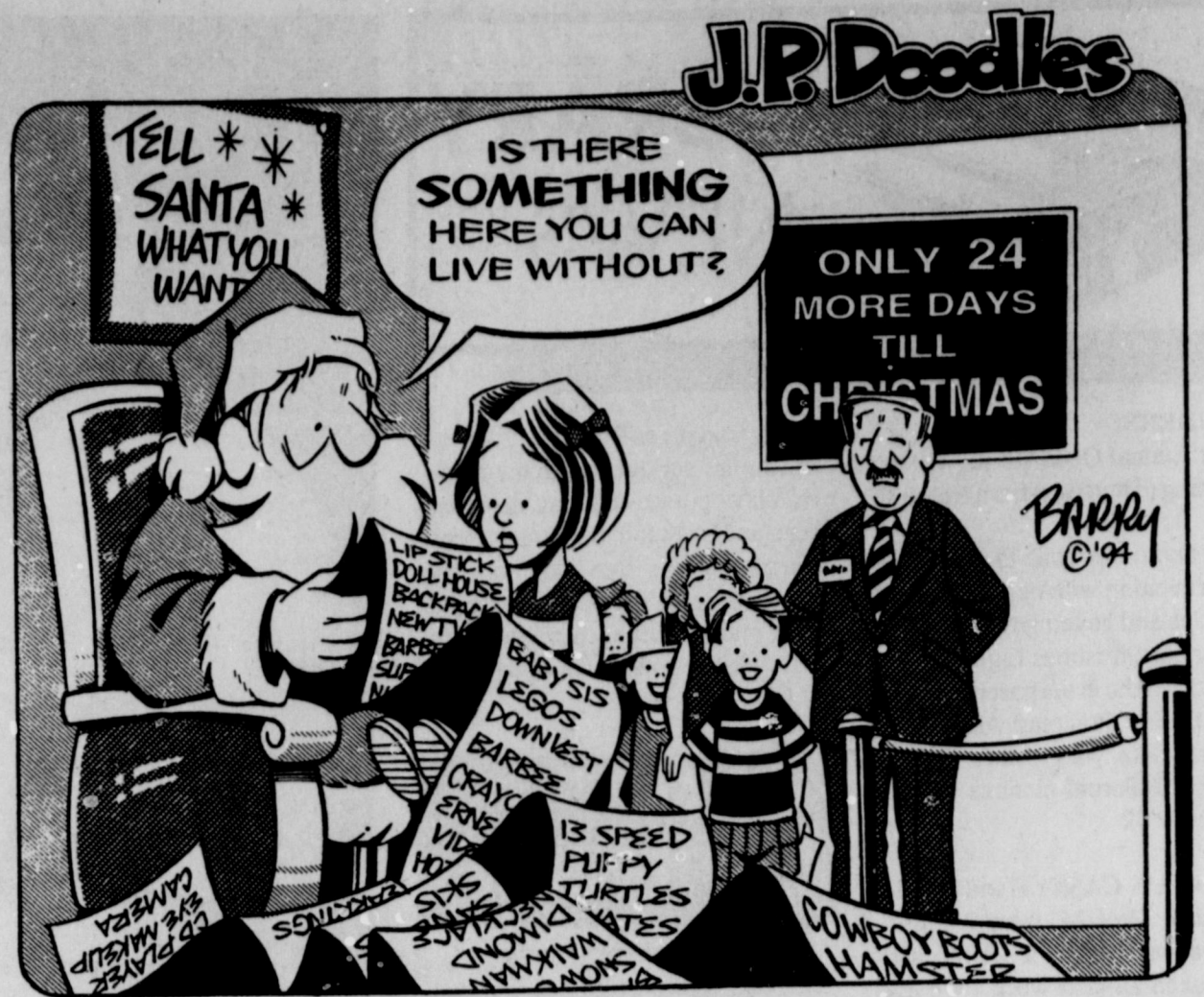
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Christ the King Ladies Auxiliary to exhibit more than 100 creches

The second annual exhibition of nativity scenes and creches will be sponsored Saturday and Sunday at Christ the King Catholic Church by members of the Ladies Auxiliary.

Last year marked the first time an exhibit of its kind had been on display in this area. It was inspired by a similar exhibit held in Palmyra, Mo.

More than 100 replicas of the nativity produced in various materials, from porcelain to wood, have been loaned by parishioners and friends for the enjoyment of the community. These will range from the smallest of miniatures to the large grouping displayed each year at Christ the King Church.

These will be attractively displayed in the parish hall located at 1008 N. First St., from 1 to 6 p.m. both Saturday and Sunday.

Tables will be draped and decorated with greenery and miniature white lights. Christmas music will provide the background as visitors view the display.

Each exhibit will be identified by a printed card which tells some of the history and special meaning to the owner. The variety of nativity sets promises to be as diverse as the cultures, language and lifestyles of Christians around the world.

There is a \$2 donation at the door for adults and \$1 for school age children.

A door prize drawing will be held for the Holy Family Music box made in Italy.

"The Auxiliary members feel this is a very important ministry to the people of the community," said Sheri Kennedy, chairperson for the event. "It is our hope that before people become caught up in the commercial aspect of Christmas, we can give them the opportunity to reflect upon the true meaning of the season," Mrs. Kennedy added.

Figures for the creche may be made of wood or stone, or any material close at hand. They may be elaborate life-sized statues, bedecked in jewels or simple paper models made by children.

But, whether it is the Italian presepio, the Spanish nacimiento or the simple Christmas crib, the re-creation of the Nativity scene is one of the oldest and most sacred of all Christmas traditions.

Many Christians of the modern day picture the birth of Christ as having taken place in a stable, behind an inn, but there is no mention of a stable in the Gospels.

Early popular tradition was that He was born in a small grotto, or cave,

which would have been more likely than our present day idea of a stable.

In 326 A.D., the Church of the Nativity was built over the accepted spot of Christ's birth in Bethlehem by Constantine the Great, the first Christian emperor of Rome.

Sometime later a 14-pointed silver star was set in the jasper floor to mark the birthplace. Today that silver has been almost worn away by pilgrims who have come to touch the spot.

