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**VACATION RUINED** - An officer of the Amarillo Police Dept., his wife and son escaped serious injuries when their vehicle rolled Monday morning on US 287, but their vacation plans had to be scrapped. The driver, heading east-bound, apparently dozed off momentarily, causing the vehicle to roll several times just west of Burnett Road. The family was attended to by medical personnel from Iowa Park and Electra, then transported to the Electra hospital where they were treated and released.

## Car burglary cases solved

Iowa Park police have solved a series of vehicle burglaries that has been occurring during the past few months.

A 16-year-old male reportedly admitted to Det. Lynn Collins that he had been taking property from vehicles, and all the items have been recovered.

A break in the case came one evening last week, when a resident called police concerning having seen a male at a late-night hour, running down the street carrying a black bag.

That led to an interview in the police station Tuesday, which resulted in the youth's confession.

He was taken before the justice of the peace and then charged in juvenile court with four counts of burglary of vehicles.

The latest burglary was reported Saturday morning, by the owner of a vehicle that was parked overnight in the 300 block of East Bank.

A compact disc player valued at \$119 and two discs were taken. All were recovered.

Collins said all property taken in the series of thefts had been returned to the owners except one, and that

one had been notified.

The youth denied, however, taking a rotating emergency red light from a vehicle owned by a member of the volunteer fire department. That theft was reported to police Thursday afternoon.

A resident told police Thursday morning that someone had taken a check from a vehicle while it was parked briefly at K&K on Johnson Road. The check had reportedly been signed.

Tuesday afternoon, a resident in the 500 block of West Aldine reported a concrete swan holding flowers had been taken sometime overnight. It was valued at \$25.

Police arrested Sammy Lenn Duggins, 41, Saturday evening in the 600 block of Johnson Road, on a charge of driving while intoxicated, first offense.

He was taken to the county jail where he was held under a \$750 bond, according to the police blotter.

School officials reported an act of criminal mischief Friday morning, when it was discovered a newly-constructed asphalt wheel chair ramp

on the west side of the high school had been damaged.

Additionally, two garden hoses nearby were apparently cut by a knife.

## McIlroy collections are impressive

By MYRNA SMITH

As you reach the end of the long, sloping drive from Wigley Road up to the attractive eight-room brick home of the Richard McIlroys, built in the center of 21 acres of ground, you begin to have a mental picture of some things you might find incorporated in the decor inside.

There is a small area at the end of the drive that Mary calls her relic garden. There are orderly groupings of utilitarian farm tools, bovine skulls, some old pieces from an oil lease, an old post that had held Richard's parents' mail box, birdhouses with plenty of seeds, a wheelbarrow and rocks that were hauled in from their oil lease, and other old items. Interspersed among these is a red bud tree, crepe myrtle, Texas sage and other plantings.

From that point, a glance to the northeast reveals a placid fish-stocked pond that attracts ducks and birds in the winter.

Once inside you sense Mary's favorite color is blue, that she is interested in period antiques, her taste ranges to eclectic furnishings, that both Richard and Mary love glassware and pottery, and that they have used these attributes to personalize their home, making it uniquely their's.

McIlroy is a product of this area and Mary was reared in California. They met while she lived in Southern California and he was stationed with the U.S. Army at Fort Ord, California.

Richard graduated Midwestern State University and was in ROTC. He went into service as a commissioned lieutenant and retired in 1978 with the rank of major. He spent three years in Puerto Rico and did two tours of duty in Vietnam during his years in service.

When he retired they moved to Carson City, Nev., where Richard was assistant city manager.

Laughing, Mary remarked, "I knew when I married a Texan that I

## Council denies request to rezone for business

The city council Monday night rejected a request to rezone lots on West Highway for a proposed business.

By a split, 3-2 vote, the council turned down Michelle Neves' proposal to build a beauty salon on three lots she had purchased in the 1000 block of West Highway.

Mayor Tim Hunter cast the deciding vote on the issue, after aldermen Tracy Fears and Bob Hamilton had voted for the change and Joe Singer and Joe Ward voted against it. Mark Raby was absent.

Ironically, the planning and zoning commission had disapproved the request by the same count, when

the issue was considered the previous Monday.

Neves explained to the council she had purchased three lots which are located between Glenda and Crawford Park, excluding the corner lot at Glenda.

However, according to city maps, those lots are zoned residential.

She told the council her plans to build a structure similar to those of Farm Bureau Insurance and Catlin Oil, with a large off-street parking area, and enclosing the entire area with a six-foot privacy fence.

Council chambers were filled to capacity, primarily with residents whose homes were located on Van

Horn and south of West Highway on Foley, all of whom said they objected to rezoning of the lots.

Those who spoke out said they didn't want a business next to their homes, or in view from their back yards.

Increased vehicle traffic in the area also was cited, as well as concerns about the safety of youths who walk along the side of the roadway or ride bicycles.

Virtually the same persons were in attendance at the planning and zoning commission's meeting. They had presented petitions citing their objections there, and also to the council.

The lots are too shallow for a home to ever be built there, said Alderman Hamilton, who pointed out that approximately 1,000 new homes had been built in the city since the housing division was platted more than 30 years, and yet no one had ever built there.

Neighbors, however, said they feared a business located there would depreciate the value of their homes, if and when they should ever decide to sell.

In other business addressed by the council, no action was taken to change the restricted speed in which railroad trains can pass through the city, a resolution was approved for

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## IT RAINED!

### Wednesday shower brings relief

A noisy, but welcomed rain storm moved over Iowa Park shortly before 5 o'clock Wednesday morning, depositing .40 of an inch of precipitation.

The early part of the storm was accompanied by high winds and loud thunder.

A resident in the 200 block of North Hawthorn reported tree limbs causing power lines to spark, and a policeman on patrol found a mature

tree had been felled in the 600 block of East Cash.

Virgil Woodfin, who reported the rainfall measurement, admitted that more moisture could have fallen, but when accompanied by high winds, gauges do not always capture accurate amounts.

For the month of July, Woodfin's measurements now total .60 of an inch.

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Open House slated for Friendly Door

The general public has been invited to an open house Sunday afternoon at the new Friendly Door senior citizens center.

To begin at 2:30, refreshments will be served. The facility is located at 810 North Third St., just north of the Recreational Activities Club.



MRS. RICHARD McILROY

would finally wind up living in Texas, but I really like it."

When Richard's father, Claude McIlroy died, Richard came back in 1984 to help in the operation of the family business, McIlroy Oil. He still works part time with the company, but he also operates Mary's Antiques, located in Nanny's Antique Mall.

When they moved back to Texas, Mary and Richard really wanted a place in the country near Iowa Park, but couldn't find what they wanted, so they settled in Electra.

After six years of waiting and looking, in 1990 they found what they wanted, except for trees. They planted more than 100 trees on their place.

Mary has been a school teacher

about 25 years, off and on, starting in California. She majored in sociology and minored in economics. But, she will begin her 12th year teaching kindergarten in the Electra School system this year.

While living in Nevada Mary was a social worker for the state, working with old age recipients on an Indian reservation. When she would arrive on the reservation, she could hear some of them holler, "Here's that welfare lady."

"This was an interesting experience. They were so good to me. I would spend the night on the reservation because I had to drive so far to get back home. I still have a pair of moccasins they made for me," Mary said.

When Mary decided she wanted

to teach in Electra, she didn't have a Texas certification and enrolled in MSU. She never really knew what happened, but Electra decided to honor her kindergarten certification.

"In my heart I know it was the power of prayer, and I know that teaching kindergarten is my calling in life. I began to have a whole new outlook on teaching."

She commented that she likes to have the children their first year in school and have the opportunity to get them started right.

