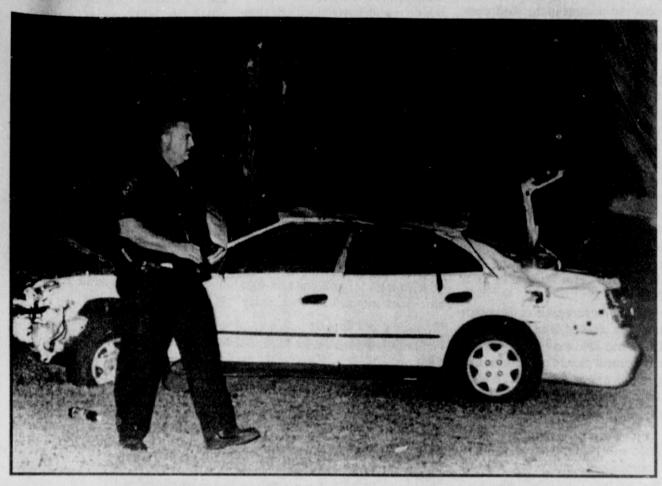
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OFFICER INVESTIGATING FATAL CRASH SCENE ON FM 367

Fatal wreck ends chase

Tuesday night in a tragic conclusion the man took off in his vehicle and the to a high-speed chase that ended just officer began pursuit. east of Iowa Park.

and was ejected.

lice Lt. Greg Martin, at around 9:20 rates of speed. p.m. Tuesday, a Wichita Falls Police the northern part of the city.

the school in the playground area, he Education Officer Joe Clement. saw a nude male. The man "scooped vehicle that was parked nearby. Ig- hicle, it left the road, rolled twice and Safety.

a game out of a playoff spot heading

Bowie all at 1-0 after the first week of

game and the winner of the Graham-

very flat to start the game and never

coach Weldon Nelms. "With it being

the first district game and on the road

against a good team, I don't know

why we were not ready to play, but

we weren't. I don't know if we over-

looked them or what. I guess it goes

back to the head coach. It's my job to

make sure the team is ready to play

every week and we just didn't play

In last week's game in Childress,

"We came out sluggish and flat

still controls it's own destiny.

the Iowa Park Hawks.

into week two.

Henrietta game.

A Wichita Falls man was killed noring the officer's warning to stop, Tran was ejected.

Xuan Tran, 32, of Wichita Falls entered expressway 287 westbound side of the roadway, and came to rest was declared dead at Wichita General and continued west until the FM 369 facing the east. Hospital from massive injuries sus- intersection. At that time, according to According to Wichita Falls Pot them north to Burkburnett at excessive until an ambulance arrived.

officer was checking the area around gan travelling south on FM 369, then Tran was doing in the park, or why he Kate Burgess Elementary, located in turning west on FM 367. Troopers eluded the police. continued the chase at speeds exceed-When the officer checked behind ing 100 mph, according to DPS Safety Southwestern Forensic Institute in

Clement said some two miles up his clothing" and jumped into a west that Tran lost control of his ve- ducted by the Department of Public

The vehicle crashed through the high fence which Jess Ashton built Tran, driving a 1998 white Honda, around his Safari Park, on the south

Iowa Park Emergency Medical tained when he lost control of his car Lt. Martin, Department of Public Safety Technicians were called to the scene Troopers led the pursuit which took of the accident and administered CPR

> According to both Lt. Martin and Tran then turned around and be- Clement, officials do not know what

Tran's body was taken to the Dallas for an autopsy.

The investigation is being con-

Trustees don't take action following closed sessions

No action was taken following two closed sessions of the school board, held during their regular meeting last Thursday night.

Topic of the first closed session was "complaint against school district employees," and the second one dealt with "personnel."

The parent of a junior high student, Susan Carroll, had complained to school officials about a book her son checked out of the school library. She was given a copy of the school's policy on selection and adoption of instructional materials, and forms to complete to request reconsideration of instructional materials. In addition, a committee was appointed to review the book in question.

Mrs. Carroll asked to be on the agenda to meet with school trustees, in a closed session, to discuss the

The committee was unable to make a report, as planned, during the regular meeting because the book had not been returned and was not available to them.

During the open session, trustees accepted the bid from Waggoner Restaurant Supply Co. for a gas steamer for the high school cafeteria.

They also heard a proposal from Allen Shewmake to have a storage building constructed in order to store government commodities locally. resently the school district is paying \$400 a month for the commodities to be stored in a Wichita Falls facility.

Shewmake was asked to get specific cost figures and present them at the next board meeting.

A request to use the junior high gym for a basketball league for five and six-year-old boys and girls was made by Joey Bates. He said there were at least 45 kids wanting to play, and many volunteers wanting to help with the program.

Board members told Bates that they would have to discuss this with the school personnel who would be affected before making a decision.

In other action, the board apment Appraisal System Calendar for school year 1998-99; and approved district committees.

Committee members for the 1998-99 school year include:

Drug Program Committee -Janet Bowling - chairman, Carole Venhaus, LaRae Collins, Colleen Roberts, Diane Granberry, Vickie Adams, Misty Eppler, Janna May, proved a maximum classroom waiver Linda Raap, Annette Warren, Tim for third grade classes at Bradford; Clark, DeDe Alderman, Janice approved the Professional Develop- Newman, Judy Stevens, Mike Caplinger, Kathy Riggins, Jamie

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Burglar awakens sleeping couple

A local resident confronted a deputy to be transported. burglar who had entered his home through an open window during the early morning hours Tuesday.

Leon Brown scuffled with the intruder briefly, but the man, described as being 25-30, white and thin, managed to make his escape back out the same window.

The Browns, who reside in the 1300 block of Westridge, had chosen to sleep with a window open in an adjoining bedroom that night, to take advantage of the coolness.

They were awakened by a strange noise at 3:37 a.m., and Brown went to investigate. He found the man standing in the middle of the room, holding Brown's billfold.

As the intruder attempted to exit, Brown had a hold of his legs. But he was unable to prevent the escape.

The intruder left with an undetermined amount of cash, taken from Brown's billfold, and left the scene running down the alley, according to the police report.

Iowa Park officers arrested two men this week, both on warrants issued by the Wichita County sheriff's

Monty Keith Britt, 18, was wanted by the sheriff's department on two charges: capius pro fine possession of a prohibitive weapon, and capius pro fine possession of marijuana. He was released to a deputy to be transported to jail.

David Lee Miser, 19, was wanted for theft of livestock, with a bond of

An officer on patrol at 2:50 a.m. Saturday arrested Shelley Renee Smith, 34, on a charge of driving while intoxicated. She was transported to the county jail, according to the police blotter.

Another DWI charge was filed Sunday, when Terry Edwin Matthews, 20, was taken into custody at 2:56 a.m. Sunday. Matthews also was transported to the jail.

When officers responded to a reported disturbance at a residence in the 900 block of West Louisa at 12:19 a.m. Monday, they took into custody Mary Jane Worley, 37.

Worley was charged with assault by threat to prevent family violence, and was released at 5:20 a.m. after signing a promise to appear in municipal court, according to the police blotter.

Bryan Wayne McMahon, 28, was arrested Tuesday afternoon on a charge of driving while his license was suspended, repitition. He was transported to jail.

At 12:17 a.m. Wednesday, Vicki Lynne Essary, 41, was taken into custody on a charge of possession of drug paraphernalia and public intoxi-

Essary was released at 5:25 a.m., after signing promises to appear in municipal court on the two charges, according to the police blotter.

Police are investigating the theft of a gas grill from a yard in the 700 block of East Bank. The report was

\$3,500. He also was released to a filed Saturday afternoon. Council recognizes

The city council took official action during Monday night's meeting to recognize the centennial of the Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District.

Mayor Tim Hunter read a proclamation declaring Saturday, Oct. 24, as "IPCISD Day in Iowa Park."

The council voted to accept the highest of three bids submitted to purchase the pavilion at Lake Gor-

The winning bid, of \$800, was submitted by Billy Gilmore. Funds from the sale will be used to construct a new pavilion elsewhere in Oscar Park.

The old pavilion had to be moved in order to allow for an extension of

Another bid accepted was by Ag Power, Inc., on the purchase of a

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Early voting opens Monday

school's centennial

Early voting in the Nov. 3 general election will commence Monday and conclude Oct. 30. Locally, early voting will take

place at the Wichita County Tax Office, 400 N. Wall.

The poll will be open next week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24; 12-noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 25; and 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Oct. 26 through Oct. 30.

On the general election ballot will be candidates for county, state and federal offices.

The county offices to be decided include: Judge, County Court at Law No. 1 and 2; County Judge; District Clerk; County Clerk; County Treasurer: County Commissioner for Precincts 1, 2 and 4; Justice of the Peace, Pct. 1, Place 2; and Justice of the Peace for Precincts 2, 3 and 4.

