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OBSERVING VETERANS DAY - Local military veterans, in foreground, were joined by a large crowd to observe Veterans

Day Wednesday morning in Hawk Stadium. The crowd was estimated at more than 500 persons.

Hawks vs. Brady in bi-district bout

Water rates rise for major buyers outside of city

The price Iowa Park charges for water to two major entities is going up the first of December.

The city council approved new contracts with the Horseshoe Bend Estates Homeowners Association and Wichita Valley Water Supply Corporation, but official action on the rates will not be taken until the Nov. 23 council meeting.

While the increases reflect new prices for water sold by Wichita Falls to Iowa Park. The Wichita Falls council recently approved a 260percent increase in that rate.

However, residents of Iowa Park will see no increases, at least for another year.

Horseshoe Bend residents will be charged \$3.0224 per 1,000 gallons of water.

Because that water is taken directly from a transmission line between here and Wichita Falls, that rate reflects the new rate charged lowa Park, plus a five-percent margin, City Administrator Mike Price said.

Wichita Valley's new rate will be \$1.5364 per 1,000 gallons. That rate is considerably lower than the Horseshoe Bend rate, because only a small portion of Wichita Falls water is sold to the cooperative. proved by the council. It concerns the charge for permits to dispose rubbish at the convenience center.

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The ordinance which was approved Monday calls for resident permit fees to increase from \$5 to \$15, and from \$150 to \$200 for businesses.

Also, the permits will no longer be good for a year from the date of issuance, but will be from January 1 through December 31, it was explained.

Additionally, resident use of the city's dump trucks for disposing of rubbish will be raised from \$10 per use to \$20.

Another ordinance approved during Monday's meeting officially closed the 60-foot right-of-way for Fourth Street, between West Highway and Magnolia.

The closing, already approved by the Planning and Zoning Commission, was reportedly requested by Randy Catlin and Tami Witherspoon, who are proposing to build a business on the property.

In a personal appearance before the council. Steven Raby thanked the council for allowing him to use the old Recreational Activities Center for a haunted house project during Halloween. Raby then presented the council the proceeds he raised from the project --\$600 -- to help fund construction of the walking track around Lake Gordon.

By DON YOUNG

It's a bit ironic that the team Iowa Park played prior to week one is the same team that the Hawks must now beat to play in week 12.

Iowa Park, 7-3, will travel to Abilene to take on the District 6-3A champion Brady Bulldogs, 9-1, Friday night at 7:30 p.m. at Shotwell Stadium in a Bi-District showdown.

These same two teams met in the first and only scrimmage of the season for Iowa Park, with Iowa Park winning 3-2.

Both the Bulldogs and Hawks will be looking for their first playoff victory in over 11 years when the two teams meet.

Iowa Park will be making it's fourth straight playoff appearance, looking for it's first playoff win since 1987, while it's been even longer since the Bulldogs have tasted a playoff victory.

The Bulldogs will be making their first trip to the State playoffs in 18 years and will be looking to end a 27-year streak without a post season win.

And even though the two teams have already faced each other this season, Iowa Park head coach Weldon Nelms feels his team has shown much more improvement since the scrimmage and that his non-district as well as his district schedule has his team better prepared for the challenge Friday night. "There's no doubt that we've played a much tougher schedule than they have," Nelms said. "When you look at our non-district schedule, three of the five teams we played are in the playoffs and the other two teams lost out on a coin flip. I also think that our district is a much tougher district from top to bottom, which forces you to play at a higher level week in and week out. Brady hasn't had to play at that level every week and that should work in our advantage.

"I've been real pleased with the approach that our kids have taken this week in workouts," Nelms added. "They are taking a more business like approach and working hard. They are excited about being here, but on the same hand they are not getting caught up in the excitement."

The Bulldogs' toughest two games this season were against Llano, a 6-3 loss, and with Abilene Wylie, a 29-16 victory which led them to the district title.

In all, the Bulldog defense has allowed only four touchdowns all season long and according to Nelms is the heart and soul of the team.

"Their defense is by far their strongest suite," said Nelms. They've only given up four touchdowns all year and their defense has really set up their offense in good shape with fumble recoveries and interceptions allowing them to go shorter distances to score offensively.

tent offensively in moving the ball long distances to score," said Nelms. "They're more of a three to four yard a play type team. They seldom beat you with the big play. One of the keys for us is that we're going to have to force them to drive the ball against us. If we can force them into some second and third and long situations it will definitely work in our advantage. They are a senior ballclub much like we were last season, where they've been playing together since they were sophomores. That's one of the reasons they looked so good in the scrimmage. Our kids know that they can play with them and will be ready to play come Friday night."

"They haven't been as consis-

The Bulldogs are led offensively by quarterback Craig Tally, a 5-9, 180-lb. senior, and by tailback Michael Shipman, a 5-10, 170-lb. senior.

School board to meet at 7:30 this evening

A regular meeting of the Iowa Park school board will begin at 7:30 this evening in the library of W.F. George Middle School.

Preceding the meeting, at 7:00 p.m., a public hearing will be held on the performance of students in the Iowa Park school district on the state Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS).

A discussion of facility needs is scheduled during the meeting. Trustees will review the studies and recommendations made by the Facility Task Force, Marr's Architects, engineers, a committee of board members following a walk-through, and Supt. Mike Caplinger. A bond election time line will also be studied.

In addition to the regular business and reports, trustees will take action of a number of items. These include the annual audit report, bid for a new handicapped bus, a change in drug testing companies, letting of bids for a heating and air conditioning unit at the high school, a monetary gift to the school district, and appointing a representative to the Wichita County Appraisal District board of directors. "The Tally kid is just a real good athlete," Nelms said. "He runs the option well and if you give him time, he can beat you with his arm as well.

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Iowa Park purchases only a small portion of its water from Wichita Falls, and that is when demand is greater than the city's water treatment plant is capable of processing. Another rate change was ap-



BROTHERS KEN, LEFT, AND HAROLD ADAMS ... reflecting on many years they didn't know where the other was.

AFTER 42 YEARS Adams brothers are reunited

Two brothers were reunited here Sunday, for the first time in 42 years. Harold Adams, who lives at 1010

North Fourth, and his brother, Ken, had only about three hours together, before Ken, returns to his home in Coconut Grove, Fla.

They had not known where each other was, until Harold happened to see his brother on tele vision one day.

Ken, a contractor, was being interviewed concerning a suit he was filing against a tow truck firm, which had allegedly removed his truck. The firm had refused to return the vehicle, thus the suit, he explained.

But eventhough Harold felt he recognized his brother on the screen, he was confused with the name "Ken" used in the interview.

Ken explained he had adopted his middle name before entering high school. "I didn't want to be known as 'Hubert', which was my first name. So I adopted my middle name," he said.

Harold and Ken had their reunion shortened, however, because of a misrouting by the airline. He flew into Dallas and was supposed to arrive in Wichita Falls early Saturday evening. But the person who set up his airline reservations apparently misunderstood which "Wichita" he wanted to go to, and he was flown to Wichita, Kansas by mistake.

The brothers stated emphatically that Sunday's brief visit wouldn't be their last. A part of that visit was to pledge more frequent gatherings in the future.

And Harold had no problem establishing how long it had been since he had seen Hubert Kenneth, becav it was when he and his wife married -- 42 years ago.

What you need to know if you're Going To The Game

All adult tickets to the game will be sold at the game, \$5 each. Student tickets will be sold Friday, until 1:30 p.m., at the high school, for \$3 each. At the gate, student tickets are also \$5.

Schools will be dismissed early Friday: 12:30 at Kidwell and all others at 1:30.

The public is encouraged to be at the high school for a 1:15 sendoff of the team.

Directions to Shotwell Stadium: from North, take Business Abilene which turns into North Treadaway; turn left (East) onto 11th Street, which becomes Hwy. 36; Shotwell Stadium will be about half a mile on your right.

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SMOKING ALLOWED HERE - The Dan O'Callaghan family Casey, Colleen, Sean, Brady, Tom, Danny and Dan. The smoker will get plenty of use out of a huge smoker they won from the was raffled off for an organization fundraiser. The kicker? Dan Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club when their ticket was drawn purchased one ticket in a bid to win the coveted prize. Friday night. The O'Callaghan family includes (from left) Pat,



At our November 7 meeting we were shown a video by Heritage Quest, Orting Washington, provided by Shirley Banks, president of IPGHS. The film demonstrated how to help. A fee is usually involved in writing for information, other than national.

If anyone is interested in cemetery research and needs help, come

17 IPHS students in All-District Band

Seventeen band students at Iowa Park High School earned All District Band honors in auditions held Saturday at Hirschi High School in Wichita Falls.