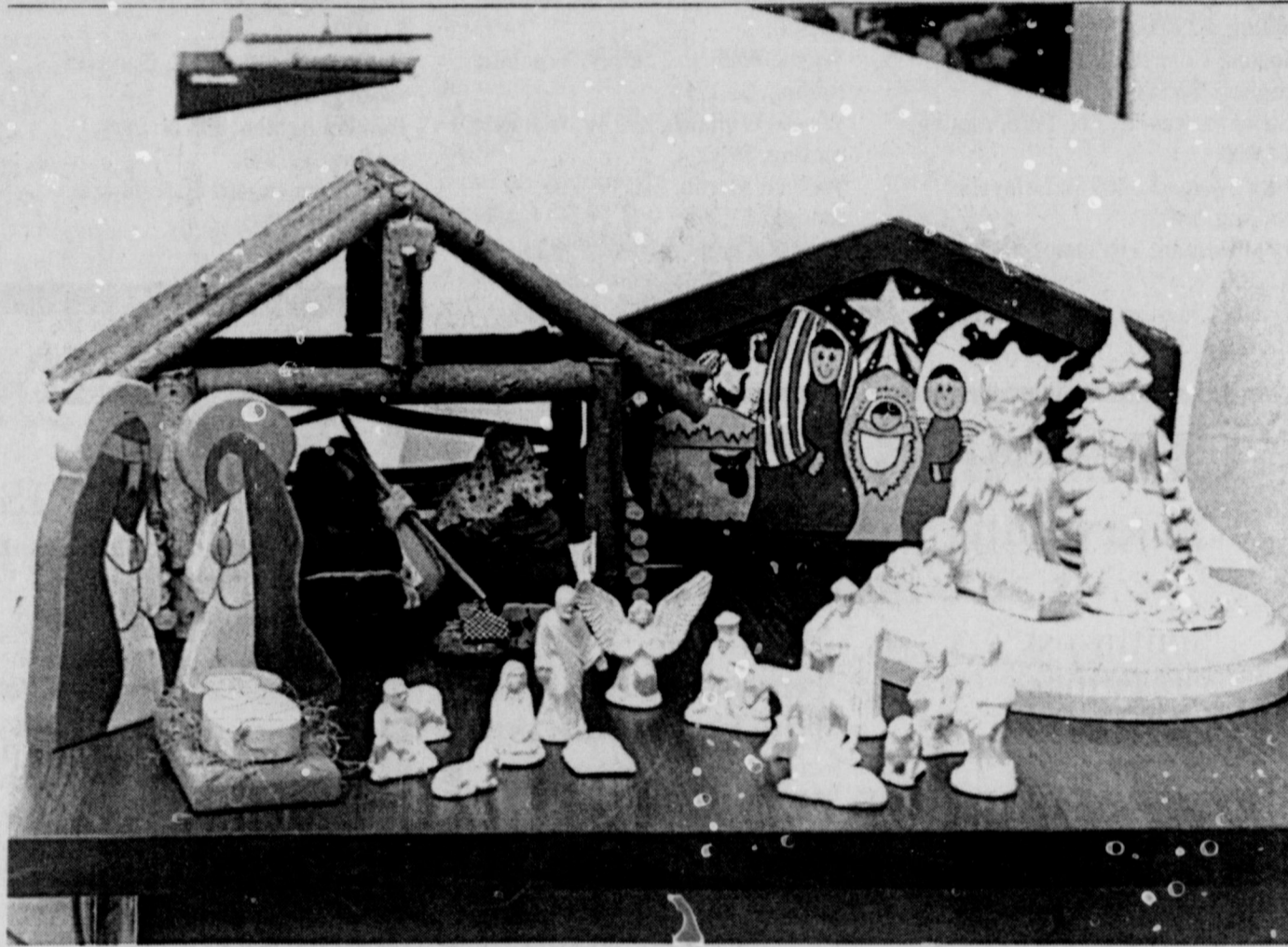
Although there were re-creations of the Nativity scene as far back as the fourth century, the popularization of the creche tradition as we know it is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi in the 14th century.

St. Francis said, "I desire to represent the birth of that Child in Bethlehem in such a way that with our bodily eyes we may see all that He suffered for lack of the necessities for a newborn babe, and how he lay in the manger between the ox and the ass".

That creche, at Greccio, in the Umbrian hills, became the model for creches in all the centuries to follow.

Families began to make miniature manger scenes for their homes, and the tradition quickly spread from Italy to France, and to other parts of Europe.

The figures generally included the Holy Family, the shepherds, the Magi, and the traditional ox and donkey. Sometimes additional figures to represent people from the village were added. Usually the figures in the creche resembled the people who made them. This is still true in modern day creches.



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YOU COULD BE WITH LESS OR NO FIRE PROTECTION.

Unless the Wichita County Commissioners enter into a contract for rural fire fighting services with the City of Iowa Park, the unanimous consensus of the City Council at its November 28, 1994 regularly scheduled meeting was to discontinue providing dispatching and fire protection for rural residents after December 31, 1994.

This includes the areas of:

Pleasant Valley
Rocky Point Area
Pleasant Valley Estates
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Quail Valley Estates
Valley Farms Area
& other rural areas

We, the City Council for Iowa Park, want to continue to provide fire protection to our neighbors, the rural residents of Wichita County, but we feel the present arrangement jeopardizes our city more than we can risk. Please urge your County Commissioner to work for an equitable solution to this problem.

Mayor Wayne House
Johnny Crawford
Mark Raby

Mayor Pro Tem Bud Mercer
Bob Hamilton
Virgil Woodfin

October storm damage reflected in permits

The costs are still being tallied from the wind and hail storm that struck Iowa Park Oct. 3.

When November's building permits -- which were almost all roofing repairs -- were added with October's, the damage to structures is almost three-quarters of a million dollars.

Building permits issued during November were \$388,749, slightly under October's permit total of \$499,846. However, October permits included three new residences.

For the 11 months of 1994, permits issued amount to \$3,009,816.

Permits issued in November included:

Perry Tate, 409 W. Valley, roofing and repairs, \$700;
Pauline Thompson, 307 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$1,950;
Pat Mayfield, 1009 Lanell, roofing, \$2,600;
David Pace, 200 Hope, roofing, \$1,400;
Primo Galvez, 122 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,100;
Tom Hoober, 615 N. Wall, repairs, \$3,650;
Gene Routh, 417 W. Valley, roofing, \$1,200;
Don Markey, 415 W. Valley, roofing, \$1,200;
Cecil Gilmore, 515 W. Alameda, roofing, \$2,250;
H.W. Holder, 307 W. Alameda, roofing, \$2,865;
Lisa Hamilton, 100 W. Washington, roofing, \$1,725;
Robert McCathan, 908 Van Horn, roofing, \$1,800;
Lawrence Shook, 403 W. Texas, roofing, \$2,642;
Bural Yoder, 511 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$750;
Marianne Elzie, 304 E. Garden, roofing, \$1,425;
Eleanor Bell, 301 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,850;
Joe Williams, 403 E. Washington, roofing, \$1,150;
Dema Morrison, 514 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$2,000;
Delbert Todd, 508 W. Clara, roofing, \$3,500;

Southern Gardens, 111 W. Park, sign, \$300;
Larry Norris, 211 W. Valley, roofing, \$1,600;
Loyce Robinson, 706 E. Highway, roofing, \$2,100;
Brad Williams, 305 W. Diamond, roofing, \$244;
Kathleen Leonardi, 114 W. Garden, repair, \$600;
Ruby Probst, 312 W. Park, roofing, \$1,485;
Mark Payne, 301 E. Garden, roofing, \$400;

Grace Baptist, 509 S. Colorado, roofing, \$3,000;
Helga Beebe, 1003 E. Pasadena, roofing, \$1,600;
Zona Smith, 1314 Mockingbird, roofing, \$1,700;
Gary Tatom, 208 W. Emerald, roofing, \$2,200;
Mike Hartmangruber, 904 S. Colorado, roofing, \$1,800;
Lee Goettel, 500 W. Aldine, roofing, \$2,400;
Faye Brott, 308 E. Aldine, roofing, \$2,020;
Faye Brott, 305 E. Aldine, roofing, \$825;
James Harrison, 409 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,600;
Wayne Williams, 205 W. Alameda, roofing, \$850;
Steve Dawson, 401 W. Aldine, roofing, \$900;
Roxanna Wood, 204 W. Emerald, roofing, \$1,150;
R.D. Williams, 311 E. Garden, roofing, \$1,500;
Tommy Key, 400 W. Park, roofing, \$10,080;
Ray Copening, 1014 Van Horn, roofing, \$2,340;
Jerry Shultz, 506 W. Washington, roofing, \$500;
Wayne Williams, 510 N. Yosemite, roofing, \$3,100;
Terry Tatom, 600 N. Wall, roofing, \$500;
Earl Correll, 304 W. Poe, roofing, \$1,000;
John Hoelter, 1508 Karen, roofing, \$1,430;
Lena Shultz, 404 W. Washington, \$850;

John Williams, 309 1/2 W. Washington, roofing, \$2,232;
John Williams, 309 E. Washington, roofing, \$4,100;
Lakeview Parsonage, 1408 N. Victoria, roofing, \$4,000;
Eddie Sanders, 708 W. Texas, roofing, \$1,760;
Wayne Teal, 310 W. Park, roofing, \$1,800;
Robin Fox, 311 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$2,300;
Martha Wahl, 114 James, roofing, \$1,000;
Dale Warren, 112 James, roofing, \$1,000;
Dewey Roberts, 706 N. Jackson, roofing, \$2,975;
John Williams, 106 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,392;
Gay Muse, 409 W. Clara, roofing, \$1,862;
Michelle McCreary, 405 W. Clara, roofing, \$1,728;
Johnny Schenck, 701 N. Wall, roofing, \$2,200;
Rosemary Garrison, 300 W. Ruby, roofing, \$1,500;