Hawks aim to skin Hares It's time to turn it up a notch for we were called for holding twice that hurt us. They came back with a couple of long runs in the fourth After falling last week to quarter, but our kids never gave up. Childress, the Hawks find themselves

With Childress, Vernon and had big games against us. "They just made the big plays and we didn't. We'd better learn a district play, that leaves the other three teams on the outside looking in. lesson from this, because it doesn't The good news is that Iowa Park get any easier this week. Bowie is another very good football team. A win Friday night in Bowie They're playing with a lot of confidence right now and a win over us will put the Hawks tied for second with the loser of the Vernon-Childress would put them tied for first in the district, so it's going to be another big

We shut both of their backs down the

last two years, but this time they both

challenge for us." The Jackrabbits are entering the Hawks, after a week off, came out Friday night's 7:30 kickoff against the Hawks at 4-2 overall with their really recovered from the slow start. two losses coming to Holliday in week one and to Lake Worth in week and I don't know why," said head

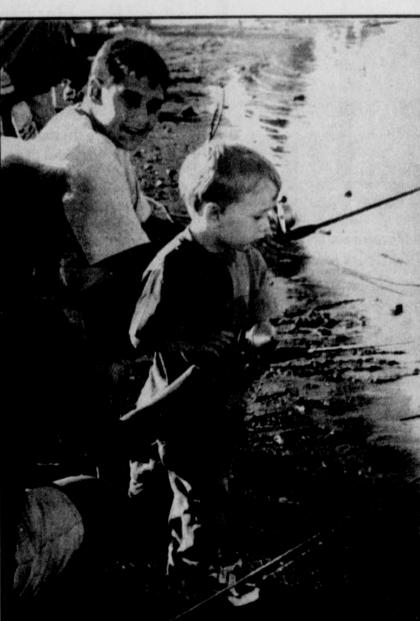
Bowie lost to Holliday 21-19, then beat Decatur 28-2 before losing 20-2 to Lake Worth. The Rabbits then started their current three-game winning streak by blanking Grape Creek 48-0, then beat Gainsville 24-18 to end non-district play.

The Bowie offense is averaging just over 24 points per game while allowing just over 10 points per game.

like we were ready. Offensively the Rabbits are led "We had a lot of missed tackles, by Dustin Hunter, a 186-lb. senior missed alignments and missed astailback. Hunter is the workhorse, signments," Nelms said. "But at the carrying about 90 percent of the time same time, you have to give a lot of for the Rabbits. In week one, Hunter credit to Childress. They came out picked up 208 of his team's 222 yards leady to play and got after us. We got rushing, scoring two touchdowns, down 19-0 after the first quarter, but kicking three extra points and a 35in the second quarter we had two long yard field goal. Bowie's quarterback louchdown drives that put us right Jeremy Richey also threw for 50 back in the game. In the third quarter yards, with 40 coming on a touch-Our defense held them scoreless and down pass for the first score of the We were moving the ball well until

Joining Hunter and Richey as

Bowie's big weapons is Doug Evans, Continued on page 16



IT'S NEVER TOO EARLY to learn how to fish, and that's exactly the way hundreds of youngsters felt when they took part in KidFish Saturday at Lake Gordon.

Cockrum, Walker exchange nuptial vows in afternoon ceremony

Jo Lynn Duckett Cockrum and Jared David Walker exchanged nuptial vows Saturday afternoon at the gazebo of Tom Burnett Memorial Library. Justice of the Peace Bill Robinson officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Jo Ann and the late Ronnie Morris of Iowa Park and Wallace Duckett of Eufala, Ok. The bridegroom is the son of Dee and Larry Linden of Iowa Park and David Walker of Overland Park, Ks.

A western theme centering around sunflowers, bluebonnets and horseshoes, was carried out in the decorations for the outdoor ceremony.

The front porch stairs of the library began the bridal path, where vines of sunflowers were intertwined and trailing from railing. The sidewalk featured pots of periwinkles at the turns and at the entry to the ga-

Sunflower vines, centered with a swag of raffia, large sunflowers, bluebonnets and a large magnolia blossom decorated the entrance to the gazebo.

The bride was escorted by her son, Joseph Cockrum, who presented her with a pink rose before the cer-

Given in marriage by her children, Jessica and Joseph, the bride chose an ecru sweetheart wedding dress for her wedding day. It was styled with a sweetheart neck and waistline, and featured a handkerchief hem and lace sleeves. She carried an arm bouquet of sunflowers, bluebonnets and wheat sprigs centered around a large magnolia blossom, and wrapped with raffia.

In keeping with tradition, the bride wore a cameo broach, which belonged to the matron of honor's grandmother, pinned to her garter for "something old;" her garter for the "something new" and "something blue;" and a strand of pearls was woven into the bridal bouquet for the "something borrowed." All of the items were given to the bride by Kim

Kim Wells of Iowa Park was matron of honor for the bride. She wore a broomstick skirt patterned in blue and white gingham with a sunflower print, topped with a white lace blouse and denim vest. She carried a bouquet formed of miniature sunflowers and bluebonnets, tied with raffia.

Dale Donahue of Greenville, S.C. was best man for the groom.

The groom's sons, Matthew and Trenton Walker of Wichita Falls, were ring bearer and usher, respec-



Mrs. Jared David Walker (Jo Lynn Cockrum)

The groom wore a boutonniere formed of a magnolia bud set inside a satin heart trimmed with braided raffia and yellow flowers. Male members of the wedding party wore boutonnieres made of bluebonnets and wheat sprigs.

The registry table was covered with sunflower fabric, and held a wicker basket filled with sunflowers. The wedding book, embossed with rope hearts and a western hat, and the couple's name and wedding date, completed the table setting.

In place of the wedding march, the couple chose "Waltz Across Texas With You" for the entrance of the

Following the ceremony, the couple danced in the gazebo before leaving in a horse-drawn carriage to the tune of "Happy Trails."

Decorated in lace and flowers and pulled by a white horse, the carriage took the couple for a stroll through downtown before delivering them to the reception.

The western theme continued at the Iowa Park RAC, where the recep-

The bride's table held a threetiered heart-shaped cake that was

decorated with bouquets of sunflowers, bluebonnets, raffia and rope. The cake was topped with a western wedding couple kissing beneath a silver filigree heart. The heart hung from a raffia bow trimmed with sunflowers and bluebonnets at the top of a rope archway. The base of the caketop was formed of double wooden horseshoes.

The cake sat in the midst of scattered straw and was surrounded by miniature bales of hay.

The table was covered with yellow fabric topped by a cream colored antique tablecloth which was handcrocheted by the bride's great-grand-

A basket of pothenos ivy and wooden spool candle sticks with burning yellow and blue votive and taper candles were placed on either side of the bride's cake. A heartshaped crock bowl and antique frosted glass bowl, which belonged to the great-grandmother of the bride, held buttermints. Blue and silver napkins with the bride and groom's names and wedding date completed the table

The groom's table was covered with a dark blue fabric printed with silver horseshoes and horse heads, over a cream drape.

A chocolate cake in the shape of his business logo, a "W" made of horseshoes, centered the table. The cake was trimmed with silver "good luck" horseshoes and two horseshoe nails. Punch was served from a blue granite pot, which was trimmed with raffia and bluebonnets and placed in the center of the groom's lariat. The groom's favorite snacks, sunflower seeds and peanuts in the shell were served from tins out of the groom's collection.

Other decorations on the groom's table included cream tapers in pewter candlesticks, which were a gift to the couple from the groom's mother; a silver cake server tied with raffia, and crystal champagne glasses tied with raffia. The table was scattered with bluebonnets and wheat sprigs tied with tiny raffia bows.

Presiding at the tables were Maxie Britt of Iowa Park, sister of the bride; Christine Walker of San Diego, Cal., sister of the groom; and Angela and Talya Burgher of Iowa Park.

The registry table at the reception was covered with a sunflower fabric and held the bridal book, an engagement picture of the bride and groom in a silver frame, and a replica 1961 Wedding Day Barbie, a gift to the bride from her children.

The serving buffet was decorated with denim over white fabric, trimmed with sunflowers, bluebonnets and butterflies placed among the bushel baskets spilling out sandwiches in star and circle shapes. A heart-shaped tray holding chocolate and white chocolate-dipped strawberries decorated the buffet table, as well as a three-tiered stand of various finger foods.

Cynthia Honkomp, a friend of the bride, provided the buffet as a gift to the wedding couple.

Gifts to the couple were placed atop bales of straw covered with denim fabric. A white wrought iron screen topped with raffia and sunflowers served as a backdrop.

Cards were placed in a barnwood basket painted with sunflowers and finished with a barbed wire handle.

The groom's "buckaroo" boots, filled with wild Texas grasses and giant sunflowers framed the sitting area. Also included in the decorations was a ceramic cowboy boot, a gift to the groom from his sister.

The pillar in the main room entry was centered with a grapevine Texasshaped wreath covered with English ivy. Two interlocking hearts made of horseshoes hung in the middle of the wreath, and "J's" made of horseshoes were placed on the outside. The beam across the room was swagged with raffia and five horseshoe hearts hung from the ceiling with rope.

Tables for guest seating were decorated with cowboy boots filled with wildflowers.

Following the reception, a western dance was held at the home of the groom's parents, Dee and Larry Linden.

The back patio was decorated with white icicle lights, and a six-foot wire heart trimmed in white lights was mounted to brick, made for the bride by the groom.

The patio area was surrounded with hay bales and mesquite trees.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Dale Donahue of Greenville, S.C.; and Christine Walker, sister of the groom of San Diego, Cal.

Special wedding guests were grandparents of the bride, Harold and Tip Garrison of Haworth, Ok.; and Florabelle Ellerman of Overland Park, Ks., grandmother of the groom.

The bride is a graduate of Iowa Park High School and attended Midwestern State Univ. She is employed as executive director of the Iowa Park RAC.

Walker is a graduate of Alameda High School in Lakewood, Colo. He served eight years as a sergeant in the U.S. Marine Corps, and also served two years in the reserves. He is the owner of Walker Horseshoeing and is employed by Wichita Falls Refurbishment.