Those students, and their instrument, include:

Flute - Kelly Boylan and Summer Banks;

Clarinet - Candy Rennhack,

Tenor Sax - David Neubert; Trumpet - Doug Boyd, Anthony St. James and Mindy Rennhack; Trombone - John Schram: Baritone - Kevin Winter and **Bubba** Antones; Tuba - Eddie Lynn; and

Percussion - Zac Miller and Karen Schell.

These students will participate

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Bonnette

A son, Tyler Dane was born October 31, to Matt and Kamron Bonnette in Lawton, Okla. He weighed seven pounds and was 21 and a half inches long.

Mrs. Bonnette is the former Kamron Robnett of Iowa Park.

Grandparents are David and Diane Robnett of Iowa Park, Ron and Linda Bonnette and Jim and Dixie Goins, all of Lake Jackson.

Shook

A daughter, Haiden Faith, was born Nov. 4, to Chad and Lisa Shook of Iowa Park. She weighed five pounds, 13 ounces and was 19 inches long.

The baby has a 3 year old sister, Madison.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fudge of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Shook of Iowa Park and

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hofsiss of Wichita Falls.

Great - grandparents are Flora Fudge of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Rolen of Slaton, Horace Cook of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Shook of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Don Skelton of Bowie and Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Clayton of Iowa Park.

Great- great- grandparents are Lillian Moore of Slaton, Mable Cook of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Wink Shook of Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. Crook Broadstreet of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. P.L. Wright of Iowa Park.





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take rubbings of lettering on tombstones. Using a non-menthol shaving creme smoothed over the surface will make the engraving stand out for better pictures.

The video also reminded us of the wealth of information to be found in cemeteries. Names and dates on tombstones as well as graves near may reveal other information of family relationships.

When visiting a cemetery where the office is closed, leave a note with your request and name and address.

Local funeral directors retain records at times for many years. There is a funeral directory that lists all funeral homes, locations and other helpful data.

Church records are helpful as well as the many fraternal organizations who keep fine records. And don't forget the GAR, and other sponsored cemeteries.

If he or she was a service veteran, the Veterans Administration and National Cemeteries may be helpful.

Death certificates may be available but few before 1900, when states were required to register vital statistics.

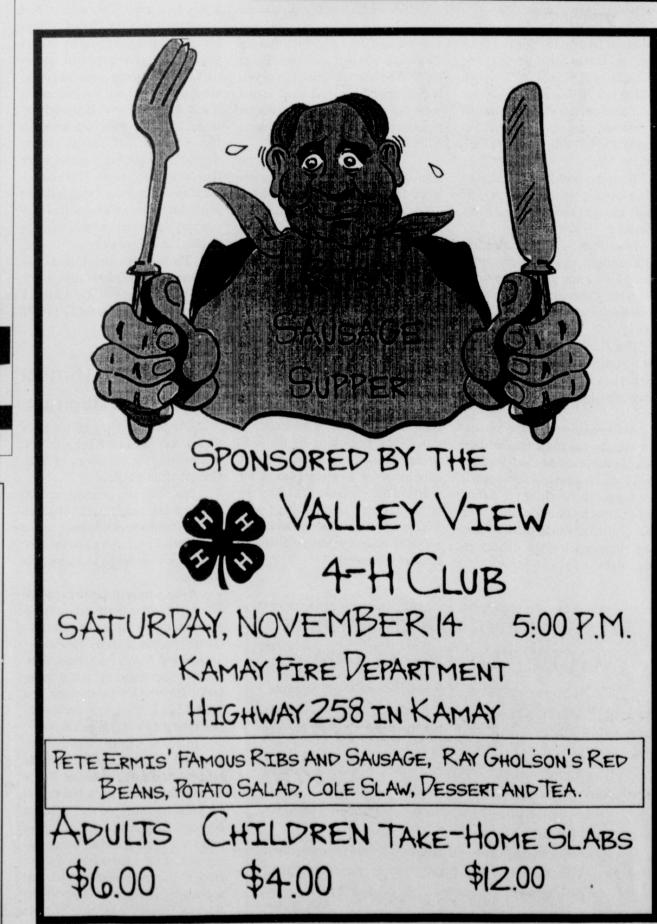
If you need addresses and help, members of local genealogy societies as well as national societies can

to an IPGHS meeting, or if interested in a workshop on researching contact a society member.

Jason Pelz and Kim Long; Bass Clarinet - Dana Smith; Alto Sax - Ricky Ashton;

in the All District Band clinic and concert in January at Wichita Falls High School.

IowaPark band students Ashley Albus and Freddie Simmons were selected as alternates to the All District band.



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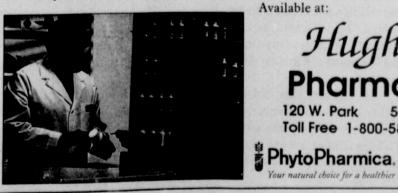
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Wash potatoes and rub with vegetable oil. Bake at 400 degrees 1 hour or until done. Split potatoes in half length wise. Carefully scoop out pulp, leaving shells intact; mash pulp. Add salt, butter, orange juice concentrate and pineapple to mashed pulp; mix well.

Stuff potato shells with pulp mixture; sprinkle with pecans. Cut each marshmallow in half; place 2 marshmallow halves, cut side down, on each potato half. Place potato shells on a baking sheet and bake at 400 degrees until lightly browned on top.

Spinach Casserole 1 envelope dry onion soup mix

2-10 oz. pkgs. frozen spinach, thawed and well-drained 1 - 8 oz. ctn. sour cream

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In large bowl, combine all ingredients. Turn into 1-quart casserole dish. Bake covered 20 minutes or until heated through. Easy Potato Rolls 2/3 cup shortening 2/3 cup sugar 2 1/2 tsps. salt 1 cup mashed potato 2 eggs 2 pkgs. dry yeast 1 1/3 cups warm water (105-115 degrees) divided 6-6 1/2 cups all-purpose flour

Cream shortening; gradually add sugar, beating until fluffy. Add salt, potato, and eggs; beat until smooth.

Dissolve yeast in 2/3 cup warm water. Add yeast mixture and remaining 2/3 cup warm water to creamed mixture; beat until smooth. Gradually stir in enough flour to make a soft dough. Cover and let rise in a warm place (85 degrees), free from drafts, 1 1/2 hours or until dough is doubled in bulk.

Punch down; turn out onto a 2 envelopes unflave floured surface. Knead lightly 3 or 4 3 Tbsps. lime juice

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times. Divide dough into thirds. Shape one portion into 15 balls and place in a well-greased 9-inch round cake pan.

Repeat procedure with remaining portions. Cover and let rise in a warm place, free from drafts, 1 hour or until doubled in bulk. Bake at 375 degrees 20-25 minutes or until browned. Yield: 45 rolls.

Apple-Cranberry Crunch 3 cups diced peeled apple 2 cups cranberries 1/2 cup sugar 1/4 cup orange juice 1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted 1 cup regular oats 1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar 1/3 cup all-purpose flour 1/2 cup chopped pecans

Vanilla ice cream or whipped cream Combine apple, cranberries, 1/2

cup sugar, and orange juice in medium bowl; mix well. Spoon into a lightly greased 10x6x2-inch baking dish. Combine butter, oats, brown sugar, flour and pecans; mix well. Spoon evenly over apple-cranberry mixture. Bake, uncovered, at 350 degrees 40-45 minutes. Serve warm or cool with vanilla ice cream or whipped cream.

Eggnog Salad

2 - 3 oz. pkgs. raspberry jello 3 cups boiling water

1 - 14 oz. jar orange-cranberry relish 1 -20 oz. can unsweetened crushed pineapple, undrained 2 envelopes unflavored gelatin 1 1/2 cups commercial dairy eggnog 2/4 cup diced celery Lettuce leaves, optional

Dissolve raspberry jello in boiling water; stir in orange-cranberry relish. Pour mixture into a lightly oiled 8-cup mold. Chill until partially set.

Drain pineapple, reserving juice; set pineapple aside. Soften unflavored gelatin in pineapple juice and let stand 5 minutes. Cook gelatin mixture over low heat until the gelatin dissolves; add lime juice and eggnog.

Chill until the consistency of unbeaten egg white. Fold in pineapple and celery. Pour over cranberry layer. Chill until set. Unmold onto lettuce leaves, if desired.