S.B. Keeter, 609 E. Cash, roofing, \$2,800;
Cecelia Underwood, 608 N. Bell, roofing, \$1,350;
Kathy Dudley, 503 N. Wall, roofing, \$1,000;
Craig Davis, 304 W. Alameda, roofing, \$12,000;
Larry McLemore, 207 N. Penn, roofing, \$840;
Clyde Robertson, 403 W. Chestnut, roofing, \$1,232;
Herb Smallwood, 519 W. Texas, siding, \$2,800;
Joanna Honeycutt, 1009 E. Ruby, roofing, \$6,000;
Steve Horsky, 817 N. Park, roofing, \$4,000;
Jack Womack, 409 E. Lafayette, roofing, \$850;
Jay Freeman, 116 James, roofing, \$1,500;
Danny Christian, 824 N. Bond, roofing, \$3,000;

Dorothy Beard, 818 N. Bond, roofing, \$3,000;
L.P. Adams, 301 E. Aldine, roofing, \$1,600;
Sally Jump, 700 N. Bond, roofing, \$800;
Joyce Givens, 200 W. Washington, roofing, \$2,700;
Mrs. J.O. McCullough, 1511 Rita, roofing, \$1,200;
Craig McCord, 508 E. Ruby, roofing, \$1,700;
Bud Mercer, 314 E. Bank, roofing, \$5,500;
Wayne Williams, 506 N. Yosemite, roofing, \$1,125;
Wayne Williams, 205 W. Alameda, roofing, \$900;
William Martin, 210 W. Poe, roofing, \$3,295;
Irene Cockrum, 210 W. Pecan, roofing, \$2,026;
Irene Cockrum, 210 S. Colorado, roofing, \$856;

Elmer Skinner, 601 W. Washington, roofing, \$2,400;
Kay Carter, 301 W. Pecan, roofing, \$900;
Abe Cook, 617 N. Park, roofing, \$3,200;
Joe Voyles, 113 W. Park, roofing, \$3,200;
Lavern Wakefield, 413 W. Aldine, roofing, \$571;
Billy Hauger, 507 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$2,116;
James Parker, 300 E. Bank, roofing, \$1,100;
Edith Stephens, 113 E. Garden, roofing, \$1,120;
Barbara Ashton, 801 N. Park, roofing, \$2,500;
Troy Thaman, 401 E. Jefferson, roofing, \$1,000;

Debbie Gutherie, 310 W. Valley, roofing, \$2,500;
Joe Forsythe, 113 Westview, roofing, \$3,900;
C.W. Cockrum, 710 N. Victoria, \$1,100;
R.S. Birk, 300 W. Park, roofing, \$2,000;
Michael McKnight, 404 W. Valley, roofing, \$700;
Gilbert Mueller, 1109 W. Cornelia, storage building, \$250;
Harry Halstead III, 210 W. Clara, roofing, \$780;
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Building permits

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Stella North, 415 W. Jefferson, roofing, \$900;
Joe Kerley, 124 James, roofing, \$2,030;
R.A. Ashton, 710 E. Highway, roofing, \$2,300;
Ron Morris, 212 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,200;
Fred Hambright Sr., 304 S. Colorado, roofing, \$2,443;
Fred Hambright, 300 S. Colorado, roofing, \$1,229;
City (Cellular One), 400 W. Emerald, storage building, \$5,000;
B.E. Adams, 306 W. Poe, roofing, \$960;
Harold Rinehart, 412 W. Texas, roofing, \$525;
Al Lenz, 208 James, roofing, \$800;
Jack McGuinn, 410 W. Texas, repair, \$9,000;
Billy Stewart, 603 E. Alameda, alteration, \$6,000;
Phil Booth, 206 W. Crystal, carport/patio, \$250;
Ed Krumwiede, 1310 Edgehill, storage building, \$1,400;
Sue Martin, 1013 Lanelle, storage building, \$500;
James Riddlehuber, 520-A W. Washington, roofing, \$825;
James Riddlehuber, 520 W. Washington, roofing, \$925;
Steve Stewart, 515 W. Smith, roofing, \$1,400;
James Bowerman, 707 N. Jackson, roofing, \$900;
Charlie Ward, 112 Westview, roofing, \$1,400;
Betty Haswell, 406 E. Ruby, roofing, \$1,900;
O.C. Loggins, 522 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$1,100;
305 W. Jefferson, roofing, \$900;
Noel Andrus, 109 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,200;
Mrs. R.D. Whitehead, 304 E. Bank, roofing, \$2,000;
Bob Goodknight, 604 W. Washington, carport, \$500;
Leroy Truitt, 206 W. Poe, roofing, \$400;
Joe Noel, 1216 N. Jackson, roofing, \$500;
Jack Martin, 115 1/2 W. Park, repair, \$1,000;
R.E. White, 102 W. Ruby, roofing, \$1,500;
James Davis, 914 Van Horn, roofing, \$4,000;

F.M. Morris, 1000 E. Washington, roofing, \$2,200;
Steve Fisher, 701 S. Wall, roofing, \$1,400;
Ed Culverson, 102 S. Seneca, roofing, \$2,350;
Iowa Park Florist, 114 W. Park, repair, \$2,100;
Bud Patterson, 508 N. Pacific, roofing, \$2,100;
Laura Raymond, 1005 Lincoln, roofing, \$1,400;
Johnny Clark, 800 N. Jackson, roofing, \$2,200;
Roland Edgemon, 1309 Blue Jay, roofing, \$1,700;
Jimmy Walker, 303 E. Alameda, roofing, \$2,000;
Gary Bradford, 300 E. Washington, roofing/repair, \$10,000;
Don Sidlauskas, 501 E. Ruby, roofing, \$700;
Kathy Green, 700 N. Jackson, roofing, \$3,000;
Hightower, 1003 Foley, roofing, \$1,900;
Marshall Yoder, 308 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,000;
Barbour Trucking, 328 E. Highway, roofing, \$2,900.

Kathleen Leonardi, 114 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,200;
Gregory Potter, 103 E. Garden, addition, \$1,500;
Jim Huff, 209 W. Diamond, roofing, \$300;
Henry Kiser, 1007 W. Louisa, roofing, \$1,000;
Ken Johnson, 811 N. Park, roofing, \$1,500;
R.L. Stegall, 522 S. Park, roofing, \$1,500;
Charles Roberts, 105 W. Pecan, roofing, \$2,000;
Bobby Collins, 110 W. Pecan, roofing, \$1,500;

Jimmy Davis, 406 W. Poe, roofing, \$1,225;
Earl Hopkins, 410 E. Ruby, roofing, \$1,825;
Bill Chandler, 804 Van Horn, roofing, \$900;
Lynn Stone, 1210 S. Wall, roofing, \$875;
Cindy Smith, 609 W. Smith, roofing, \$1,400;
Joe Noel, 118 W. Garden, roofing, \$1,000;
E.M. Boone, 412 N. Bond, roofing, \$1,000;
First Christian (house), 210 E. Cash, roofing, \$1,500;
Fred McNeil, 406 W. Clara, roofing, \$1,280;
James McCord, 107 E. Garden, alteration, \$2,500;
Lonnita Shaw, 110 James, roofing, \$1,480;
Steve Shoenecker, 723 N. Park, roofing, \$2,000;
Beatrice Brookshire, 504 E. Pasadena, roofing, \$2,800;
Arline Miser, 405 W. Poe, roofing, \$1,400;
Richard Phillips, 409 W. Poe, roofing, \$1,400;
Freddie Simmons, 305 W. Ruby, roofing, \$585;
Tom Hoobler, 615 N. Wall, roofing, \$1,305;
A.A. Simmons, 506 E. Washington, roofing, \$1,325;
Jon Smith, 509 E. Washington, roofing, \$2,200;
Steven Smith, 511 E. Washington, roofing, \$2,100;
Steve Stiles, 109 Westview, roofing, \$1,450;
Cecil Catlin, 500 E. Alameda, roofing, \$2,000;
Cecil Catlin, 502 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,470;
Cecil Catlin, 503 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,500;
Cecil Catlin, 508 E. Alameda, roofing, \$1,325;
Norman Williams, 100 E. Aldine, roofing, \$2,100;

