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School year begins Monday

"Here I come, ready or not!"
The phrase commonly used in the children's game of hide and seek easily applies to what happens in Iowa Park Monday morning.
Classes begin for the 1996-97 school year for all students.
Bus routes will be the same as last year, at least for the start of school. They will be run one hour early on the first day.

There is a possibility that some changes could be made inside the city limits. A decision on in-city routes is to be determined at tonight's meeting of the board of trustees.
Bus passes are now available at the school administration building.
Students who need to get a pass are those riding for the first time, or those who have moved during the summer.

The passes are used to complete required Texas Education Agency rosters.
Students who are in kindergarten through second grade will be given badges to wear, showing their name, address and bus number.
As has been the practice of the district over the years, all classes will be dismissed one hour earlier than usual on the first day of school.

High school students are to report at the auditorium by 8:05 a.m. Monday. At that time, instructions for the day will be announced.

Students will report to assigned home rooms after the meeting, where they will be issued their class schedules, along with additional information.

The first holiday of the school year will be Monday, Sept. 2, which is Labor Day.

Though Monday is the start of the year for students, all teachers are to begin work today and continue through Friday.

Faculty members will be hosted from 7:50 to 8:30 this morning with coffee, juice and donuts in the high school cafeteria.

A general assembly is scheduled from 8:30 to 9:15, and then the period of 9:30 to 11:45 is designated as campus staff development.

Following a 30-minute catered luncheon, which begins at 12-noon, teachers will receive disability referral training for an hour, and complete the day with more campus staff development.

Friday is a work day for the teachers, allowing them time to prepare class instruction.

The lunch menu for the different campuses will vary daily, and copies of menus will be distributed to the students Monday to be taken home.



CLEARING THE WAY - An unidentified woman picks up a child's plastic slide from the intersection of Van Horn and Fourth Street, following Sunday evening's brief wind and rain storm.

Sunday storm causes damage

A storm that lasted only a few minutes Sunday evening resulted in mostly minor damage to property.

The storm struck about 7 p.m. Extremely high winds caused most of the damage that was reported.

Virgil Woodfin reported measuring only .21 of an inch, but added that because the winds were blowing the rain virtually horizontal, an accurate measurement was impossible.

Some residents also reported small hail stones falling, but no apparent damage resulted from them.

The area bounded by Johnson Road, Pacific, West Highway and

US 287 was where the most damage was observed, however other areas also were affected.

The greatest damage inflicted by the storm was at the Barbour Insurance building, at Magnolia and West Highway.

A portion of the roof, which had been replaced only last year, was blown away and the interior offices damaged by water.

The most common victims of the high winds were trees, fences, lawn furniture and children's toys. One resident reported a window being broken.

In the 100 block of West Texas, a trampoline was lofted by the gusts and thrown into two vehicles, damaging them slightly, police were told.

Numerous calls were received by the police radio dispatcher of electric wires slapping together, causing sparks, and the tops of trees at Ruby and Colorado were even set afire by the same cause.

Sunday's brief shower, combined with showers which fell here Friday and also Saturday, amounted to a total of .87 of an inch, Woodfin reported.

Sales tax receipts down

Iowa Park businesses apparently experienced a sharp decline in trade during June, as compared to the same month in 1995, according to this month's sales tax rebate report.

The city has received a sales tax rebate check for \$26,823.60 from the state comptroller's office. That is 14.56 percent less than the \$31,397.45 check received one year ago.

This month's payment includes local sales taxes collected by monthly filers on June sales and by quarterly filers for April, May and June, and reported to the comptroller in July.

Despite the major drop, how-

ever, the city's refunds are still 2.66 percent greater for the year than at this same time in 1995.

Iowa Park has received a total of \$179,927.08 thus far, as compared to \$175,252.57 last year.

Two of the other three cities of Wichita County are showing gains: Wichita Falls 4.95 percent and Burkburnett 5.23. Electra is currently a minus 5.57 percent.

Holiday had a big month in June, as the comptroller's office reports a gain of 20.64 percent over the same month last year. That lifted the city's total for the year to a plus 8.02 percent.

Does your subscription to the Leader expire this month?

Check the list on page 4.

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So, the next time you need to buy something, please shop in Iowa Park first. It just makes good, common sense.

Shop Iowa Park First section in this issue

Reasons why residents of Iowa Park and the Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District should give their local businesses consideration are included in a special section of this issue.

Because of the importance of the subject, and information pertaining to each of the businesses, readers are encouraged to keep the section for future reference.

The information on the individual businesses is unavailable anywhere else, and therefore could be of some importance to readers in the future.

Trustees hear TAAS report

Results of the 1995-96 Texas Assessment of Academic Skills tests (TAAS) were reported by the principals of high school, junior high, and Bradford Elementary during a regular meeting of the school board last Thursday night.

Although most scores were good this year, each principal identified the areas that need work, and said their goal is to be a "recognized" campus

next year. They also felt the incentives for higher scores that were put in place last spring were helping.

This year, all three campuses were rated in the category of "acceptable."

The Texas Education Agency rated schools for the 1995-96 school year, based on the results of the TAAS test, drop-out rates, and attendance.

To gain an "acceptable" rating

this year, at least 30 percent of students in each of four categories - white, black, Hispanic, and economically disadvantaged must pass each portion of the test.

To earn the "recognized" rating, at least 70 percent must pass, and for the "exemplary" rating 90 percent of students in each category must pass the test.

Students in each of the four categories must have drop-out rates not exceeding six percent and a minimum attendance rate of 94 percent in order to avoid being cast as "low-performing."

Supt. Mike Caplinger said he has chosen "Exceeding Our Goals" as the

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Called meetings set for tonight

A called meeting of the school board will be held this evening -- in three separate segments.

Supt. Mike Caplinger posted three different agendas for the meetings, all of which will be held at the junior high school library.

The first meeting, to begin at 7 p.m., will be for conducting a public hearing on the proposed 1996-97 budget.

At 7:45, a public hearing on the 1996-97 tax rate will be held. It will be announced at that time that the board will adopt the tax rate at another meeting on Aug. 29.

The third session of the evening, slated to get underway at 8:30, will include action on city bus routes, action on bids for workers' compensation, and reviewing budgeted maintenance projects for the year.

Car stolen here found

An automobile stolen here July 15 has been recovered, in Port Arthur.

However, owner Paul Arrington won't be able to use it anymore. It was involved in a wreck.

Iowa Park police were notified by Port Arthur officials that the car, a 1994 Honda Accord, had been involved in an accident and a license plate check indicated this city as its origin.

Two teenage girls were taken into custody at the wreck scene, but a male suspect ran, police were told. Port Arthur police reportedly have the name of the suspect.

The Arrington car had been left for an hour, locked and in front of the First Baptist Church, when it was taken.

The vehicle reportedly was a total loss due to damage from the accident, police were told. It was covered by insurance.

Police are preparing a case to be presented to the grand jury, following an alleged rape here last week.

A 17-year-old female visiting in Iowa Park told police Thursday night that she had been sexually assaulted, and did not want to return to her home.

The incident reportedly took place the previous Tuesday, but no other information was made available by police.

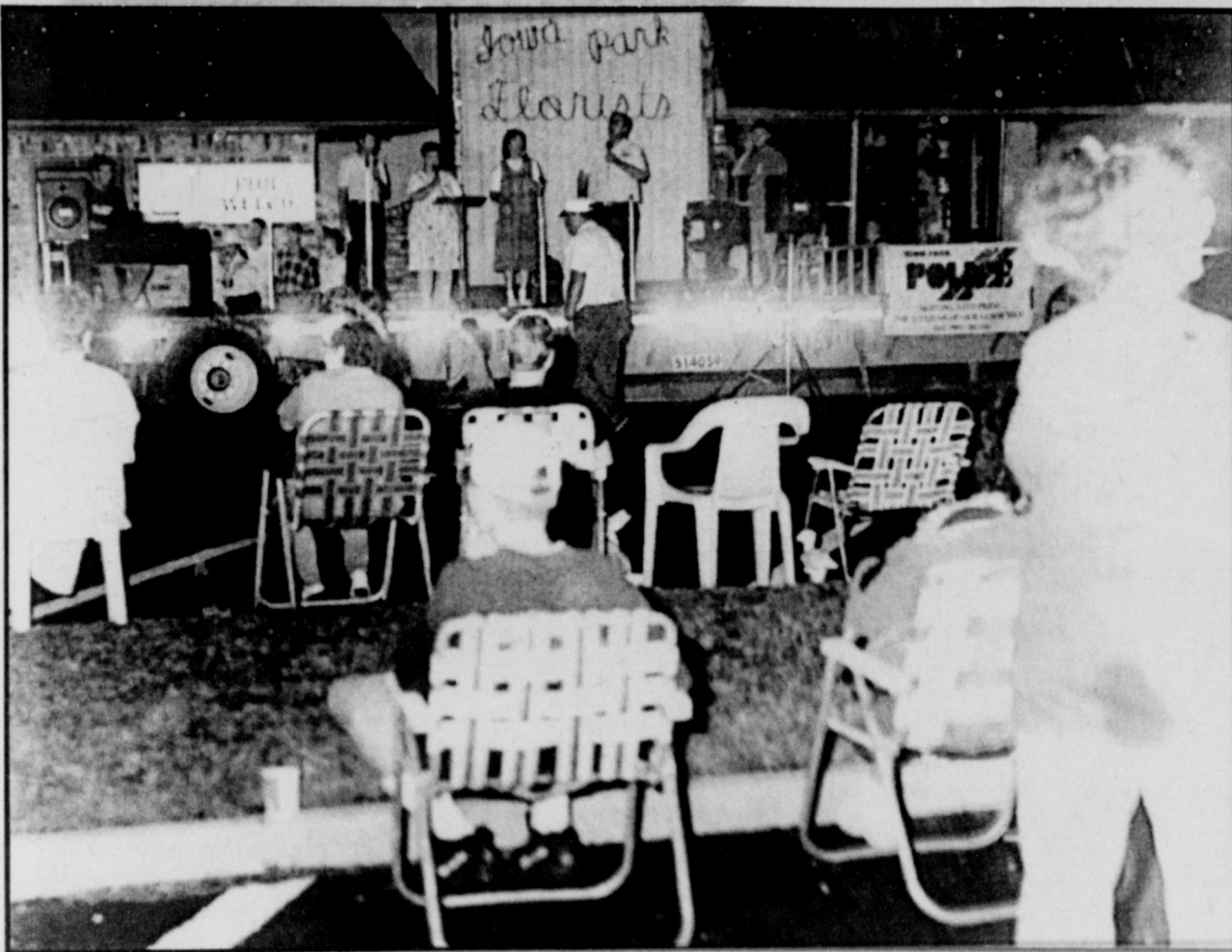
A resident of the 500 block of East Jefferson told police someone had taken about 50 of his personal checks, while he was on vacation July 7-17, and had been forging them in Wichita Falls.

The man did not report the loss of the checks until last Thursday, after he received his bank statement and contacted the institution. No figure of how much money had been taken from the account was available.

An officer arrested Kenny Glen Gilmore Jr., 19, at 12:19 a.m. Thursday in the 200 block of West Highway, on an outstanding warrant that had been issued locally.

Gilmore was released at 2:20 a.m. after his \$83.50 fine was paid. The warrant was for driving with an expired license plate, according to the police report.

A window of a business building in the 600 block of West Highway was damaged sometime early last week, apparently by a BB pellet.



A SPARSE CROWD turned out for Saturday evening's "Night-Out Against Crime" Community Concert, held in the 100 block of West Park. Organizers believe the rain showers that preceded the concert discouraged the anticipated larger turnout. The event was sponsored by the Iowa Park Police Dept.

Iowa Parkans attend Federation workshop

Texas Federation of Women's Club president, Minnie Simmang and her executive board held a workshop July 31 in Matador.

The topic was program material and projects for the 1996-98 club years.

The event was held in Matador First United Methodist Church.

Attending from Iowa Park were Margaret Soell, Joy McKinnon, and Wanda Singer, members of 23 Study Club, and Lynda Crumbliss, president of Amity Study Club.

LIBRARY NEWS

NEW ADULT BOOKS

- Sound The Trumpet by Gilbert Morris
- The Sword of Truth by Gilbert Morris
- Stars in Their Courses by Gilbert Morris
- A Time To Be born by Gilbert Morris
- Unlimited Partners by Robert Dole
- Until You by Judith McNaught
- Vegas Rich by Fern Michaels
- Wall of Fire by Gilbert Morris
- Where Honor Dwells by Gilbert Morris
- The Winds of God by Gilbert Morris

NEW VIDEOS

- Unsinkable Donald Duck
- Mario's Magic Carpet
- Mickey and the Gang
- Curly Top (Shirley Temple)
- Heidi (Shirley Temple)
- Bright Eyes (Shirley Temple)
- The Blue Bird (Shirley Temple)
- Land Before Time II
- Folks
- Mr. Baseball
- Planes, Trains & Automobiles
- The Grapes of Wrath
- Zebra in the Kitchen
- The Brady Bunch Movie
- Here's Pluto
- A Tale of Two Chipmunks
- Daredevil Ducks
- Here's Goofy!
- Peter Rabbit and Other Tales

McElreath, Adams wed at library

Newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayne Adams, are making their home in Iowa Park. They pledged matrimonial vows July 20 in an afternoon ceremony at Tom Burnett Memorial Library.

Mrs. Adams is the former Marilyn Jeanette McElreath, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Charles E. Griffin of Burkburnett. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Adams, Sr., of Iowa Park.

Rev. Griffin, associate pastor of First Assembly of God in Burkburnett, directed the couple in the recitation of double ring vows.

White, pink and mauve floral arrangements decorated the improvised altar area. A central focus in the area was an arrangement of pictures of the couple from their childhood to the present time.

For the processional, "Suddenly" was played. "Because You Loved Me" was played during the lighting of the Unity Candle, and "Forever Love" was played for the recessional.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Billy Griffin. She wore a cream colored two piece outfit designed with a scalloped top embellished with hand-beaded pearls. It featured a scoop neckline and short sleeves. The full chiffon skirt over silk was calf length.

Her bouquet was cream colored roses, carnations and baby's breath, designed by her sister-in-law, Ramona Adams.

Maid of honor was Sheena L. Griffin, seven-year-old niece of the bride, of Burkburnett. She wore a pink ankle-length gown of lace and carried a small bouquet of pink and cream roses and carnations.

Chelsey N. Griffin of Burkburnett, the bride's niece, served as flower girl. She wore a pink taffeta dress and carried a basket of pink and cream colored roses and carnations.