Spiced Cranberry Cider

1 qt. apple cider 3 cups cranberry cider

2 Tbsps. packed brown sugar

2- 3-inch cinnamon sticks

- 4 whole cloves
- 1 Tbsp. lemon juice

Combine all ingredients in a 4quart microwave safe bowl and heat on High 15 minutes.* Let stand 5 minutes covered. Remove cinnamon sticks and cloves. Serve garnished with a fresh lemon slice if desired. * Cider can be heated in a saucepan over medium heat until hot.

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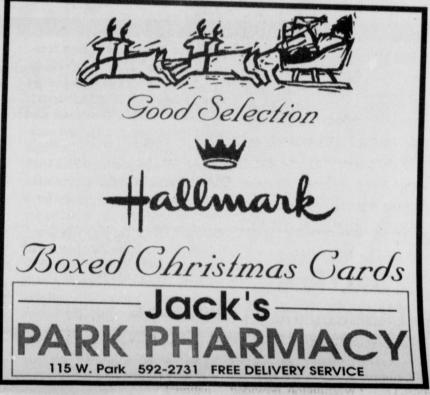
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WOMAN OF THE YEAR - Betty Cole of Iowa Park is presented the Business and Professional Women's 1989-99 Woman of the Year Award recently by Evelyn Lucus, last year's recipient.



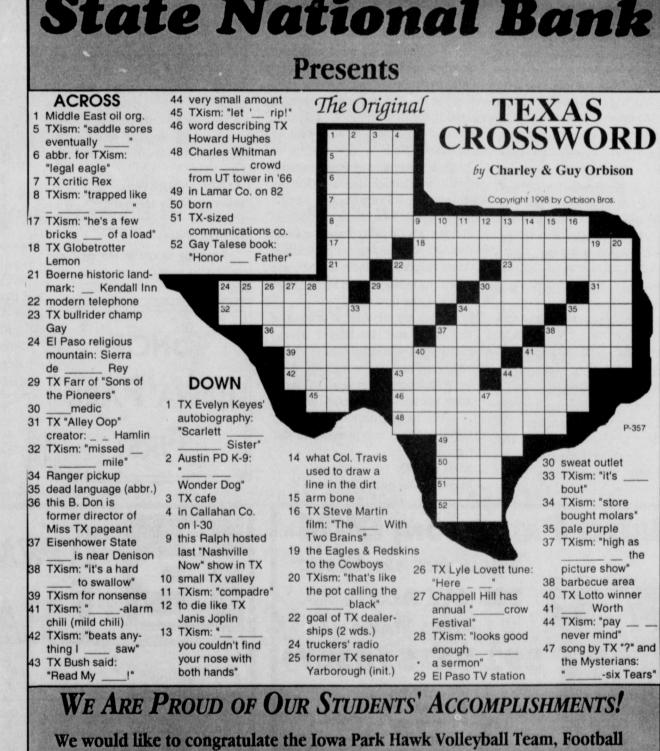
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We would like to congratulate the Iowa Park Hawk Volleyball Team, Football Team, and the Mean Green Marching Machine for their outstanding accomplishments in competition. We and the entire community are proud of you.



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If you were among the missing when the Veterans' Day ceremony was held Wednesday at Hawk Stadium, you were the loser.

It was most impressive.

Thanks to the coordination efforts of Mike Caplinger, superintendent of schools, this one was the best I've attended in Iowa Park or anywhere else.

The stadium was a most natural place, because of the seating, sound system, and the decorations.

Students were there to welcome all adults, and to usher veterans to the seating area down on the track . . . after they had pinned an American flag on arrivals.

The Iowa Park Rotary Club had

loaned several dozen of their flags to the school, which were on prominent display and made the stadium even more impressive.

There were dozens of veterans in the seating area on the track -- so many that extra seats had to be brought in.

Among the veterans who had worn their uniforms, or parts thereof, was Gregory Ross, who is still able to fit into his Air Force dress uniforms. . .comfortably!

The apparent entire high school student body was in the stands, along with numerous adults. I kinda felt sorry for many of the students, however, who had failed to wear their jackets. But they stayed and observed.

The color guard from Sheppard AFB raised the flag on the pole on the East end of the stadium, with the Hawk Band playing the national anthem.

And the brief address given by Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, was fittingly informative.

I can tell you that a lot of planning and work went into Wednesday's event, that a committee will critique the program, and immediately begin making plans for next year.

I'd like to suggest you make every effort to attend if you possibly can.

It was a good'un.



Looking backward is not too difficult. Often, it is joyful and a bit maudlin as in the funeral "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." It is looking inward that is tough and elusive. And looking forward is chancy and exhilarating and, alas, just a big frightening.

Well, last weekend, while living in the present, I was thrust too quickly into the past at the 100th anniversary of the Iowa Park School District. It was more than a class reunion.

The present summoned the past: Those old folks were once youths. That is not to say that they are not somewhat youthful today.

They have just lived awhile, traveling into the workaday life, to college, to war and back, and into marriage, mortgages and parenthood. In their aged character-lines appearance, they have summoned new but old transformations

ment, and nostalgia will start brewing, and they will begin showing up.

The Class of 1948 made a strong appearance on its 50th anniversary. Of course, the old classmates cast adorations at one another and occasionally chanced loving barbs. There was the one about an Iowa Park High School Hawks football player who, on a three-point stance ready for a play, "rooted like a pig. When he got through rooting, the play was over."

In the Class of 1956, two out of a class of 30-something dared to show up: Jerry Geisert, who is now retired and over at Wichita Falls, and this fellow who fears that retirement suggests getting older. And who, not me, is going to admit that to anybody and, most of all, to himself? No, sir, and no, ma'am.

My brothers, Delbert, Class of 1952, and Gene, Class of 1964, speak well of the school and all the goings-

The following are alleged to be actual signs in businesses or on business vehicles:

- On an electrician's truck: "Let us remove your shorts."

- In a non-smoking area: "If we see you smoking, we will assume you are on fire and take appropriate action."

- On a maternity room door: "Push, push, push.'

- At an optometrist's office: "If you don't see what you are looking for, you've come to the right place." - Outside a radiator repair shop:

"Best place in town to take a leak." - In a podiatrist's office" Time

wounds all heels." - At dry cleaner's: "Drop your pants here.'

- At auto body shop: "May we have the next dents?"

- On a fence: "Salesmen are welcome. Dog food is expensive." - At a muffler shop: "No appointment necessary. We hear you coming."



Thanks Booster Club

Thank you very much to the Iowa Park Athletic Booster Club for the smoker -- We're still stunned that we won! It is a well-made, beautiful, and above all, useful, cooker/smoker trailer. We are most grateful to have been blessed with this tremendous win, and it is a pleasure to say that it will be staying in Iowa Park for many years.

We are aware that many members of the community have invested a great deal of time, effort, and money making this a great fundraiser for our athletes. In this spirit of community we hope to be able to show our gratitude by making the "Hawk Smoker" available to the Booster Club and others who continue to make Iowa Park such a wonderful place to live. The O'Callaghan Family

(Dan, Pat, Danny, Sean, Brady, Colleen, Tom, and Casey) P.S. GO HAWKS! BEAT the BULLDOGS!!

City receives tax rebate

September apparently was a good month for local businesses, according to the sales tax rebate report released by the state comptroller's office.

The City of Iowa Park received a sales tax rebate check for \$33,892.71 this month, which was an increase of 5.69 percent over last year's report.

November's payments include local sales taxes collected by monthly filers on September sales, and by quarterly filers on July, August and September sales, reported to the comptroller in October.

For the year, Iowa Park is 3.48 percent better than in 1997, receiving a total of \$264,541.40 in tax rebates.

Burkburnett and Wichita Falls, both of which doubled their local sales tax rates, are running 106.15 and 106.97 percent ahead for the year, while Electra is a minus 0.79 percent, according to the report. Holliday also is in the minus column for the year, -7.38 percent.

Only one arrest reported A resident in the 700 block of

Only one arrest was included in the police blotter during the past week, but officers were not without work to do.

The most common instances on the blotter during the week had to do with juveniles who were not where they were supposed to be, one officer stated.

The lone arrest was made at 1:01 a.m. Saturday, on the Southbound side of US 287.

Wayne Elliott Tice Jr., 36, was taken into custody on a driving while intoxicated charge.

At the police station, officers conducted the usual search of his clothing, and reported finding less than two ounces of marijuana.

He was then transported to the county jail in Wichita Falls, according to the blotter entry.

residence. Monday, the department received a call that a "creature" was in Lake Gordon, scaring the ducks away. An officer investigated, and reported observing a large beaver in the water.