Cecil Catlin, 900 E. Cash, roofing, \$1,225;
A.O. Robertson, 806 E. Cash, roofing, \$1,700;
Jeff Sanders, 111 Hope Lane, roofing, \$1,700;
O.S. McLemore, 107 W. Jefferson, roofing, \$2,200;
J.L. Toler, 903 W. Louisa, roofing, \$1,500;
Allan Bennett, 802 N. Park, roofing, \$2,800;

Paul Morris, 200 W. Texas, roofing, \$2,000;
Lynn Tucker, 1205 S. Wall, roofing, \$1,200;
Ron Berry, 408 E. Washington, roofing, \$2,700;
Donald Arrick, 404 W. Lafayette, carport, \$1,350;
Gracie Lee, 106 W. Washington, roofing, \$1,350;
Fern Corder, 510 E. Washington, roofing, \$1,800;
Chuck Lyons, 810 N. Wall, roofing, \$1,500;
Lawrence Lindsey, 207 W. Valley, roofing, \$1,550;
Billy Hibbs, 603 W. Smith, roofing, \$2,085;
Betty Guyette, 307 W. Pecan, roofing, \$840;
Monty Bowden, 330 E. Park, roofing, \$3,500;
Bill Chandler, 402 W. Magnolia, roofing, \$850;
Skip Sheets, 910 S. Jackson, roofing, \$1,000;

Quail Run Apartments, 310 E. Diamond, repairs, \$2,500;
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Colds can last for just a few days or as long as a couple of weeks.

Colds are spread through the air or by contact with hands.

You can help keep your cold from spreading to others if you are careful to cover your mouth when you sneeze or cough.

Colds are spread when a healthy person makes hand contact with a sick person or touches contaminated objects, such as doorknobs.

One of the best ways to reduce your risk of catching a cold or spreading colds to others is to wash your hands frequently.

There is no "sure" for the common cold. The best way to treat your cold is rest, drink plenty of liquids, and take proper medication to relieve your cold or cough symptoms. Your pharmacist or doctor can recommend the best medicine for you.

If your child has a cough or a cold be sure to ask your doctor or pharmacist about the amount of medicine to give your child.

Remember a cough can be serious. If your cough lasts longer than 10 days or is accompanied by a fever of 102 degrees or higher for more than three days, see your doctor.

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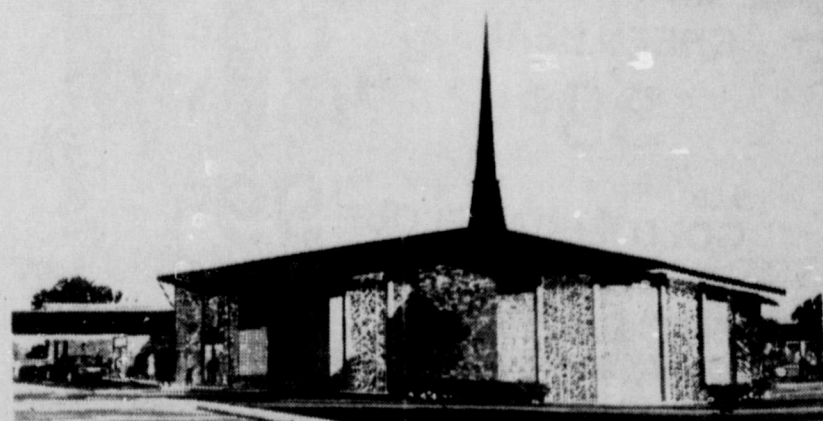
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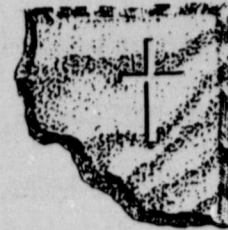
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The season of Advent, which began last Sunday, is the very short four weeks before Christmas. In our fast-paced existence, it becomes swallowed up in the Christmas rush. Since the commercialism surrounding Christmas starts even before Thanksgiving, Advent usually gets short shrift, even in our minds.

Yet Advent has much to offer us in its personages, themes, and virtues. If we pay close attention to these, we will enjoy a more meaningful, a more spiritual, and a happier Christmas. Advent is our preparation for Christmas, the feast of Christ's triple-coming into the world.

First, the glorious feast commemorates the coming of Christ in the flesh (in history) to save the world. "In those days and at that time (says the Lord) I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land" (Jer. 33:15).

Second, Christmas celebrates the coming of Christ now (in mystery) in the sacred liturgy, the scriptures and rites of the Church, to apply that salvation to each individual. "Make me to know your ways, O Lord; teach me your paths. Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of salvation" (Ps. 25:4-5).

Finally, Christmas looks forward to the coming of Christ on the Last Day (in glory) to complete this salvation for each of us. "There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among the nations confused by the roaring of the sea and waves...(says Jesus)...Then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in a cloud' with power and great glory" (Lk 21: 25, 27).

Prepare for His coming, make straight His path, for our God comes to be with us - our Emmanuel!



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First & Clara 592-2802

Rev. Patrick Burke, Pastor
8:45 a.m. Children's Religious Formation
10:00 a.m. Mass

NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF THE HAWKS

BRADFORD

Fifth graders read 33,000 pages

Bradford fifth grade students read a total of 33,000 pages during November for Book-It!

Mrs. Kasperek's class lead the grade with a total of 13,700 pages read.

December is the last month for this year's Book-It.

Fourth and Fifth graders are national contenders

This year, Bradford's fourth and fifth graders are participating in the Continental Mathematics League.

They are competing nationally with other fourth and fifth graders.

The students have a "Math Meet" once each month from November through March. Students are asked to work six problems in the area of problem solving using higher level thinking skills, within a 30-minute time frame.

The tests are scored and the top six scores are sent in each month. The students will be ranked nationally according to scores at the end of the meets.

Locally, the top six accumulative scores will be recognized. First and second place will receive medals and the remaining four will earn certificates.

Denise Alsup and Jan Yeager are the fifth and fourth grade sponsors, respectively.

Fifth Grade Choir has busy schedule

Fifth grade choir students will be busy this month with Christmas concerts scheduled through Dec. 19.

Their performance schedule will be:

- Friday, Dec. 2 - 7 p.m. - Sikes Senter Mall
- Wednesday, Dec. 7 - 11 a.m. - Floral Heights Methodist Church in Wichita Falls
- Thursday, Dec. 8 - 7 p.m. - Iowa Park High School (Bradford PTA)
- Monday, Dec. 12 - 12-noon - Heritage Manor
- Tuesday, Dec. 13 - 5:30 p.m. - Southside Girls Club in Wichita Falls
- Monday, Dec. 19 - 11:15 a.m. - Friendly Door.

Fifth graders lend helping hand

Some fifth grade students have been selected as library and computer helpers for the school year.

Library helpers include Tori Crawford, Bobby Loyd, Neil Henderson, Mindy Reaves, Dana Smith, Janna Stevens, Meagan Brammer and Ricky Ashton.