After the McIlroys bought their home here they converted a patio into a glass-enclosed plant room. Sunlight streams in the windows that face their ample swimming pool, enhance

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Karen Lynn Burke and Ronald Eric Anaya

## August wedding planned

Patrick and Linda Burke of Iowa Park are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Karen Lynn, to Ronald Eric Anaya.

The prospective bridegroom is a son of Diana Anderson of Castro Valley, Calif.

Miss Burke is a graduate of Notre Dame High School in Wichita Falls,

and is a senior at Midwestern State University.

Anaya graduated Castro Valley High School. He is in the U.S. Army stationed at Fort Sill.

The couple will exchange vows of matrimony Saturday, Aug. 17, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at Christ the King Catholic Church.

## Kaspar works at Scout camp

James Kaspar returned last week from a two-week work project at Philmont Scout Camp in New Mexico.

From July 3 through the 17th, the Eagle Scout worked with a team of 28 others to build hiking trails at the camp.

Work consisted of clearing out brush, moving rock and smoothing the trail, and the group was able to complete that for about one-quarter of a mile in length.

But that wasn't all they did. They

also finished up part of a similar project by another team that had run out of time.

To top off the camp, team members awoke at 6 o'clock their final morning in camp, hiked to the top of Mount Baldy (12,441 feet in altitude), just so they could witness the sunrise.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kaspar will enter Texas Tech Univ. this fall, where he plans to major in engineering. He has been accepted to play in the Red Raider Marching Band.

## Air Force group to perform

Tops in Blue, the United States Air Force's world-renowned entertainment touring group, will perform Thursday, Aug. 8 in Wichita Falls' Memorial Auditorium.

Admission is free. Doors are to open at 6:45 p.m. and the performance begin at 7:30.

The Tops in Blue troupe consists of active duty military members who perform annually for audiences world wide.

Each year, thousands compete in base talent contests and the most talented move on to higher levels of competition. The result is an elite group composed of 24 of the most talented vocalists, musicians and dancers anywhere.

Filled with dazzling music, special effects and choreography, the production is comparable to a Broadway show.

Tops in Blue has performed with Bob Hope, Alabama, Lee Greenwood, and as halftime entertainment at the Super Bowl.

The 1996 tour theme, "In Concert," will center on love. When an airman is far from home and focused on a difficult mission, there are few things better for the spirit than hearing that special song and reminiscing about loved ones.

SHOP IOWA PARK FIRST!

## NEWS OF THE IOWA PARK GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Iowa Park Genealogy and Historical Society continued their documentation of the tombstones at Highland Cemetery. Members arriving at the cemetery early last Saturday to continue this task were Shirley Banks, Jim Virgin, and Fil Spangler.

In addition to society members, a new and welcomed addition to the work crew was Chris Shelton of Iowa Park. Chris had volunteered his services with the use of his metal detector. He was able to locate several previously lost grave sites.

In one case the site included a complete temporary grave marker, with identifying name, while the bulk of those found by Chris were only remnants of temporary markers. These pieces of markers were not enough complete to identify the grave for which they were originally intended.

As mentioned in previous articles it is imperative that family members keep tabs on the grave sites of family and friends as they can easily fall into obscurity without appropriate markers.

Many of the grave sites at Highland Cemetery as well as the Clara Cemetery and other cemeteries in the area have only temporary markers identifying the grave site. These markers were originally placed by the funeral homes as a temporary indication of the grave site, and were not meant to be left as a permanent marker.

These temporary markers are made of metal and will not last long in the ground of north Texas before they rust and decay. Our survey of the grave sites at Highland Cemetery brings the realization that many Iowa Park families have failed to provide permanent grave markers for their loved ones, and now their family members are left permanently unidentified.

The importance of a permanent stone marker cannot be stressed enough, it is not just older grave sites that are needing permanent markers, but many quite recent grave sites are in need of a permanent identification likewise.

With the work done Saturday, approximately 71 percent of the documentation of the 223 sections of tombstones in Highland Cemetery has been completed. Another workday has been scheduled for Friday, July 26. Those interested in helping

with the documentation effort should arrive at the cemetery office at 7 a.m. to pick up their assignments, or call Fil Spangler at 592-2447 for further information.

On a recent research trip Vicki and Fil Spangler visited Mt. Carmel Cemetery, which is located six miles north of Electra on Texas Highway 25.

The cemetery was laid out in the late 1800s and is occupied by the German families who took part in the settlement of the farm land of Pumpkin Center area. In driving toward the Mt. Carmel Cemetery from the west on Tx Hwy 240 or from the south on Tx Hwy 25 it is easy to locate because of the large metal cross sitting in the front of the cemetery property. The cross rises about 40 feet in the air and is set upon a rise with steps leading up to the base.

Many of the grave markers of Mt. Carmel Cemetery are ornately made of pewter, some other non-rusting metal, or granite stones. Much detail has been incorporated into the markings and detail in each of the crosses and stones. The site is neatly kept and it is easy to navigate the 100 or so family sites. This is an interesting visit for any wishing to study a bit of history of the north Texas area.

Thanks to those of the Iowa Park community who have been in touch, and who lent their support of our documentation effort at Highland Cemetery as well as help in locating other small cemetery and grave sites in Wichita County.

Our next regular meeting will be Saturday, Aug. 10 at 2 p.m. in Tom Burnett Memorial Library. We welcome all to attend who are interested in discovering their ancestors, or participating in our service project.

----Fil Spangler



Kerri Ina Dorner and Jason Dean Vajnar

## Couple to wed in October

Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Dorner of Iowa Park and Jerome Vajnar of Gridley, Kans., and Mrs. Flo Rahn of Hillsboro, Kans., announce the engagement of their children, Kerri Ina Dorner and Jason Dean Vajnar.

The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Iowa Park High School and graduated magna cum laude from Midwestern State University in 1995 with a Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1986 graduate of Hillsboro High School and graduated Kansas State University in 1992 with a Bachelor of

Science in Wildlife Biology and a Bachelor of Science in Fisheries Biology.

The couple will pledge vows Oct. 12 at 2 p.m. at Christ the King Catholic Church in Iowa Park.

### Helpful Facts

Regular meetings of the Iowa Park city council is at 7 p.m. on second and fourth Mondays, in council chambers at 103 N. Wall. All meetings are open to the public.

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# Moore, Munsch pledge marriage vows in afternoon ceremony

Sean Stephen Munsch and his bride, the former Patricia Charmae Moore, are making their home in Wichita Falls following their recent marriage.

The bride is the daughter of Tod and Wyneth Moore and Mr. and Mrs. George Munsch of Wichita Falls are parents of the groom.

The couple pledged marriage vows June 29 at 2 o'clock in Loop 11 Church of Christ in Wichita Falls. Dale Scott, minister of the Nocona Church of Christ, former minister of Loop 11 church, directed the couple in the recitation of their vows as the bride and groom faced each other and the guests.

Silk bouquets of white gladiolas, burgundy, mauve and pink carnations, baby's breath and ivy were arranged in white vases in the nuptial area. A colonial styled arrangement of the same flowers centered the baptistry ledge. All of the bouquets and other flowers were made by the bride's parents.

Pews were marked with bows of white lace.

Recorded nuptial music was presented by Abilene Christian University A cappella Chorus. "I Will Be Here" was sung as the mothers were being seated, "The Wedding Song" was played as the junior bridesmaid, escorted by the ring bearer, followed by the flower girls, and matron of honor escorted by the best man entered the nuptial area.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father to the selection, "Faithful and True". This was repeated for the recessional. As the couple left the altar they presented the grandmothers with a red rose.

The bride's formal southern style bridal gown of tulle over satin was designed with a princess bodice accented at the shoulders with large bows of satin and a full floor length skirt embellished with sequins and pearls.