West Coleman told police someone

"keyed" the side of his van while

parked overnight Monday at his

.27 in rainfall

Iowa Park residents welcomed the .27 of an inch precipitation during the 1 st week, but they could do w/ ou the high winds which accony i ied one of the two rain storms.

agil Woodfin reported having measured .05 in his gauge Friday, and an additional .22 Monday evening, which was accompanied by winds estimated at 55 MPH.

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How could it be, you wonder absurdly, that these boys and girls from your youth can be so old and now are sojourning into their 50s and 60s. And their upper-classmen are heading into their 70s, 80s and 90s.

Indeed, it is one of life's wonders that time, which back then seemed to creep like a turtle, is now not exactly lightening-fast but surely is a gazelle. And have you noticed that even the turtle, in its ponderous crawl, suddenly is out of sight and gone?

That's time.

At school reunions, it is the oldsters who, able or not, show up. It is the youngsters, those recent graduates, who unusually don't. There hasn't been enough erosion of time to leave them sentimental. That will come, though.

"What's getting into these kids?" an oldster rhetorically asked of the relatively recent graduates, now into the 20s and 30s, who rarely make appearances at school reunions.

When they get into their 40s, after their progeny has made it through high school, their curiosity, senti-

on and antics and studies and class trips and things talked about and things hushed.

Most of all, we must salute our resolute teachers and fellow students who persevered. They were a good lot. The teachers, especially, are to be lauded for their kindness, patience, scholarship, and no-tom-foolery strictness. Ruth Weiler, teacher of English grammar and literature; Roy Smith, mathematics teacher; Dorothy Thompson, science teacher; Maude Owens, English literature teacher; Bertha McDonald, social studies teacher; Tom Hughes, history teacher; Mary Hughes, business teacher, and others, including another keeper, Page Morgan, the librarian.

They are all older, if not out of this world and into heaven adventures. I am reminded that teachers, too, were once young students. And, as older teachers know all too well, good teachers are students forever.

Yes, looking backward helps put things -- life -- into perspective and right away.

- At a beauty salon: "Dye now." - In a cafe window: "Don't stand there and be hungry, come in and be fed up."

- At the electric company: "We would be delighted if you send in your payment. However, if you don't, you will be." DANNY ANDREWS **Plainview Daily Herald**

Helpful Facts

Any dog or cat in the city is required to have a current rabies shot.

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IOWA PARK

FIRST

Cubs seeking food donations

Members of Cub Scout Pack 7 will be collecting food this weekend for their annual food drive.

Residents are requested to place non-perishable foods in a bag on their front porches by 9 a.m. Saturday, and the Cubs will begin picking them up at that time.

The Scouts placed placards requesting the donations on front doors of residences last weekend, after having received permission from the city council.

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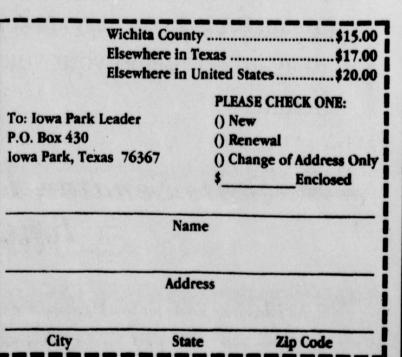
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KAC News by jo lynn walker

Bridge Results

With two tables in play, Virgil Woodfin had the high score of 5150. John Clapp reported the second high of 4420.

Thanks

The RAC would like to thank the following people and businesses who helped make our booth at Whoop-T-Do a success. J.D. Walker, Mark Patterson - Patterson Welding, Jake Jacobi, Gilmore Inc., Danny Long -Lone Star Gas, Empire Supplies, Gary Case - Coca Cola, Larry Linden, Robert Quick, Leroy Threet, Patty McLemore, Ken Via - Parkway True Value, Belvin Lytle.

Also, thank you to these local and area businesses for donations of prizes at our Halloween Costume Dance: Movin' Movies, Pizza Hut, and Coca Cola.

Holiday Hours

With Thanksgiving just around the corner we want to keep our patrons up-to-date on hours of operation at the RAC and for RAC PAC KIDS.

The RAC office will be closed Nov. 26 and 27. Since school is out Nov. 25-27, RAC PAC KIDS will be held from 8-6 at the RAC on the 25th, (reservation required. RACPAC will not be held Nov. 26 or 27.

Community Service Opportunity

Persons interested in volunteering to work with children at our RAC PAC KIDS Program, should contact the RAC at 592-4471.

This would be a good start on community service hours for National Honor Society.

Parenting Tip:

Limit the number of hours spent in TV viewing each week. Make a TV schedule jointly with your children, post it, and keep it. Time must be left for less structured, more creative activities. Sponsored by: Families Unlimited



'Operation Thanksgiving' underway

Families in Iowa Park and surrounding communities can make a day to remember for some Sheppard students who are unable to go home for the holidays.

Through "Operation Thanksgiving," families can share their



Friday, Nov. 13 Oven fried fish, cottage fries, onion

and pickle, coleslaw, combread, prunes and apricots.

Monday, Nov. 16

Chicken chop sucy, rice, egg roll, oriental vegetables, wheat bread, coconut pineapple pudding.

Tuesday, Nov. 17

Braised beef tips, egg noodles, broccoli and cheese, tossed salad, hot roll, fresh fruit cup.

Wednesday, Nov. 18 Salisbury steak, brown gravy, hash brown potatoes, green beans, jell-o and fruit cocktail.

Thursday, Nov. 19 Turkey breast dressing, giblet gravy, sweet potatoes, green beans, cran-

berry sauce, hot roll, pumpkin pie.

Thanksgiving day activities and traditional meals with a pair of young enlisted members. Families who wish to invite two

students into their homes on Thanksgiving day, should call Sheppard's chapel at 676-4360 by Nov. 19, to make needed arrangements. Host families are asked to pick up their dinner guests at 10 a.m. from the Community Activities Center, Bldg. 430 at Sheppard.

Academic Booster meeting set Monday

The Iowa Park Academic Booster Club will meet at 6:00 p.m. Monday in the W.F. George Middle School Library.

Goals and plans for the coming year will be made at this meeting, and a report on the club's Whoop-T-Do booth will be given.

All members are encouraged to attends, as well as those interested in joining.

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Santa's Castle at the library will held Friday, Dec. 4, 7, 9 and 10th. We need volunteers to be Santa Claus, Mrs. Claus and other helpers. If you or your service organization is interested, please contact the library at 592-4981 between 10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

The Christmas Lighting / Open House will be Tuesday, Dec. 1, beginning at 7 p.m. Entertainmant will be provided as well as refreshments and a visit from Santa Claus.

Holiday Closing

The library will be closed on Thursday, Nov. 26th for Thanksgiving.

Thank You

Thanks to Shirley Hicks for displaying some of her holiday crafts on our fireplace mantel. New Videos

Eulee's Gold Lion King II : Simba's Pride Jumping Jack Flash Hope Floats City of Angels The Rainmaker The Edge Fallen Roots: The Gift

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New Adult Books

Jade Island by Elizabeth Lowell The Deception by Catherine Coulter The Blessing by Jude Deveraux The Last Days of Marilyn Monroe by Donald Wolf Kids Say the Darndest Things by Bill Cosby The Spring Cleaning Murders by Dorothy Cannell Cordelia Ladarwood by Van Beid

Cordelia Underwood by Van Reid A Breach of Promise by Anne Perry

Happy 18th Birthday, Dustin



You have been an inspiration to all of us... your Dad and I have learned so much from you and we all wish you the happiest birthday ever.... Love, Dad, Mom, Meme, Don, Jody, Pat, Missy, Mark, Landon and Parker

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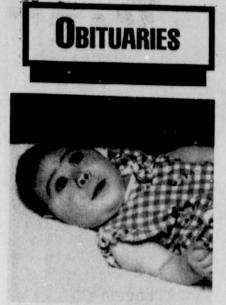
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Allison Grace Blevins

Allison Grace Blevins, six months old daughter of Michael and Francy Blevins of Iowa Park, died Friday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

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

Allison was born April 30, in Wichita Falls. She received dedication at Faith Baptist Church was a life time resident of Iowa Park.

Survivors include her parents; her grandparents, Michael and Vickie Hodson, and Dennis and Becky Blevins, all of Iowa Park; her great grandparents, R.B. and Margie Faulkner of Iowa Park, and Marge Blevins of Rogersville, Mo.

W.T. Crawford, Sr.

W.T. "Sonny" Crawford Sr., 89, of Iowa Park died Saturday, in a Wichita Falls nursing home.

Services were Tuesday at Hampton Vaughan Crestview Chapel with Pastor Dan Gleason, of Seventh Day Adventist Church of Dallas and Pastor Don McAnnally, of Seventh Day Adventist First Church of Wichita Falls, officiating. Entombment will be in Crestview Mausoleum.