Trace Adams of Iowa Park was ring bearer.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayne Adams (Marilyn Jeanette McElreath)

Charles Adams Sr., the groom's father, acted as best man and B.J. Adams of Iowa Park, nephew of the groom, was usher.

The reception was held at the library. Mauve floral arrangements and a picture of the couple was used as the centerpiece.

The three tiered wedding cake had cream colored icing and was trimmed with pink and mauve roses.

Sally Esamilla, sister of the

groom, and Corky Adams, niece of the groom, presided at the table.

The couple took a wedding trip to San Antonio and Padre Island.

The bride graduated Burkburnett High School and received her BAAS and M.A. degrees from Midwestern State University.

Adams graduated Iowa Park High School and received the B.S. degree from MSU.

Cemetery gates to close at 8 p.m.

The gates at Highland Cemetery will be closed at 8:00 p.m. during the summer months.

This action was taken during the last meeting of the Highland Cemetery Board. The time was set so people could get their watering done before the gates were locked.

Card of Thanks

Thanks so much to everyone who remembered us during Roy's hospital stay. We have wonderful friends and neighbors and a dear family and loving church. Thanks to Dr. Greg Ammons for his untiring devotion to us.

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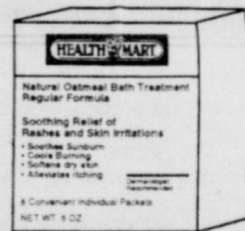
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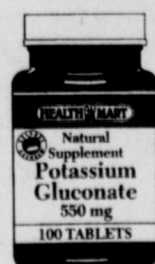


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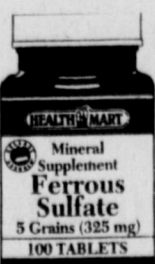
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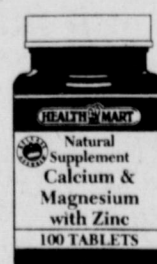
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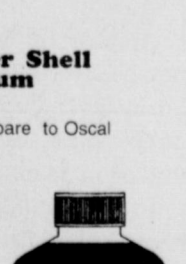
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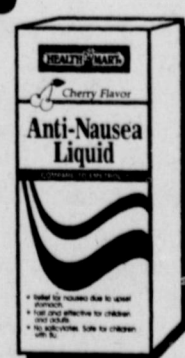
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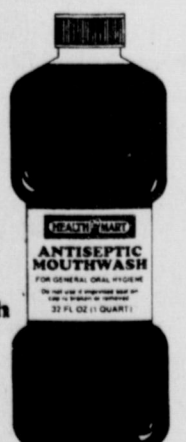


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Cook of the Week



Carolyn Caplinger

This week, our featured cook is Carolyn (Mrs. Mike) Caplinger, wife of Iowa Park's new superintendent of schools.

The Caplingers moved to Iowa Park this summer after Mike was hired to replace the retiring superintendent Glen Mitchell.

Already, Carolyn's reputation as a good cook is making the rounds. Her recipe for enchiladas is especially good and is one of those we are using this week.

Carolyn, the daughter of a Baptist preacher, was born in Brownwood. Her family lived in several places including Raymondville and San Antonio before moving to Idalou when she was in high school.

Carolyn and Mike met when they were juniors at Idalou High School and started dating during their senior year. Following graduation, Carolyn enrolled at Wayland Baptist University at Plainview, and Mike went to South Plains College at Levelland. They both transferred to Texas Tech at Lubbock and were married during their junior year. Carolyn graduated Texas Tech with a BS in Elementary Education with English specialization.

Mike, who majored in education and sociology, received his Bachelor's degree at Tech, and later his Masters in education administration from West Texas A&M Univ.

Carolyn has taught in schools at Roosevelt, Amarillo, Wildorado, Dripping Springs, Junction, Taylor and Lubbock. Before they moved to

Iowa Park, she was teaching eighth grade English in Lubbock.

Now she is employed by Region Nine Service Center as an Education Specialist. Her work includes at risk students, parental involvement, and staff development.

The Caplingers have two daughters, Stacy and Kari.

Stacy teaches special education at Community I.S.D. near Rockwall. She is married to Tay Campbell who is baseball coach and teaches math at the school.

Kari is a senior at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos and is majoring in early childhood education.

Carolyn said she and Mike enjoy going to school-related functions and attend as many as possible. They recently joined the First Baptist Church here.

In her limited amount of spare time, Carolyn says she likes to read. Also, for the last seven years, she has taught parenting classes and would like to continue doing that.

In addition to her enchilada recipe, Carolyn brought in her dad's recipe for pancakes. She said he still makes these when the family gets together. The recipe for "Cheese Danish" makes a large amount, and is a good breakfast dish for company.

Cheese Danish

- 2 large cans crescent rolls
- 2 - 8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 egg, separated
- 1 tsp. vanilla

Spread 1 can crescent rolls in ungreased 9x13 pan. Mix cream cheese, sugar, egg yolk and vanilla. Spread mixture over rolls. Spread second can of rolls over top of cream cheese mixture. Beat egg white with fork until frothy. Brush on top of rolls. Bake at 350 degrees 30 minutes or until golden brown. While hot, spread on glaze.

Glaze:

- 1 cup powdered sugar
- Just enough milk for thick, creamy consistency (Pillsbury rolls are best)

Bro. K's Pancakes

Mix together:

- 1 egg
 - 1 cup flour
 - 1 cup buttermilk
 - 1 tsp. soda
 - 1 Tbsp. melted shortening
- Spoon onto a hot griddle. Turn when one side is brown and grill until other side is done.

Enchiladas

- Brown and drain:
- 1 1/2 lbs. hamburger meat
- Add:
- 2 Tbsps. onion flakes or 1/4 cup onion
 - 1 Tbsp. chili powder
 - 1 tsp. garlic salt
 - 1 cup grated Longhorn cheese
- Let simmer and set aside.

Sauce:

- 1 can mushroom soup
 - 1 large can milk
 - 1 - 8 oz. pkg. American cheese slices or chunk Velveeta
 - 1 - 4 oz. can chopped green chilies
 - 1 pkg. green onion dip
 - 1 tsp. garlic salt
 - 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- Optional:
- 1 can Ro-tel tomatoes
 - 1 jar chopped pimientos

Combine above ingredients, except Cheddar cheese, in small saucepan and cook over low heat until cheese melts. Do not boil.

Take a corn tortilla and put about 1 tablespoon of meat mixture on tortilla. Roll up and place in 9x13 baking dish. Do this until meat mixture is used.

Pour sauce over enchiladas. Sprinkle with Cheddar cheese. Bake 20 minutes at 350 degrees.

Spanish Dip

- 2 avocados, chopped finely
 - 2 tomatoes, diced
 - 3 green onions, chopped
 - 1 can chopped ripe olives
 - 1 can diced green chilies
 - Picante sauce to taste
 - Garlic powder to taste
 - 3 Tbsps. oil
 - 1 1/2 Tbsp. vinegar
- Mix all ingredients. Better if it sets overnight. Serve with tortilla chips.

Sweetened Condensed Milk

- 1 cup nonfat dry milk crystals
 - 2/3 cup sugar
 - 1/3 cup boiling water
 - 3 Tbsps. margarine, melted
- Combine all ingredients in blender until smooth and sugar is dissolved. Refrigerate until ready to use. Will keep for several weeks. Makes 1 1/4 cup, equivalent to a 14 oz. can of Eagle Brand.

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.

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Ranch Roundup this weekend

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The Texas Ranch Roundup will be held this Friday and Saturday at the Mounted Patrol Arena on FM 369.

Nine historical Texas ranches will compete for "Braggin' Rights." Total points for arena events, cookin' and talent will determine which ranch takes home the traveling trophy, "Rock In Hard Places," by artist Lex Graham.

In addition to winning team honors, top hand, top horse and a myriad of other prizes will be awarded.

The trade show will open at 4 p.m. tomorrow, with 33 exhibitors displaying their wares, and continuing through all day Saturday.

Spectators are expected to flock to the grounds Saturday morning to see the talent contest, which will last from 10:30 to 12-noon. Then the cooking judges will be challenged to select the winning dishes in four categories.

T-bone steak, corn, rolls and cinnamon rolls will provide an appropriate aroma as chuck wagon

cooks prepare their treats over open fires.

Arena events start at 7:30 each evening.

Art Association meets Tuesday

The Iowa Park Arts and Crafts Assoc. met Tuesday night at the RAC.

Sheri Kennedy presided over a short business meeting, during which it was decided to make table decorations with an Autumn theme for the local nursing home.

Kathy Hicks demonstrated the project, which will begin at the next meeting. The project will feature clay pots painted in a Halloween or Autumn theme.

Mrs. Kennedy conducted the workshop for the evening, demonstrating the use of decorative paper napkins decouped on baskets, which may be used for a variety of decorative purposes.

Freddye Skinner won the door prize for the evening, a decorative country-style wall hanging, made by Dorothy Johnson.

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ACROSS

- 1 TXism: "___ hombre" (mean)
- 5 garden implement
- 6 Dr. Pepper's 1st distributor: Sam ___ of Dublin
- 7 TXism: "It'll ___ in a pinch"
- 8 TX Coburn won '78 Pulitzer for drama "The ___ Game"
- 9 this Mickey hit 1st Astrodome homer
- 15 Cowboy zealots
- 16 TX "Operation Game Thief" targets
- 18 TX "Babe's" status as an Olympian
- 20 typewriter type
- 22 rifle failure
- 27 TEA tries to lower the dropout ___
- 28 teeth corrections for TX teens
- 29 not finished
- 30 TXism: "smart ___ full of owls"
- 32 TXism: "got a mind ___" (inclined)
- 33 LBJ proposed on the ___ with Lady Bird
- 36 Hawaiian two-step?
- 37 Biblical transport
- 38 tropical tune by TX Jim Reeves
- 39 Houston oil fire business: "Red ___"
- 41 Era's h.s. class
- 42 TX Toomay's "___ Given Sunday"
- 45 proper word?

DOWN

- 1 in Smith Co. on hwy. 135
- 2 TXism: "beer shed"
- 3 TXism: "happy as ___ candy store"
- 4 political protests at '92 GOP convention in Houston
- 8 TXism: "that's the ball ___ (over)"
- 9 TXism: "don't bite off ___"
- 10 Dublin h.s. class
- 11 former TX 1st lady Connally (init.)
- 12 TXism: "if it ain't true, ___ liar in Texas"
- 13 mother-in-law of 11-down
- 14 Rangers sports-caster Nadel
- 15 TXism: "suits me to a ___-well"
- 16 TXism: "___ pencil to it" (calculate)
- 17 cowboy hat
- 19 "___ up a little"
- 21 TX Vikki Carr '89 release: "___ Hombres"
- 22 TXism: "___ chacha" (girl)
- 23 treaty that led to destruction of TX missiles
- 24 TX Bush's missile defense program
- 25 Presidio La Bahia (___ the Bay)
- 26 Dallas founder John Neely Bryan died in the State Asylum
- 28 ___ Karolyi trains Olympic gymnasts in Houston
- 31 TX Gatlin brother
- 34 make a phone call
- 35 TXism: "up and ___em juice" (coffee)
- 37 across the border from Del Rio: Ciudad ___
- 40 TX Ely, et al.
- 43 film "Viet ___ Texas"
- 44 guacamole source
- 50 TX Bush supported the North American Free ___ Agree.
- 51 TXism: "couldn't find an egg under a sitting ___" (dumb)

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As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



You would have to be here each morning when I open the day's mail, to believe the "stuff" people send us with the expectation that we will use it.

Though the amount of "stuff" wasn't as numerous Tuesday, it was none the less unbelievable.

I mean, folks, I'm not about to print news releases about a grant-writing workshop a couple of dudes are going to put on in November, at Rock Springs Wyoming.

And I'm certainly not about to reproduce an article, along with pictures, about two stamps -- of Bill Clinton and Elvis Presley -- which are being produced in the Republic of Chad, Central Africa.

That last announcement was of such importance, they duplicated the mailing, and I received them both the same day.

Some other favorites of the folks seeking free publicity is poetry writing, "who's who" books looking for nominations of names to whom they can sell a copy of the book if and when their name is printed, what seems like a dozen different organizations looking for families to host foreign exchange students, every elected official and governmental office -- state and federal -- with facts and "stuff", and last but certainly far from the least, businesses ranging

from food companies to farm machinery manufacturers.

Based on the load of mailings I receive on a week's basis, there is no reason the U.S. Postal Service can't cut its rates.

If every newspaper in these United States receives the same "stuff" as I do, the postage paid should amount to millions nation-wide, on a monthly basis.

All this mailed "stuff" is exactly the reason why I refuse to publish our FAX machine number.

Those folks would break me, just replacing the paper and related supplies.

Trustees

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theme for 1996-97, which goes along with the principals' goals to improve TAAS scores.

Steve Harris, who has been in charge of energy management for the district, reported that the energy program has come a long way and believes it has been very feasible.

Harris, who is resigning the position, said he felt if the district didn't go with some sort of energy program, costs will rise.

Reporting on the different campuses, he said the main problem at the high school was water. He said an underground sprinkler system would be economical, or using ground water on the football field.

The junior high is in "super shape," but several rooms at Kidwell and Bradford elementaries need insulation and sealing the windows was suggested.

A bid of \$18,500 was accepted from Valley Main Saw Company for the Utility Contract Position. Supt. Caplinger said this would probably be the last year for this contract.

Trustees accepted Borden's bid for milk, Blue Bell's bid for ice cream, and Rainbo for bread during the school year.

During his report, Caplinger said that two EMT's would be at the football games, but will not be able to transport. They will be paid \$12 an hour for two hours.

Concerning his priority rankings, he said a lot of goals having to do with technology and facilities had taken a hit in this year's budget.

He announced a general session for school personnel would be held on Aug. 15.

During the open forum session, two parents, Donna Lively and Perry Green, addressed the board. They were again asking that trustees reconsider the student tobacco policy. They felt the punishment is too severe for the violations. Board President Keith Fisher thanked them for coming and said the board would take the matter into consideration.

Following a closed session, trustees accepted the resignations of Keven Robertson, Bradford/Kidwell gifted/talented teacher, and Steve Harris, high school science teacher.

They voted to employ Norene Tillman, high school/junior high band, Darla Biddy, high school science, and Margie Woods to teach fifth grade at Bradford.