Following a honeymoon trip to South Texas, the couple are at home

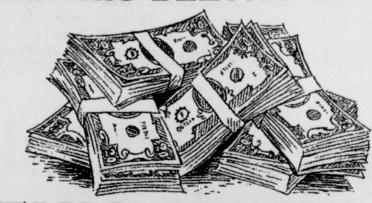


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Smallwood, Parks wed Saturday

Christy Lynn Smallwood and James Cody Parks exchanged marriage vows in a double ring ceremony held Saturday afternoon at First United Methodist Church, with the pastor, John Besse, officiating.

The couple's parents are James Smallwood and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parks of Iowa Park.

The church sanctuary was decorated with floral arrangements and heart-shaped ivy plants. All decorations were made by the bride's aunt.

Wedding guests and mothers of the bride and groom were seated to instrumental music played on a harp. Cammi Parks provided music during the ceremony, playing "Wind Beneath My Wings" while the candles were being lit, "From This Moment On" during the lighting of the Unity Candle. Vocal selections included, "The Lord's Prayer," sung by Rick Patrick, and "My Valentine," by Audrey Smith.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white beaded gown, featuring a cut-out heart in the back, long, beaded sleeves, and an eight-foot train. The veil was made by her aunt, Darlene Gardner. To complete her ensemble, the bride carried a bouquet of white flowers given to her by the groom's mother.

In keeping with bridal traditions, she carried a handkerchief that had been carried by the mother of the groom in her wedding and was worn by the groom as a bonnet at his christening. The bride's earrings were also borrowed from the groom's mother.

Audrey Lynn Smith of Lubbock served as maid of honor. She wore a midnight blue floor-length gown. The bodice was adorned with scattered pearls and featured a cut-out keyhole back, high neckline, and short sleeves.

Bridesmaids were Tauwlee Perry, sister-in-law of the bride, Misty Thompson of Burkburnett, step-sister of the bride, and Kerri Bauer. Jacy Smallwood of Burkburnett, sister of the bride, was a junior bridesmaid. Their dresses were made by the bride's grandmother, Janet Perry.

Darcie Leann Duggins, daughter of the bride and groom, was flower girl, and Raymond Wade Duggins, son of the bride and groom, served as ring bearer.

David Ross of Henrietta was best man. Groomsmen were Kevin

Parks, brother of the groom, Nathan Perry, brother of the bride, and Floyd Moore of Henrietta.

Serving as ushers were the groom's cousin, Richard Shaw, and Brian Plemons.

A reception, featuring music deejayed by Todd Taylor, was held at the Knights of Columbus hall in Wichita Falls.

The white four-layer cake, designed with a flowing water fountain underneath, was topped with a white marble bride and groom, with the bride wearing a wedding dress identical to the one worn by the new Mrs. Parks. Karen Painter presided over the bride's table.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Iowa Park High School, and she is a student at Wayland Baptist University.

They will live in Iowa Park.

Out-of-town wedding guests include Del and Reva Glover, grandparents of the groom, Candy Granthom, Louise Culp, Ann and James Overstreet, Mike and Sherry Pilgrim, Kim and Richard Shaw, Jenny and Cory Overstreet, Carolyn and Tony Wright, Rebecca Burrell, Jill and Turner Henning, Rick and Janice Russell and Beth Russell.



Mrs. James Cody Parks (Christy Lynn Smallwood)

Reception planned for Class of 1948

The Iowa Park High School graduating class of 1948 will have a 50th reunion reception in the meeting room of Tom Burnett Memorial Library from 1:30 - 3:30 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 24.

Friends, relatives, and members of other classes who would like to stop by are welcome.

Former classmates who would like to have a part in the plans, please call Glen Miller, 855-2549, Robert Wilcox, 592-5768, or Betty Cole, 592-5340. Anyone with suggestions, pictures, memorabilia, etc. are urged to call either of these numbers.

Classmates are asked to fill out the questionnaire previously sent out, and return to Glen Miller, 3870 Bus. 287, Iowa Park, TX 76367.

All classmates and their spouses are encouraged to attend the reception and go to the Alumni Banquet Saturday evening.

Also, all classmates are invited to ride in the van pulling float No. 22 in the homecoming parade on Friday afternoon.

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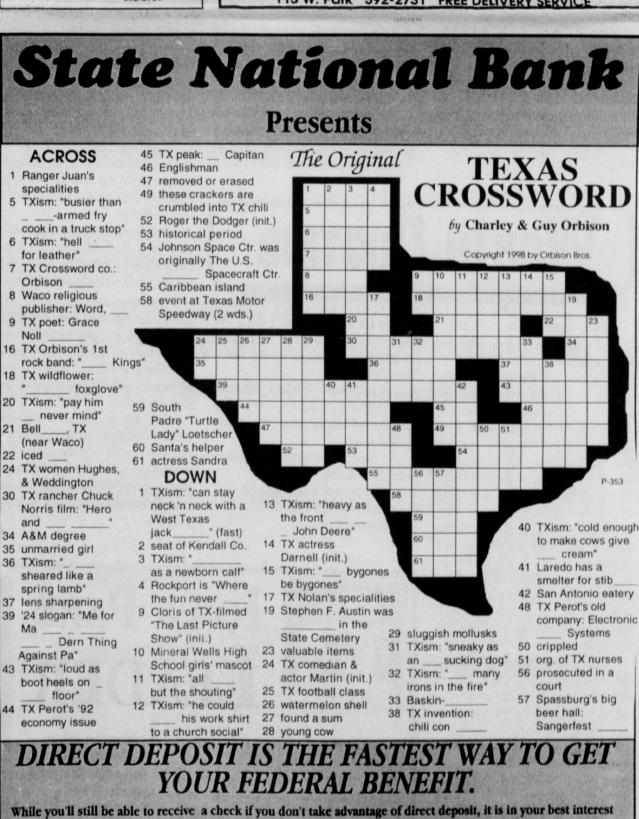
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As I See It.



Last week wasn't one of my better ones.

I made mistakes in print, which galls me no end. And then, as if it were my punishment, I got the heck knocked out of me, though it was unrelated to the mistakes.

First, I was responsible for misidentifying our city librarian. I know Sue Maness very well, but danged if I didn't say she was Pat Raby, when I was writing a cutline about a gift to the library.

And then, when we were putting the paper together, I allowed a wrong date and issue number to be printed on the front page. Oh, I caught the mistake earlier, had the type reset, and then failed to put it on the page before sending it to the printer.

That mistake was pointed out to me the first thing Thursday morning. Not by any of us at the paper, but the first customer at B&R Thriftway

wanting a copy as I put it on the stand. The woman wanted a copy, and recognized the incorrect date right off. It was her daughter's birthday, and she knew the correct date wasn't on that front page!

Oh, there likely were other mistakes in the issue, but I've not had those called to my attention ... not as yet, anyway.

Then, on Friday night, Hawk runningback Chase Wright knocked the bejabbers out of me.

He really didn't mean to, but did, just the same.

It was on the second touchdown in the first half of the football game at Childress.

I had stationed myself at what I thought was a reasonably safe distance from play. But Chase blasted his way though a bunch of would-be tacklers, and as he was going down, his helmet smacked me on my right

I was already retreating, but not fast enough, and was bowled over, falling onto the nearby track.

That was just the second time in the 30 years I've been covering Iowa Park football that I've been hit. The last time was several years ago at

On that Bowie knockdown, I was awarded the "Big Hit of the Week" decal by the football team.

And while I'm on the subject of mistakes, I want to mention that it wasn't a mistake that I failed to print a couple of letters to the editor.

Though I've never failed to print a letter to the editor that was signed by the sender, I exercised my right as publisher to not print these two.

Both had to do with a situation concerning books in the library -- at Wichita Falls.

Folks, we're a community newspaper, covering Iowa Park. We are not going to devote any space on something that does not concern the residents of the Iowa Park school district.

Those two letters qualify only for printing in the Wichita Falls newspaper -- not Iowa Park's.

City receives sales tax rebate

The City of Iowa Park added \$18,370.44 to its bank account this month, in the form of a tax rebate from the state comptroller's office.

The rebate included local sales taxes collected on August sales and reported in September by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

The rebate was 1.95 percent greater than was received this same month last year, according to the re-

bates have amounted to \$230,648.69, which is 3.17 percent higher than at this time in 1997.

Electra rebates are down 1.90 percent for the year. But Burkburnett and Wichita Falls are 102.96 and 107.84 percent up, thanks to both those cities doubling their sales tax

Holliday received \$3,959.11 this month, down 30.90 percent from October's rebate last year. And for

port. the year, that city's a minus 7.23 For the year, the city's tax repercent, according to the report.

Unclaimed property reported

A list containing several from Iowa Park is included in the "Unclaimed Property List" being published this week by the state

comptroller's office. The publication contains only the names of unclaimed property owners who have been reported to the state within the last year, and only the names of those who have at least \$100 coming to them.

The local list included: **AMAMDADO**

Ashton, James R./Majorie R. Dunlap, Neal E. Greenroyd, Bobby D. Hawkings, Jessie Holloway, William C.

Thomas, J.W Vestal, Bessie

Vestal, W.D. Wood, Beth/Brenda

Persons included on the list can contact the comptroller's office by calling toll-free 1-800-654-3463, to make their claims for property return.