Mr. Crawford was born Oct. 3, 1909, in Wichita Falls. He and Nannie Ethel Shelton were married Nov. 14,

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express our deep appreciation for all the prayers, love and friendship that was shown to us during Jr.'s long illness and at the time of our loss. Thank you for the loving tribute of memorials, flowers, cards and food.

A special thank you to Robert Smith P.A., the Park Clinic Staff, and Dr. Robert Delizio. The Wichita Cancer League for their caring support for over two and a half years. Thank you, Paulette. Hospice of Wichita Falls and the Hospice Center whose staff and Dr. Dean made Jr.'s death so much easier for us. The First United Pentecostal Church and Rev. Greg Harden for all the visits and providing dinner the day of the funeral. Larry and Norma Dutton at Dutton's Funeral Home, and all the family and friends of the Jr. Haswell Family.

Betty Haswell Gary & Paula Haswell Kevin & Debby Myers & Marcie Brandi Swanson Bryan Swanson Steve & Jackie Norman Charlie & Sue Ponder Jessy & Janie Williams

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each of you for your kindness shown by visits, cards, flowers and food during the time of Frances Luckett's illness and death. Your thoughtfulness and prayers helped us through this time.

We thank God for friends and family like you and pray for God's blessings upon you.

Walter and Wilma Spruiell Family

Card of Thanks

We want to express our deepest appreciation to our friends for the love and sympathy shown to us during this time of bereavement. Thank you for the cards, flowers, food, memorials, and most of all, your prayers.

We are especially thankful for the kindness extended by the personnel of Wal-Mart and I.H.S. of Iowa Park during his illness.

The Herman Mahler Family

Hamilton to play in all-region band

Brady Hamilton, son of Kevin Hamilton and Cathy Hamilton, both of Fort Worth, placed second out of 100 percussionists in junior high All-Region tryouts held Saturday in Granbury.

He will play in the All-Region Symhonic Band concert next Saturday night in Cleburne.

The Hamiltons are former residents of Iowa Park, and Kevin was a 1977 graduate of Iowa Park High School.

This is the second consecutive year for Brady, an eighth grade student at Crowley Middle School, to be a member of the Junior High All-Region Symphonic Band. Last year he was the lone seventh grader to be selected for the honor.

Brady is also a member of Mondo Drummers, a versatile group of musicians, ages eight through 49, formed by the Fort Worth Arts Council. They play for various events in Fort Worth and throughout the state.

Brady is the grandson of Bob and Dolores Hamilton of Iowa Park.

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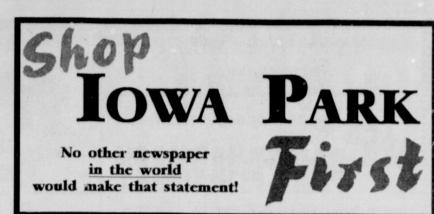
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Assembly of God craft sale Saturday

First Assembly of God will be hosting a Christmas craft and bake sale Saturday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. They will also be selling hot dogs, nachos, and drinks.

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1927, in Abilene. He founded Crawford Painting and Decorating Company in 1941, which later evolved into Crawford Painting and Drywall Company. His company was the contractor for the installation and drywall partition systems, wall covering and acoustical ceilings of hospitals, banks and high rise office buildings and goverment projects throughout a seven state area. He was a member and elder in the Seventh Day Adventist Church since 1940, and had lived in Iowa Park 57 years.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, Johnny Crawford of Iowa Park, Andy Crawford of Killeen, and W.T. "Dub" Crawford and Clyde Crawford, both of Wichita Falls; four daughters, Mary Ann Nolen of Iowa Park and Cecilia Miley, Nancy Pond and Jane Styles, all of Wichita Falls; four sisters, Hazel Massey of Graham, Inez Patton and Mildred Peterson, both of Fort Worth and Virginia Hickman of Bastrop; 14 grandchildren; 24 greatgrandchildren; and numerous stepgrandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Wichita Falls and Alzheimers Association Greater Wichita Falls.

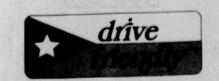
Gladney Earl Calhoun

Gladney Earl "Ted" Calhoun, 64, died Nov. 3.

Graveside services were Thursday at Hope Cemetery in Henrietta, with Rev. Wendell P. Elms, pastor of Life Tabernacle Church, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Calhoun was born July 6, 1934, in Childress. He served in the Army. He was a retired nurse's aid and had been employed by Southwest Parkway Nursing Center. He was a resident of this area most of his life.

Survivors include four sisters, Freda Nance and Katherine Watts, both of Dallas, LaVerne Kelly of Wichita Falls, and Norma Ray Combs of Henrietta; and two brothers, R. D. Fortner of Grasham, Ore., and Irby Fortner of Carson, Calif.







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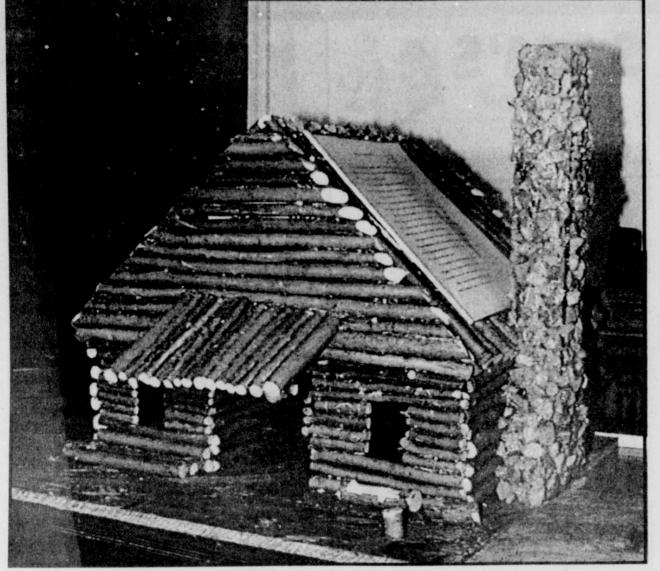
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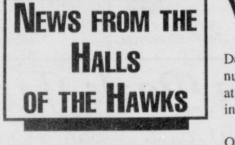
HOUSES FROM THE PAST - Mr. Zachary's seventh grade Texas History students recently completed projects including reports on Texas history-makers and reconstruction of the homes they might have lived in. This model, constructed by Sandy Jordan, is a log cabin with a rock fireplace.

Lunneys accept **Abilene positions**

Former Iowa Parkans Mike and Jeanie Lunney recently accepted the positions of head director and assistant director of Abilene Wylie school bands.

Lunney has held the director position of bands at Electra and Holliday, and Mrs. Lunney has been assistant director at Iowa Park, Electra and Holliday.

The Wylie Bulldog Band competed in the same division as Iowa Park in the UIL Area B marching contest at Bedford. Wylie placed fifth,



BRADFORD

Pie Pickup Nov. 20

Those who ordered pies from Bradford students may pick those up Friday, Nov. 20 in the Bradford Cafeteria.

Pies will be available for pickup between 3 and 6 p.m. that day. Purchases will be paid for at the time of pickup. Over 3,100 pies were sold by Bradford students for this Bradford PTA fundraiser.

AG AGENT'S REPORT

By JOE RAFF, Wichita County Agriculture Agent

Rats and Mice It sure is nice to see the cooler weather set in. Bundling up in front of a fireplace, neat stuff.

Of course, there is also scraping your windshield in the mornings and breaking ice for the cows when it's 10 below, and listening to the new arrivals in your home -- mice and rats.

Yes, they want to stay warm and the best place for them is your home, barn or outhouse.

There are several ways to get rid of these pests: removal of food and water; using traps; using rodenticides and anticoagulants.

The best way to eliminate the food supply is to store foodstuffs in rat-proof containers such as glass or metal, and to dispose of waste and garbage in tightly-covered metal cans. Mending leaky faucets and doing away with water storage areas that rodents have access to is also an essential part of rat and mouse control.

Traps are effective tools to use against rats and mice, but require more skill and labor. They are recommended where the use of rodenticides seems inadvisable, and in places where there are few rats and mice.

The best place to set traps is

close to walls in areas where rodents run. Traps should be set in such a manner that the rodent, in following its natural course, will pass directly over the trigger. To make the trap more effective, a 2 inch by 2 inch piece of cardboard can be attached to the trigger.

One of the more popular recommended ways to destroy rats and mice is the use of rodenticides. There are many different kinds of rodenticides available.