In other business, the board also:

- Released pledged securities and approved the tax reports and adjustments for June and July;

- Appointed Allen Shewmake to calculate and publish the Effective Tax Rate for 1996, per Texas Property Tax Code;

- Tabled all audit agreements until a later meeting in order to make a more thorough study;

- Appointed Supt. Mike Caplinger as investment officer for Iowa Park CISD;

- Approved the Student Code of Conduct for the school district as required by Senate Bill 1;

- Approved a student transfer request for Brandi Peterman;

- Rejected all bids for worker's compensation contract, and call for new bids; and

- Set Aug. 29, 1996, as the date to adopt the official school budget for 1996-97.

WORTH QUOTING

Well, I see the bill to increase the minimum wage by some 21 percent has passed both houses of Congress and has been signed into law by President Clinton.

According to news accounts, this was a hard-won triumph for Democrats, Clinton and their allies in organized labor.

This law is certain to put many small companies out of business. And will, of course, prevent the expansion of many more small businesses.

Many in Congress are becoming so far out of touch with ordinary people that they don't realize how difficult it is to operate a small business and pay even the current minimum wage. But they don't get many campaign contributions from business people in that bracket, anyway.

Big corporations, labor unions and greedy politicians are forcing more and more small companies to close their doors.

What surprised me most about this particular legislation was that our own Congressman, Charlie Stenholm, voted for it. He voted along with John Bryant, Martin Frost and Eddie Bernice Johnson, three of the most liberal members of the House of Representatives.

Two other Democratic congressmen, Ralph Hall of Rockwall and Pete Geren of Fort Worth, voted against the bill and we commend them for that. They were more concerned about what's good for the country than for how many votes it would get them in the next election.

And make no bones about it. When you kill off small, independent businesses, and leave only huge corporations, it is bad for the country. It destroys the heart and soul of the business community and costs many people their jobs. Especially rural people who don't want to move to the big city.

Government telling an employer how much he's going to have to pay his help makes about as much sense as the government telling an employee

what wage he's going to be forced to work for.

But politicians won't do that. Because there are more employees than business owners.

It's all a matter of votes.

In a news release Stenholm explained he voted for the legislation which also provides small businesses with tax incentives. I haven't seen the complete bill and I apparently don't know all about the incentives. But having spouses that do not work outside the home being able to contribute \$2,000 a year to an IRA account is no great big favor, as far as I'm concerned. And neither is the provision in the bill that says families who adopt a child will benefit from a \$5,000 tax credit.

I don't know of too many small business people around here that are planning to adopt another kid.

HARLAN BRIDWELL
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SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

Social Security: 61 Years and Still Working

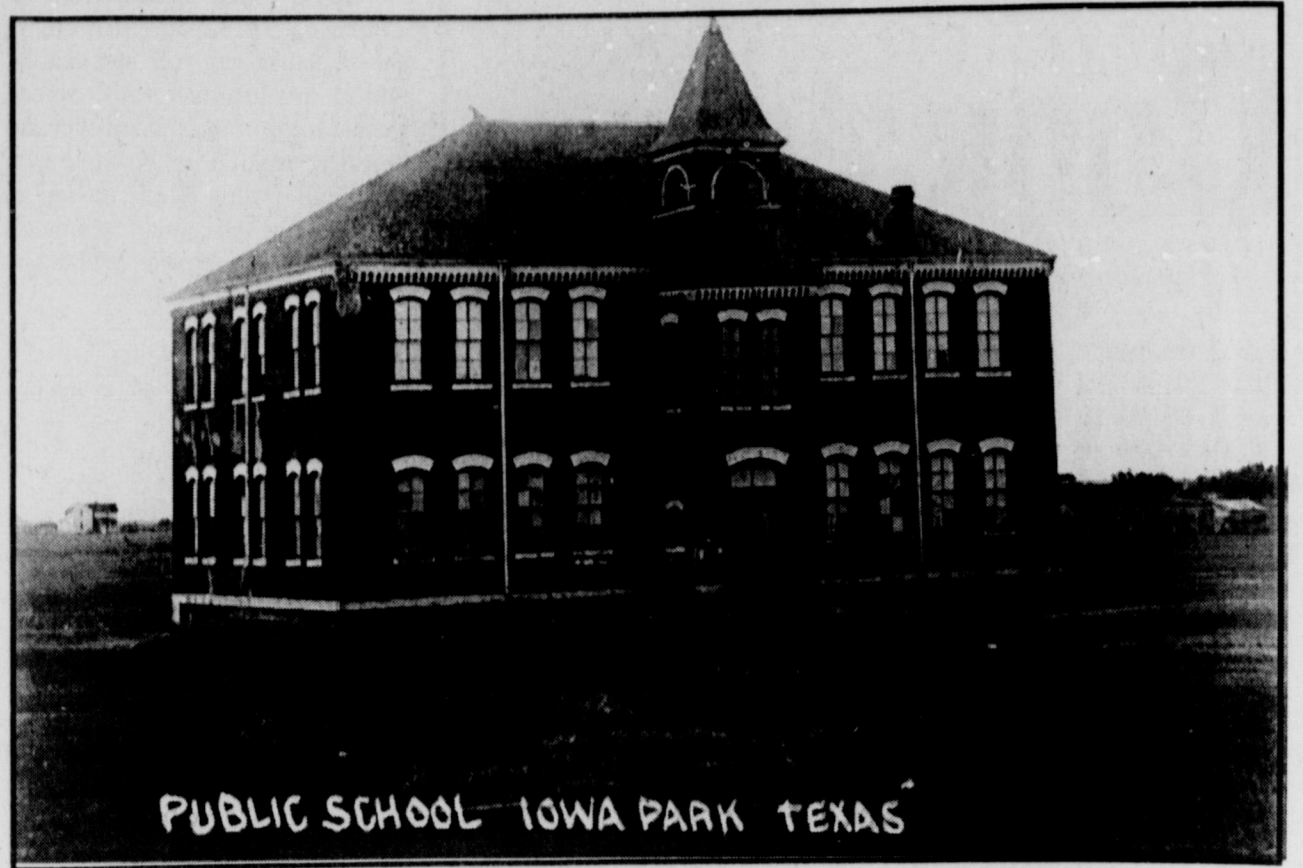
August 14 marked the 61st anniversary of the signing of the Social Security Act -- a program that now touches the lives of nearly every American.

More than 90 percent of all workers are in jobs covered by Social Security and one in every six Americans receives a monthly Social Security benefit.

About 43 million people receive monthly benefits, with over 68 percent of the money going to 26.4 million retired people.

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And over 10 percent is paid to four million disabled workers.



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Correction

A man arrested Aug. 2 on charges of making two different threats and then being transported to the county jail was incorrectly identified in a story last week. The individual was Roger Taylor, 41. We apologize for the error.

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FROM TEACHER TO PREACHER

Carole Phillips fills pulpit at First Presbyterian

By MYRNA SMITH

Carol Phillips is starting her second career, this time in the pulpit instead of behind a teacher's desk.

Carol is the new pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Iowa Park. She also is serving as pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church in Wichita Falls, which coincidentally is located on Phillips Street.

Her husband, Rev. Robert L. Phillips, is pastor of the Killeen Presbyterian Church. They have two sons, Stanley, a junior at Sam Houston State, and Patrick, a freshman at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Jokingly, she commented, "Yes, even our dogs are male."

She was teaching seventh grade in Killeen and her husband kept urging her to go to seminary. "One morning I was sitting in church, and I guess I wasn't giving full attention to his sermon. This voice spoke to me and told me to go to seminary."

"I had to do a lot of retraining my mind. After teaching seventh grade and being used to talking in phrases and short sentences because of being interrupted so much, my husband had to help me with writing whole sentences and paragraphs. He also taught me things about the ministry I never knew before. A lot of things I do in my ministry are things he taught me."

Carol completed her seminary work at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Austin in May 1994. She remarked that at that time about 75 percent of the students were seeking second careers.

Since 1994, she has done supply preaching for her husband and for some of the smaller churches around Killeen. But her initial day on her own was July 1 and the beginning of a new adventure for her.

She received her teaching degrees from Stephen F. Austin College where she majored in English and Biological Science (she laughed and said she was leary of all those other sciences) and minored in Math.

Her husband was a second year seminary student when they married.

She taught 13 years in secondary public and private schools in the different places they have lived since their marriage.

Rev. Phillips is making her home in Iowa Park in the Presbyterian Manse.

It is easy to tell that the vivacious dark-haired pastor has a love for people, never meets a stranger, and finds something that is exciting to her every day "because I look for it."

She has had to use a city map to find her way around this area, and even with that she has gotten lost a few times, "But that's alright too--I can admire more of the scenery that way" she says.

Originally from Texas City, Carol has had opportunity to view many different types of terrain, where her husband has held pastorates.

The first place they lived was in Nesbit, Miss., where he was a student pastor. They lived in a 100-year-old house that had a garage with a dirt floor and a cotton gin nearby. Chipmunks played in the front yard, rattlesnakes had a den in some debris on her side of the garage.

And to make things more exciting, a billy goat got under their house and kept butting the floor. Two men came to rescue him and when they managed to get him out he jumped over one of the men. She said she never knew a person's eyes could get so big.

Another exciting thing that happened there was that their first son, Stanley, was born.

Their next move was to Dyke, Tenn. Brown Shoe Co. was located there and they got to learn how womens' shoes are made. Another thing they learned early-on was if they saw a white vapor cloud in a certain direction looming portentously above a building it would be coming from an agribusiness fertilizer plant. That could have been very exciting.

Here their second son, Patrick, was born.

When they lived in Hobart,

Okla., one thing she remembers that was exciting to her and the boys, one Easter morning they saw a bunny hopping down the middle of the street, which naturally made them think it was the "Easter Bunny".

From Hobart they moved to El Paso. They cooperated in a ministry with the Catholic Church to help the people in Juarez who lived in the Colonia, the impoverished area of Juarez. They had a sewing cooperative and the Catholic Church worked primarily with education and with pre-natal care.

They would smuggle in materials for the sewing group and then go back and smuggle the finished products out, paying them for their work.

For punishment the officials would turn off the inhabitants water, sometimes for two or three days. And had the church groups been caught smuggling the materials in or out they could have held them for a time. The church groups also washed containers and took them to the Colonia so the people could keep water for times when it was cut off.

Carol was unaware of some of this the first time the family went with the group to bring back some finished products. They hid some of the materials under her oldest son's legs. After she found out some of the things that could have happened, that was about her most exciting time in El Paso.

After seven years Rev. Robert Phillips accepted the pastorate at Killeen. Killeen presented new problems. There is a community of Asian women there who are destitute and are unable to speak English. These are girls the men at Ft. Hood brought back with them from Korea and then left them. The church helps with this



Rev. Carole Phillips

work.

The church building burned about six years ago and the new one was completed three years ago. They were there at the time of the Luby's Massacre, Oct. 16, 1991.

Since Carole has been in Iowa Park she has found that to watch the trains switch is exciting to her. She had never seen that before. She also found it exciting to watch the storm Sunday night as the wind whipped the trees in her back yard--so she finds excitement some times in what a lot of people find very ordinary.

The local minister was ordained July 14 and installed in both churches

in a single ceremony July 28. She celebrated her first sacrament last Sunday.

She spends all day Mondays and Wednesdays and half of Fridays in Iowa Park and all day Tuesdays and Thursdays and half of Fridays at Trinity.

Trinity Church services are at 9 a.m. and Iowa Park services are at 11 a.m.

Will the two Rev. Phillips ever share the pulpit, or have pastorates near each other? Carol said her husband says, "It will be in God's good time".

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Whether it was a phone call, a visit, a card or letter, flowers, food, a look, a word, a touch of the hand or the warmth of a hug, please know that it all meant more to us than you can every know. Special thanks to Faith Baptist Church of Iowa Park and friends from Iowa Park, Kamay, Valley View, Wichita Falls and Lubbock for supplying us with all the food and anything else we might have needed. We also want to express our gratitude to Todd's family of co-workers and friends at Best Buy #226 in Lubbock. We especially appreciate everyone's prayers through all this.

Todd was always such a sweet, good, gentle person who loved life and people. He was such a very important part of our lives and we miss him so very much. We are learning every day how many other lives he had touched.

Todd is indeed a Special Angel (and a fun one, too)!

Please remember us in your prayers and may God bless you all. Michael, Judy, Derek, Christy, Chase and Chelsey, and a host of extended family

Obituaries

Bertha Mae Lamb

Services for Bertha Mae Lamb, 96, of Marlow, Okla., were at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Callaway-Smith-Cobb Funeral Home.

Rev. Kevin McSpadden, pastor of Lakeside Baptist Church, officiated. Graveside services were at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Crestview Memorial Park in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Lamb, mother of Robert Leon Lamb of Iowa Park, was born May 30, 1900 near Altus, in what is now Oklahoma. She and Coolie Austin Lamb were married in 1917 in Altus. He died in 1967. A son, Leonard Austin, died April 7, 1986, and a daughter, Lennie Earlene Knight, died June 19, 1994.

Mrs. Lamb was a homemaker and a member of Lakeside Baptist Church. She had been a resident of Marlow 10 years. She was a former resident of Wichita Falls.

Other survivors include a daughter, Frances Cranford of Marlow; a brother, Cliff Walker of Wheeler; two sisters, Lennie Criswell of Rogers, Ark., and Ellie Wilkerson

of Clarendon; 16 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Cynthia Taylor Case

Graveside services for Cynthia Taylor Skipworth Case, infant daughter of Christy Skipworth of Wichita Falls and Jeremy Case of Iowa Park, were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Crestview Memorial Park in Wichita Falls.

Les McGalliard, minister of Faith Village Church of Christ, officiated. Arrangements were under direction of Lunn's Colonial Funeral Home.

The baby was born July 31, 1996, in Wichita Falls.

Survivors in addition to her parents are her grandparents, Brenda Case of Iowa Park, Tommy Case, and Scott and Julie Skipworth, all of Wichita Falls; great-grandparents, Noel and Bobbie Skipworth of Farmers Branch, Nancy Huddleston of Dallas, Buddy and Joy Sellers of Holliday, and Terry and Glenda Hayley, Jerry and Marilyn Gamble and Clifford and Lola Case, all of Wichita Falls.

Card of Thanks

The family of Roy L. Reid would like to express our sincere appreciation and heartfelt thanks to everyone who sent cards, made visits, calls, brought food and all the prayers, on behalf of our beloved husband, father, and grandfather. All your prayers helped us through a difficult time. We would like to express our deepest appreciation to Bro. Derrell who was so faithful and members of the First Baptist Church of Iowa Park. Thanks for the lunch they prepared. I don't know if we could have made it without them. Also our thanks goes out to Dr. DeLizio and Larry and Norma Dutton who were so kind and the help they gave. May we repeat gain thanks for all the prayers from Wed. nite church at First Baptist Church and all the rest of you for your prayers. And to our neighbors and friends for their love and support during the loss of our loved one. May God bless you all.