Council

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four-wheel drive loader/mowing tractor for the water treatment plant. That bid was for \$13,995.

Aldermen also approved the expenditure of \$6,500 for a vinyl cover to be used off-season at the Bicentennial Swimming Pool. The cover carries a 10-year guarantee.

Four resolutions approved dur-

ing the meeting included: *executing an agreement with R & N Construction Phases, Inc. to perform grinding of trees and brush at the convenience center, at an annual cost of \$14,850.

* accept the city's certified tax roll for 1998, which reflects an overall tax total of \$897,548.

* approves the purchase of two police department vehicles through a cooperative agreement with the Houston-Galveston Area Council of Governments.

* authorizes the state-mandated purchases of an effluent flow meter (\$9,300) and parshall flume (\$7,600) for the wastewater treatment plant.

During general discussion, a request was reported that a resident was interested in purchasing a home site on the east side of Lake Gordon.

The council had received such an inquiry several years earlier, but took no action.

The mayor instructed Administrator Mike Price to determine how much potential homesite land was available in that area, pointing out that a sewer line's location could prevent any consideration of such a proposal.

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Expresses appreciation Dear Bob,

books to the library. We regret the error.

I wanted to write to express my sincere appreciation to the City council for their support of the Kidfish program. This year was a fantastic success, with over \$10,000 raised in donated money to promote kidfish programs. The greatest of all this is how our community benefits. Lake Gordon receives a tremendous stocking, our own youth get a good

tremendous fishing that will last well into the next year. I would like to thank Mike Price.

SUE MANESS is the librarian at Tom Burnett Memorial Library, not Pat Raby, as reported in

last week's paper. Mrs. Maness is shown here with Ken Van Loh, who donated a number of

LETTERS

Belvin Lytle and Sue Hatcher for their time and work. No other city comes close to matching the effort put in by this staff. They work hard at making this event a success. I would like to thank the Lakeview Church of God for their help and use of the facilities, as well as, the Wichita County Young Farmers, Iowa Park outing and the community has some FFA Chapter, the Optimist Club, the

Rotary Club, Wal-Mart for their financial support, and the Iowa Park CISD for helping promote and distribute fliers.

Lake Gordon has really taken on a great look, each time I go by more improvements have been made. It's great to live in a community where the city takes interest in such a quality of life project.

Thanks again for all the help and keep up the good work.

WORTH QUOTING

We have come a long way, Baby. But we're here now. We have reached our destination.

I have decided to take the advice of Yogi Berra, who said, "When you come to a fork in the road, take it."

With Bridgeport and Wise County growing like they are, and with the years piling up on me, I have a choice -- either get in there and work harder, or bring in some new blood and let them do it.

I decided to choose the fork that leads to new blood and renewed enthusiasm.

I'm in the process of selling the papers to our oldest son, Keith. He will take the reins of Bridgeport Publishing Company effective November 1.

I guess every businessman has a dream that his son will decide to carry on the business he has devoted his life to. I'm very happy that in my case it's turning out that way.

I hope you'll be as good to Keith as you have been to me during the 41 years I have owned and operated the Bridgeport Index.

This will be the first time in 61 years that I have not owned and operated from one to five newspapers. Of course, my career was inter-

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.

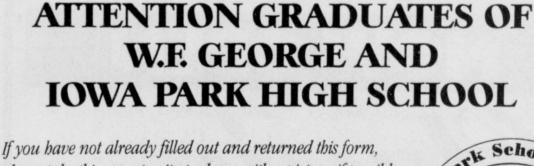
rupted for a while when I did a five year stint in the U.S. Army back during World War II. But I owned a newspaper then, too.

But I'll have to admit that since World War II, I did have two vacations. And one of them was a little

over a week. I would have liked for this to be a funny column.

But I'm not laughing. HARLAN BRIDWELL **Bridgeport Index**

the lowa Park Leader.



please take this opportunity to do so, with a picture if possible. Send it to the Iowa Park Leader, P.O. Box 430, Iowa Park, TX 76367.

Beginning in September and continuing through the big Homecoming weekend in October, the Leader will be featuring former graduates in "Where Are They Now?" mini-features



Iowa Park Schools Centennial Celebration Fact Sheet

Name	Year of High School Graduation
Occupation	
Name of Spouse	
Children	
Grandchildren	
Use extra sheets, if necessary, to fill	out the remainder of the questionnaire.

What do you remember most about attending school in Iowa Park?

How did you get to school each day?

What was your favorite subject and why?

How do your fellow classmates from school probably remember you best?

What school activities and/or sports did you participate in?

Please list any special hang outs and memories you have of those special places.

What were the fads and fashions of your school days?

Please provide a summary about yourself since graduation. Please mention higher education, places you have lived, occupations, and any other events of interest to your classmates.

Trustees

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Fulton, Jerimy Fulfer, Dena Brown, David Gordon,

Inservice Planning Support Committee - Mike Caplinger - chairman, Pat Cravens, Diane Granbery, Susan Tigrett, Terry Peters, Tamara Dickerson, Vickie Johnson.

Language Proficiency Assessment Committee - Diane Granbery chairman, Margaret Spurgers, Valerie Dillard, Aaaron Smith, LaRae Collins, Betty Cash, Vicki Adams.

Gifted/Talented Committee -Elementary - Pat Cravens - chairman, Vicki Adams, Mickie Moody, Galyia Kasparek, Sandy Neal, Diane Smith, Margaret Spurgers, Diane Granbery.

Gifted/Talented Committee -Secondary - Randy Lovelady - chairman, Colleen Roberts, Janet Bowling, Vickie Dillard, Colleen Ellis, Carrie Beckwith, Mrs. Jim Pulley, Deanne Schram.

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Vicki Dillard, George Collins,

Stephen Stradley.

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District Health Advisory Council - LaRae Collins - chairman, Judy Stevens - co-chairman, Martha Dudley, Tim Clark, Patti Marshall, Joyce Smith, Janet Bowling, Darrell Little, Jayna Case, Robin Collins, Kari Collins, Kim Mogg, Mary Biddy.

Intervention Team - Mike Caplinger, Judy Stevens, LaRae Collins, Colleen Roberts, Janet Bowling, Diane Granbery, Vickie Adams.

Superintendent's Advisory -Mike Caplinger, Debbie Lytle, Nevsia Wilson, Michelie Byrne, Cheryl Frederick, Mikel Bowling, Shelia Gholson, Susan Tigrett, Colleen Ellis.

In his report, Supt. Mike Caplinger told the board that a letter from the Texas Education Agency had been received saying that discrepancies cited in the District Effectiveness and Compliance (DEC) report have been corrected, and the school district is in compliance with state requirements.

Board members Keith Fisher and Martha Dudley, who attended the TASA/TASB Board Convention in Houston last month, reported on the meeting.

SHOP IOWA PARK **FIRST**

A report was made on a walkthrough board members recently made through the district's facilities.

The study indicated additional classrooms are needed at every campus except the junior high which needs a new band hall.

It was suggested that the facility committee should meet with Marrs Architects and compare findings.

An updated enrollment chart revealed that the school district has shown 21.30 percent student growth since the 1985-86 school year. This includes 9.41 percent at Kidwell, 17.65 percent at Bradford, 27.43 percent at the junior high, and 28.84 percent at the high school. In 1985-86, the total enrollment was 1,775, and in 1998-99, the enrollment is 2,153.

During the open forum portion of the meeting, Deanne Schram was recognized at the Region IX Gifted/ Talented Parent of the Year. She was responsible for establishing the Region IX group for parents of gifted and talented students.

Also, Patricia Costello thanked board members for having the moisture problem in the high school library taken care of.

Garden Club plans for homecoming

The Garden club will be participating in Whoop -T- Do, with an entry in the parade and present their annual garden show, "Centennial Bloom," in keeping with the one hundredth Anniversary celebration of the Iowa Park schools.

New members, Dora Alexander, Barbara Ashton and Joyce Rentschler, were welcomed.

CWF members have program on Indonesia

Lou Ann Ligon of Dallas presented a program on her experiences last year in Indonesia for Christian Womens Fellowship members and their guests at a meeting held last week in the Fellowship Hall of First Christian Church.

Mrs. Ligon told of the cultural, economical and political attitudes of the Indonesian people and how they are incorporating the Christian belief into their society.

CWF members from Park Place Christian Church in Wichita Falls, and Henrietta were guests at the meeting hosted by the local CWF officers.

Marita Holdsworth introduced her guest, Willa Chambers, sister - in -law, who with Marita's brother, from Snohomish, Wa. is visiting enroute to Apache Junction, Az.

The horticulture display, by Louise Clapp, was a Tropical Bird Nest Fern.

Evelyn Thompson gave the thought for the day, "Blessed is he who expects nothing, for he shall never be disappointed."

Ray Dillard, agricultural instructor at Iowa Park High School, presented a program on the importance of mulch in our garden and the many kinds available in this area. A good layer of mulch is helpful for weed prevention or makes weeding much easier. A deep layer of mulch can lower the soil temperature several degrees, saves water by slowing evaporation and can also prevent soil erosion.

There are inorganic as well as organic mulches available for the home gardener. Composting garden waste is a good conservation practice and makes a useful mulch.

When using organic materials in gardening, care must be taken to replace the nitrogen that is depleted in the breaking down of vegetation.

Members were told now is the time for Fall and Winter landscaping, don't forget to protect plants and shrubs with mulch from cold and

Using a Fall motif, refreshments were served by hostesses Jimmy Ashton and Marita Holdsworth.