Anticoagulant rodenticides are available in either single pellet or water soluble formulations. Rats and mice normally begin dying three to 10 days after feeding on the baits.

Although rodenticides are generally safe to use, care should be taken when placing these chemicals, so that neither people nor domestic animals have access to them. The label directions should always be read and followed exactly.

For best results, offer dry cereal anticoagulant bait to rats and mice in 1/4 to 1/2 pound sacks or packages. Place bait less than 25 feet apart where rats and mice feed along walls, inside and under stairways. To hasten feeding, slit paper sacks so that bait spills out.

The number of baits to distribute varies. For small buildings with a few rats, two pounds is sufficient. If there are many rats and mice, use four to five pounds. The average Texas farm is about 10 pounds.

If rats and mice are eating the bait in certain places and not in others, move the bait to the location where they prefer to eat. Keep replenishing the bait until the rats and mice stop eating. Where there is a source of re-infestation from other areas, such as a dump ground, etc., keep anticoagulant bait out at all times for new rats and mice.

In addition to the dry form, a water-soluble material is available for use in water bait. This is particularly effective in dry surroundings, and where an attractive source of food is already available.

Use one packet of multi-dose, soluble anticoagulant per quart of water in water fountains or similar containers. Where freezing occurs, use plastic containers rather than glass. Freezing, however, does not seem to alter the effect of the anticoagulant.

Water-soluble bait and cereal bait placed together are a very effective control program.



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Wichita West slates craft show

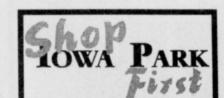
Wichita West Volunteer Fire Dept. will sponsor its 16th semi-annual arts and craft show Dec. 5 and 6 at the J.S. Bridwell Agriculture Center in Wichita Falls.

Oklahoma, New Mexico, Missouri and Kansas are to participate.

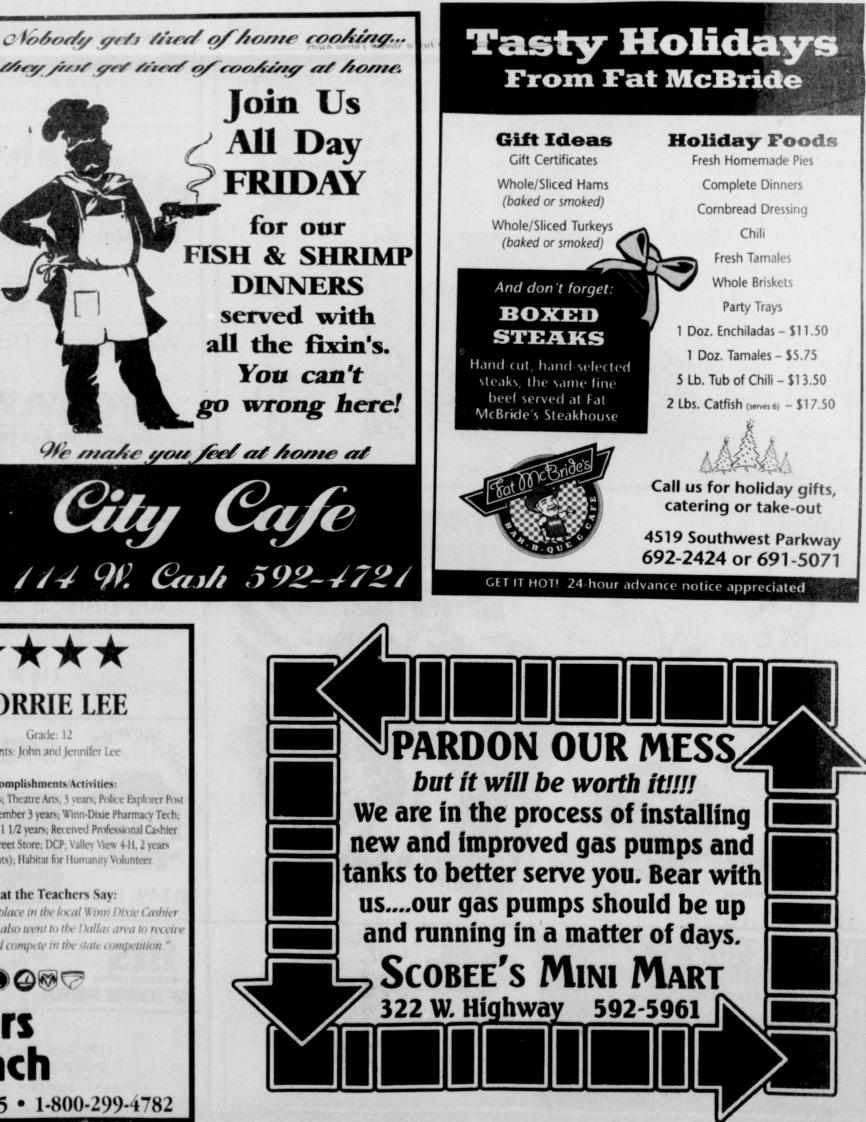
station, trucks and equipment, as well as advanced fire-fighter training.

Exhibitors from around Texas,

Proceeds from the show will be used for maintaining the department's



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behind the fourth earned by Iowa Park.

Lunney is a 1981 graduate of Iowa Park High, and later graduated Midwestern State Univ. He was a six-year student in the local band program, all under director Greg Miller.

Sports Shorts

An event, the Texas Auto Racers Auction and Trade Show, was founded in 1986 by the late Terry Deatherage, a former Iowa Park resident. Auctions have been held in Tulsa, Fort Worth, Amarillo, and also in Wichita Falls. The next will be on Saturday, Nov. 21, honoring Deatherage at the Bridwell Ag Center in Wichita Falls.

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Estimate the Number of Winners

Several Kidwell students came out winners after Monday night's first Family Math Nightheld at the school. Students from each grade were

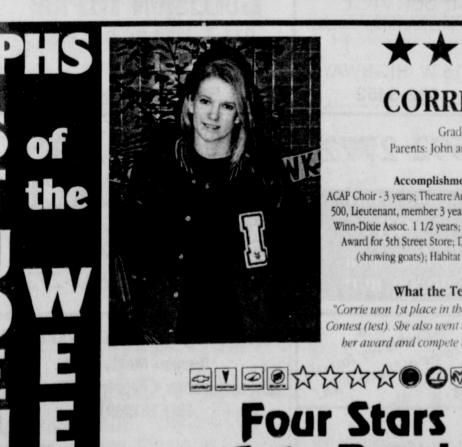
asked to estimate how many people were in attendance, with the winner from each grade winning a prize.

Winners included Dusty Adams, kindergarten; Logan Canafax, first grade; and Ryan Beals, second grade.

Door prize winners for the night were Tanner Haynes, kindergarten; Morgin Tingle, first grade; and Tara Yarbrough, second grade.

79 students, along with their parents, attended.







Parents: John and Jennifer Lee

Accomplishments/Activities:

ACAP Choir - 3 years; Theatre Arts, 3 years; Police Explorer Post 500, Lieutenant, member 3 years; Winn-Dixie Pharmacy Tech; Winn-Dixie Assoc. 1 1/2 years; Received Professional Cashier Award for 5th Street Store; DCP; Valley View 4-H, 2 years (showing goats); Habitat for Humanity Volunteer.

What the Teachers Say: "Corrie won 1st place in the local Winn Dixie Cashier Contest (test). She also went to the Dallas area to receive ber award and compete in the state competition."

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By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

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on trunks of trees or on roots where

any type of damage has occurred.

They look unusual and are always

attached to the tree. This is the rea-

soning for the name Bracket Fungus.

problem is to avoid wounding a tree

or the root system in any way. Keep

mowers and string trimmers well away

from the trunk and any exposed roots.

fungus off of the root system and

cleanse the area with a 10 percent

bleach solution. Try to remove the

fungus down to sound wood without

You can carefully scape the

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Q. We have a nice Red Oak in Wichita Falls. The root system in some areas is slightly exposed above the soil. Now, a strange type of growth is growing out of the roots in one spot. What is this and what caused this unusual growth? Can we do anything to stop the growth?

A. The description of the problem is a bit vague, however, there is a good possibility that what you are seeing is a Bracket Fungi. Exposed roots at the soil line or just above are likely to be damaged by lawn mowers, string trimmers and other mechanical devices. This open area or wound is subject to decay.



Take 287 West

sect attack in a wounded area is also a good idea.

Q. I live in Burkburnett and would like to move some English Ivy from my friend's home to our landscape. How and when should I move the Ivy?