Christine Amber & Terry Roger & Celest & Chad, Jessica, Courtney & Lyndsay

FRIENDLY DOOR NEWS

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The birthday party for those having birthdays this month was Monday. Having birthdays were Adele Calloway, Lena Shultz, Juanita Lyons, Nadine Johnson, Nina Baker, Jewel Rogers, Ernest Lee, Rowena Rice, Fletcher Whitley, Ellie Bell, Irene Woody, Richard Eland, Verba Lofland, Lenore Fonville, and William Lane.

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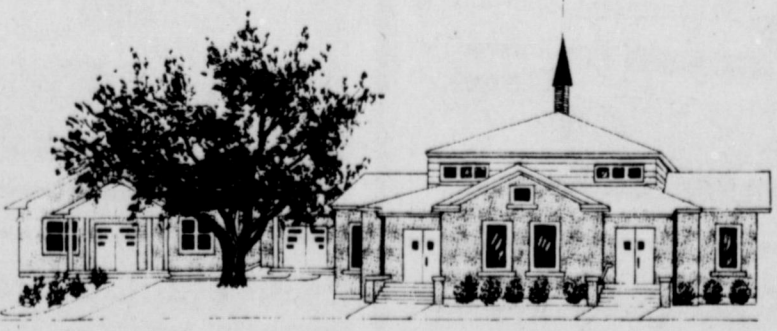
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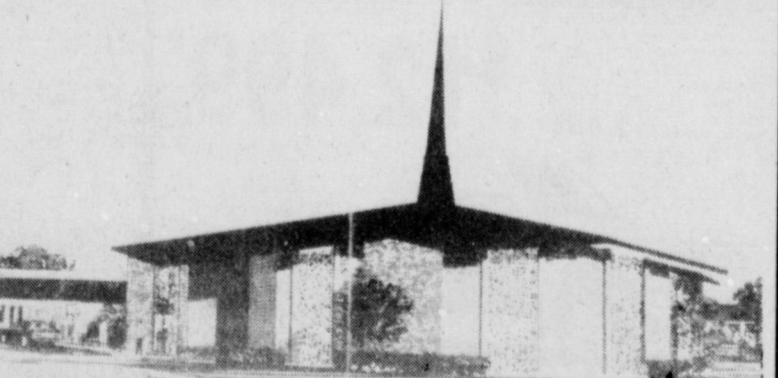


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RAC News

By JO LYNN COCKRUM

Bridge Clubs

Last Wednesday's bridge club played four tables with four rounds. Amy Conley reported the high score of 4060 and Betty Dyer had the second high of 3920.

On Monday this week there were three tables. Mary Lou Alderman had the high score of 5690 and Louise Helms had the second high of 5340. There are nine players registered for next week.

Annual Meeting Notice

The annual membership meeting of the Iowa Park Recreational Activity Club, Inc. will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 7:00 p.m. Election of new board members and officers will be held at this time. All RAC members are invited to attend.

Thank You

We would like to thank Officer Joe Clement for bringing Trooper Bud out to visit with the children at the RAC. Everybody had a great time and we appreciate his efforts on behalf of our youngsters.

Student Volunteers

The summer programs are over at the RAC and we would like to thank the volunteers who helped make it such a success.

The following students were dedicated in their efforts to assist us and should be highly commended for the fine jobs they did: Lindsey Green, Gynnalyn Ezzell, Tia Fulfer, Talya Burgher, Brandy Poage, Travis Fulfer, and J.L. Howard.

Others who assisted on occasion include Kelly Tepfer, Leslie Galliton, Vanessa Hoover, Tishda Stolper, Juanita Springmeyer, Aubrey Ehling, Tiger Ezzell, and Jessica Cockrum. Thanks kids... we never could have made it without you!!

Mother's Day Out

Mother's Day Out will begin on Friday, Aug. 23. This program is for children two to six years of age, and is offered each Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Cost is \$1.50 per hour, with the last hour free if attending all day. Reservations may be made by calling 592-4471.

Kidnapped for Kash

The second annual Kidnapped for Kash fundraiser for the RAC and the Friendly Door will be held next Thursday from 9:00 to 3:00 at the RAC. If you are called upon to be kidnapped, pledge ransoms, or assist in any other way, please remember that this fundraiser will benefit a great number of Iowa Park citizens (possibly even someone in your family). Thanks in advance for your help!

4-H CLUB NEWS

Several 4-H Club members from Wichita County participated July 22-26 in the State Horse Show in Abilene.

They included: Adrienne Gamboa, fourth in Hunter Hack, third in Working Hunter, third in Open Jumping and fourth in Hunter Aquitation Over Fences.

Heath Gholson, first in Cutting portion of the show and named Reserve Champion Cutter in the state.

Heath, 11, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Gholson, while Adrienne, 18, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bibiano Gamboa.

FRIENDLY DOOR MENU

MONDAY, Aug. 19
Lunch--Oven fried steak, white sauce, corn salad, green beans, white or wheat bread, watermelon/cantaloupe, milk.

TUESDAY, Aug. 20
Lunch--Meat loaf, pinto beans, turnip greens, cornbread, pineapple cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 21
Lunch--Cucumber/tomato salad, charbroiled chopped steak, parsley potatoes, crinkle cut carrots, wheat bread, watermelon slice, milk.

THURSDAY, Aug. 22
Lunch--Honeydew melon salad, marinated chicken, pasta, squash medley, wheat roll, fruit cobbler, milk.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Well, with summer being over, that means it's time for scouts to start. It was great seeing so many of you at the swimming party August 1. If you missed it, you sure missed a great time.

We will be holding our first pack meeting on Monday, Aug. 26, at 7 p.m. at the RAC. We need everyone to show up, so we can get off to a grand start.

There will also be a committee meeting Monday, Aug. 19 at 7 p.m. at the Chamber office. All committee members need to be in attendance.

Round-up will be starting very soon so if you know someone who is interested in scouts, tell them about it. We need everyone's help with this project.

IN THE MILITARY

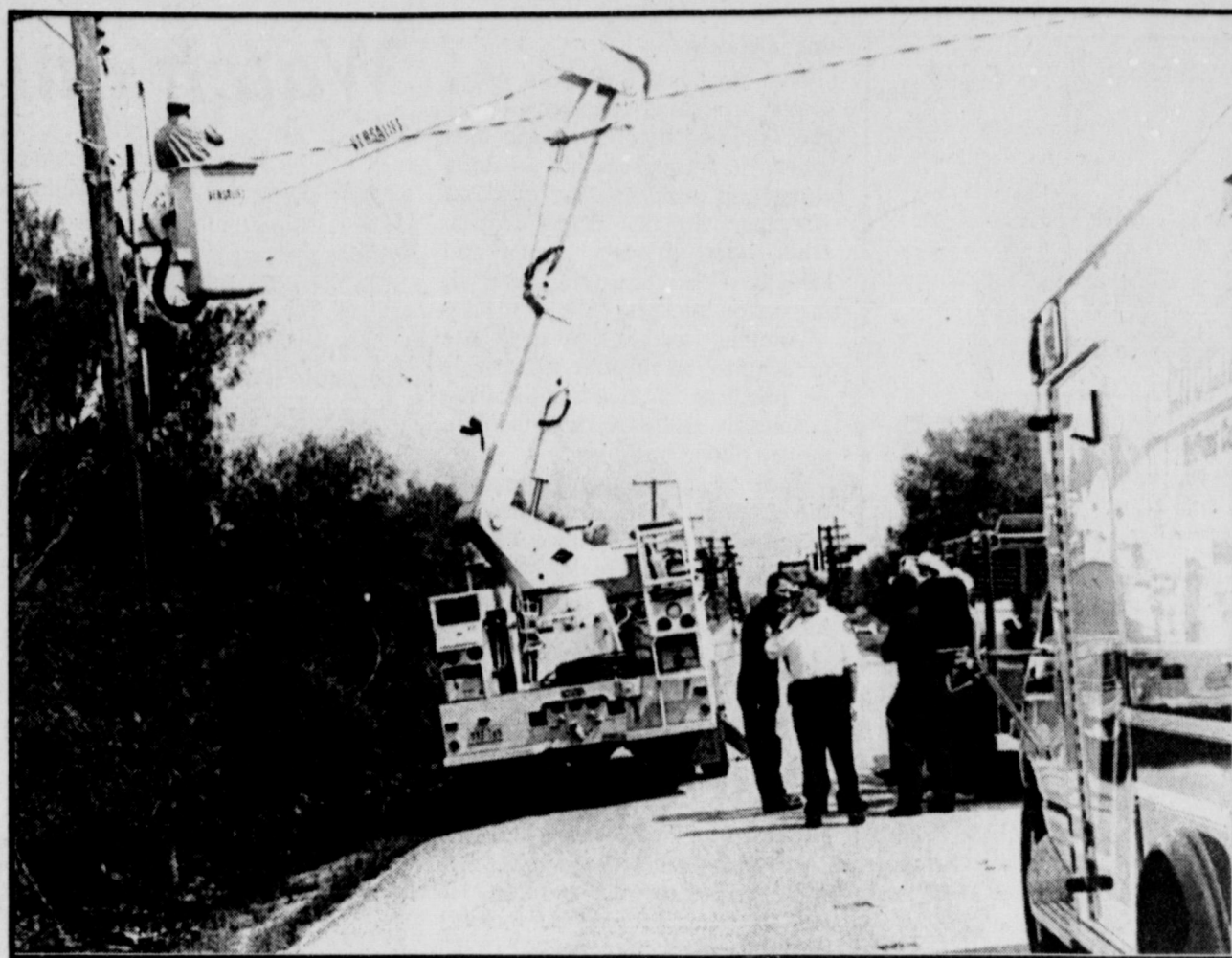
Worley completes cruise

Petty Officer 3rd Class Eric A. Worley, son of Tim D. Worley of Iowa Park, has returned to Norfolk, Va., after completing a six-month deployment aboard the guided missile cruiser USS San Jacinto.

The ship completed a 43,000-mile voyage and was part of the 11-ship USS George Washington Battle Group.

In the Adriatic Sea, the group helped enforce the international embargo against the former Yugoslavia. Also during the deployment, the San Jacinto participated in multinational exercises with forces from France, Italy and Russia.

Worley is a 1992 graduate of Rider High School and joined the Navy in 1994.



ACCIDENT AFTERMATH - Emergency personnel, law officers, and neighbors discuss their relief that an accident Tuesday morning on McFall Road resulted in no injuries. Ray Gholson was moving his tractor and up-raised plow down the road, when it came into contact with an overhead wire. Gholson alertly stayed in the tractor cab after noting the wires being on the ground, and called for assistance. He was not injured, but the broken wire caused a grassfire in the tree-grown pasture on the left, which was extinguished by the Kamay Volunteer Fire Dept.

Potthoff is graduated

Steven E. Potthoff recently graduated from leadership training and evaluation at the U.S. Army Cadet Command Reserve Officer's Training Corps advanced camp at Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, N.C.

The cadet is a student at the University of Notre Dame, and was graduated in 1993 from Notre Dame High School in Wichita Falls.

He is the son of retired Army Lt. Col. Ernest D. and Mrs. Potthoff of Iowa Park.

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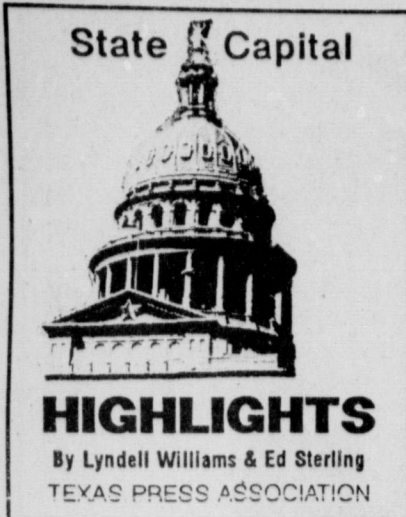
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State Capital
HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Federal judges last week annulled the March primaries in three Texas congressional districts where race was ruled to have been the main factor in drawing boundaries.

The panel of three judges — all appointed by Republican presidents — approved new, more compactly shaped districts. Redrawing those districts affected the shape and makeup of seven contiguous districts in the Houston area and six in the Dallas area.

So, the panel ordered special elections in those 13 districts set for Nov. 5, the same day as the general election for the rest of the state. The special elections will be open to all candidates of either party, and runoffs will be Dec. 10.

But, the redistricting plan did not sit well with House Speaker Pete Laney and Attorney General Dan Morales, both Democrats. The officials were contemplating an appeal to the U.S. Supreme Court last week to overturn the lower court decision.

Laney and Morales said voter confusion and unnecessary shifting of boundary lines will be key arguments if they appeal the order. Laney, who had a plan that would have changed the shape of only nine districts, said an early analysis of the court order is "more intrusive than necessary." Morales said only six districts need be changed.

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, a Democrat, had asked the judges not to take action and instead leave the matter to the 1997 Legislature. After the panel approved the new boundaries, Bullock praised their efforts. "The plan does not smack of politics or needlessly change boundaries that had already been set," he told the *Austin American-Statesman*.

Minimal changes were made to the two black majority districts in Dallas, but a largely Hispanic district in Houston lost about 15 percent of its Hispanic voters and no longer has a Hispanic majority.

Principals to Receive Cash
Some Texas public school principals will be getting more than a jolt of self esteem for their role in improving their campuses. They will receive cash awards of up to \$5,000.

In the fall, principals of the state's most improved schools will receive checks — to use as they wish — based on the school's rating and the criteria being developed by a panel appointed by Gov. George W. Bush. The criteria are to be completed by Sept. 1.

"It's a check written to the principal. There are no strings attached," Criss Cloudt of the Texas Education Agency told the *Associated Press*.

Under the Principal Performance Incentives Program — part of the sweeping education bill passed by the 1995 Legislature — \$5 million will be disbursed. The program was tacked onto S.B. 1 by Rep. Kent Grusendorf, R-Arlington.

Some teachers, however, criticized the program because it left insolvent the Texas Successful Schools Awards System, another student performance-based program that did not focus on principals.

Drivers Skirting Insurance Law
Many Texas drivers are finding illegal ways to skirt a state law that requires them to carry liability car insurance all year.

The *Austin American-Statesman* analyzed state data and found that about 21 percent of drivers involved in accidents last year were not insured or their insurance status

was unknown.
One way consumers avoid paying costly premiums is to purchase a six- or 12-month policy and then cancel it after a month — long enough to receive their proof of insurance card that allows them to renew their driver's license and vehicle registration or obtain an inspection sticker.