Four satin points fell from the waistline accenting the skirt of tulle. She wore a pearl necklace and

earrings belonging to her Grandmother Moore.

The bride carried a colonial styled bouquet fashioned of burgundy, mauve, and pink carnations

interspersed with baby's breath and ivy and decorated with strands of pearls and streamers of burgundy and white satin ribbons.

Janette Parker of Wichita Falls

was matron of honor. She was attired in an ankle-length straight line dress of emerald green satin. Her bouquet was similar to that of the bride's.

Heather Notter of Wichita Falls, niece of the bride, served as junior bridesmaid. Hillary Moore of Wichita Falls, niece of the bride, and Chasity Barry, Wichita Falls, the groom's niece, were flower girls.

They were identically attired in dresses of floral print with cream background and small burgundy and green flowers, topped with a lace vest.

Each carried a white lace basket trimmed with ivy and filled with burgundy carnations.

Holdun Moore, Wichita Falls, the bride's nephew, was ring bearer. He wore dark pants and a shirt trimmed in burgundy and green.

Best man was Shawn Walters of Wichita Falls. Bret Murphy of Wichita Falls and Nathan Perry of Iowa Park were groomsmen and ushers.

The reception, hosted by the bride's parents, was held in Fellowship Hall of the church.

The bride's table was covered in white and featured baskets of ivy and small mauve roses, and burgundy candles in holders of burgundy carnations.

The bride's cake of white was trimmed with burgundy and green leaves. Grecian columns held the top tier that was topped with a pair of doves under an arch of lace decorated with burgundy roses. Michelle Munsch presided at the cake.

The groom's table, covered with white, was decorated with an arrangement of burgundy, pink and mauve flowers and baby's breath in a burgundy vase, and pictures of the bride and groom as children framed in ivy.

His round chocolate cake was decorated with chocolate dipped fresh strawberries. Misty Barry presided at the groom's cake.

Punch was served by Nan Michell Moore. The bride and groom borrowed wine glasses from their Grandmother Harwell for toasting.

The groom's parents hosted a wedding cookout and pool party at their home for the bride and groom and their families that evening.

The bride is a 1995 graduate of Iowa Park High School and is employed at the Golden Corral. Munsch is a graduate of Burkburnett High

School and is employed by Accu Dent Painless Dent Repair.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Low of Lone Oak, Mr. and Mrs. John Weatherford of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bratcher, Ursula Munsch of Nocona and Sue and Clifford Proffert.



Mr. and Mrs. Sean Stephen Munsch  
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29 TXism: "thing \_\_\_\_" (gadget)  
30 TX Steve Martin's actress wife Victoria  
32 TX Luby's started in Springfield, \_\_\_\_  
33 TXism: "\_\_\_\_ summer squash"  
36 dinner rolls  
37 feed storage box  
38 "60 Minutes" led to release of innocent TX \_\_\_\_ Geter  
39 ignorant  
41 TX Ginger Rogers was in "Girl Crazy" by \_\_\_\_ Gershwin  
42 Orange, TX's Stark Museum \_\_\_\_  
45 TX Nolan stats

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1 TXism: "runnin' with the \_\_\_\_ dogs" (going well)  
2 TX Benson film: "\_\_\_\_ to Billie Joe"  
3 in Smith Co. on 69  
4 Llano is the "\_\_\_\_ Texas"  
8 TX Helmond's role on "Who's the Boss?"  
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10 \_\_\_\_ Cola  
11 TXism: "nip \_\_\_\_ in the bud"  
12 West TX Inter-mediate: "\_\_\_\_ crude"  
13 noted King Ranch cowboy Alberto "\_\_\_\_" Trevino  
14 berry desserts

46 Cowboy Emmitt (init.)  
47 rattlesnake tooth  
48 TX fiddler Robertson  
49 TXism: "smack \_\_\_\_" \_\_\_\_ middle"  
52 no. of Astros on the field  
53 this Dealey founded The Dallas Morning News (init.)  
54 TX actor Wallach  
55 Sam Houston's last wife: Margaret \_\_\_\_

15 TXism: "wouldn't touch that with \_\_\_\_-foot pole"  
16 Gulf fish catcher  
17 last words of TX Longley: "I see a lot of \_\_\_\_ out there, and mighty few friends"  
18 actor Alain of "TX Across the River"  
20 TXism: "he \_\_\_\_ barbed wire for dental floss" (tough)  
22 TXism: "hasta \_\_\_\_ vista"  
23 TX Charley Pride's "Then Who \_\_\_\_ I"

24 Galveston \_\_\_\_  
25 "Honest \_\_\_\_"  
26 this Bailey ran a TX circus  
28 in Coleman Co. on 283: Santa \_\_\_\_  
31 father's sister  
34 TXism: "plain as the \_\_\_\_ ears \_\_\_\_ mule"

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# As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



Next Monday will be a special anniversary date for me.

I almost lost it all -- 29 days after my marriage to Dolores, 61 days into my professional newspaper career, and 25 years of living -- 40 years ago, on July 29, 1956.

It was a Sunday morning in the Panhandle town of Dumas, when I was alerted by the town's volunteer fire siren that it was time to go to work.

A huge butane/propane storage tank was burning at the Shamrock Oil Refinery, which was located about midway between Dumas and Sunray.

At the office of the Moore County News, I picked up our 4x5 Speed Graphic camera and accepted a ride from the paper's advertising salesman, Bill Lask, who also wanted to go to the scene.

After shooting a couple of shots as we approached the refinery, and determining it was a bigger situation than normal, I asked Bill to go back to the office and get more film.

I used the last negative I had to shoot a picture which in effect told the whole story. It was a view from inside the storage tank "farm" with fire trucks in the foreground and firemen pouring water on neighboring tanks to keep them cool.

Using my last sheet of film, I returned to the roadway where Lask had more film waiting. And about midway of the quarter-mile distance back to where I had shot the other picture, it happened.

The blazing tank, which had apparently created more pressure than its venting valve could allow to escape, exploded.

Nineteen men were killed, including the plant's safety supervisor who also happened to be my landlord.

The explosion created a giant mushroom fireball, and radiation from it not only set adjoining tanks ablaze,

but burned virtually everyone who was not in a vehicle.

I obviously turned and ran back toward the road when it exploded. The heat set the hair on the back of my head afire, it burned the skin on my back through my shirt, and melted the synthetic fabric of my trousers.

I dropped the heavy camera in order to brush the back of my head, and continued running, across the roadway and into a plowed field.

Well into the plowed field, a man who had driven to the area with his pre-teenage son had the boy lying on his stomach. The youth didn't have a shirt on, and the father was using the loose dirt in an attempt to stop the smoldering of his naked back.

Lask found me wandering around in the field and drove me to the hospital in Dumas.

Numerous victims who were burned far worse than I were already there, some sitting and others lying on beds in the hallways, waiting to be attended to.

As far as I can recall, there were 36 of us who survived and received treatment at the hospital during the following weeks.

Realizing it would be considerable time before the medical people could attend to me, and being "gung-ho" as a new reporter, it occurred to me that we had a major story on our hands.

That's when I went to the hospital's office and used the telephone to call the Associated Press office in Dallas, giving them my observations and whom to contact for more details.

The story, according to AP and clippings I later received, appeared on the front pages of virtually every major newspaper in the United States, as well as London and Paris.

I was released from the hospital about a week later. It was awkward

the following week, explaining to everyone how it was I had been so lucky to survive . . . and having to dictate my various regular stories, because my right hand was still wrapped in bandages.

It was a heck of a way to launch my career in newspapering, and I don't recommend it to any rookie.

And I don't need to look at my scars to remember July 29, 1956.