A. Move the Ivy this fall or right after our first hard freeze. Try to get a section of the vine that has some of the roots attached where the vine originates from the ground. Move the plant immediately to the new location (preferably a shaded area) and apply a rooting stimulator one time after planting. There after maintain a reasonable level of soil moisture throughout the winter if we don't receive adequate normal rainfall.

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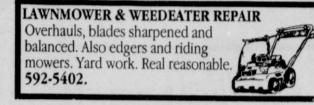
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LEGAL NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS **County of Wichita**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County, on the 29th day of September 1998 by Dorsey Trapp, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty one and 19/100 DOLLARS and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of Iowa Park Independent School District in a certain cause in said Court, No. 39,886-B and styled Iowa Park Independent School District vs. The heirs at law of Lola Faye Smith, deceased; Gloria Jean Lavender, Renee Rousa Thomason and placed in my hands for service, I THOMAS J. CALLAHAN as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of October 1998 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

TRACT 2: 5.0 acres, more or less, Tract E, Block 45, Wichita Valley Farm Land Addition, Wichita County, Texas, as more particularly described in a Partition Agreement in Volume 1545 at Page 43 of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas; known as 12907 Hoge Rd., Kamay, Texas.

The above property shall be sold subject to the owner's right of redemption. The redemption period is two years for homestead and agricultural use property and six months for all other property. Purchasers shall receive a Sheriff's Deed that is without warranty. Bidders should satisfy themselves concerning title and location of the property and improvements on the property prior to sale.

and levied upon as the property of The heirs at law of Lola Faye Smith and that on the first Tuesday in December 1998, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Court House door, of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, at 10 A.M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said The heirs at law of Lola Faye Smith

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Iowa Park Leader a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand, this 12th day of October 1998 THOMAS J. CALLAHAN

Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas

Thursday, Nov. 12, 1998 Iowa Park, Texas

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF **CHARLES E. VAUGHN, DECEASED:**

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Charles E. Vaughn, deceased, shall present the same within the time prescribed by law. Letters Testamentary were issued on November 6, 1998, to Joe Bob Fisher, as Independent Executor of such estate in Cause No. 23,780-CC, in the County Court, Wichita County, Texas. The address to which claims may be presented is in care of said Independent Executor's attorney, Marvin H. Brown, Brown, Prothro & Williamson, 807 8th Street, Suite 700, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301.

> /s/ Joe Bob Fisher Joe Bob Fisher, Independent Executor

of the Estate of Charles E. Vaughn, Deceased 11-12-1tp

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Southwestern District, 1600 Lincoln Plaza, 500 North Akard Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-3394 for consent to merge The State National Bank of Iowa Park, Iowa Park, Texas; Windthorst National Bank, Windthorst, Texas; and Electra State Bank & Trust Co., Electra, Texas,

All three banks are wholly-owned subsidiaries of North Central Texas Financial Corporation which, in turn, is whollyowned by North Central Texas Bancshares, Inc. Both bank holding companies are located at 104 West Park Street, Iowa Park, Texas 76367. Both affiliated banks, Windthorst National Bank, U.S. Highway 281 and St. Mary's Street, Windthorst, Texas 76389 and Electra State Bank & Trust Co., 100 North Main Street, Electra, Texas 76360, will be merged with and into The State National Bank of Iowa Park, 104 West Park Street, Iowa Park, Texas 76367. The State National Bank of Iowa Park will be the surviving bank. In conjunction with the merger, The State National Bank of Iowa Park is changing its name to The State National Bank of Texas. The surviving bank will continue to be headquartered at 104 West Park Street, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 and will continue to operate its existing branch in Wichita Falls, Texas. In addition to the Wichita Falls branch, the head office of Windthorst National Bank and Electra State Bank & Trust Co. will become branches of the surviving bank. The Archer City, Texas and Holliday, Texas branches of Windthorst National Bank will also become branches of the surviving bank. Electra State Bank & Trust Co. has no branches. Upon completion of the merger and name change, the surviving bank and its five branches will operate under the name of The State National Bank of Texas.

This notice is published pursuant to 12USC 1828(c) and 12 CFR 5. This notice will appear three times at approximately two-week intervals over a 30-day period beginning 10-29, 1998 and ending 12-3, 1998.

Any person desiring to comment on this application may do so by submitting written comments until the date of the last publication of this notice to: Deputy Comptroller, Southwestern District, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, 1600 Lincoln Plaza, 500 North Akard Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-3394. The public file is available for inspection in the district office during regular business hours. 10-29-1tc





car garage plus carport. Storage building or workshop. Fenced. \$18,500.

KAMAY - 3 BR, 1 large bath, 1 car carport. New metal roof, 1995. Lot size 142X175.2. Pipe welded fence. Price reduced to \$25,500. Seller says sell.

1002 E. CASH, IP - 3 BR, 1 bath. Corner lot includes 10 total lots. Storage building, stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer stay with house. \$37,500.

1924 N. FM 368, I.P. - \$27,500 IN CONTRACT 504 N. WALL, IP - 3-2-1, reduced. \$39,500.

702 W. ALAMEDA, IP - Super location, great curb appeal. 3 BR, 1 bath, central heat. Hardwood floors, large fenced back yard. Price reduced, \$45,000.

1516 RITA LANE, IP - Country Club of Iowa Park. Large 2, possibly 3 BR. Large living area. Centra Heat/Air, updated 1991, appliances, 1993. Needs carpet and paint. Large covered patio, large trees. Price reduced to \$47,000.

2451 S. FM 369, IP - Has approx. 1238 sq. ft. per owner. New everything - singles, front porch, siding, CH/A-heat pump. 2 BR, 1 bath, completely remodeled. New linoleum, new carpet, laundry room, new light fixtures, electrical updated. Lot size approx. 125X200. A must see. Super location. Good curb appeal. \$59,500.

1102 W. CORNELIA, IP - Has approx. 1712 sq. ft. of living area. 3 or 4 BR or 2 living areas. 1 1/2 baths, laundry room, 441 sq. ft. carport (24.2X10), storage/workshop. Carpet approx. 2 year old. Freshly painted. \$67,000. Seller may lease \$650 monthly; \$650 deposit. Seller wishes to leave on the market.

7195 FM 1206 - Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath - sunroom on 20 acres. Large workshop. If you want to live in the country, this may be the one! Call Winnie. \$64,950.

902 DOSIA, IP - 3-2-2, plus pool and garage. \$69,500. 920 FOLEY, IP - OPEN/bright unique floor plan. Approx. 1460 sq. ft. of living area. 3 BR, 2 baths, 2-car garage. Huge living and kitchen area. Study/laundry room. Corner lot. \$71,500.

822 N. PARK, IP - Super location, street is a Blvd. 3 or 4 BR, 2 baths, approx. 1928 sq. ft. of living area. New Berber carpet, beautiful hardwood floors. Huge kitchen. A must see! \$76,500.

105 E. VALLEY DR., IP - New const. 1994. Awesome fireplace. Beautifully decorated. All inner walls insulated for energy efficiency and sound-proofing with an R-11 and R-19 rating. Attic has an R-30 rating. Heat pump. Unique lighting. All built-ins, butler bar and hutch, ceramic tile. Call Darrell, \$84,500.

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NEW PRICE FOR INVESTORS

Seller is ready to sell. \$249,500. New listing. Unlimited possibilities! Already has 7 mobile homes, a commercial building with bath and large cooler and shelves and CH&A, plus a 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, storm cellar, siding, storage, new roof 1998. 2 vacant lots, all sits on 6.95 acres. Monthly income ius approx. \$3,000 with the possibility being more by adding to.