Another method cheaters use to acquire an insurance card is to purchase a one-month from businesses that advertise them in the telephone book.
Lack of enforcement is part of the problem. Lawmakers have rejected enforcement proposals as too expensive for the state, too burdensome on insurers and too heartless toward low-income drivers, the *American-Statesman* reported.

Other Capital Highlights
■ Bruce Casteel has been named senior captain (commander) of the Texas Rangers, succeeding Maurice Cook who retires at the end of the month. Casteel, 54, is a 23-year veteran of the 173-year-old elite law enforcement unit. He has served as assistant commander of the Rangers since 1992.

■ Texas Republican Party Chairman Tom Pauken was awarded \$180,683 by a Dallas County jury which concluded that a former business associate stole information from his firm, Texas Voter List, and sold it to Pauken's opponents in his unsuccessful 1991 race for the 3rd Congressional District seat.

■ Texas Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer approved a new computerized "bulletin board system" that will match homeowners having trouble finding insurance with companies that will sell them coverage. The Market Assistant Program begins in October.

■ Victor Morales, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate, last week challenged incumbent U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm to promise voters that he would serve a full, six-year term if re-elected instead of running for president in the year 2000. Gramm's spokesman said the senator would only promise to work hard in 2000 to re-elect Bob Dole as president.

■ U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas, has been named chairwoman of the Subcommittee on Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine. She moved into the post after Majority Leader Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss., relinquished chairmanship. The post is her first subcommittee chairmanship since she came to Congress in 1993.

■ For the first time in two decades, the number of state government jobs in Texas has declined, the *Wall Street Journal* reported last week. The decrease is 1.1 percent, or 2,919 positions for the first six months of the fiscal year, reducing the total payroll to 258,536 as of Feb. 29. Comptroller John Sharp estimated the reduction has saved taxpayers \$40 million.

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Watch out for school children

School bells ringing, crossing guards on post, black and yellow busses travelling the streets and lots of kids walking the neighborhoods, sure signs that school is back in session.

Trooper Joe Clement, safety education officer with the Texas Department of Public Safety, stated, "The first few weeks of school are the most dangerous for both the school children and the drivers."

Iowa Park schools are to begin classes on Monday, Aug. 19.

Clement went on to say that motorists need to make some adjustments in their driving habits.

During the summer, we get out of the habit of looking for school zones and now is the time to re-familiarize ourselves. Keep in mind that even though some school zones are marked with flashing lights, many are not, so be familiar with school zone times in your area.

Children often lack experience with traffic, don't always act logically. Sometimes they will cross the street between parked cars instead of using the crosswalks.

So, stay focused and don't allow yourself to get distracted. Be watchful for school buses. State law requires drivers on the same roadway with a school bus that is stopped to load or unload students to also stop until the school bus driver has turned off the flashing red lights.

This law applies unless the vehicle is separated from the bus by a

divided highway with a median. A violation of this law is punishable by a fine up to \$1,000.

Helpful Hints

City ordinance prohibits the keeping of any wild animal as a pet.

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.

SAFB surplus auction slated

An auction of surplus government equipment will be held Wednesday of next week in building 2135, located on Motor Pool Road at Sheppard AFB.

Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m. and the auction following at 10.

Items for sale include computers, office equipment, medical supplies, hardware, televisions, miscellaneous clothing, and more.

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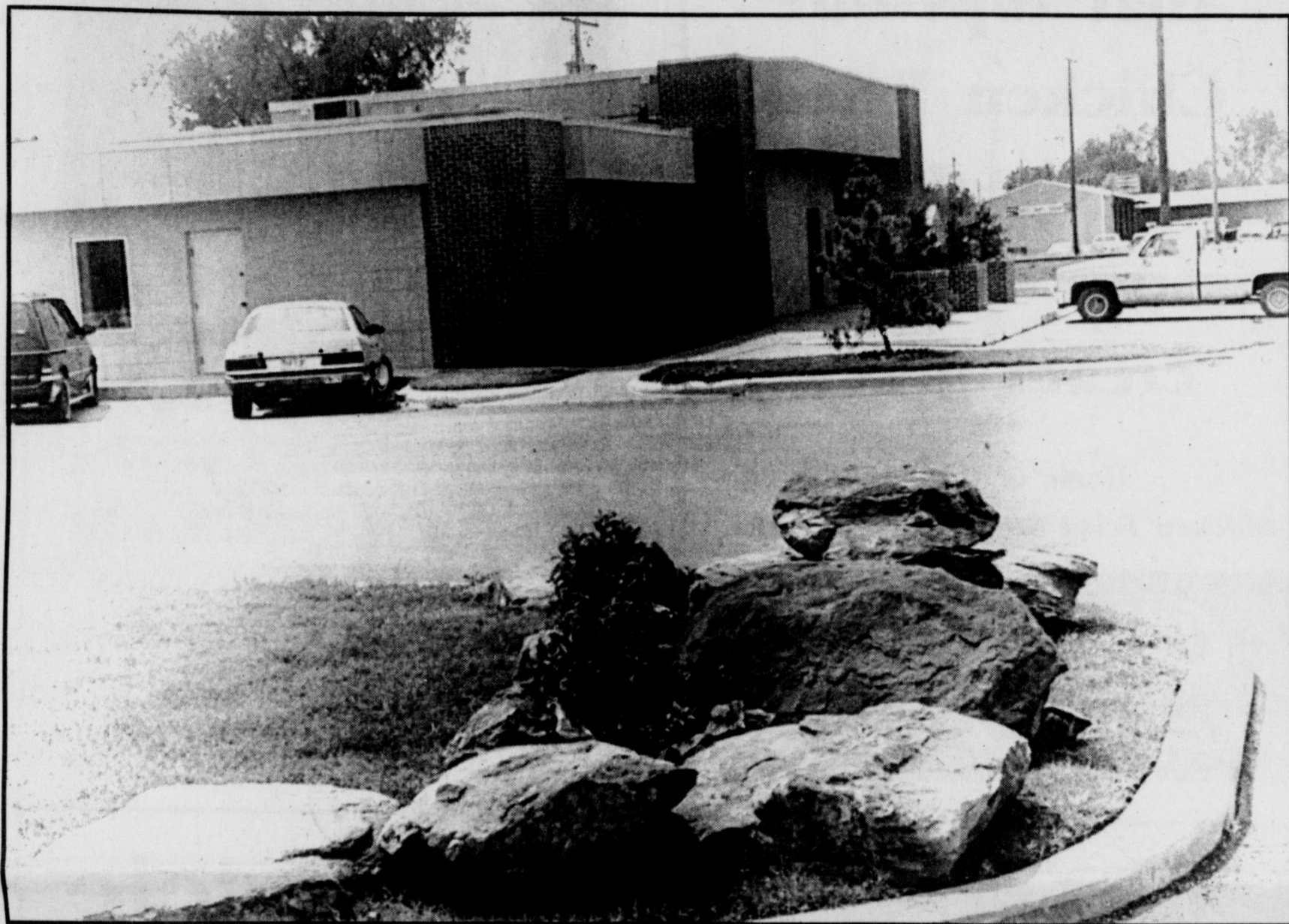
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No business expects your patronage just because they are here. They ask only that you give them a look, an opportunity, when you are shopping to make a purchase. It is very likely that they will have exactly what you want, at a price you can afford, without going out of town to do your buying.

It makes no sense to make a 20-mile round trip to save a couple of dollars. Such a trip not only consumes your time, but driving that far, instead of a mile or two locally, will eat up whatever savings you might believe you are making. And, in most situations, the local businesses are highly competitive with their prices.

And when you make a purchase elsewhere, instead of at a local business, you are contributing to the sales tax of whatever city you do your buying.

The property taxes a business pays, both to your city and school district, are extremely important in numerous ways. Not the least of which is their taxes reduce what you would pay if they were not located here, and still expect the same services and education you receive.

Businesses are very important in their contributions of taxes to your city and school. They pay tax on their buildings, and also on their equipment and inventory. And then, the owners and employees who live here pay their share of taxes on their homes, just like everyone else.

Another point to consider is the fact that no business can or will continue to exist without making sales or providing their services. Iowa Park has lost its share of businesses -- including automobile dealerships, lumber yards, theaters, department stores, etc. -- because they weren't doing the business they needed.

Businesses are major contributors to activities and various quality of life programs in Iowa Park. When an organization is going to do a fund-raising project, it's the businesses they solicit, seldom ever your next-door neighbor. There's no way the high school annual, for example, could exist, if it were not for the advertising purchased by local businesses.

Another thing to remember is the fact that no businesses in the world have a greater interest in serving you, being friendly and polite, than those which still exist locally.

So, it just makes good, common sense to give your local businesses the first opportunity to sell you what you need. And when you do buy here, you are assuring that the business will be there the next time you want to buy, that the taxes you pay are less than they would be if that business did not exist here, and you have done your personal part in the community.

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Address: 600 E. Pasadena
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 4 years

Iowa Park Air Conditioning & Heating
Owner/Manager: Russell Guyette
Type of Business: Air conditioning & heating, and RV and Trailer air conditioning and heating repair
Address: 607 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 28 years

Gene James Air Conditioning & Heating
Owner/Manager: MGR Enterprises, Inc. President, Gene James, Vice President, Greg James
Type of Business: Geothermal and air to air HVAC systems installation, maintenance, repair.
Address: 108 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

ANTIQUES

Little Red School House
Owner/Manager: Helen Rich
Type of Business: Arts, crafts, antiques, hand crafts, painting, stuffed dolls, etc.
Address: 305 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 year

Nanny's Antique Mall
Owner/Manager: Jeff Nolen
Type of Business: Rent booth space for antiques and collectibles. Glassware, furniture, primitives, dolls
Address: 109 W. Park
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 year

APARTMENT COMPLEXES

Colonial Heights Apartments
Owner/Manager: Bill Swan, owner
Type of Business: Apartment Complex
Address: 701 Johnson Road
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 13 years

Woodbriar Community
Owner/Manager: Vida Cooke
Type of Business: Rental Units
Address: 1000 Mary Drive
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 16

APPLIANCE REPAIR

Posey's Appliance Service
Owner/Manager: Ruth Posey, Jeff Posey
Type of Business: Appliance repair-all makes and models
Address: 1356 FM 368 South
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 35 years

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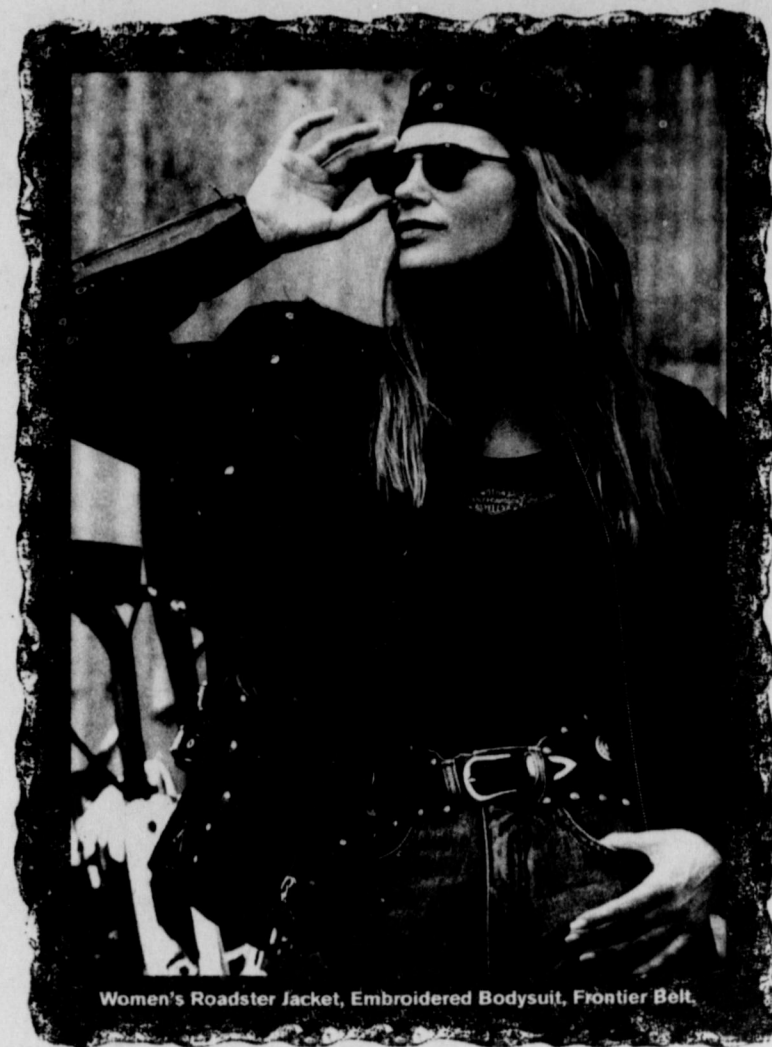
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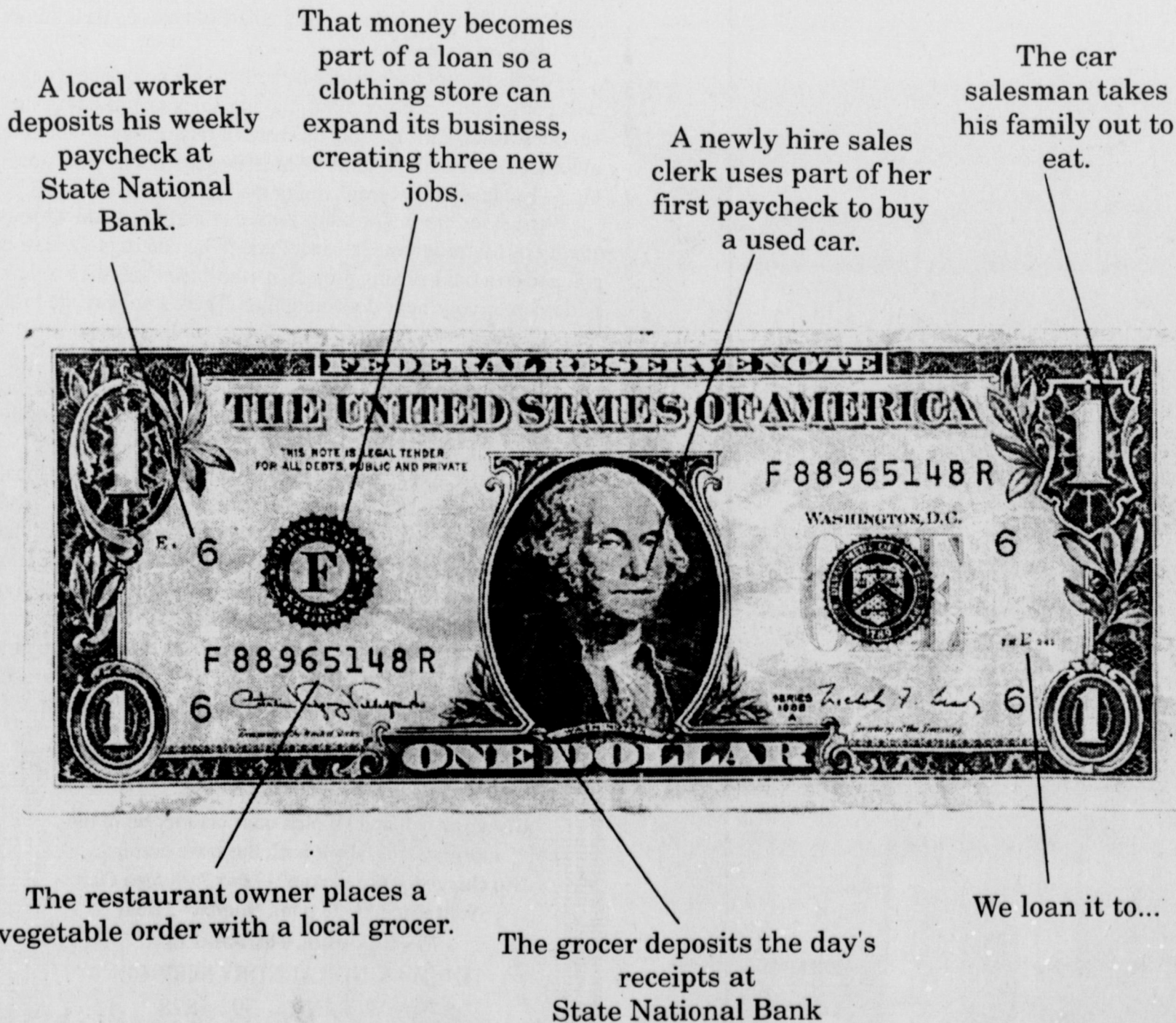