Computer helpers are Mallory Carroll, Mindy Justus, David Neubert, Dane Minderman, Jason Peters, Mindy Reaves, Cayce Gauthier, Kris McMahon, Amy Rust, Lauren Ress, Jesse Bartow, Robyn Rhea, Jessica Davis and Kaci Bosley.

KIDWELL

Canned Food Drive begins

Kidwell Elementary School has begun a holiday food drive, with donations to go to the Iowa Park Food Pantry.

People wishing to give non-perishable food items may bring them until Dec. 16 to the school or send them with a Kidwell student.

Mrs. Kimberly Mogg, kindergarten teacher, wrote a poem to encourage those who can, to donate:

If it's extra canned goods that you have a plenty,
Like green beans or carrots or beef stew made by Dinty.

We really could use them for the canned food drive at school.
Kidwell builds a big food tree.

It really is cool!
Sometimes in our cabinets we get such a clutter,
of baby food, dried fruits, jars of smooth peanut butter.

We forget there are families who'd put them to use.
So clean out those cupboards - you have no excuse.

We need your non-perishables by the sixteenth of December
to make some families' Christmas one they'll remember.

Santa's Secret Shop coming soon!

Santa's Secret Shop, an opportunity for Kidwell students to shop for their families, will be December 13 - 16.

Second graders will shop Tuesday, Dec. 13; kindergartners will shop Wednesday, Dec. 14; and first graders will shop Thursday, December 15. Fri-

day, Dec. 16 will be an open day for students who forgot, were absent, or for parents who want to bring younger children to shop.

Next Thursday, students will be bringing home envelopes for parents to fill out. The envelopes will have space to include who to buy for and how much is budgeted for each person. Children will need to bring their envelope and money the day their class is scheduled to shop.

Students are able to pick out their own gifts. This project gives children the opportunity to budget their money and pick out their own gifts, which will be wrapped and tagged when they leave the store.

This is a service project of Kidwell PTA.

Time to decorate

Kidwell room mothers will decorate classroom doors and Christmas trees at 2:35 Friday, December 9.

Picture retakes

Students who were absent on picture day or whose picture didn't come out as it should can have them remade Tuesday.

First graders to Deck the Halls in Wichita Falls

Kidwell first grade classes will take a trip to Wichita Falls Monday to enjoy some holiday activities.

Students will visit the Fantasy of Lights at Midwestern State Univ., and go to the Santa House.

In The Military

Completes basic training

Seaman Recruit Kyle L. Thompson recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Thompson is a 1994 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

Helpful Facts

Yearly permits to keep animals (except dogs and cats) on your property are available for \$5 at Iowa Park City Hall.

Child-resistant lighters make a safer holiday season

Young children who play with fire cause a tremendous amount of damage, but newly available disposable lighters with child-resistant safety features might help prevent some tragedies this holiday season.

In Texas last year children playing with fire caused 1028 residential fires, resulting in eight deaths, 138 injuries and more than \$7.5 million in property damage.

Children playing with matches accounted for roughly one-third of these fires, and children playing with lighters accounted for another third. Nationwide, children under the age of five playing with lighters annually cause 150 deaths, 1,000 injuries, and more than 5,000 residential fires.

The Texas Commission on Fire Protection's preliminary evidence for this year suggests that 1994 will be even worse.

In September alone, newspaper reports from across the state show that at least four young children died after causing fires. During September, children destroyed more than a dozen homes and apartment buildings.

The commission is urging Texans to keep fire out of young children's hands. One way to do that is to purchase newly available child-resistant lighters.

All disposable and novelty lighters manufactured or imported after July 12, 1994 must meet the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) mandatory regulation for child resistance.

The safety regulation adds a second step to what generally has been a single-step process to ignite a lighter. The new step, which requires reasoning or cognitive skills in order to depress a small button or lift a simple tab before lighting the flame, will help

prevent children from accidentally setting an object or themselves on fire.

Although retail stores will be able to legally sell lighters previously manufactured or imported, the CPSC expects the old lighters to be off the shelves within approximately six months.

With the holiday season fast approaching, the Texas Commission on Fire Protection is urging Texans to replace their old lighters with the new child-resistant models.

"If everyone becomes aware that

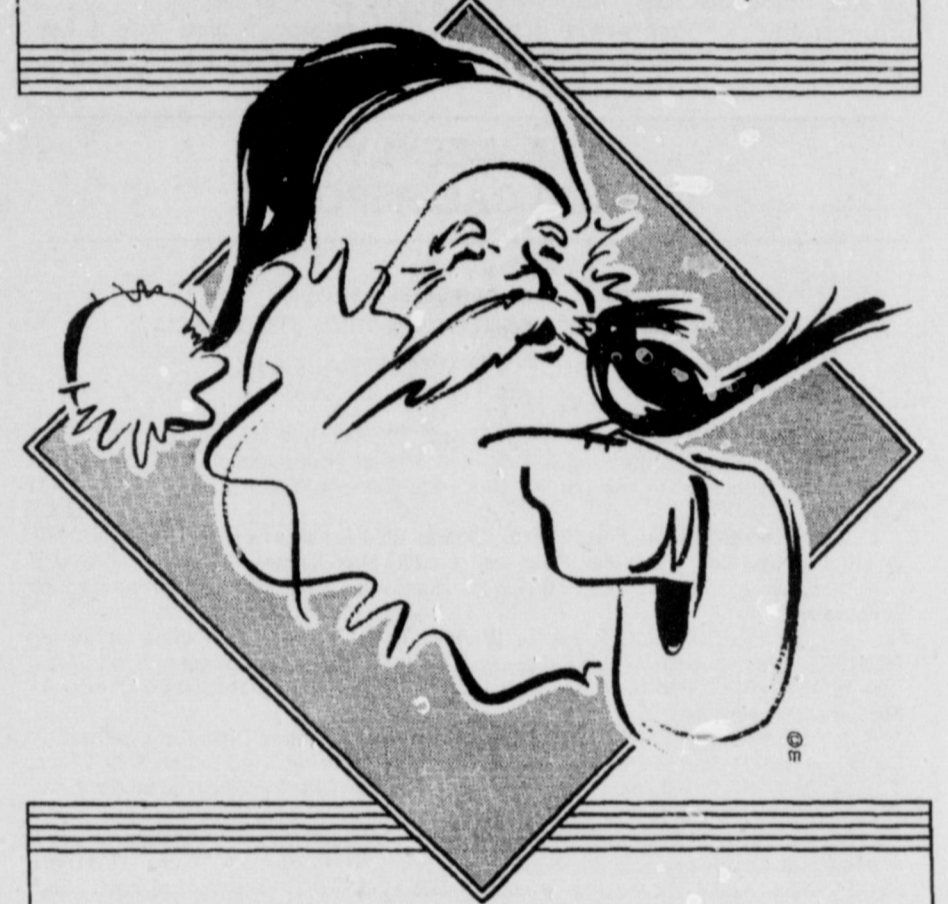
the child-resistant lighters are available, we might be able to avoid a lot of needless tragedies this holiday season," said Michael E. Hines, executive director.

The commission also urges Texans to be cautious with fire during the season, and offers the following suggestions.

Be careful with candles. When using candles for decorating, place the candle in a holder or shield to keep stray clothing and decorations from coming into contact with flames.

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Wednesday, December 14 ~ 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
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HIGHLIGHTS

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AUSTIN — On Thanksgiving eve, Republican Gov.-elect George W. Bush said he will move swiftly on tort reform, boost trade with Mexico and oppose California-style measures to stop illegal immigration.

In an interview with the *Journal of Commerce*, Bush said he opposed measures like California's Proposition 187 that would deny public services to children of illegal

aliens. Instead, he said he would support expanding border enforcement efforts like the one initiated in El Paso.

Describing himself as "a big proponent" of the North American Free Trade Agreement, Bush said Texas' economic and social future depends on having a strong partner in Mexico.