OBITUARIES

Memorials may be made to Eisenhauer Road Baptist Church in San Antonio or the American Cancer Society.

Dorcas Reed Griswell

Dorcas Reed Griswell, 79, of Wichita Falls died Thursday in a local hospital.

Services were Saturday at Liberty Baptist Church with Rev. Jerry Reed, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Mrs. Griswell was born May 29, 1919, in Burkburnett. She was a bookkeeper. Her husband, Leon Reed, died in 1979. She had been a resident of Wichita Falls 14 years. She graduated from Iowa Park High School. She was a past worthy matron of the Bluegrove Chapel of the Eastern Star and was a member of Liberty Baptist Church.

Survivors include a son, Jerry Reed of Wichita Falls; a daughter, Palmiera Williamson of Georgetown; a brother, Miles Thompson of Iowa Park; two sisters, Marguerita Stacy of Pottsboro, and Carmelita Nelson of Midland; three grandchildren; and four great- grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Liberty Baptist Church.

Frances Jeane Ferguson Roby

Frances Jeane Ferguson Roby, 72, formerly of Iowa Park, died Sunday.

Services were Wednesday at Eisenhauer Road Baptist Church with Rev. Kevin D. Prather, officiating. Burial was in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Mrs. Roby was born September 25, 1926 in Iowa Park.

Survivors include her husband of 53 years, Harold E. Roby; three daughters, Glenda Griffin and Shirley Gimple, both of San Antonio and Sharon Roberts of Bamberg, Germany; a son, John of San Antonio; eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Church-592-4848 Parsonage 582-5818

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Sunday Morning.

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10:45 a.m.

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Frances Luckett

Frances Luckett, 82, died Friday in Iowa Park.

Services were Monday at Faith Baptist Church with Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mrs. Luckett was born Sept. 25, 1916, at Moriarty, N.M. She and Wayne Luckett were married Nov. 18, 1933, at Estancia, N.M. He died Nov. 27, 1992. She had lived in Iowa Park from 1934 to 1961 and moved to Perryton until 1981 and moved back to Iowa Park. She was a homemaker and a member of Faith Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Leonard Luckett, who died Nov. 25, 1978, and Gorman Edward Luckett, who died in October 1939; and a brother, Horton Irvin in 1995.

Survivors include two sisters, Linda Dennisson of Albuquerque, N.M. and Wilma L. Spruiell of Iowa

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Wichita Falls, P.O. Box 4804, Wichita Falls, 76308 or Faith Baptist Church, 411 S. Wall Street, Iowa Park, 76367.

Pastor

Clifton McFadden

John Besse, Pastor

Parsonage 592-4969



Alfred J. McAllister

Alfred J. McAllister, 69, died Sunday in Wichita Falls.

Services were Wednesday at Highland Cemetery Pavilion with Ross Saunders, minister of Floral Heights Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. McAllister was born July 2, 1929 in Westminister, SC. He and Lois Maxine Duty were married March 9, 1950 in Wichita Falls. He was a veteran of the Air Force. He retired Jan. 3, 1985 from Civil Service and was a civil engineer. He also retired as a school bus driver in

Survivors include his wife, of Iowa Park; two daughters, Cindy Brock and Joni Miller, both of Wichita Falls; two sisters, Thelma Miller and Vergie Evans, both of Gainesville, Ga.; a brother, H.L. McAllister of Gainesville, Ga.; three grandchildren and one great- grandchild.

Terry Deatherage

Terry Deatherage, 55, of Wichita Falls died Sunday in a local hospital.

Services were Tuesday at Floral Heights Methodist Church with Rev. Merwin Turner, associate minister, and Rev. Mike Rucker, pastor of Bible Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Rosemont Cemetery.

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Mr. Deatherage was born June 4, 1943, in Wichita Falls. He graduated from Wichita Falls High School, served in the Navy, was an A.O.B. Certified Optometrist / F.N.A.O. He founded Cycle Part Distributing and Unlimited. He was a professional motorcycle racer until 1975 then turned to stock car racing until 1993. He was the Texas State TT Motorcycle Champion from 1958 to 1961. He ran the USAC stock car circuit in 1981, and managed Duffens Wholesale Optical in Houston from 1983 to 1986. In 1986, he purchased Lile and Prock Optical and also West Optical and started Deatherage Certified Opticians. He was a member of the Downtown Rotary Club where he received the Paul Harris Fellowship and was a member of the Gold Coat Ambassadors. He received many awards from the State Optical Society. He was a former resident of Iowa Park.

Survivors include a son, Greg of Wichita Falls; two daughters, Mishelle Shires of Lakeside City, and Shana Gonzales of Wichita Falls; two brothers, Tim of Wichita Falls and Anthony of Dallas; his mother, Mary Frances of Wichita Falls; and eight grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society and Shriners Burn Institute.

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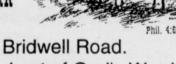
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WEDNESDAY Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Children's Mission Programs 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. Youth Worship Choir Rehearsal 7:30 p.m. 411 S. Wall

Dr. Greg Ammons, Pastor

A Southern Baptist Church

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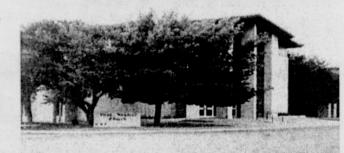
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10:45 a.m	Morning Worship
5:00 p.m	Discipleship Training
6:00 p.m	Evening Worship
WEDN	ESDAY ACTIVITIES
6:00p.m	Acteens
A Missions Learning and	d Doing Organization for Girls 7th-12th Grades
7:00 p.m	
7:00 p.m	Jam
	and Me Praise Service & Bible Study
7:00 p.m	Church Prayer Meeting
7:45 p.m	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

300 N. Yosemite - Iowa Park, Texas - 592-2151 Steve Beckwith, Pastor

would make that statement!

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Robert F. Crosby (Gina Sheryl Steger)

Steger, Crosby vows read

Sargent Robert F. Crosby were married was bridesmaid. Oct. 9. The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Janice Sons.

Parents of the bride are; Gary and Joseph Duhon. Jean Steger of Iowa Park and Susan and Ken Jarosz of Wichita Falls.

The groom's parents are Phyllis Ann Crosby of Chattanooga, OK. and Jarrell Crosby of Duncan, Ok.

Tara Whitaker was maid of honor

Gina Sheryl Steger and Staff and Ginger Steger, sister of the bride,

Todd Hayes was best man. Groomsmen were Greg Coleman and

The groom is a graduate of Chattanooga High School, and is currently in the USAF based at Sheppard.

The couple are making their home in Wichita Falls.

LIBRARY

NEWS

New Adult Books

The Loop by Nicholas Evans The Pied Piper by Ridley Pearson Small Changes by Marge Piercy Exploring the Human Body by National Geographic

Jack - Lantern Contest

Entries for the Jack - O - Lantern contest will be received from October 17 - 21. Prizes will be given for the smallest, largest, funniest, scariest, and most original. Please use paint and magic markers. Do not carve the pumpkins. Judging will be October 22.

Count the Candy Contest

Come by the library and guess the number of packages of candy in the container. The contest will end Thursday, October 29th. A prize will be given to the winner.

New Children's Books

Wonderful Nature, Wonderful You by Ireland Chicken Soup for Little Souls, the Braids Girl by Canfield Scarecrow by Rylant Get Out of Bed by Munsch Critters of the Night Roast and Toast

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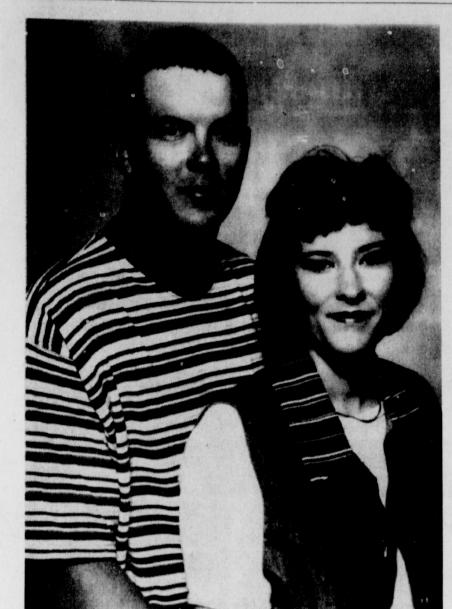
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Parents of the bride are; Gary and Jean Steger of Iowa Park and



A son, Drake David, was born Oct. 6 to Kenny and Candace Fuller of Wichita Falls. He weighed nine pounds, four ounces, and was 21 inches long. His mother is the former Candace Heidrich of Iowa Park.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Randy Heidrich of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones of Waldron, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fuller of Huntington, Ark.

Great-grandparents are Sarah Brady of Iowa Park, Mary James of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heidrich of Kamay, and Mr. and Mrs. Fuller of Huntington, Ark.

Great-great-grandparents are Velma Skinner of Wichita Falls, Inez Ward of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Allgood of Ardmore, Okla.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for the food, flowers, cards, visits, and especially the prayers. We'll always remember the kind words of sympathy. We also want to thank the Iowa Park Police Department and the EMT's for their response.

From the family of Chuck Lyons

gains truck Kamay Volunteer Fire Dept. has

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taken advantage of equipment aid available from the Texas Forest Ser-

The department acquired a free flatbed truck, courtesy of the Federal Excess Personal Property (FEPP) equipment program administered by the agency.