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Sam's Body Shop
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Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 30 years

AUTOMOTIVE PARTS

D.C. Auto Parts
Owner/Manager: Danny Coffman, owner; Bob Whately, manager
Type of Business: Automotive parts and supplies
Address: 211 N. Wall
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 11 years

AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR

Autocraft Engine Repair, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Bill Sasser, Carter Pirkle
Type of Business: Automotive repair
Address: 412 S. Yosemite
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 6 years

B&D Radiator Auto & Glass Service
Owner/Manager: Robert W. and Dorothy Benson Jr., owners; Robert W. Benson, manager
Type of Business: Complete auto repair, body and paint, mechanical, radiators, glass installation.
Address: 201 S. Wall
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 7 years

Billy James Garage
Owner/Manager: Billy James
Type of Business: General mechanic on cars, trucks, tractors, air conditioning, motors, brakes
Address: 100 S. Wall
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 41 years

J.C.'s Automotive
Owner/Manager: Jerry D. Clifton Sr.
Type of Business: Complete automotive and truck repair, includes computerized engine controls and diagnosis.
Address: 104 N. Alcott
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

AUTOMOBILE SALES

Park Motors
Owner/Manager: Abernathy
Type of Business: Used Cars
Address: 904 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

BAIT SHOP

Mary's Minnows
Owner/Manager: Mary and Tim Worley
Type of Business: Bait Shop
Address: 700 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 4 months

BAKERIES

Kathy's Kakes
Owner/Manager: Kathy Hicks
Type of Business: Bakery - decorated cakes, cupcakes, cookies
Address: 1825 Peterson Road North
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 years

Patty Cakes
Owner/Manager: Pat Hall
Type of Business: Celebration cakes and intimate to formal catering
Address: 1125 W. Louisa (rear)
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 3 years

BANKING SERVICES

Norwest Bank Texas
Owner/Manager: Jackie Beckham - manager
Type of Business: Commercial and consumer banking
Address: 219 W. Park
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 3 years

State National Bank of Iowa Park
Owner/Manager: North Central Texas Bancshares, Inc.
Type of Business: Full service banking
Address: 104 W. Park
Number of Employees: 26
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 64 years

CATERING

City Cafe
Owner/Manager: Ray Copening
Type of Business: Cafe and catering
Address: 114 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 21 years

Dudley's Deli
Owner/Manager: Mike and Diane Hicks
Type of Business: Restaurant, deli and catering services
Address: 111-A W. Park
Number of Employees: 9
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 month

Patty Cakes
Owner/Manager: Pat Hall
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Address: 1125 W. Louisa (rear)
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 3 years

CERAMICS

Homestead Ceramics
Owner/Manager: Aquilla Carillo-Miranda
Type of Business: Complete ceramic shop

- greenware, firing, glazes and stains
Address: 116 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 17 years

CONCRETE

Garcia Metal Building Construction
Owner/Manager: Dion Garcia
Type of Business: Commercial metal buildings and concrete
Address: 1316 N. Third
Number of Employees: 23
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

Iowa Park Ready Mix, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Jim Reeves, general manager
Type of Business: Sale of ready mixed concrete, sand gravel and stone.
Address: P.O. Box 515
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 21 years

CONSTRUCTION

Garcia Metal Building Construction
Owner/Manager: Dion Garcia
Type of Business: Commercial metal buildings and concrete
Address: 1316 N. Third
Number of Employees: 23
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

Mills Contracting
Owner/Manager: Mike and Terri Mills
Type of Business: Sheetrock, wall and attic insulation
Address: 808 E. Bank
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 3 years

Regency One Builders, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Darrell K. Jolly
Type of Business: Residential building
Address: 704 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 11 years

GARY WILLIAMS CONSTRUCTION
Owner/Manager: Gary Williams
Type of Business: General contracting
Address: 1550 FM 368 South
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 20 years

Type of Business: Concession store, deli, lottery, gas
Address: 322 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 16
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 17 years

CONVENIENCE STORES

Scobee's Mini Mart
Owner/Manager: Randy and Billie Scobee

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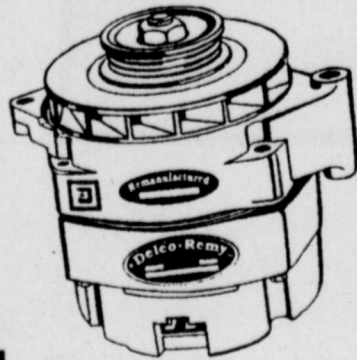
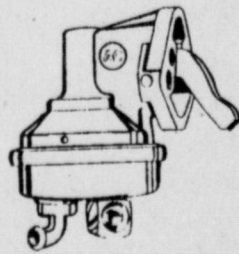
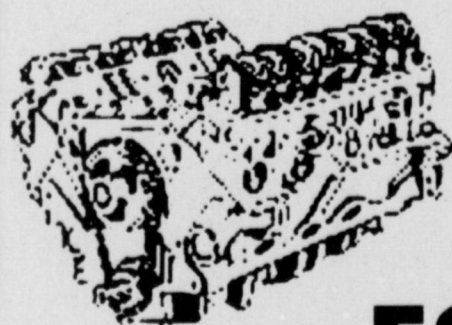
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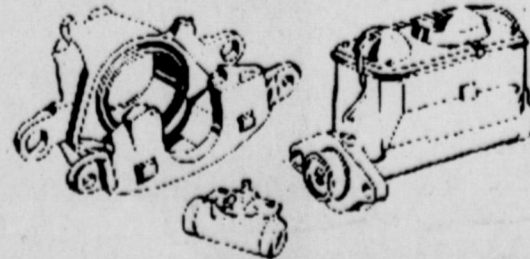
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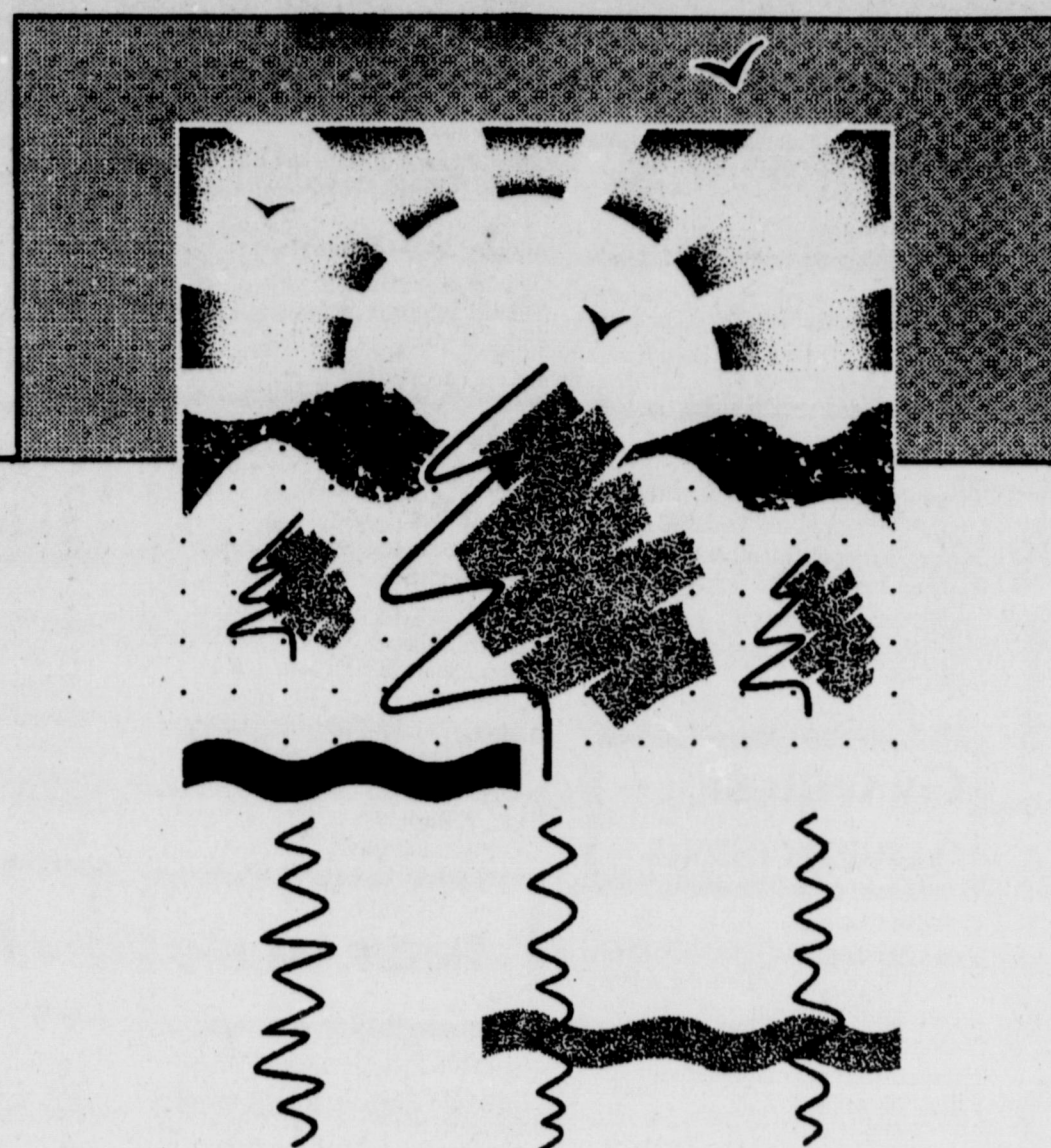
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Type of Business: Daycare and Pre-school
Address: 202 N. Jackson
Number of Employees: 5
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 16 years

DENTISTS

Richard Carver, D.D.S.
Owner/Manager: Richard Carver, D.D.S.
Type of Business: General Dental Practice
Address: 315 N. Wall
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 37 years

Dr. W. Carter Pirkle, D.D.S., Inc.
Owner/Manager: Carter Pirkle
Type of Business: Dental services
Address: 1400 South Johnson Rd.
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 13 years

**ELECTRICAL
REPAIR**

Kendall J. Hill Electrical Contractor
Owner/Manager: Kendall J. Hill
Type of Business: Residential, commercial and industrial wiring
Address: P.O. Box 573
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 38 years

FLORISTS

All Occasions Flower & Gift Shop
Owner/Manager: Dorothy Cates and
Brenda England
Type of Business: Florist - fresh and artificial flower arrangements, plants, Yankee scented candles, balloon arrangements, gift baskets, weddings
Address: 520 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 10 years

Iowa Park Florists
Owner/Manager: Jimmy and Linda Walker
Type of Business: Floral and gift
Address: 114 W. Park
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 45 years

Sincerely Yours Flowers and Gifts
Owner/Manager: Tami Witherspoon
Type of Business: Floral and gifts
Address: 309 N. Wall
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 6 years

**FITNESS
CENTERS**

Dooley's Family Fitness Center
Owner/Manager: Jim Dooley
Type of Business: Stree relief, weight

loss, feel better, building muscle, strengthen bones
Address: 400 D W. Park
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 4 years

Iowa Park Athletic Center
Owner/Manager: Mike Sellers
Type of Business: Gym/full service gym - free weights, treadmills, bicycles, stairsteppers, nutritional supplements, personal training.
Address: 215 N. Yosemite
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 5 years

**FUNERAL
HOMES**

Dutton Funeral Home
Owner/Manager: Larry L. Dutton
Type of Business: Funeral services, merchandise, cemetery markers, pre-need funeral plans, burial insurance
Address: 300 E. Cash
Number of Employees: 9
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: Since 1908

**FURNITURE
SALES**

Schram and Cluley Furniture
Owner/Manager: Randall Schram and
Eddie Cluley
Type of Business: Furniture and bedding
Address: 204 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 2 years

GIFTS

Little Red School House
Owner/Manager: Helen Rich
Type of Business: Arts, crafts, antiques, hand crafts, painting, stuffed dolls, etc.
Address: 305 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 1 year

Posey's Unique Gifts and Crafts
Owner/Manager: Ruth Posey and Sheila Posey

Type of Business: Gifts and crafts
Address: 1356 FM 368 South
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 1 year

Simple Pleasures
Owner/Manager: Jimmy and Linda Walker
Type of Business: Gifts
Address: 114 W. Park
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 45 years

Sincerely Yours Flowers & Gifts
Owner/Manager: Tami Witherspoon
Type of Business: Floral & Gifts
Address: 309 N. Wall
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 6 years

**GRAPHICS/
ADVERTISING**

Creative Concepts
Owner/Manager: Lori Tyler/Vicki Dooley
Type of Business: Advertising Agency
Address: 1011 Lincoln
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 5 months