## Council

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First-Time Homebuyer Assistance, and a request from the police department to close a street next month for an activity was also approved.

Aldermen agreed with Mayor Hunter to not change the ordinance regulating train speed, even though the federal government has taken away a city's authority to do so.

Hunter explained he wanted to leave the ordinance unchanged, but instructed the police department not to enforce that speed limit.

The police department requested permission to close the 100 block of West Park the evening of Saturday, Aug. 10, for a "Night Out Against Crime" community concert.

The council agreed to hold its fourth work session on the 1996-97 budget next Monday, starting at 7 p.m. The meeting is open to the general public.

Adding to the crowd which attended Monday's meeting were Boy Scouts and their leaders. The youths attended the meeting to earn merit badges, it was explained.

## SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

MISLEADING ADVERTISING - SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS

Greg White, district manager of the Wichita Falls Social Security office, cautions area residents of an increase in activity of organizations offering to assist clients with obtaining social security numbers for newborns, for a fee.

Persons contacting the office in the last several weeks have reported receiving correspondence from an organization that appears to be an official agency of the federal government, offering to help parents of newborns obtain a social security card.

The organization requires a fee of \$15 to assist in the process.

White pointed out that the assignment of social security numbers never costs the applicant, whether it be a first-time number to a newborn, the replacement of a lost card, or a name change due to marriage, divorce, adoption or other legal name change.

If readers have any doubts about correspondence they receive, or concerns about any social security matter, White encourages the public to contact their local office.

## Letters to Editor policy explained

The Leader receives numerous letters which cannot, for one reason or another, be published. Letters will not be printed unless they are signed. A typed name will not do. And, for the sake of verification, the writer's telephone should be included.

Should the writer not wish his/her name printed, it will be omitted upon request. However, the letter will be kept on file to be read upon request.

Letters also must be free of libel. If not, they will not be published, because we will not edit the content of any letter.

In letters supporting political candidates or issues, the Leader reserves the right to limit their lengths.

We encourage your Letters to the Editor, and offer the paper space as your forum for discussions of ideas and observations.



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Can't get the paper

Ladies/Gentlemen:  
Today (July 15) the Iowa Park Leader, dated Thursday, June 17 arrived, the first one since the latter part of May. We have never received it with any degree of regularity, but it has now become absurd.

Since there is no way to correct this poor delivery service, the next best move is to cancel. I do hate to give up this connection with the town where I was born almost 93 years ago, but it has become more disappointing than satisfaction.

Therefore, please cancel my subscription.  
Yours truly,  
Edwin M. Davis  
Hemet, CA 92544

### Don't stop the paper

Today (July 16) I received papers published June 27 & July 4. My paper always runs a week late so don't let my subscription run out as I was unaware it was due until today.

Sincerely,  
Wynogene Mann  
San Diego, CA 92110

### Questions petitions

Re: Petition to include name on general election ballot as candidate for Commissioner Precinct 3

Dear Bob:  
I have had occasion to review a number of signatures on the petition and to compare those signatures with the signatures of the same individuals on their application for a voters registration certificate.

There appears to be a number of instances in which the named actual voter did not, in fact, sign the petition. There are indications that some individuals may have signed the petition several times with the names of other registered voters. If that is the case, it is pure unadulterated fraud.

Some petition signers have indicated, when contacted and questioned, that those who were soliciting petition signatures, did not read to them the statement, required by law, to be read to each signer concerning the fact that the signer must not have voted in a primary election. This is sufficient cause to discard those signatures on the petition.

The petition solicitors signed a statement certifying: (1) that the paragraph concerning the eligibility of people who voted in a primary had been read to those who were asked to sign, before they signed the petition, and (2) certifying that they witnessed the named voter sign the petition is not always accurate and may constitute perjury.

This matter is serious enough that the county clerks cursory examination to determine that the petition signer is a registered voter is inadequate. The district attorney should investigate this matter by

contacting petition signers to verify that all legal requirements have been met before the ballots for the general election are prepared.

Sincerely,  
Roy D. Thompson Jr.

### Auction is a success

It is with a great deal of appreciation and gratitude that we offer this "Monday Morning" report.

The 1996 Rehab Auction was a tremendous success! We went into it with some serious concerns because of the bad year experienced by our area agricultural community, which is one of the major strengths of this annual event.

The following is how we view the success:

People were made aware of the need and the extra challenge. Our volunteer committee worked very hard as advocates in raising money and retrieving merchandise. But, the masses were reached through the outstanding media coverage. Radio, TV and newspaper, throughout the area, did an outstanding job. Words can not express our appreciation for such excellent coverage.

People - individuals and businesses, in North Texas and Southern Oklahoma heard the challenge and reached a little deeper in their hearts and pockets.

As of this date, we have \$201,000 and anticipate more coming in the following weeks. Last year, the auctions netted \$192,000 and we had lowered this year's goal to \$175,000 because of the bad forecast.

Of great importance is the fact

that all of this money goes toward services. Our expenses ran about \$4,000 -- or about 2%, and one donor always covers the auction expenses, allowing the event to function at a 100% "profit" level. This kind of "profit" is possible because of the quality and quantity of volunteer participation. Both lay volunteers and professional volunteers like yourself are the backbone of this success.

The Center makes every effort to effectively involve volunteers because of the educational/advocacy role they can carry to the public -- plus, the tremendous financial benefits they offer by taking on major responsibilities. By utilizing volunteers and managing event costs, donors have the satisfaction of knowing their gifts are conscientiously applied to services for local children and adults who need medical rehabilitation.

Again, we thank each of you for your contribution in making this event a success. Words do seem inadequate; we trust that the knowledge of the work here at the Center and what it means to area families, will be rewarding and meaningful to your good work. Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Mike Castles  
President  
Bonnie Jones  
Vice President  
Marketing/Development



## WORTH QUOTING

There's a lot of talk in the press these days about health insurance. I think it is a universally accepted idea that we all need some. Where we seem to be having the most problems is in trying to determine who should pay for it.

We have been taught by the liberals in our government that it is not our responsibility; that health insurance is something that everybody is entitled to and that it should be paid for by the company we work for, or by the government.

Our responsibility is to sit there and enjoy the security.

I guess my parents and the people I grew up with didn't understand the situation. They thought that since it was our health we were talking about, we ought to be responsible for it.

These people, of course, never had enjoyed the many benefits of a socialistic government like we have today. They never realized that it was somebody else's responsibility to pay for all the things they wanted.

They also didn't take advantage of the opportunities they had to elect liberal politicians that would provide all these things and hand the bill to future generations.

I was reading a news release from Texas House Speaker Pete Laney's office the other day that reported on a press conference in Austin that included Hugo Berlanga, chairman of the House Public Health Committee, and Dr. David Smith, Commissioner of the Texas Department of Health, and Dr. Mike McKinney, Chairman of the Texas Health and Human Services Commission.

They were lamenting the fact that

1.2 million children have no private health insurance or Medicaid coverage. "These realities," they said, "point to the pressing need for a comprehensive review of health care options for Texas children, their families and employers."

The news release said that all the participants in the press conference emphasized the need for a partnership of private, public and governmental groups with strong input from employers and insurers.

"Since the state must fund its programs within a limited budget, Speaker Laney has asked the committee to ensure the recommendations have no fiscal implications for the state," the article said.

I don't want to be a spoilsport or an old Scrooge, but I would remind Speaker Laney and the three bureaucrats who attended this conference that they should ensure that the recommendations also have no implications for small businesses in the state, since they also must fund their operations within a limited budget.

I would hate to see very many more Texas businesses moving to Mexico.