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Detailed information on volunteer fire department assistance programs is available from the Rural Fire Defense Section, Texas Forest Service Fire Control Department, P.O. Box 310, Lufkin, Tx. 75902-0310, phone 409-639-8130.



Valley View 4-H

team takes fifth Texas Forest Service seedlings The Valley View Junior Livefor windbreaks and wildlife plantings stock judging team placed fifth in the are now available through the Wichita the Texoma Beef Cattle Juding con-Soil and Water Conservation Dis-

test held Saturday in Henrietta. The team earned a plaque for the honor.

Team members are Courtney James, Rusty Brixey, Ashley Lucore, Kaley Meadows, Casey Meadows and Sheyna Stewart.

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Local 4-Her's take top honors

Three local youth earned top honors at the 46th Wichita County 4-H Achievement Banquet held Saturday night in Wichita Falls.

Kaycie Myers and Crystal Vernon of the Valley View 4-H Club, and Bryan Taylor of the 4-H Horse Club received the Gold Star Award, the highest honor a 4-H member can receive at the county level.

Parents of the three recipients are Edward and Donna Myers of Kamay, Buster and DeAuta Vernon of Valley view, and Darrell and Priscilla Taylor or Iowa Park.

The three will be honored at the District Banquet later this month in Haskell.

Donna Myers, leader of the Valley View 4-H, was named Outstanding Adult Leader, along with Ray Turlington.

Bo Vernon of the Valley View 4-H, received the Leadership Challenge Award, given to the 4-H member who shows strong leadership abilities in their club and county.

Kaycie Myers was presented the Outstanding Club Reporter award, and the Valley View 4-H Club received the Outstanding 4-H Promotion Award.

Other area 4-Her's receiving awards were:

Completing Record Books - Christy Norton, Bo, Crystal and Garred Vernon, Bryan Taylor, Kaycie Myers and Ashley Lucore.

and Bryan Taylor.

District Fashion Show - Crystal Vernon and Allison Wall.

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State 4-H Photography Contest -Bryan Taylor, Kaycie Myers, Ryan Phillips and Ashley Lucore. District 4-H Trap Shoot - Rusty

Brixey, Ryan Phillips and Jere Ellison.

State Trap Shoot - Rusty Brixey and Ryan Phillips. District Horse Show - Bryan Taylor

and Lacy Wells. State Horse Show - Bryan Taylor, Lacy Wells and Heath Gholson.

District Home Design - Lindy Tyler and Kaley Meadows. State Record Books - Kaycie Myers District Consumer Judging Contest -Ashley Lucore and Bo Vernon.

> The theme for the banquet was "Happy 90th Birthday, 4-H."

Card of Thanks

The family of Roy F. Sawyer would like to thank everyone who sent expressions of sympathy and love or who came by with food and favorite memories of our Dad during the few short weeks since his death. It has been a difficult summer for us with the passing of our Mom, Ruth Sawyer, on Aug. 16, followed by Dad's death on Sept. 24. Each "random act of kindness" has been a tribute to their memory and to the esteem they held to their friends and neighbors in Iowa Park. Our love and our prayers go with each of you.

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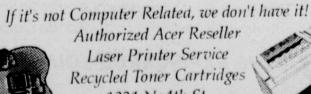
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TOP OF TEXAS FOOTBALL

MIDGET EAST

The Midget East Hawks ran their perfect record to 5-0 Saturday night with a 28-0 shutout win over the Archer City Wildcats.

Iowa Park wasted little time in getting on the board as the Hawks scored two touchdowns on their first two plays from scrimmage in the first quarter.

Zac McAlister opened the scoring with a 45-yard run to make it 6-0 the first time Iowa Park touched the ball. The second time the Hawks had it, Justin Swenson ran 33 yards for a touchdown. Swenson then tossed the two-point conversion pass to David Quick to make it 14-0.

In the second quarter, Mc Allister scored his second touchdown of the evening on a five-yard run, then ran in for the two-point conversion to make it 22-0 at the half.

The Hawks final score came when Quick broke through and blocked an Archer City punt. Jeremy Williams scooped up the loose ball and returned it 26 yards for Iowa Park's final touchdown.

Offensive standouts included McAlister and Swenson, who each rushed for 65 yards and Grant Miller along with the rest of the offensive line.

Defensively the Hawks were led by Chris Trevino with seven tackled followed by Williams with five, Michael Sargent and Blake Bealls each had four tackles. *********

PEE WEE EAST

The Pee Wee East Hawks lost last week 12-8 to Petrolia, but turned that score around this week by beating Archer City 12-8.

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8-0 scoring on their first possession of the game. From that point on the Iowa Park defense led by Ryan McLaughlin, Andy Garcia, Steven McGwire, Troy Williams, Chris Wise, and Jeff Catlin slammed the door shut on the Wildcats.

Iowa Park got on the board in the first quarter on a touchdown run by Garcia that pulled the Hawks to within two at 8-6. The Hawks then took the lead for good when Eric Young scored on a sweep to make the score 12-8.

Offensive players of the game for the Hawks included Terrance Oster, Cameron Walls, Josh Miller and Jamie Lucas.

The Hawk defense came up with a big goal-line stand with less than a minute to go in the game to preserve the win. **********

PEE WEE WEST

The Pee Wee West Hawks suffered a 28-8 setback to the Wichita Falls Cowboys after recording a 48-0 victory over the Bowie Jackrabbits a week earlier.

In the Bowie game, several Hawks were involved in touchdown plays. Leading the scoring was Blake Whisnand, Christopher Holis, Cody Hicks, Kirk Morton and Brady Whitaker. The defense also turned in a stellar performance led by Whitaker, Hicks, Whisnand, Hollis, Steven Swanner, Cass Coyle, Justin Pugh, and John Swanner.

Against the Cowboys, the Hawks recovered the opening kickoff and scored of the first play from scrimmage on a pass play from Hollis to Whisnand. Hicks tacked on the two-point conversion run to give Iowa Park a quick 8-0 lead, but that would be all the

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offense the Hawks could come up

The loss was the first in

now stand at 3-2 overall and 3-1 in

MIDGET WEST

The Midget West Hawks

Matthew Gaiten rushed six

times for 154 yards, including a 57

and a 60-yard touchdown, to lead

touchdowns and a two-point

the Hawks. Brady Rusk also carried

six times for 40 yards, scoring three

Ryan Beard also scored a

Toby Brown and Justin Doverspike

each scored two-point conversions.

Other offensive standouts

Lance Morton, Dustin Riley, Rhyan

Anderson, Brown, Clay Billingsley,

and Brycen Whitaker. Both Morton

and Riley had fumble recoveries

Defensive standouts included,

included David Mills, Ryan Tyler

and Michael Sparks.

for the Hawks.

touchdown from eight yards out.

thumped the Sheppard Redskins

42-18 Saturday in another big

offensive showing.

conversion.

division play for the Hawks who

with as the Cowboys went on to

win 28-8.

league play.

Those promoted were; Allen Gould, age 35; Jordan Gould, age 7; and Devon Gould, age 5, all of Iowa Park. Each passed from yellow belt decided to camouflage belt decided. Karol Martin, age 13 of Electra, passed from camouflage belt decided to green belt recommended. Tim Jacobi, age 33, Ben Jacobi, age 9, and Cody Horton, age 7, all of Iowa Park, passed from white belt to orange belt decided.

Ooops!

The name of a 6th grade honor student was inadvertantly left off the list published in last week's issue of The Leader.

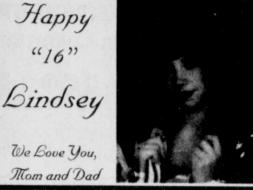
Zac McAlister was named to the AB honor roll for the first six week grading period.

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SEVERAL IOWA PARK Top of Texas Cheerleaders attended a cheerleading clinic and contest sponsored by the Midwestern State Univ. cheerleading squad Oct. 4 in Wichita Falls. Attending were (back row) Leslie Cook, Jenny Drury, Amanda Hambright, Julie Dale, Sabrina Teaff; (third row) Breanna Brown, Blaine Moss, Andi Marin, Megan Swedbertg Bethany Ervin; (second row) Courtney Sikes, Emily Pressler, Jessica Martin, Kayla Brixey, Ashley Naylor, Hannah Johnston; and (first row) Jessica Hambright and Kalena Reece.





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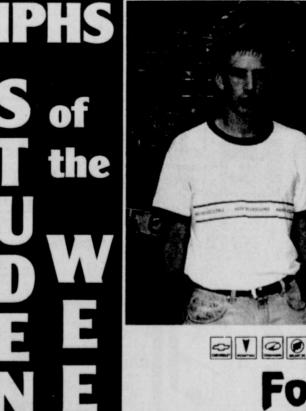
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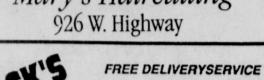
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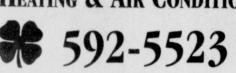
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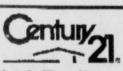
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Hawks stumble in loop opener

If you got to the game Friday night in Childress late and looked up at the scoreboard and saw 19-0 showing, you might have thought they hadn't cleared the score from the last time the Hawks were in town.

But that was not the case as the Bobcats jumped on top of the Hawks 19-0 in the first quarter then, held on for a 34-21 win to open District 5-3A play.

Both Iowa Park and Childress now stand at 4-2 overall, but it's the Bobcats who stand atop the district standings with Vernon and Bowie. Vernon beat Henrietta while Bowie shutout Graham in week-one action.