Bush said he is already addressing one of the troublesome issues in Texas-Mexico trade relations: Mexico's \$50-per-crossing limit on goods purchased in U.S. border cities.

"I have talked with our U.S. senators as well as retailers on the U.S. side on the need to make sure

trade is free and open, and that rules ought to be consistent on both sides of the border," Bush said.

He said he would discuss the matter with Mexican President-elect Ernesto Zedillo Ponce de Leon when they meet before Bush is inaugurated on Jan. 17. Zedillo will be sworn in Dec. 1.

Tort reform, which was a key part of Bush's campaign, is high on

his list of priorities. "It will be a front-burner item in this legislative session. I have got people in place," Bush said. "We're putting our strategy in place to make sure that the tort package is meaningful and strong."

Governor Discounts Rumors
Meanwhile, Gov. Ann Richards was busy last week poo-pooing rumors.

She said she would not consider accepting the chairmanship of the Democratic National Committee and that she is not planning to run against Republican U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm when his term expires in 1996.

While helping serve Thanksgiving dinner to about 6,000 homeless people in Austin's city coliseum, Richards also told reporters she had no plans to work for President Clin-

ton's administration or embark on an acting career.

Richards, however, did say she has talked about job opportunities that relate "with how I might interface with business, and how I might do some things that would help me make a living."

And it seems she has no plans to seek greener pastures outside Texas. "I love Austin and I love Texas. My heart is here," she said, adding, "I had a fabulous, fabulous four years. I really feel great about those four years. Whatever I do, it's going to be wonderful."

Mesbacher on Term Limits

Rob Mesbacher, a Houston Republican and party strongman who ran for lieutenant governor in 1990, warned GOP congressmen

that they should not jettison the term-limits plank that many of them ran on in the midterm election.

Mesbacher, the founder of Texans for Term Limits, said voters could easily turn on officeholders who don't continue their support for term limits.

According to a report in the *Houston Chronicle*, Mesbacher's comments were in reaction to statements made by the new House majority leader, U.S. Rep. Dick Arme, R-Lewisville.

On a national radio broadcast, Arme said, "I think Americans will find their enthusiasm for term limits waning quite a bit (if the Republicans) can straighten out the House."

And although Arme reaffirmed his support on term limits after making the statements, Mesbacher

said, "People want the mess in Washington cleaned up, and that means more than replacing the arrogance of the Democrat insiders with the arrogance of Republican insiders."

Ratliff Eyes Textbook Bill

State Senate Education Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, says he will introduce a bill in the upcoming legislative session that will allow local school boards to use state money to purchase school textbooks of their choice.

For the past 10 years, the state Board of Education has selected what books local school districts can purchase.

Education Commissioner Lionel "Skip" Meno has said he favors no state involvement in the selection of textbooks.

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RRC DISTRICT 9 - WICHITA FALLS WICHITA COUNTY

BTC VENTURE, INC. of Holliday, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4300' depth KMA [Ellenburger] Field well 3 miles N of Kamay. The CHICAGO Well No. 6 is located in the Lot 13, Block 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 112.21 acre lease.

J. F. HOOD of Fort Worth, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 4 miles N of Kamay. The WAGGONER "G" Well No. 2 is located in the Block 20, Hezekiah George Survey, A-454 on a 65 acre lease.

J. FRANK HOOD, JR. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 1.5 miles S of Clara. The MOBIL-FOSTER Well No. 10 is located in the Charles Roberts Survey, A-566 on a 103 acre lease.

J. FRANK HOOD, JR. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 1.5 miles S of Clara. The MOBIL-FOSTER Well No. 9 is located in the Charles Roberts Survey, A-566 on a 103 acre lease.

POBRES, INC. of Kamay, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 2 miles NE of Electra. The J. H. MARRIOTT Well No. 47 is located in the SP RR Co. Survey, #1, A-280 on a 108.5 acre lease.

PRIMROSE OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 6 miles N of Iowa Park. The EDD HEISERMAN Well No. 41 is located in the H. T. & B. RR Co. Survey #3, A-125 on a 146 acre lease.

ARCHER COUNTY

DAHAB ENERGY INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 5 miles SE of Holliday. The PETREX Well No. 17 is located in the Lot 7, Block 26, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 414 acre lease.

DAHAB ENERGY INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 5 miles SE of Holliday. The PETREX Well No. 18 is located in the Lot 7, Block 26, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 414 acre lease.

KOCANA RESOURCES of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL DISCOVERY in a Wildcat well, 10 miles NW of Archer City. The COWAN-MCKINNEY Well No. 2-152, located in the Block 152, R. Carson Survey, A-82 on a 120 acre lease, tested 46 BO/D, trace of gas, 8 BW/D on pump from perfs 3320-26' after acid treatment.

TURNBOW DRILLING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 5 miles SE of Holliday. The CONTINENTAL Well No. 5, located in the Block 28, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 350 acre lease, tested 9 BO/D, 1 MCF/D, 9 BW/D on pump from perfs 488'-504' after frac treatment.

TURNBOW DRILLING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 5 miles SE of Holliday. The CONTINENTAL Well No. 6, located in the Block 28, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 350 acre lease, tested 8 BO/D, 1 MCF/D, 10 BW/D on pump from perfs 490'-505' after frac treatment.

CLAY COUNTY

LANE OPERATING COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the S. Joy [Caddo] Field, 3 miles WSW of Buffalo Springs. The FORD UNIT Well No. 1, located in the TE & L Co. Survey #3221, A-582 on a 40 acre unit, tested 123 BO/D, 117 MCF/D, no water, flowing on 12/64 choke at 160# from perfs 5740-76' after acid treatment.

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Lady Hawks not winless any more

The Lady Hawks didn't take much time off over the Thanksgiving Holidays as they played five games, including three games in the Fantasy Of Lights Tournament in Wichita Falls.

Iowa Park opened the week by picking up its first win of the season when the Lady Hawks knocked off Archer City 59-48 Tuesday. Dusti Welch finished with 19 to lead Iowa Park and Jodi Young was close behind with 13 points.

In the opening game of the tournament, Iowa Park got a balanced scoring effort and downed Quannah 68-61 as four different players scored in double figures. Monica Merrell and Briana Stalker each had 13 points followed by Welch's 11 and Young's 10. The win evened the Lady Hawks record at 2-2 for the year.

In the semi-finals of the tournament, the Lady Hawks lost to the eventual champion Lady Bobcats from Childress 69-41. Jayne Roberts led Iowa Park in scoring with 9 points followed by Julea Ricks and Brandi Catlin who each finished with 7 points.

The consolation game saw the Lady Hawks drop a heartbreaker 58-56 to Krum. Iowa Park was led in scoring by Welch's 15, Young's 11 and Ricks' 10 point performances.

Tuesday night Iowa Park had a chance to get even with Childress as the Lady Bobcats visited Hawk Gymnasium.

But the results were about the same as the Lady Hawks couldn't pull out a win against the much taller Childress squad as the Lady Bobcats won 66-45.

Iowa Park scored the final 5 points in the first quarter to cut the Childress lead to 17-11 after the first period of play, then turned it up a notch as they ran off the first 10 points to open the second quarter to take a 21-17 lead with 3:58 remaining in the first half. The Lady Hawks took a 23-21 lead into the locker room by doing a good job rebounding and hustling after loose balls.

But the lead was short lived as the Lady Bobcats scored the first 9 points to open the third quarter and took a 30-23 lead. Young hit a big three-pointer



BRANDI CATLIN BATTLES FOR ROOM ... in tournament opener against Quannah.

BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

LADY HAWK JV

The junior varsity girls split a pair of games this week as the Lady Hawks won 40-38 last Tuesday night against Archer City then dropped a 44-40 decision to Graham this Tuesday to even their record at 2-2 for the season.