HARLAN BRIDWELL  
Bridgeport Index



IT'S SOCCER sign-up time again! Anyone interested in playing soccer in the Greater Wichita Falls Soccer League or coaching a team should contact Iowa Park coordinator Aquilla Carrillo-Miranda, 592-2014 or 592-2631. To play in the league, a child must be at least four years old by August 1.

**Helpful Hints**  
The owner of any deceased animal shall be responsible for the removal of the animal from public rights-of-way, recreation areas or private property.

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# Cook of the Week



Ida Zimmerer

Ida (Mrs. Ray) Zimmerer grew up in Houston and Pasadena along with her five sisters and one brother. She is a graduate of Pasadena High School, and attended Hardin-Simmons Univ.

She credits her mother with being an outstanding role model and teacher. Ida said her mother was a wonderful homemaker, a generous, caring neighbor, and did a lot of volunteer work. When she baked cakes or cookies, there was always enough to share with friends and neighbors.

Ida learned to cook and sew under the watchful eye of her mother. She learned to quilt, and completed her first quilt when she was 12 years old. Today, quilting is one of Ida's favorite pastimes. And, like her mother, Ida enjoys preparing extra food and sharing it with her friends.

Her husband, Ray, grew up in Muenster. While they lived in Wichita Falls, he taught sixth grade at the Catholic Academy and, after it closed, at Notre Dame for a total of 10 years.

They have lived in Iowa Park almost 13 years and Ray is now a self-employed building contractor.

Together, they have six grown children and four granddaughters.

In addition to quilting, Ida enjoys gardening and sewing.

She and Ray are active members of Christ the King Catholic Church. She takes care of the flowers and shrubs at the church, is chairman of the Prayer and Worship Committee, and is a member of LIFT (Ladies in Faith Together). Ray is a member of the church's maintenance committee and the men's group.

Ida says she doesn't think anyone deserves a free ride, so she does a lot of volunteer work. She visits patients at the nursing home, helps deliver Meals on Wheels and, for several years, she and Ray took care of foster children.

Ida said her recipes are good for hot weather meals, and some of them, "Spiced Wieners" and "Jello Shapes" are ones that children enjoy and can even help with the preparation.

### Tropical Fruit Ice Cream

- 3 bananas, mashed
- Juice of 3 oranges
- Juice of 3 lemons
- 3 cups sugar
- 3 cups cream
- 3 cups milk

Combine bananas and fruit juices. Add sugar, stirring until dissolved. Add cream and milk. Pour into 1 gallon freezer and freeze.

### Apricot Salad

- 1 pkg. (6 oz.) apricot jello
- 2 1/2 cups crushed pineapple
- 1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese
- 1 jar (7 3/4 oz.) apricot baby food
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 8 or 9 oz. Cool Whip

Simmer jello and pineapple until boiling. In separate bowl, cream together sugar and cream cheese. Add baby food to creamed mixture. Stir into jello. Fold in Cool Whip. Put in 9x13 pan. Chill until set.  
NOTE: May add 1/2 cup chopped pecans if desired. Fresh sliced apricots and maraschino cherries make nice garnish.

### Jello Shapes

- 2 - 6 oz. pkgs. jello
- 2 1/2 cups boiling water
- 1 cup cold milk
- 1 small pkg. instant vanilla pudding

Dissolve jello in water in large bowl. Set aside 30 minutes. Mix pudding and milk (beating until smooth) in small bowl. Quickly pour into jello. Whisk until well blended. Pour into 13x9 pan sprayed with Pam. Chill until set. Cut into cubes or use cookie cutters. May be eaten with fingers.

### A.M. Delight Muffins

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 2 tsps. baking soda
- 1 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 3 eggs
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 2 cups chopped, peeled apple
- 2 cups grated carrots
- 1/2 cup flaked coconut
- 1/2 cup raisins
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds

In large bowl, combine flour, sugar, baking soda, cinnamon and salt. In another bowl, beat eggs, add oil, milk, and vanilla. Mix well and stir into dry ingredients until just moistened. Fold in the remaining ingredients. Fill paper lined muffin tins 3/4 full. Bake at 375 degrees 20-25 minutes or until muffins test done with toothpick. Makes 1 1/2 dozen.

### Spiced Wieners

- 1 pkg. lean beef wieners
- 2 small or 1 tall can tomato sauce
- 1/3 cup brown sugar
- 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 1 tsp. chili powder

Mix together, in heavy saucepan, tomato sauce, brown sugar and spices. Make four slits lengthwise in each wiener. Add to sauce. Simmer on low for one and a half hours. Serve on buns or plate. Chopped onion may be added as garnish or during cooking. Large quantities can be cooked in crock pot.



# 4-H CLUB NEWS

Seven Wichita County 4-H members were among the nearly 150 youths from 25 counties participating in the District Teen Leader Lab recently at the Texas 4-H Center in Brownwood.

They were Crystal Vernon of Iowa Park, Angela Streit of Electra, Cora Weaver of Holliday, and Elisa Aguirre, Chris Lewis, Rebecca Romm and Lindsey Turlington, all of Wichita Falls.

Theme of the workshop held June 26-28 was "4-H... It's All Greek to Me."

The lab included educational workshops in Communication, Gold Medal Attitude, Basic Fire Arm Safety and Wildlife as well as special features including team competition, District 4-H Council business meetings, election of officers and citizenship.

Darlene Brady and Brad Schnitker, Dickens County, and Hall County Extension Agents, respectively, served as agent advisors for the event.

Assisting them and the District officers were Turlington and Lewis,

and other members of the lab planning committee from Foard, Hardeman and Wilbarger counties.

Chris and Lindsey also planned and conducted the Communication workshop for all lab participants.

Lewis was elected as the 1996-97 District 4-H Council secretary/treasurer.

### Helpful Facts

The city's Board of Adjustments meetings are at 6:15 p.m. on Mondays when there is an agenda, in Council Chambers, 103 North Wall. Public notices for all Board of Adjustments meetings are published two weeks in the *Iowa Park Leader*, and are open to the public.

### Helpful Hints

The running or roaming at large of any dog, cat or other animal within the city has been declared a nuisance and positively prohibited, and it has been made unlawful and deemed a Class C misdemeanor for the owner or keeper of any dog, cat or other animal to allow the same to run or roam at large within the city.

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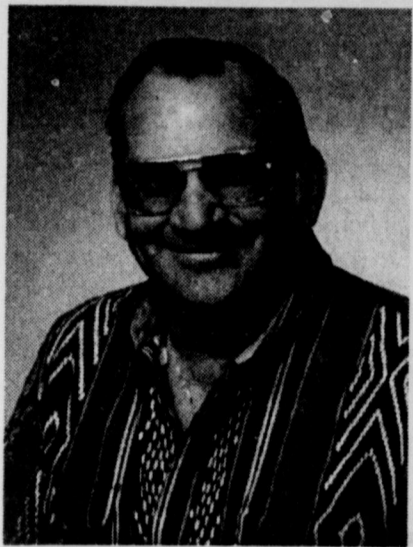
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**OBITUARIES**

*McIlroy collections impressive*



**Bobby Ray Walker**

Services for Bobby Ray Walker, 52, a resident of Iowa Park since 1974, were at 10 a.m. Monday at Country Chapel Church.

Chaplain John Ward, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Beaver Creek Cemetery under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Walker died Thursday in Iowa Park.

Born Nov. 28, 1943, in Norman, Okla., he was married to Jeanette Wiggins Sept. 14, 1962, in Wichita Falls.

Mr. Walker was a retired self-employed truck driver. He was a member of Country Chapel Church and Red River Optimist Club. He moved to Iowa Park from California.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Robert Ray of Battle Creek, Mich.; a daughter, Katherine Potter of Wichita Falls; his adoptive parents, Geraldine and Calvin G. Walker of Noble, Okla., his mother, Cora Lee Burks of Norman; three brothers, Luther Burks of Valley Station, Ky., Lyndel Burks and Billy Burks, both of Norman; two sisters, Frances Henderson and Barbara Willig, both of Noble; and six grandchildren.