Ideas Unlimited Graphic Design
Owner/Manager: Kari Collins
Type of Business: Graphics, logos, t-shirts, business cards, etc.
Address: 112 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 5 months

Signs by Kevin
Owner/Manager: Kevin McShan
Type of Business: Magnetic signs, vehicle lettering, PVC's and race cars
Address: 408 N. Victoria
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 1 year

**GROCERY
STORES**

B&R Thriftway
Owner/Manager: Bill and Ron Wilford, owners; Kerry Perkins, manager
Type of Business: Wideselection of grocery items, fresh meats and produce
Address: 401 W. Park
Number of Employees: 29

Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 12 years

K&K Foods
Owner/Manager: Keith and Kay Fisher
Type of Business: Full line grocery store - gasoline
Address: 1409 Johnson Road
Number of Employees: 11
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 11 years

**HOME HEALTH
CARE**

Iowa Park Home Health Service, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Orpha Sidlauskas
Type of Business: Home Health Service, nurses, home health aides, P.T., OT, M.S.W. S.T.
Address: 117 W. Park
Number of Employees: 18
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 9 years

INSURANCE

Farmland Insurance Companies
Owner/Manager: John Berg, Regional Manager
Type of Business: Regional officer for a 5-state area selling commercial agri-business and petroleum marketers insurance
Address: 107 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 16
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 2 years

Mark Inman Insurance - Allstate
Owner/Manager: Mark Inman
Type of Business: Home, life, health and auto insurance
Address: 606 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 6 months

G.M. Via Insurance
Owner/Manager: Glenna M. Via
Type of Business: Property/casualty insurance
Address: 206 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 10 years

Phil Welch - State Farm Insurance
Owner/Manager: Phil Welch
Type of Business: Insurance - auto, fire, life, health
Address: 118 W. Park

Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 18 years

Wichita County Farm Bureau
Owner/Manager: Greg Bagley
Type of Business: Insurance - life, home, auto
Address: 105 N. Bond
Number of Employees: 7
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 61 years

**INVESTMENT
SERVICES**

Edward D. Jones & Co.
Owner/Manager: Bo Watson
Type of Business: Investments, retirement and financial planning
Address: 105 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 1 1/2 years

JEWELRY

Louis Jewelry
Owner/Manager: Louis Sefcik/George Bushfield
Type of Business: Jewelry sales, jewelry manufacturing, jewelry repair

Address: 408 W. Park
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 40 years

**LAUNDRY
SERVICES**

Drop-n-Go Laundry Service
Owner/Manager: Ronnie Freeman
Type of Business: Wash and dry your clothes; wash, dry and press, or press only
Address: 309 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 3 months

**LAWN
SERVICES**

X-Perit Weed Control, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Jeff Nolen
Type of Business: Chemical weed control, ground sterilization, complete lawn services, mowing, weed control, fertilization, insect control on lawns and trees.
Address: 109 W. Park
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa
Park: 10 years

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Owner/Manager: Pat Lindley, office manager
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Address: 310 W. Alameda
Number of Employees: 18
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 65 years

MOTORCYCLE SALES

Red River Harley-Davidson, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Jim and Vickie Gilmore
Type of Business: Harley-Davidson franchised dealer selling parts, accessories, clothing, collectables, service.
Address: 1250 US 287 East
Number of Employees: 11
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 10 years

MOVIE RENTALS

Coach Video
Owner/Manager: Christine Ferguson, manager
Type of Business: Video and game rentals, tanning
Address: 901 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 31 1/2 years

Movie Store
Owner/Manager: Susan Gillentine
Type of Business: Video rentals, Sony Playstation, Nintendo, Sega Genesis, Super Nintendo, and computer and CD Rom Games rentals.
Address: 410 W. Park
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 year

Movin' Movies
Owner/Manager: Rick Anderson
Type of Business: Video rentals (movies & games), and tanning
Address: 928 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 3 years

NAIL SALON

Nails by Michelle
Owner/Manager: Michelle Neves
Type of Business: Nail Salon - acrylics, tips, gel, manicure, pedicure
Address: 900 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

The Nail Studio
Owner/Manager: Sandra E. Worsham
Type of Business: Full service nail salon
Address: 1819 FM 368 South
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 8 months

NEWSPAPER

Iowa Park Leader
Owner/Manager: Bob and Dolores Hamilton, co-publishers
Type of Business: Weekly newspaper, covering the Iowa Park School District
Address: 112 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 6
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 27 years

OIL FIELD SERVICE

Park Tank Truck Services
Owner/Manager: G.R. "Rusty" Rusk
Type of Business: Oil field service company; frac and acid
Address: 1710 N.W. Access Road
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 30 years

PHARMACIES

Hughes Pharmacy
Owner/Manager: Joe and Patti Hughes
Type of Business: Retail pharmacy
Address: 120 W. Park
Number of Employees: 6
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 10 years under current owner

Jack's Park Pharmacy
Owner/Manager: Jack Martin

Type of Business: Pharmacy, gifts, Hallmark cards, most 3rd party (insurance claims, Medicaid, worker's comp).
Address: 115 W. Park
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 10 years

Wal-Mart Pharmacy
Owner/Manager: Angie Milliner, RPh/manager
Type of Business: Pharmacy
Address: 500 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 10
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 14 years

PLUMBING

Monty's Plumbing
Monty & Sons Tank Service
Owner/Manager: Monty Britt
Type of Business: Remodeling, repairs, residential and commercial; pumping tanks and jetting lines
Address: 705 N. Bell Road
Number of Employees: 5
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 23 years

REAL ESTATE

Regency One Realtors
Owner/Manager: Darrell K. Jolly
Type of Business: Real Estate - residential, commercial, farm and ranch, land
Address: 704 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 11 1/2 years

Texas Realty
Owner/Manager: Tommy and Glenda Key
Type of Business: Real Estate
Address: 109 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 7 years

Texoma Realty, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Thomas M. Johnson
Type of Business: Real Estate
Address: 208 N. Yosemite
Number of Employees: 6
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 4 years

RESTAURANTS

City Cafe
Owner/Manager: Ray Copening
Type of Business: Cafe and catering
Address: 114 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 21 years

Dudley's Deli
Owner/Manager: Mike & Diane Hicks
Type of Business: Deli restaurant and catering
Address: 111 A West Park
Number of Employees: 9
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 month

Ken's Pizza
Owner/Manager: Dan Geil, owner; Patrick Sargent, general manager
Type of Business: Pizza, pasta, salads, hot sandwiches, 30-item salad bar, daily buffets. Dine-in, delivery and carryout.
Address: 902 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 25
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 18 years

Pizza Hut
Owner/Manager: Patti Marshall, manager
Type of Business: Pizza - dine in, delivery and carry out
Address: 412 W. Park
Number of Employees: 20
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 5 years

Subway of Iowa Park
Owner/Manager: Guy and Mitzi Traylor
Type of Business: Subs, salads, party trays, party subs, dessert
Address: 404 W. Park
Number of Employees: 8
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 4 years

Texas Sno-Ball
Owner/Manager: Eua Fowler, owner; Pat Atnip, mgr
Type of Business: Shaved ice Snoball - 34 flavors. Open 2 to 10 Sunday thru Friday, 10 to 10 Satu.
Address: 901 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

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Gail's Collections
Owner/Manager: Gail Moore
Type of Business: Ladies Boutique
Address: 121 W. Park
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 4 1/2 years

Granny's Corner
Owner/Manager: Patsy Fullerton
Type of Business: Dollhouse Miniatures
Address: 119 W. Park
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 7 years

Parkway True Value
Owner/Manager: Ken Via
Type of Business: Retail sales
Address: 200 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 6
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 12 years

Wal-Mart
Owner/Manager: Scott McIntyre, manager
Type of Business: Retail sales
Address: Loop 370 & North Pacific
Number of Employees: 105
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 14 years

The World Store
LinBo Wholesale
Owner/Manager: Pat Lindley/Clay Lindley
Type of Business: Sports Clothing-accessories and convenience store items, gift items, ladies clothing, medical uniforms and supplies. Custom orders
Address: 504 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 3

Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 6 years

ROOFING

Justus and Co.
Owner/Manager: Tracy Justus
Type of Business: Roofing and repairs
Address: 123 West View
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 8 years

SALONS

Bangs 'n Thangs
Owner/Manager: Darlene Gardner, owner
Type of Business: Complete beauty shop
Address: 117 W. Cash
Number of Employees: 2
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 7 years

Images Hair & Nail Salon
Owner/Manager: Stephanie Dicker-son
Type of Business: Cuts, perms, styles, color, nail care, waxing
Address: 612 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 3
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 2 years

Talk of the Town
Owner/Manager: Marye Boren
Type of Business: Beauty Shop
Address: 900 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 4
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 5 years

Tangles Salon
Owner/Manager: Robin Cook, owner;

Carrie Standard, manager
Type of Business: Hair professionals - styling, conditioning treatments, color services, massage therapies, make up and skin care artist, nail technician.
Address: 311 N. Wall
Number of Employees: 5
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 8 years

SMALL ENGINE REPAIR

Smith's Small Engine Repair and Yard Work
Owner/Manager: Rocky Smith
Type of Business: Repair weed eater, edgers, lawn mowers, sharpen and balance blades
Address: 609 W. Smith
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 11 years

STEEL MANUFACTURING

Red River Steelforms, Inc.
Owner/Manager: Randy and Travis Koza, Bobby McCoy
Type of Business: Manufacturers of metal tank heads
Address: 600 W. Bank
Number of Employees: 6
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 year

STORAGE

Mini Con Self Storage
Owner/Manager: Betty Guyette Skinner
Type of Business: Storage buildings
Address: 607 W. Highway
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 10 years

Pecan Haven Mini Storage
Owner/Manager: Mark Wicks
Type of Business: Mini storage units and RV storage
Address: 111 S. Wall
Number of Employees: 1
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 1 month

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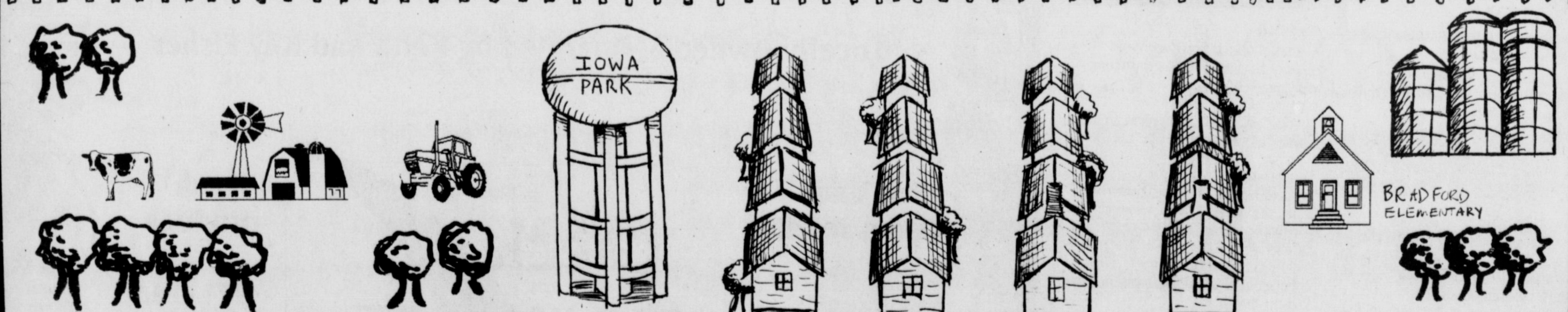
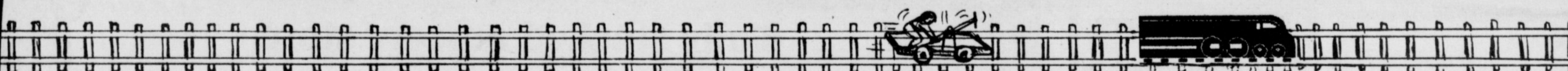
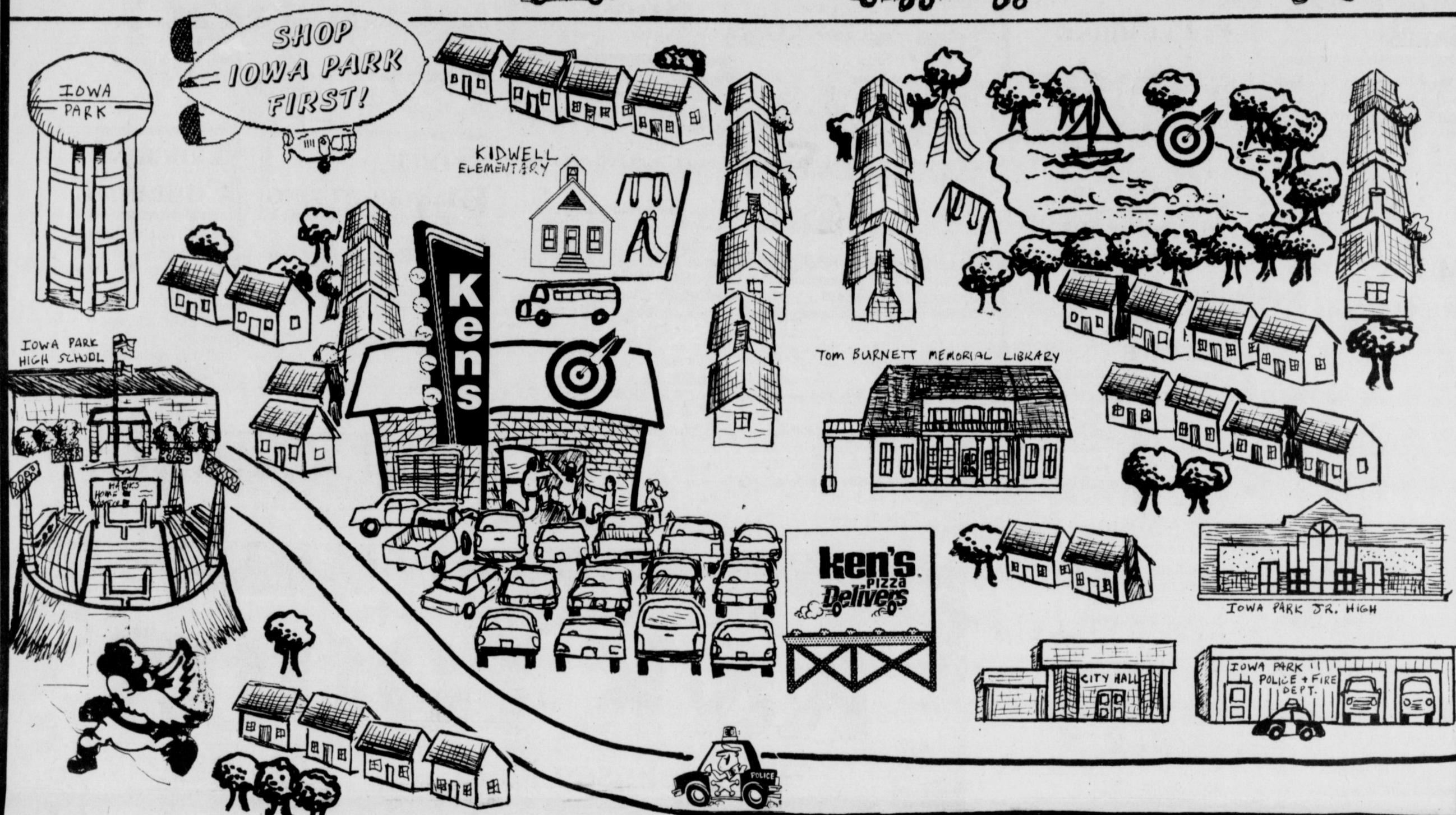
Barbour Trucking Company, Inc.
Owner/Manager: John Barbour
Type of Business: Hauling loads and crane service
Address: 402 E. Highway
Number of Employees: 200 (including drivers)
Number of years in business in Iowa Park: 77 years

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Hawks put on pads; ready for scrimmage

Even though the '96 Hawk football season officially kicked off at 12:01 Wednesday morning for most, practice didn't start until Monday when players strapped on the pads for the first time, giving coaches their first look at what this year's team would have to hold.