Childress took the opening kickoff and marched 63 yards, capped by Travoy Brown's 20-yard touchdown run. Kevin Keys added the point after to make it 7-0 with 7:36 left in the first quarter.

Iowa Park was unable to move the ball on it's first possession, giving the ball back over to Childress at the Hawk 45. Three plays later, Brown scored his second touchdown of the game, this one a 28-yarder with 4:19 remining to make it 13-0. The point after attempt was blocked by the Hawks.

Childress made it 19-0 when Willie Thomas caught an eight-yard TD pass from Hunter Jones with seconds remaining in the opening quarter.

The drive was set up by a fumble recovery by the Bobcats' Cory Hightower. The drive also included a 17-yard pass from Jones to Eric Green.

With the first quarter over, Iowa Park finally got on track with it's first possession of the second quarter.

The Hawks traveled 72 yards in 13 plays to get on the board, when Chase Wright scored from seven yards out to make it 19-6. Ross Dillard kicked the first of his three extra points to pull the Hawks to within 12, at 19-7.

The Bobcats appeared to have answered the Hawk touchdown with one of their own as Brown raced 51 yards for a score, only to have it called back for holding.

Following the holding call, the Iowa Park defense held, forcing the Bobcats to punt. A bad snap force Jesse Amador to try to run for the first down, only to come up short, giving the ball back to Iowa Park at



CHASE WRIGHT SCORING SECOND TOUCHDOWN OF GAME

the Hawk 42.

Twelve plays later, Iowa Park was on the board for the second time as Wright scored from four yards out to cut the Bobcat lead to 19-14 at intermission.

Defense dominated the third quarter for both teams as neither managed to crack the end zone.

In the fourth quarter, Childress struck first when Thomas scored from 34 yards out to cap a 70-yard drive. Jones connected with Keys for the two-point conversion pass to make it 27-14.

The Bobcats forced the Hawks to punt, giving Childress the ball again in good field position at the Iowa Park 41.

On the first play from scrimmage, Brown scored his third touchdown of the game, this one a 41-yarder to make it 34-14.

Iowa Park tried to get back into the game when Tyler Pulley found Scotty Mitchell wide open for a 57-yard touchdown pass, but it was too little to late for the Hawks.

Brown led all carriers with 168 yards, followed by Thomas with 106 for the Bobcats. Bryan Miller led Iowa Park with 63 yards on 13 carries followed by Tommy Duerson with 43 yards on eight tries. Wright

added 39 yards on 11 carries.

The Hawks did manage 152 yards through the air as Pulley connected on seven-of-ten for 116 yards. Toby Williams completed four-of-six for 36 yards.

Thomas Brake had his best game by far in the punting department for the Hawks. Brake kicked four times for an average of 43.5 yards, including a huge 61-yarder when the Hawks were backed up on their own eight-yard line in early in the fourth quarter.

Another big difference in the game was the number of penalties called against Iowa Park. The Hawks were flagged seven times for 60 yards while Childress drew four penalties for 25 yards.

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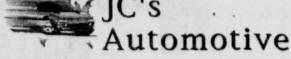
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OUTSTANDING CHOIR MEMBERS - These Iowa Park choir students recently earned spots on the District Choir during tryouts held at Hirschi High School. Pictured are (back row) Amber Ralston, Stephanie Gideon, Derrick Hutson, Angela Raschke, Summer Banks; and (front row) Christine Baka and Jenni Sikes. (Inset) Stephanie Gideon and Jenni Sikes earned places on the regional choir last week in Abilene. The girls will go to pre-area audition sOct. 30 at Wichita Falls High School.



RANDI TIGRETT

Tigrett named to MSU court

Randi Tigrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tigrett, was recently selected as a member of the 1998 homecoming court at Midwestern State Univ.

She was chosen Saturday as Freshman Princess during homecoming festivities at halftime of the MSU-Abilene Christian Univ. football game.

The 1997 graduate of Iowa Park High School was escorted on the field by Gary Winham, of Mineral Wells, who was selected as Freshman Prince.

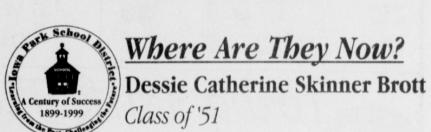
Tigrett is active in Gamma Phi Beta sorority, where she is currently serving as pledge educator and public relations vice president, and is a member of Phi Eta Sigma and Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honor societies

She was also nominated for "Outstanding Freshman Woman." Tigrett has accumulated 28 hours as an elementary education major and was recently named to the President's Elite Honor Roll for achieving a 4.0 grade point average for the spring semester.

Also honored during Saturday's festivities was Prince Trey Kirkpatrick, a sophomore and former student of Iowa Park schools. His parents are Dean and Mary Kirkpatrick, former teachers in the Iowa Park school system.

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When Dessie Catherine (Skinner) Brott graduated high school here in 1951, saddle oxford shoes, bobbie socks, and sweater sets were the style. Her favorite hangout was the Hawk Roost, where she said it was loud and crowded.

She remembers the principal, Mr. Bradford, as being a nice guy, and good to the parents and students.

Dessie walked to school each day, and her favorite subject was home economics because, "it taught you so much that you could use later on in life," she wrote.

She said she participated in theater, and her classmates would probably remember as being "a bit on the zany side."

Dessie is married to Fay D. Brott, and they have two children, David and Kathy, and two grandchildren, Michael and Erik.

Now retired, Dessie has been manager of the school cafeteria, a school bus driver, and shuttle bus driver at Sheppard Air Force Base.

She has been a Girl Scout leader, and a den mother for Cub Scouts.

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NEWS FROM THE HAWKS

BRADFORD

Get your pie, and eat it too!

Bradford students began selling pies Tuesday for the Bradford PTA's annual fund-raiser.

Students will be selling pies and French Braids through October 28. Pickup of the items will be Nov. 20 at Bradford cafeteria from 3 - 6 p.m. Items ordered will be paid for at that time.

Pies being offered include apple, pumpkin, cherry, strawberry-rhubarb, lemon meringue, pecan, and French Silk. Also, cherry, apple and cinnamon French braids are offered for sale.

Halloween Riddles

Bradford fifth graders tickled dem funny bones this week with Halloween jokes they wrote. The original jokes were posted in fifth grade hall. Some include

What do ghosts say when they get hurt?
Boo Hoo!

What did Vampira buy at the craft fair?
Witch Craft!

What's a mummy favorite song? The Monster Mash

What do you get when you cross a teacher and a vampire?
A blood test!

What does a mummy want most? A deady.

Tuning Up

Bradford's third, fourth and fifth grades will each sing a song at this year's Whoop-T-Do.

Times of the performances will be printed in next week's issue of *The* Leader.

Traveling time

Bradford's Gifted and Talented classes will take a field trip to Oklahoma City next Wednesday.

Trip to the park

Third grade classes went last week to Lucy Park where that visited the Nature's Bend.

Following that, the classes had a picnic lunch in the park.

Fifth grade is busy, busy! Fifth grade science classes have

been dissecting owl pellets.

The students are reconstructing

The students are reconstructing the skeletons found in the pellets.

Some of the English classes are working on newspaper layouts.

Memory work for social studies this six weeks will be state placement.

Exploring Explorers

Fourth grade social studies students are studying explorers this six weeks.

Fourth graders will present their

program at 7 p.m. Nov. 3 at the high school auditorium.

KIDWELL

Players of the Week

Kidwell Elementary's Players of the Week in P.E. for October 12 - 16 are:

Kindergarten: Clayton Whitman, Krista Long, Kolbey Dickerson, Steven Hamel, Paige Roehr, Colbey Watson, Amy Jo Hill and Alexa Vestal.

First Grade: Leighton Jenkins, Brady O'Callaghan, Chance Meyer,

Lewis, Brady Tyler, Charla Billen, Kim Wright, Adam Lopez and Karisa

Via.

Swanson and Cody Smith.

Halloween Safety
Kidwell students have been learning about Halloween safety during P.E. classes this week.

Justin Dickey, Aliza Jensen, Brandon

Second Grade: Bruce Falnes, Erik

P.E. teacher Kimberly Mogg said the students have watched a film on Halloween safety and discussed

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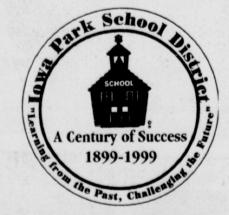
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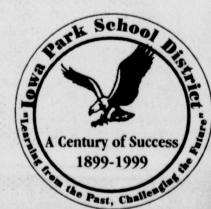
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V beats Bobcats

The JV Hawks got back on the winning track Thursday night by beating Childress 16-7, after falling to Holliday the previous

Iowa Park had to rally after the Bobcats jumped on top 7-0 midway through the opening quarter.

The Hawks got another strong performance from Jimmy Wilson, who finished the night well over the 100-yard mark in rushing. In fact, Wilson scored the Hawks' first touchdown on a 65-yard scamper that pulled Iowa Park to within one

at 7-6. Wilson then gave his team the lead for good when he scored on the two-point conversion run.

Wilson then set up the Hawks' final touchdown with another big run of 60 yards. Michael Leal did the rest scoring from two yards out . Chase Simpson scored the twopoint conversion to make the final score 16-7.

Offensive standouts included Alex Quick, Brandon Lane and Tommy Taylor.