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ing the many beautiful plants in this room in addition to the colorful Czechoslovakian pottery, their cobalt blue glassware and many pieces of the McIlroy's other glassware collections.

But, this is not the only place the couple's collections are showcased. Every room in the house displays portions of their collections on window ledges, shelves and almost every flat surface.

Both Richard and Mary have been collectors since childhood, an activity they have shared through the years. Mary's mother and grandmother were collectors.

"I have been turned onto antique glass since I was a little girl. My grandmother's house was filled with it," Mary said. She added that one grandmother collected salt and pepper shakers.

Richard and Mary visited an antique mall in Azle and there they bought the first piece of their now between 500 and 600-piece collection of cobalt blue glassware, probably Richard's favorite.

They would like to have a set of cobalt blue in the Mt. Pleasant "Double Shield" pattern. They also like the Royal Lace pattern in cobalt blue, but it is more expensive to collect and pieces are harder to find, Mary said.

They have many cup and saucer sets of cobalt blue glassware in various patterns and other pieces in different patterns and sizes, from the tiniest miniature to larger pieces such as bowls, plates and vases. They have several pieces of the Open Lace pattern in pink and clear glass.

The McIlroys first started collecting Depression Glass, because they could identify with that era.

Mary has started collecting the Sharon Cabbage Rose pattern for her sister. A fitting selection, since her sister's name is Sharon.

Because Mary has always been a fan of Shirley Temple as a child star, she has collected several mugs, cream pitchers and cereal bowls, with Shirley's picture on them.

These are the kind that were put in boxes of oatmeal during the Depression Days. The makers hoped these would help to brighten the day for people during those hard times.

Mary said, "You have to be careful when buying these because there are a lot of reproductions."

Her collection of Shirley Temple icons doesn't stop there.

She has seven Shirley Temple dolls, representing different movies that she made. "I was thrilled as a teenager when I got to see her in person," Mary commented as she showed me the dolls. She also collects videos of Shirley's movies. Her favorite is "Heidi."

"My mother collected pitchers, but I never cared much for the pitchers," Mary said. But that was before a trip into an antique shop in Tyler about five years ago changed her mind. That is where she bought her first pitcher and "got hooked" on Czechoslovakian pottery. These particular pieces began being crafted in 1918.

That collection now extends from pitchers, to plates, demi-tasse sets, mugs, vases, candle holders, baby dishes, and other objects that now can be counted in the range of 400 pieces.

Everywhere you look you see pieces of their fabulous collection of pottery, glassware and some china, including some pieces of Blue Willow, sets of doll dishes, and unique tea pots. Even the utility room has its own display of colorful Czechoslovakian plates, each bearing a different fruit.

The McIlroys have two children, Shari Gow, who Mary says knew what she wanted to do at the age of five and pursued that desire. She is now a pediatric nurse at Phoenix Children's Hospital.

Their son, Scott, is manager of Crate and Barrel in the Galleria in Dallas.

They also have two granddaughters. Mary said as she has time she plays grandmother and sews for them.

Richard and Mary are very active members of First Baptist Church.

Richard serves as a deacon. They both sing in the choir and they are directors of the Adult Sunday School Department.

Richard is a member of the Noon Lions Club and also is a collector of stamps and coins.

Mary is a member of the Amity Study Club. She usually is hostess for their Christmas or Valentine holiday entertainment and her col-

orful Ruby glass always makes elegant seasonal accessories for the table.

"Richard and I have a lot of fun hunting for antiques and glassware. We make the antique shows and visit antique shops as we have the chance and it seems our eyes always gravitate to blue," Mary said. She is now in the process of furnishing one of the bedrooms with antique furniture.

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10:00 a.m. Saturday - Primary, Junior & Senior Bible Quiz	Church Phone - 592-5929 Pastor Duffy Terry - 592-5520

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Dr. Derrell Monday, Pastor

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**LONG-AWAITED PROJECT UNDERWAY** - City workers have begun the task of taking out the old, original asphalt paving on North Third Street, with the intention of widening and resurfacing it, as well as installing curb and gutter. When the city rebuilt the street from West Highway to Rebecca some eight years ago, the project was terminated for lack of funds. Administrator Mike Price says he hopes to have the project completed, or near completion, by the time classes begin at Kidwell Elementary.

## Summer band practice begins next week

Summer band practices will begin next week in preparation for the upcoming season.

The band will be under the direction of Greg Miller, Ed Hefli, and Norene Tillman.

The flag corps, drum majors, squad leaders and percussion team will begin their sessions next Thursday.

The entire band will begin summer sessions Aug. 5.

Flag corps members will meet at the band hall next Thursday through Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 5 p.m.

Schedule for the drum majors and squad leaders will be 9 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 5 p.m. Thursday and Friday in the choir hall.

Percussion section meets Thursday and Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. in the band hall.

All senior band members should meet at the band hall at 9 a.m. Saturday. In addition, all band members should pick up music folders and check out school instruments from 2 to 5 p.m. the same day. Instrument rent will be \$50 for the entire year and

\$25 for the semester.

The entire band will practice the week of August 5. Playing rehearsals inside are scheduled for 1 to 4 p.m. each day, with marching rehearsals scheduled for 6 to 8:30 p.m. Marching rehearsal will not be held that Wednesday night, however.

Band members will also check out uniforms the same week. Since members must try the uniform on for fit, each one should wear shorts and a pair of shoes when checking out the uniform. Uniform rental will again be \$10.

Miller said that musicians should bring all needed supplies the first day of summer band.

### Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for the cards, calls, flowers, and prayers following the death of our mother and sister, Maudie Kelley. We are especially grateful to the Friendship Class of First Baptist Church.

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### ADA/SECTION 504 COORDINATOR

The following person has been designated to coordinate the District efforts to comply with Title II of the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, which interpreted and expands upon the requirements of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973:

Name: Robert Palmer  
Position: Assistant Superintendent  
Address: P.O. Box 898, Iowa Park, TX 76367  
Telephone: (817) 592-4193

### TITLE IX COORDINATOR

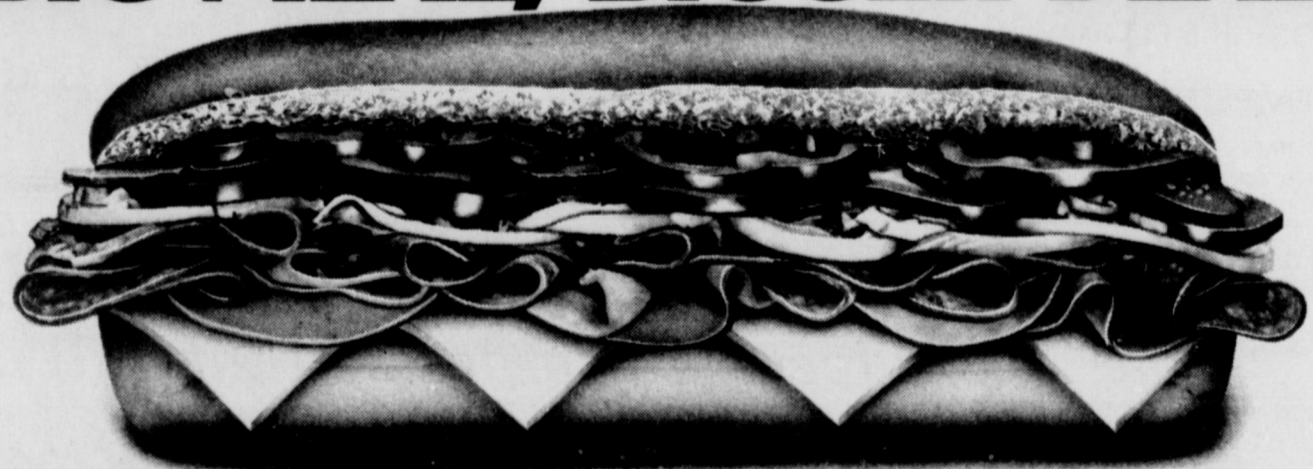
The District designates the following person to coordinate its efforts to comply with Title IX of the Educator's Amendments of 1972 as amended:

Name: Robert Palmer  
Position: Assistant Superintendent  
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Telephone: (817) 592-4193

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## White six win tournament

The Iowa Park White Sox finished unbeaten and captured first place in the Iowa Park Invitational Tournament last week.