In the Archer City game, Alora Foster and Belinda Terry led the Lady Hawks in scoring as each finished with 6 points.

In the Childress game, Kim Scobee led the way with 9 points followed by Lori Wiggins who finished with 7 followed by Foster who added 6.

LADY HAWK FROSH

The freshman Lady Hawks improved to 4-0 Tuesday night by beating Childress 48-41.

Amanda Roberts led Iowa Park in scoring with 12 points followed by Sarah Shook and Wendy Bridwell who each added 9 points apiece.

The Lady Hawks will see action again this Saturday when they host Hirschi at 11 a.m. in the Iowa Park Freshman Tournament.

7TH BOYS A

The 7th grade boys A team raised its record to 2-0 Monday by beating Graham 59-21.

The Hawks were led in scoring by Troy Tatum who finished with 12 points, Ryan Huff who finished with 11 and Scotty Mitchell who added 9.

Iowa Park opened the game by outscoring the Steers 16-10 in the first quarter then blew the game open by outscoring Graham 19-1 in the second period. The Hawks went on to post a 20-4 final quarter on the way to the win.

Defensive standouts for the Hawks were James Williams and Mason Adams.

7TH BOYS B

In their first game of the season, the 7th grade boys B team fell 33-28 in overtime to Graham on Monday.

Landon Miller led the Hawks with 17 points Dustin Shiery added 4 points.

Iowa Park opened a 9-2 first quarter lead but trailed at the half 17-11. The Hawks cut the Steers lead to 23-19 after three quarters and tied the game at the end of regulation at 25-25.

Defensive standouts for Iowa Park were Jeremiah Stevens and Kevin McShan.

8TH BOYS A

The 8th grade boys A team blasted Graham 44-21 Monday behind Tommy Duerson's game high 12 points.

Defensively for the Hawks both

Josh Arrington and Bryan Lyons had solid games according to the coaching staff.

8TH BOYS B

The 8th grade boys B team lost a close one Monday as they fell 40-37 to the Graham Steers. High point honors went to Bryan Miller for the Hawks who finished with 16 points.

Travis Cline was credited for his defensive effort for Iowa Park.

7TH GIRLS A

The 7th grade girls A team dropped a 29-20 decision to Graham Monday.

Leading the Lady Hawks in scoring were Melissa Threet who finished with 6 points and Amber Miller and Krysha Hoover who each added 4 points.

7TH GIRLS B

The 7th grade girls B team lost to Graham by the same score as the A team Monday, with the Steers winning 29-20.

Heather Martin led Iowa Park in scoring with 5 points followed by Karen Schell who finished with 4.

8TH GIRLS A

The 8th grade girls A team came up just short Monday as they fell 36-35 to the Lady Steers from Graham.

Leading the Lady Hawks in scoring were Dena Brown who finished with 8 points, Hannah Atchley finished with 7 points and Amanda Sheppard chipped in 6 for Iowa Park.

8TH GIRLS B

The 8th grade girls B team ran into some tough competition Monday as they lost to Graham 38-9.

Leading the Lady Hawks in scoring were Teri Goin, Stephanie Johnson, Jami Martin and Aimee Miller each finishing with 2 points.

for Iowa Park with 50 seconds left in the period and followed it up with a pair of free throws seconds later to pull the Lady Hawks to within 3 at 36-33 before Childress finished the quarter with a bucket to lead 38-33 after three periods.

The fourth quarter was all Childress as the Lady Bobcats outscored Iowa Park 28-12 to pick up the win.

Iowa Park falls to 2-5 while Childress improves to 6-1.

"It was a real physical game to say the least," Iowa Park head coach Ronda Havins said. "I think we did a lot of things well tonight and I was especially pleased with the effort the girls gave. We had girls on the floor and even diving in the stands tonight. They really hustled and I'm proud of them for that."

Merrell and Young led the Lady Hawks in scoring with 11 points each.

Iowa Park's next game will be Thursday in Peaster as they open play in the Peaster Tournament.

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Hawks suffer loss

The Hawks split a pair of games this week and suffered their first loss of the young season along the way when they ripped Eastland 105-70 Tuesday of last week, then fell to Childress 78-67 this Tuesday.

In the Eastland game, six different Hawks finished in double figures as Iowa Park reached the century mark for the second time in three games.

Michael Fallon led the way with 20 points, Rudy Hawkins finished with 18 followed by Nick Black and Corky Petty each with 12. John Lucas and Latham Dickens rounded out the double-digit scorers with 10 points apiece. The Hawks connected on 9 three-point bombs in the game with Fallon and Hawkins hitting three each.

Iowa Park led at the half 51-32 and increased the lead to 81-52 after three periods.

In the Childress game, a re-match of last week's game in which Iowa Park won 77-64, the Hawks trailed 24-20 after the opening quarter and 41-38 at the half.

But the third quarter was the turning point as the Hawks only scored 6 points while the Bobcats ran off 22 to take a 63-44 lead after three periods of play.

"We didn't shoot the ball well in the third quarter and they shot lights out," Iowa Park head coach Tim Clark said. "We turned the ball over a lot and they couldn't miss. We cut the lead to 10 with just over 5 minutes to go, then we had three straight key trips down the floor where we didn't score. We looked like a team that hadn't played in a week but still this was a good game for us. They got a couple of kids that played football for them and they helped them out tonight."

Iowa Park suffered its first loss of the year and is now 3-1 while Childress, which is coming off the Fantasy Of Lights Tournament in which they won

the Boys Silver Division crown, improve to 7-1 overall with the one loss coming against the Hawks earlier.

Rylan McNeil led Iowa Park in scoring with 18 followed by Nick Black with 13.

The Hawks' next action will be this Thursday when they travel to Peaster to play Country Day at 5 p.m. in the opening round of the Peaster Tournament.

Girl's Softball League to meet Sunday at RAC

The Girl's Softball League will meet at 8 p.m. Sunday at the Recreational Activities Center, 806 N. Third St.

The election of officers and board members are the main topics on the agenda. Also, officers for a new girl's softball auxiliary will be elected, and plans for a new field will be discussed.

Angel Sheets, president, urges anyone interested in being involved in the league to attend.

SPORTS

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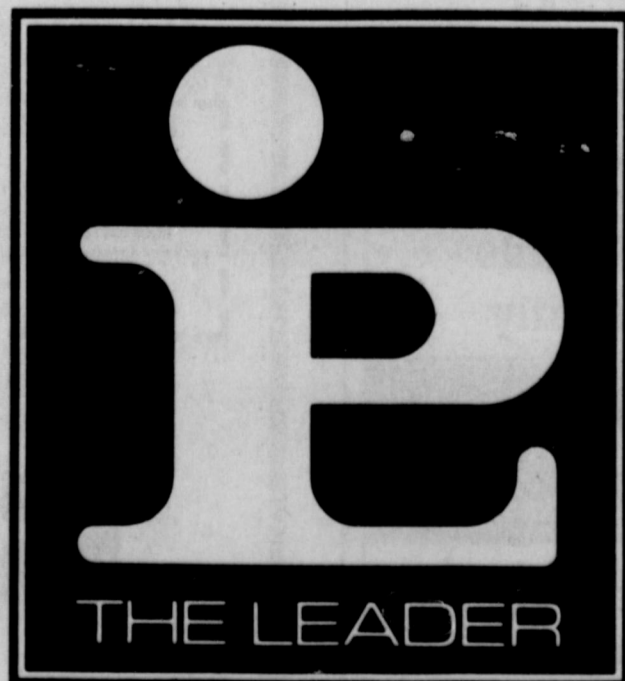
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Follow simple precautions during holidays for food safety

With the holidays approaching, now is a good time to review safe kitchen practices that will keep food poisoning from ruining a festive dinner, said Rick Perry, Agriculture Commissioner.

Millions of cases of food poisoning occur in the United States every year. Though most cases are mild, some can be deadly. The very young, the elderly and those with chronic illnesses are a special risk.