Defensive standouts included Ryan Bess, Nick Owen and Aaron

Frosh romp 54-12

The Freshman Hawks made it two wins in a row after a 54-12 thumping of the Childress Bobcats Thursday night at Hawk Stadium.

Iowa Park jumped on top 20-0 in the first quarter and never looked back. Kyle Chaney put the Hawks on the board with 3:23 left in the first, on a three-yard run.

With 1:52 left in the opening quarter, Trent Goodwin broke loose on a 63-yard TD run to put Iowa Park on top 12-0. Iowa Park wasted little time in scoring again, when Seth Morgan scored from 13 yards out with 1:04 left in the first quarter. Bryan Swenson scored the two-point conversion to make it 20-0.

Childress got on the board with 5:50 left in the half on a short run to cut the lead to 20-6. But once again Iowa Park showed it's quick, strike ability when Jeremy Wilson returned the ensuing kickoff 80 yards for a touchdown to push the lead back to 26-6. The Bobcats scored with six seconds remaining in the half to cut down. the Iowa Park advantage to 26-12.

The second half was all Iowa Park, as the Hawks ran off 28-unanswered points to make the final 54-

12. The Hawks got a 16-yard touchdown run from Swenson with 7:57 left in the third and following Wilson's two-point conversion run the score stood at 34-12.

Just 15 seconds later, Kyle Young sacked the Childress quarterback for a loss and forced a fumble that was returned for a touchdown by Michael Hopper.

This was the second week in a row that Hopper was in the right place at the right time. Last week Hopper scooped up a fumble and rumbled 64 yards for an apperant touchdown only to have it called back for a block in the back. This week Hopper only had to go 16 yards for the touchdown which made the score 40-12.

In the fourth quarter, Iowa Park got tocuhdowns from Chaney on a 14-yard run and from Matt Ohm on a 13-yard run. Ohm added a two-point conversion run following his touch-

Other standouts included Goodwin, Morgan, Aaron Haws and Wilson, Hopper and Matt Kelly.



RAC

Bridge Results

With two tables in play on Oct. 5, Lorene Mahler had the high score of 6300. Virgil Woodfin had the second high of 4860.

The bridge club has indeed started another Wednesday group. On Oct. 7, with two tables in play, Bill Mahler had a high of 5000, and Bonnie Medlinger had 3750 for second high.

On October 12, with two tables in play, Faye Anderson had the high score of 5210, and Louise Clapp had second high with 5130.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to visit with the children, present special projects, or assist with homework. If you would like to volunteer a few hours of your time each week or month, please contact the RAC.

Laundry Boxes

The RAC PAC Kids at Kidwell are still collecting large laundry boxes with handles for one of their projects. If you would like to donate any, please drop them off at the RAC at 806 N. Third.

Junior High Dance

It's almost time for the first report card dance of the year at the RAC. The dance will be held Saturday, Oct. 31, from 7-10 p.m. Since this falls on Halloween Day we are planning a Costume Dance (costumes are optional). Prizes will be given in different categories. Admission will be \$4 per person, or \$2 with a current

By JO LYNN COCKRUM honor card. Parents of junior high students are encouraged to contact the RAC to volunteer as chaperones. The attendance at these dances usually nears 200, so we really need your

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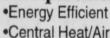
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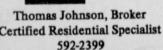
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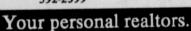


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PUBLIC NOTICE

10-8-2tc

The City of Iowa Park, Texas, is accepting sealed bids for a new one-ton and chassis truck until 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20, 1998, at the office of the City Secretary at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and read. All bids should be sealed in an envelope clearly marked on the front "One-ton Cab and Chassis Bid." The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 10-8-2tc

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Hawks' problems more than on field Friday

It's bad enough when your football team suffers a loss on the field, but when you're delayed about an hour by a State Trooper when trying to get out of town, it's like rubbing salt in your wound. That's what happened to the Iowa Park Hawks Friday night at Childress.

After suffering that 34-21 district-opener to the Bobcats and eating their post-game meal, the Hawks' chartered bus was stopped about two miles east of Childress. The Trooper, Cpl. Max Gunn, explained he worked in Weights and Measures, and wanted to make an inspection of the bus.

According to reports, Gunn walked through the interior of the bus, checking the seats and windows. He then went outside the bus to look at the windshield and check the engine compartment.

At that point, Gunn told the driver to follow him, and he had the bus go to a weigh station about three miles on the west side of the

He reportedly later issued a ticket to the driver for being 2,100 pounds overweight, and commented that there were excessive dead bug marks on the windshield, and that the motor was leaking oil.

He then sent the bus on its way home. And as it was departing. one observer later said the Trooper was laughing.

When contacted by local school officials, the charter bus company, Agape of Seymour, said their bus was fully licensed, apologized, and added they would appeal the citation.

The coaching staff timed the situation at 55 minutes, but the Trooper's log reflects he took only 33 minutes of the team's time. Whichever, one parent said his son did not arrive home until 2 a.m., rather than the anticipated 1 a.m.

Iowa Park school officials are continuing their contact concerning the situation. But while it's going on, local school officials, football coaching staff and players continue to fume over the incident.

- Bob Hamilton

Hawks

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who is one of the area leaders in receiving.

"Hunter is a real good back and he's similar to Brown for Childress in that one person is not going to bring him down," Nelms said. "Their offense is a big-play offense and has not shown that they can drive the ball down the field to score."

Defensively, the Rabbits are led by Matt Curry and Levi Whitt along with Evans. Curry is a defensive end, Whitt a linebacker and Evans a safety. In the Graham game, Evans had five interceptions.

Bowie has lived by the turnover all season long. Last week against the Steers, Bowie took advantage of 11

turnovers, including six interceptions and five fumbles. The previous week against Gainesville, the Rabbits were given six turnovers, and in the opener against Holliday, Bowie's first two touchdowns were set up by Holliday turnovers.

"We need to go out and pound on them," Nelms said. "We need to wear them down. Their defense liked to gamble a lot, so I think we can break some big plays if we execute properly against them."

Health-wise, the Hawks will be without the services of Roger Walls for the rest of the season after suffering torn ligaments in his foot. AnthonySt. James will miss another game with his knee injury.

Junior High Roundup

The 8th grade Hawks outscored the Childress Bobcats 28-20 Thursday night to notch yet another win.

Cody Penn scored the Hawks' first two touchdowns, the first coming on a 70-yard run on the first play from scrimmage and the second o a 30-yard fumble return. Jeremy Fulfer tossed a two-pont conversion pass to Ryan Shierry to follow Penn's first touchdown. The PAT failed on the second touch-

K.P. Rains scored the third touchdown for the Hawks, on a 20yard run. Fulfer then threw to Bret Hayley for the Hawks final TD. Daniel Bess ran in for the two-point conversion run to end the scoring for the Hawks.

Defensively for the Hawks, Bess and Chase Wilson each came up with big turnovers that stopped Childress' drives. Bess recovered a fumble and Wilson had an interception.

Other standouts included Matt Pulley, Michael Yoder, Brady French, Heath Gholson, B.J. Adams, Drew Gholson, David Clubb, Jason Beckwith, Gerred Vernon, Josh Jowers and Luke

It was a clean sweep for the Jr. High Lady Hawks on the volleyball court Monday afternoon as Iowa Park came away winning all four matches over Burkburnett.

The 7th grade Team 1 beat the Lady Bulldogs 15-7, 15-1 while Team 2 beat Burk 7-15, 15-12, 15-

The 8th grade Green team beat Burk 15-10, 14-16, 15-6 while the Black team won 15-5, 14-16,

Lady Hawks even conference record

The varsity Lady Hawks evened their district record at 1-1 Tuesday night with a big win over Vernon.

After falling in their first district game against Henrietta due to a bad call, Iowa Park came out and took care of business against the Lady Lions.

Iowa Park won the first game of the match 15-10, then came back with a 15-13 win in game two to take the victory.

Playing well for Iowa Park were Carrie Evans, Alish Clements and Lisa Nichols.

"We played very well I thought," said head coach Brenda Hodges. "It was our best two games we've put together this season. Our girls wanted revenge after last week's game. They knew they couldn't lose back to back games or we would be in big trouble.

"We're glad to be 1-1, but we should be 2-0," Hodges said. "Anybody could win our district and the did. The girls seem focused and I think we can finish out with just the one loss."

The JV Lady Hawks won their match 15-5, 15-13 with a total team effort, according to coaches, while the freshman Lady Hawks lost 15-9,

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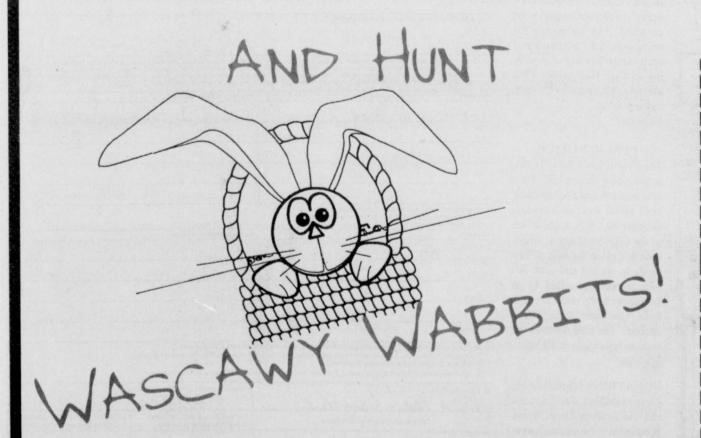
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