The White Sox beat Sheppard Air Force Base 8-5 to claim the title in the 10-and-under division.

In game one, Iowa Park opened with a 15-8 win over Burk Burnett II, as Justin Swenson stole the show with two inside the park grand-slam home runs to pace his team at the plate. Marc Blagg, Wade Havins and Swenson all combined in the pitching department with Blagg picking up the win.

In game two against Sheppard, the Sox fell behind 7-2 but rallied with six runs in the fifth inning, four of those coming on another slam by Swenson, who drove in six of his team's seven runs against Sheppard and 24 runs in the tournament.

Iowa Park advanced to the finals with an 11-2 win over Burk Burnett I on Wednesday night as Brandon Hopper and Jeremy Williams combined to shut down the Bulldogs at the plate. Hopper picked up the win while Dustin Sargent, David Quick and Grant Miller led the way at the plate.

The Sheppard All Stars fought their way through the losers bracket and won the right for a rematch against Iowa Park in the finals and just like in the first meeting, jumped out to an early lead. Sheppard led 2-0 early before the White Sox rallied to win 8-5. Hopper picked up the win on the mound going three strong innings, giving way to Swenson who came on in the bottom of the fourth to pick up the save.

The White Sox received a first place team trophy and each player

received an Iowa Park Invitational T-Shirt. Burk Burnett I finished third and the Holliday Oilers took home the Sportsmanship Trophy in the 10 and under division.

In the 8-year old division, Iowa Park had two teams entered. The Mariners finished fourth behind Vernon, which placed third, Burk Burnett I which finished second and Wichita Falls which came in first.

The Iowa Park Expos finished in fifth place.

### GAME SCORES 10-UNDER

- Game 1 - I.P. White Sox 15, Burk Burnett I 8
- Game 2 - I.P. Stars 19, Holliday Oilers 3
- Game 3 - I.P. White Sox 8, Sheppard All Stars 7
- Game 4 - Burk Burnett I 20, I. P. Stars 2
- Game 5 - Sheppard All Stars 9, Holliday Oilers 1
- Game 6 - Burk Burnett I 11, I.P. Stars 1
- Game 7 - Sheppard All Stars 17, Burk Burnett II 4
- Game 8 - I. P. White Sox 11, Burk Burnett I 2
- Game 9 - Sheppard All Stars 9, Burk Burnett I 6
- Game 10 - I. P. White Sox 8, Sheppard All Stars 5

### 8 AND UNDER

- Game 1 - Wichita Falls 32, Burk I 3
- Game 2 - Vernon 12, Expos 11
- Game 3 - Wichita Falls 14, Burk I 9
- Game 4 - Vernon 20, Mariners 7
- Game 5 - Mariners 22, Burk II 3
- Game 6 - Burk I 16, Expos 9
- Game 8 - Burk I 16, Mariners 11

## All-Stars tumble in tourney

After the Iowa Park 11-12 year old girls All-Star team cruised through the District Softball tournament last week, they weren't ready to hang up the cleats. So they began play in the Sectional Tournament held in Graham Thursday night.

And after traveling to Graham six times, the Lady Hawks found themselves in the finals against an All-Star team from White Settlement, a team which had knocked Iowa Park into the losers bracket earlier in the tournament when Katie Stroud tossed a no-hitter.

Things were better the second time around but again Stroud and her team proved to be too much for Iowa Park to overcome as White Settlement beat Iowa Park in the finals 12-4 to end the Lady Hawks excellent season.

The tournament started on Thursday night with Iowa Park beating Plano 14-4 behind a strong pitching performance by Megan Cerveny. Iowa Park was led at the plate by Keeley McFann, Bobbie Gilmore, Jessica Sales, Tori Crawford and Andrea Murray.

In game two, the Lady Hawks got their first look at Stroud and White Settlement. The result was a 14-2 loss as Stroud held Iowa Park hitless.

"We thought we had a real good pitcher," coach Steve Moody said. "But she could really hum the ball. We were ready for them when we saw her the second time and we put a lot of balls in play, but she could really bring it to the plate."

Iowa Park got back on the winning track Friday night with a 12-11 win over El Paso. Crawford and Dana Smith combined for the win for the

Lady Hawks while McFann, Heather Moody and Sales led the team at the plate.

The Lady Hawks had to play Plano again in game four and for the second straight time Iowa Park won in a run rule, this time by the score of 25-5. Cerveny picked up the win and took advantage of big nights at the plate from McFann, Moody, Gilmore, Sales, Crawford and Stevie Holguin.

Iowa Park advanced to the title

game by beating Pampa 25-12 Monday night when Gilmore picked up the win for the Lady Hawks. McFann, Moody, Gilmore, Sales, Crawford, Smith and Shelia Loony all had good nights at the plate.

In the championship game against White Settlement, Mindy Justus, Cerveny and Holguin all had good nights at the plate but not good enough to overcome the strong pitching of Stroud.

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Sign-ups will start this Saturday morning at 10 a.m. at the ASCS building at 400 Wall Street and will end at noon. Sign-ups will continue the following two Saturdays with the draft on August 10 at 1 p.m.

Eligible players must be at least eight years of age before Sept. 1 and cannot be 12 before the same date with some exceptions being made to the larger seven year old players.

Birth certificates are required for all new players who have not played for one of the teams in Iowa Park.

Players are required to furnish their own helmet and pads while the league will supply game and practice pants and jerseys.

Practice will begin on Monday Aug. 12 in shorts and will continue in shorts for the remainder of the week before putting on the pads the following Monday.

There will be 14 teams that will be divided into two separate divisions, with seven teams in each. An East and West division will have both a Pee Wee and Midget team with all games being played on Saturdays.

Last season, Iowa Park dressed four teams, two Midget and two Pee Wee, with the same holding true this season.

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810 Van Horn Immaculate 3-BR home features 2 living areas, storm windows and doors, shaded yard with storage buildings.

**60's**  
601 E. Texas New construction 3-BR includes energy efficient features and low maintenance exterior.  
702 W. Texas 3-BR home features large den that overlooks covered patio and back yard; includes a sewing/utility room, good storage.  
900 W. Cornelia Beautifully remodeled and updated home has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, 1-car garage, and lovely yard.

**70's**  
703 E. Texas This lovely 3-BR house, under construction in Indian Springs, features cultured marble vanity tops; walk-in closets, stained cabinets, doors, & woodwork; and storage room in garage.  
707 E. Texas New construction in Indian Springs, this beautiful 3-BR, 2-BA home has fireplace, raised ceilings, and open floor plan.