"The good news is most cases of food-borne illness can be prevented by proper food handling and sanitation at home. This may take extra planning during the holidays when a greater variety and quantity of food is served," Perry said.

Texas Department of Agriculture Nutrition Coordinator Belinda Boshell recommends following simple precautions to ensure safe eating during the holiday season and all year long.

* Safety begins at the supermarket, says Boshell. Pick up the turkey, meat and dairy products last. If food has to be in a car longer than 30 minutes, ice perishables in a cooler.

* Take your food home to a clean kitchen—spotless shelves, countertops, other surfaces and utensils. Refrigerate or freeze perishable items promptly.

* The safest way to thaw a turkey is in the refrigerator, never at room temperature where bacteria multiply rapidly. Refrigerator thawing takes one to two days for an 8-12 pound bird and four or five days for turkeys weighing 20 to 25 pounds. Fresh turkeys should be purchased two or three days before the holiday and stored in the refrigerator. Place the turkey in a pan so it cannot drip on other food.

* Cook turkey and dressing separately. Stuffed inside a warm turkey, dressing becomes a breeding place for bacteria. If you must cook dressing in the bird, stuff the turkey after it has thawed completely and just before putting it in the oven. Cook until meat thermometer inserted into the center of dressing registers 165 F.

* Cooking food to internal temperatures of 165 to 212 F. kills most food poisoning bacteria. Hot food can be held at 140 to 165 F—in a chafing dish, for example—up to two hours, stirring occasionally. Properly stored leftovers should be reheated thoroughly to 165 F.

* Refrigerate leftovers, including pumpkin and other custard pies, within two hours. Divide large portions of meat, dressing, gravy and mashed

potatoes into smaller portions, which cool faster after refrigeration.

"The rule to remember is 'keep hot foods hot, cold foods cold and everything clean,'" said Boshell. "Kitchen cleanliness will go a long way to prevent foodborne illness any time of year."

To prevent germs from multiplying during food preparation, separate raw meats, poultry and fish from other foods and use separate cutting boards

for raw and cooked foods. Carefully wash cutting boards and knives before reusing.

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LOST - Small brown ferret dog with white nose and green collar. Call 592-5550 or 851-5132. 12-1-1tc

FOUND - Smokey gray female cat with white paws. Found in 1100 block Cornelia. 592-4572 after 3. 12-1-nc

FOUND - Female German Shepherd - scarred left ear. 592-9417. 12-1-nc

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF INTENT TO REQUEST THE RELEASE OF FUNDS IN CONNECTION WITH THE HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM
Date of Publication Dec. 1, 1994

City of Iowa Park
P.O. Box 190
Iowa Park, Texas 76367-0190
Phone (817) 592-2131

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about nine (9) days after the date of publication, the City of Iowa Park will request the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) to release funds under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 for the following project:

HOME Program Contract Number: 533402
Description: HOME Program will make deferred payment loans available to low and moderate income homebuyers. These loans will be forgiven after five (5) years for pre-owned home purchases and after twenty (20) years for new home purchases.
Location: The HOME program will be operated city-wide
Total Estimated Cost: \$54,080.00

An Environmental Review Record pertaining to the above project has been made by the City of Iowa Park, which documents the environmental review status of the projects. This Environmental Review Record is on file at 103 North Wall Street, Iowa Park, Texas, and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Comments will be received seven (7) days following the publication of this notice.

The City of Iowa Park will undertake the project described above with HOME Investment Partnership Program funds from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs under Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990. The City of Iowa Park is certifying to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs that the City of Iowa Park and Wayne House, in his official capacity of Mayor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental assessments, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the City of Iowa Park may use HOME Program funds, and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and 24 CFR Part 58.

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following basis:

(a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other certifying officer of the Grantee approved by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs; or

(b) that the Grantee's environmental review record of the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review required procedures (24 CFR Part 58), and may be addressed to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, P.O. Box 13941, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-3941.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. No objection received after 25 days, from the publication of this notice, will be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. 12-1-1tc

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Obituaries



Stella May North

Stella May North, 89, of Iowa Park, died Tuesday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at the First United Pentecostal Church with Rev. Greg Hardin, pastor, Rev. G.W. Milner, a former pastor, and Rev. Archie Kennedy of Vernon officiating. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mrs. North was born May 4, 1905, in Sunset. She had lived in Iowa Park 70 years and was a homemaker. She was a member of the First United Pentecostal Church where she was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary and had served as church secretary. The church was begun with Sunday School classes held in her home in 1939. She was a member of Highland Cemetery Association. She and Willie Clifton North were married Dec. 17, 1944, in Bowie. He preceded her in death on July 5, 1967.

Survivors include a son, Ruben Edward Copeland of Iowa Park; four daughters, Juanita Lyons, Oleta Marie Whitaker and Wanzell Duggins, all of Iowa Park, and Geneva Anderson of Electra; a sister, Dovie Morris of Iowa Park; 19 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren; and 24 great-great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the First United Pentecostal Church Building Fund or Friendly Door Senior Citizens Center.

The family will be at the funeral home this evening from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Edna Lois Brown

Services for Edna Lois Brown, 69, were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home.

Dr. Leon Aduddell, pastor of Allen Heights Baptist Church of Allen, officiated. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Brown, mother of Pamela Lyons of Iowa Park, died Monday in Wichita Falls.

She was born June 28, 1925 in Henrietta. Her husband, Robert Henry Brown, preceded her in death Feb. 25, 1985.

Mrs. Brown had been a court reporter at Carswell Air Force Base. She had lived in Wichita Falls most of her life. She was a Baptist.

Other survivors include two sisters, Bobbie Jones and Dortha Lester, both of Wichita Falls, and three grandchildren.

Willie Eugene Sims

Graveside services for Willie Eugene "Red" Sims, 60, were Friday at 3 p.m. in Bowman Cemetery. Arrangements were under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Sims died Tuesday, Nov. 22, in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born Dec. 3, 1933, in Henrietta, he had lived in Iowa Park most of his life. He was a retired yard foreman for Bell Processing Co.

Survivors include his wife, Jo Nell Skidmore Sims; five sons, Wesley, John and Aaron, all of Iowa Park, David of Electra, and Bobby McCathern of Burke, Va.; three daughters, Melissa Wood, Angela Sims and Tracy McCathern, all of Iowa Park; three brothers, Leroy of Iowa Park, Elrie of Wichita Falls and Bobby of Electra; two sisters, Anne McDonald of Arlington and Mary Blevins of Hanford, Calif.



Mary Esther Parks

Services for Mary Esther Parks, 90, were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Dutton Funeral Home Chapel.

Dr. Derrell Monday, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Archer City Cemetery.

Mrs. Parks died Monday in the Iowa Park nursing home.

Born July 12, 1904 in Bridgeport, she was married to Byron Bedford Parks April 5, 1924, in Cotton County, Okla. He preceded her in death in 1977.

Mrs. Parks had been a resident of Iowa Park 23 years, moving here from Archer City where she had lived several years. She had been a homemaker.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Iowa Park and had taught the Beginners Sunday School Class in Archer City and Iowa Park. She had been a member of the Eastern Star while living in Archer City.

Survivors include two sons, Marvin Doyle Parks of Iowa Park and Elzie Parks of North Richland Hills; two sisters, Delilah Tucker and Marjorie Coleman, both of San Antonio; four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandson.

The family suggests memorials to the First Baptist Church of Iowa Park.

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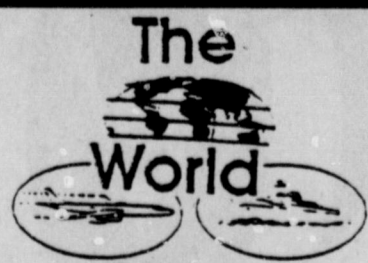
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