And according to head coach Weldon Nelms, this year's squad is ahead of where last year's team was at this time. The '95 Hawks finished the season with a flurry, winning four of their final five games to qualify for the playoffs.

This year, despite having to replace several starters including the entire offensive line, Nelms feels confident his players will rise to the occasion.

"I feel real good about where we are at this point," Nelms said. "Some of our kids are a bit leg weary, but that is to be expected. But overall we are pleased with where we are and we have a lot of kids doing well right now. Our offensive line is still going to need a lot of reps to get everything down. We have a lot of kids that could step in and play along the line for us. Our job is to find the right five and right now the kids are battling. I'm confident we'll head into the season with a good offensive line."

The numbers are down a bit from last year according to coaches, as 84 players are out for the team this year. Nelms stated the small numbers in the freshman class could be the difference.

With their starting quarterback, junior Todd Yeager and part-time starter tailback Brandon Brown, the Hawks will have an advantage at the skilled positions heading into play this season.

"This is probably the most depth I've ever had at the skilled positions," Nelms added. "We are 2-3 and 4 deep in some areas. It's a challenge for us to keep them all working because they are all so close right now."

"We've had some real good contact for the first couple of days in pads," Nelms said. "We've got a couple of players dinged up, but nothing serious."

For most teams, their defense is usually ahead of their offense this early into the season and that is the case for the Hawks according to Nelms.

"Our defense is really looking good," Nelms stated. "Our overall team quickness is much better than

last year. We're going to be able to get a lot of players around the football and that's what we're looking for. Offensively, we've got a larger package in place than we had at this time last year, we just need to get some reps to fine tune it."

The Hawks will get a chance to fine tune things this Saturday morning at 9:30 in an inter-squad scrimmage that should last for about two hours. This will give the coaches and players a chance to iron out a few wrinkles before next week's first scrimmage with Hirschi.

There will also be a cake auction that will be held at the field Friday night as a fund raiser for the Booster Club starting at 7 p.m.



Volleyball season just around corner

Football's not the only sport that is getting a jump on the school year. Head coach Brenda Hodges has her volleyball team working out and will have them ready to play the first game of the season here Tuesday against Wichita Falls High School at 4 p.m.

Iowa Park added volleyball to its sports program last year but didn't play a varsity schedule. This year, freshmen, JV and varsity teams will compete for a district title. The Hawks are in the district with Vernon, Breckenridge and Henrietta.

"We're going to be competitive," said Hodges. "We've got a lot of girls that have worked real hard to get ready for this season and I'm really excited about the upcoming season."

Iowa Park will be at somewhat of a disadvantage heading into district play as the other three teams have

played varsity volleyball for years.

"We're going to be all right," Hodges added. All three teams lost their coaches from last year so really they are starting out new too. I think Vernon and Breckenridge will be the two teams we have to contend with for the district title.

"We've got a great bunch of girls out for the team this year," Hodges stated. "They're working hard and starting to realize that they can really play and that we are going to be able to compete with anybody we play."

Iowa Park will also be entered in the Hotter-N-Hell Volleyball Tournament held at Rider High School Aug. 23-24. A field of 16 teams will be divided into pools and will play three or four games on Friday which will determine their seeding for Saturday's play.

Junior Hawks to receive pads

Football equipment will be issued to all junior high football players this week, according to coaches with the eighth grade players scheduled to pick up their pads at 3:30 p.m. today at the junior high field house.

The seventh grade players will be issued their equipment Friday afternoon at 3:30 p.m., also at the field house.

All junior high players need to show up and get fitted for their equipment as practice gets started Monday.

Seventh grade players will practice at 7 a.m. while the eighth graders will practice after school.

Booster Club sets schedule

The Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club has set its fall schedule.

The club will meet at 7 p.m. each Monday at the high school field house.

The Boosters will host a cake auction at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow, according to Sherry Rose, Booster Club president.

The Hawks will have an intrasquad scrimmage at Hawk stadium at 9:30 a.m. Saturday. They will then scrimmage Hirschi and Electra at Hawk stadium Aug. 23 and 30, respectively.

Volleyball season has also begun.

The Boosters will host a Cross Country meet here Sept. 14.



Ray Copening

Couple plans to compete in Senior Classic

Ray and Nell Copening are sharpening their athletic skills with regular training in getting ready for the North Texas Senior Sports Classic Sept. 12-15.

Headquarters for the event will be the Family YMCA, just off Southwest Parkway in Wichita Falls.

Ray participated in 11 athletic events last year, while Nell competed in nine. This athletic family took their share of medals. Ray claimed four gold and five bronze medals while Nell took six gold, two silver, and one bronze.

Deadline for entering the Senior Sports Classic is Sept. 1. Entry forms are available at the Iowa Park Leader, and all of the banks.

Events include 5K run, cycling, deadlift, golf, horseshoes, racquetball, swimming, table tennis, tennis, all track and field events except javelin and pole vault.

Also volleyball, basketball free throw, bridge, checkers, dance, dominoes, fishing, forty-two, 2-mile fitness walk, and washer pitching.



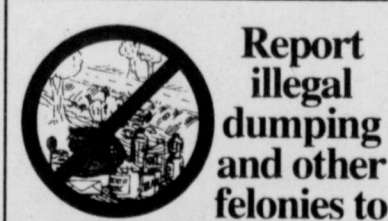
DUSTIN WILLIAMS, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams, earned his Hunter Education Certificate after attending a four-day camp last month at the McPherson 4M Ranch near Sonora. He received the "Whistle" award from Coordinating Game Warden Rodney Knight of Sutton County. He was among 22 participants who received hands-on training from eight game wardens and five certified instructors in all aspects of hunter safety. Weapons taught included handguns, rifles, shotguns, bows, black powder and percussion guns.

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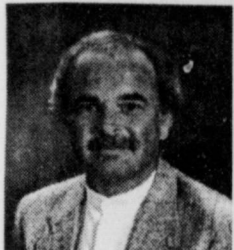
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- 508 W. CORNELIA** - Lot - street not complete. \$9,500.
- HWY. 82, HOLLIDAY** - 4 acres, fenced.
- 2408 MCKINNEY RD., WICHITA FALLS** - East of W.F. Commercial. 3.96 acres.
- 514 MANES** - 1.14 acres. Commercial or build.
- HIGHWAY 79, W.F.** - 68.12 acres, fence, 3 ponds **IN CONTRACT**

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Other pertinent information

- 1) Buyer responsible for survey and cost of. (survey will determine actual acreage, therefore determining actual price per acre.)
- 2) The property is not in city limits
- 3) There is barbed wire on front side of property-not for sure on the back side.
- 4) The topography of the land is relatively level. The location of the property is near the end of Coleman Park Road (before the curve.)
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The Iowa Park Genealogy and Historical Society continued their documentation of the tombstones at Highland Cemetery last Friday. Approximately 96 percent of the documentation of the tombstones has been completed.

For those of you who have contacted the society about the grave sites of friends and relatives, please be advised that we have been making note of not only the information found on each grave stone or marker but we have also noted the grave markers that are broken, those that have fallen, need cleaning, need a rubbing, have ants, and so forth.

Sandra Forsythe, the Highland Cemetery secretary, will be able to advise you of the status of your loved ones graves sites as we have determined in our survey. She can also aid you in seeking repair of broken or damaged markers, as well as advising you of the newest requirements of the cemetery association for grave markers.

Most importantly she can advise you of the type of marker on the grave site of your relative. Those with only a temporary marker should then make provisions to have them properly removed and replaced.

It never ceases to amaze me of the lack of understanding many still have about their ancestors, and the information the lives of their ancestors can bring to their own life and health.

Genealogy is more than just proving that you are eligible to become a member of the SAR or DAR due to your ancestors service in the American Revolutionary War. Genealogy is also more than proving your ancestors were members of some group or culture so that you can take advantage of a scholarship, a job or monetary recognition.

Today many are interested in their ancestors for strictly medical reasons. The necessity of a compatible donor can never be anticipated.

Without studying your relatives ahead of time it may be too late to go in search of them in case of an emergency when a blood, bone marrow, or kidney donor is needed.

Many times only direct line relatives are truly compatible and without knowing who those ancestors are, what relation they have to you, and where they currently reside may easily mean a matter of life or death, to you or your child.

Discover your ancestry and determine what medical conditions your ancestors died of or had, and you will better know what medical problems you are likely to encounter in your own medical history.

Keep track of where your relatives currently live, as you may need to contact them in an hour of need or to share in your good luck in the lotto. Remember genealogy is much, much more than just digging up old dead relatives.

-----Fil Spangler
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THE WEEKLY OIL AND GAS REPORT

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WICHITA COUNTY

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1.5 miles N of Kamay. The BURNS "A" SHALLOW Well No. 6, located in the Lot 8, Blk. 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 140 acre lease, tested 11 BO/D, no gas, 128 BW/D on pump from perfs 478'-480', 1183-88', 1630-35' and 1738-42' after acid and frac treatment.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1 mile N of Kamay. The BURNS SHALLOW Well No. 40, located in the Lot 7, Blk. 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 426.68 acre lease, tested 12 BO/D, trace of gas, 118 BW/D on pump from perfs 666'-674', 1158-74' and 1580-90' after frac treatment.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1.5 miles N of Kamay. The 1ST NATIONAL SHALLOW "A" Well No. 11, located in the Blk. 29, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 426 acre lease, tested 2.5 BO/D, trace of gas, 245 BW/D on pump from perfs 1571-77' & 1739-40' after frac treatment.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2.5 miles NNE of Kamay. The KEMP & ALLEN "C" Well No. 25, located in the Lot 9, Blk. 27, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 40 acre lease, tested 5 BO/D, trace of gas, 288 BW/D on pump from perfs 1172'-1198' after frac treatment.

CRENSHAW OIL of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 230' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 5 miles SE of Burkburnett. The J. J. WIEBENER Well No. 41 is located in the BBB&C RR Co. Survey, A-28 on a 243 acre lease.

ALVIS J. CARROLL of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2 miles NE of Electra. The HONAKER Well No. 3-A, in the C&M RR Co. Survey #1, A-379, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1445'.

BOHNER OIL COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 3 miles NNE of Kamay. The KEMP & ALLEN "C" Well No. 22, located in the Lot 9, Blk. 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 40 acre lease, tested 17 BO/D, no gas, 21 BW/D on pump from perfs 1265-70' after frac treatment.

GREGORY W. STONE of Holliday, TX has filed for a permit to RE-ENTER a 1143' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 4 miles E of Kamay. The OVERBY Well No. 1 is located in the Blk. 46, H. B. Balch Survey, A-127 on a 103.44 acre lease.

J. FRANK HOOD, JR. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 2 miles NE of Kamay. The HULL Well No. 2 is located in the Blk. 44, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 40 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. 12 is located in the Charles Roberts Survey, A-566 on a 103 acre lease.

QUATRO OIL AND GAS, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 7 miles SW of Iowa Park. The T. J. & J. L. WAGGONER "A" Well No. 30 is located in the Blk. 1, M. A. Willis Survey, A-547 on a 100 acre lease.

SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIMSHAW, ET AL Well No. 17, in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 989'.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1.5 miles N of Kamay. The 1ST NATIONAL SHALLOW "A" Well No. 10, in the Blk. 28, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1826'.

HULL OIL COMPANY, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 6 miles SE of Electra. The J. & J. WAGGONER "B" Well No. 7 is located in the Blk. 4, GC&SF RR Co. Survey #2, A-772 on a 132.5 acre lease.

JAMES W. PALMER of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 7 miles SW of Electra. The W. T. WAGGONER ESTATE Well No. 1, in the A. Gibson Survey, A-455, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1987'.

L & S DRILLING, INC. of Kamay, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 3 miles S of Electra. The WAGGONER "MMM" Well No. 7 is located in the N. B. Meade Survey, A-535 on a 235.86 acre lease.

PENN-ROSE PETROLEUM GROUP, LLC of Santa Fe, NM has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 5 miles E of Kamay. The BROWN FOX Well No. 1, located in the HT&B RR Co. Survey #1, A-139 on a 15 acre lease, tested 10 BO/D, no gas, 30 BW/D on pump from perfs 1767'-1770'.

ARCHER COUNTY

3-T EXPLORATION, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the S. Scaling Ranch (Ellen) Field, 1 mile SE of Scotland. The PEYSON UNIT Well No. 1, located in the Lot 25, Blk. 3, Clark & Plumb S/D on a 40 acre unit, tested 91 BO/D, no gas, no water, on 7/64 choke at 750# from perfs 6067-75' after acid treatment.

BURNS OPERATING of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Hull-Silk-Sikes Field, 8 miles NE of Archer City. The COLEMAN Well No. 1, in the Blk. 78, A.T.N.C.L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 3979'.

LEWIS OPERATING COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Archer County Regular Field, 4.5 miles SE of Holliday. The ANDERSON "C" Well No. 8, in the Sec. 38, Blk. 5, A.T.N.C.L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1368'.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

As of August 1, people who apply for Social Security and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) will have the convenience of direct deposit.

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