**80's**  
1701 Johnson Rd. N New Construction in beautiful Park Place subdivision features separated master with lovely bath, formal dining and security system.  
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540 Burnett Road Attractive 3-BR home has large rooms, walk-in closets, great floor plan and sits on one (1) acre of land. \$99,500 with 10 acres.  
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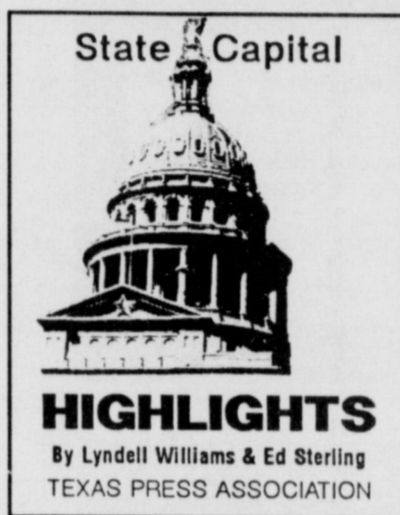
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**IT'S OFFICIAL -** Members of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce were on hand Friday for the grand opening and ribbon cutting of Dudley's Deli. Diane Hicks, center, is the owner of Iowa Park's newest business.



**AUSTIN —** Ignoring protests by religious conservatives, the State Board of Education voted last week to begin screening textbooks only if the attorney general says it is legal.

In a 10-5 vote that followed some heated debate, board members agreed to ask the attorney general to decide whether they still have authority to screen textbooks for objectionable materials.

Some state officials agree that power to screen textbooks was taken away by the Legislature in its school reform law last year. But religious conservatives and some lawmakers have argued that the board is not prohibited from throwing out textbooks it considers inappropriate.

Board Chairman Jack Christie acknowledged there was only an "outside shot" the attorney general would approve screening, but he said the board is ready to review all textbooks if given clearance to do so.

Sen. Bill Ratliff, chairman of the Senate Education Committee, who wrote the 1995 reform law, said he has no quarrel with the board asking the attorney general for an opinion.

"But I am very clear about the law," Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, told the *Dallas Morning News*, insisting that his intent was to shift the major decisions on textbook content from the state to local school boards.

Ron Dusek, a spokesman for Attorney General Dan Morales, said the office will review the question and provide the board with an answer as soon as possible.

**GOP Group Targeting Laney**

House Speaker Pete Laney accused a Republican group attempting to seize control of the Texas House of seeking to make the Legislature look like Congress — gridlocked.

"A small group wants the Texas House to adopt the worst partisan aspects of Congress," Laney said.

State Rep. Kent Grusendorf, R-Arlington, chairman of the Campaign for Republican Leadership, said "it's entirely possible that we can achieve a Republican majority. We've got an aggressive campaign planned this year."

Democrats hold a 17-14 edge in the Senate and an 86-64 majority in the House.

Grusendorf's group listed 27 House seats where it envisions potential Republican victories, including Laney's West Texas District. His GOP opponent is Springlake rancher Hollis Cain.

The Republicans say Gov. George W. Bush would have been able to achieve more of his legislative agenda with a Republican speaker.

But Bush's press secretary, Karen Hughes, said the governor would not campaign against Laney or others in the Legislature who helped him pass his program.

**Insurance Rules Invalid**

A state "blacklisting" rule blocking insurance companies from considering another company's decision to drop or refuse to cover a prospective customer is invalid, the Texas Supreme Court has ruled.

The rule, along with another thrown out by the court, was adopted by the Texas Board of Insurance, which was replaced in 1993 by an appointed commissioner.

The first rule also prohibited insurers from denying coverage or setting rates based on the fact that a prospective customer had been covered in a high-risk pool.

The second rule prohibited insurers from conditioning the sale of automobile insurance on the purchase of another policy or refusing coverage because the customer owned only one vehicle.

Rod Borderlon, executive director of the Office of Public Insurance Counsel, said when insurers rely on other insurers' decisions, consumers don't get a fair shake from either company.

He said the court made clear that the procedure, not necessarily the rules, was wrong.

But Jerry Johns, president of Southwestern Insurance Information Service, said insurers must consider all the information available.

"The insurance industry is making every effort to provide the best possible price for our customers, and we cannot do that without the tools necessary to evaluate risk," Johns said.

A spokesman for Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer, said the department will comply with the court's ruling and will study the best ways to deal with the "consumer protection issues involved in these rules."

**Locals May Share Lottery Cash**

State Sen. Tom Hayden, R-Wichita Falls, said he will introduce a bill next year to give cities and counties five cents of every \$1 lottery ticket sold within their boundaries.

All lottery revenues now go into the state general fund.

With ticket sales of almost \$3.5 billion in the past 12 months, the Texas Lottery is the most successful in North America.

And Sen. Hayden thinks local governments should share in that success.

There would be no restrictions on how the cities and counties could spend their share of the money under his proposed legislation, Haywood said.

Haywood said Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, the Senate's presiding officer, has promised to let him move the bill if he can get the needed votes.





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**2504 9TH, W.F.** - Large two story home with basement. 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, two central H/A units. Some renovations have been done. Could be commercial. \$75,000. Call Julie.

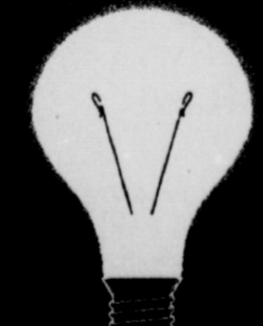
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# GARDENING HINTS

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

The following questions were received at the Wichita County Extension office over the past week.

**Q.** We are having tremendous problems with webworms in our pecan trees this year. What do you recommend for control and how stressful are the pests to the tree?

**A.** Fall webworms are very stressful to trees with heavy infestations. Trees which are already under drought stress could be seriously damaged if heavy numbers of webworms have defoliated the tree.

Most established trees will be able to tolerate up to 30 percent defoliation, however, when a tree loses a higher percentage of leaves than that and is under drought stress then severe damage will occur.

Control can be achieved by pruning out the webs on lower limbs

that can be easily reached. Control sprays should be used on higher limbs that are unreachable with pruning equipment. This may require the services of a pest control operator with power spray equipment which will reach taller tree canopies.

Control products such as Dipel or Bioworm (natural controls), Malathion, Sevin, Diazinon, among other labeled controls, will help stop the heavy infestations this year across the region. Use a surfactant with all sprays to help penetrate the webs which harbor the leaf-feeding worms.

Extension officials from Texas and Oklahoma are reporting earlier and heavier webworm problems this year. Pecans and mulberry trees are prime host plants. Keep a close eye on your trees and take control measures as soon as possible.

**Q.** We live in Burkburnett and had some very high winds recently with a passing storm front. Our large Silver Maple lost a huge limb during that storm. What should we do to treat the wound and help the tree?

**A.** I have received several calls from Burkburnett residents regarding tree damage from high winds. The problem with fast growing trees like Silver Maple, which by the way was the tree which most homeowners called about breaking, is that they are weak wooded. Weak wooded trees usually are the first to go under high winds or ice.

As far as treating the wound, the best you can do is try to prune off the broken limb leaving a smooth cut which just meets the collar where the limb was attached to the main trunk.

For your information, the use of pruning paints is not advantageous in encouraging wound healing on trees. Check other branches in the tree for unnoticed wind damage as a precaution.

**Q.** I have a large Century Plant which just produced a magnificent bloom. I understand that the plant will now die. How can I save the seed and grow new plants?

**A.** Century Plant (Agave americana) is a beautiful plant or succulent in my opinion. Contrary to the name Century Plant it actually only lives about 10 years before final flowering and mother plant death. What a glorious way to go. The plant will produce a flowering stalk from 10 to 20 feet tall prior to death.

The good news is that new plantlets referred to as "pups" will soon emerge around the base of the mother plant. You can move these to new landscape areas and simply leave the new babies in place. Seed when mature could be harvested and planted into pure sand if that is your desired means of propagation.

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