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419 N. Illinois	2 bedroom	\$11,500
1435 Sibley, WF	2-1-1	\$14,000
313 W. Plum, Arche	r City 2 BR, 1 bath REDUCE	D \$20,000
310 W. Harrison, Ele	ec	\$27,000
7702 W. Hwy. 258, K	amay 3-1-1 CPREDUCE	D \$25,500
3019 Abbott, WF	3-1-1 REDUCED	\$42,500
3010 McGaha, WF	REDUCED	\$42,500
316 N. Wichita St., E	lec .SOLD	\$45,000
307 S. Main, HOI.	3 BR, 2 bath	\$47,500
321 Southland, Elec		\$57,000
Bluegrove, TX	2-2, updated home	\$67,500
101 Meadow Ln. Ele	c. 5-4-3, nice home.	\$115,000
2002 AVONDALE, W	/F 4-3 1/2-2 CP + pool	\$249,500

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY 509 E. Front St., Elec. Plus Income \$44,500

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115 West View MLS#67116	3-BR has open floor plan, good storage, and an extra room. <u>30's</u>	1505 Johnson Rd N MLS #66780	3-BR home on large, shaded lot is spacious, recently painted and has new carpet. Reduced to \$65,000
715 S. Park MLS# 65608	Well-kept mobile home with detached garage, outbuildings, shop building, covered porches, large lot.	709 W. Coleman	80's in contract
504 S. Park	IN CONTRACT <u>40's</u>	1703 Johnson Rd. N MLS #64877	90's . 3-BR new construction in Park Place subdivision features
504 W. Texas 310 S. Cedar, Hollio MLS #66181 409 W. Clara	day 3-BR, 2 bath home includes 2-car carport, privacy fence, corner lot IN CONTRACT		Reward Wall System, fireplace and nine foot ceilings. DRASTICALLY REDUCED to \$99,900
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1308 Emma 709 W. Magnolia MLS# 67115	IN CONTRACT 3-BR on shaded lot has large master bedroom, storm windows and doors.	5099 FM 1206	Gordon. Suburban IN CONTRACT
506 W. Magnolia MLS# 65370	50's This charming 3-BR home fea- tures walk-in closets, double- pane windows, central heat/	2070 FM 369 S MLS#66694	Nice 3-BR home on 2 acres includes shop building, pool, satellite dish and irrigation is available.
213 Richland MLS #66047	air and more! 3-BR home built in 1995 in new area features walk-in closet in master, covered front porch,	6427 Johnson Rd. N MLS #65464	Spacious 3-BR home has ample storage plus 1-BR guest house also with 2-car attached garage - all on 2 acres.
1014 W. Louisa MLS #66412	and outdoor lighting. 3-BR home features family room, new self-cleaning oven, recently painted exterior, and new outside A/C unit.	1708 Quail Valley MLS #65636	4-BR, 3-BA executive home on 5 acres features 2 living areas, covered patio, and beautiful in- ground pool. Reduced to \$129,900.
05 Valley MLS#65999	Total electric 3-BR home includes storm windows and doors, garage door opener and patio.	Highland Park Subdivision	Land Lots now available at special low
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021 Van Horn MLS#66203	3-BR, 1 1/2 story, well-main- tained home on beautiful lot includes garage, carport, and	Johnson Rd. North Johnson Rd. North	Wichita Valley water. Reduced. 5 acres has 200' frontage, fenced, water available. Five, 5-acre tracts restricted resi- dential homesites.
316 Edgehill MLS#66289	sprinkler system. Immaculate 4-BR home has been nicely updated and exhibits	Brogdon Road	Tract 1 - 12.5 Acres in cultivation with approximately 290' frontage.

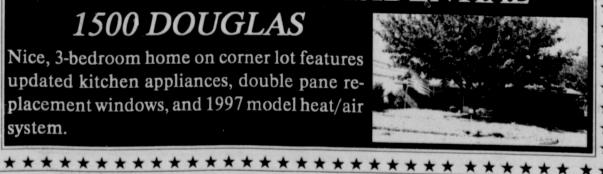
Johnson Rd. North

Brogdon Road

NEW LISTINGS - RESIDE 1500 DOUGLAS

Nice, 3-bedroom home on corner lot features updated kitchen appliances, double pane replacement windows, and 1997 model heat/air system.

pride of ownership.



Tract 2 - 12.5 Acres in cultivation

with approximately 290' frontage.

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53 acres of farmland.



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Lady Hawks lose in Area level

The Iowa Park Lady Hawks came up just short in their bid to win back-to-back playoff games Saturday when they fell 15-9, 17-15 to Clifton in the Area Round of the playoffs.

Iowa Park defeated Dublin to win Bi-District last week and had their chances to win against a good Clifton team, according to head coach Brenda Hodges.

"I thought we played one of our better games of the year," Hodges said. "We played real well at times, but when we didn't play well it was when they were serving, and when they played poorly it was when they were serving, so it didn't hurt them as much."

In the second game of the match, Iowa Park held leads of 7-1 and 12-6, then had three game points before falling 17-15.

"In the second game we had several chances to get the win," Hodges said. "We jumped on top 7-1 and I thought we were going to win. When we led 12-6, I still thought we were going to win. Then down the stretch we had three game points but we just could never seem to finish it off."

"We were up and we had all the momentum in the second game," said Randi Nelms. "But we just kind of got stuck on 12 for a while. When they started to come back we started to panic, I guess. We watched it on film and we saw all the chances we had to win, we just couldn't finish them off. One of our goals was to make the playoffs and play well and we did. We won bi-district and got a big trophy, which is something we can always look back on."

"I know that the girls were disappointed, but we had a good season,"

Hodges added. "I am very proud of the effort they put forth all year long and for the way they played."



Scores of games played last week by teams on Iowa Park's schedule included:

Vernon 18, Bowie 0 Childress 35, Henrietta 7 Holliday 55, Seymour 15 Hirschi 55, Burkburnett 6 Rider 21, Wichita Falls High 18 Bridgeport 21, Gainesville 14

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Those teams advancing in the playoffs include:

- * Vernon vs. Abilene Wylie, 7:30 p.m. Friday at Abilene Wylie.
- * Childress vs. Ballinger, 7:30 p.m. Friday at Hamlin.

* Holliday vs. Boyd, 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Bedford's Pennington Field.

* Hirschi vs. Springtown, 2 p.m. Saturday at WF Memorial Stadium. * Gainesville vs. Frisco, 7:00 Saturday at Bedford's Pennington Field.

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Tri-Star Contest, sponsored by the Iowa Park Optimist Club, will be held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 21, at the Fordon Griffith Field.

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Friday the 13th might turn some folks off as a day of misfortune. But to Head Coach Weldon Nelms it's not. That was the date of his first win with the Iowa Park Hawks, and it's also the date Iowa Park takes on Brady in Bi-District.

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We need to keep pressure on him and force him to make some mistakes. He is playing with a shoulder injury on his left shoulder which might slow him down some. Their tailback is just a good runner. He seldom loses yardage. He follows his blockers well and is tough to bring down. Speedwise they are not as quick as we are and that is another big plus for us. I think our quickness and ability to utilize some different blocking schemes will be another big factor in the outcome of the game."

Defensively, the Bulldogs are tough. Their defensive line averages almost 240-lbs. per man with a pair of defensive tackles going 273 and 265. But it's their middle linebacker that drew the most praise from Nelms.

"The Ferris kid is definitely their leader on defense," Nelms stated. "He's tough to block and he reacts to the football real well. Those two big tackles try and keep the blockers off him to let him run to the ball. Their secondary is tough to beat deep. They've shown that you can complete some stuff in front of them but they seldom give up the big play."

"Their special teams have been suspect all season long," Nelms said. "They've given up some big plays like having two or three punts blocked, they've allowed two kickoffs to be returned for touchdowns and had some punts returned for touchdowns as well. They've also had some trouble with their extra points. In big games like this it always seems to come down to special teams that makes a difference. We work hard on our special team play every week and I feel like we have a big edge in that department this week.

"Our kids are motivated and want to be the first group since '87 to get a playoff victory," said Nelms. "And even though we've played them already and we've played a tougher schedule, it's still going to come down to which team performs the best Friday night. I know it's a long road trip to Abilene, but I feel like those fans that make the trip will get to see a good football game. We are ready to play and will be looking to bring home our first playoff win since I've been here."

Freshmen finish season

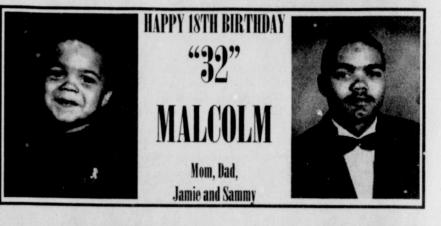
The Freshman Hawks ended their season on a positive note by beating Graham 14-7 Thursday night to finish the season at 6-4 overall and 4-1 in district play.

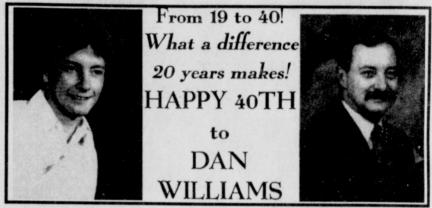
The Hawk offense kept the ball most of the game with methodical drives that ended in two touchdowns and a two-point conversion, the last coming on a 97-yard drive which used up most of the fourth quarter.

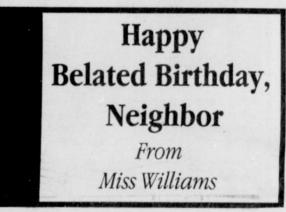
Matt Ohm's one-yard touchdown gave Iowa Park the lead at 12-7. Jeremy Wilson caught the twopoint conversion pass from Matt Kelly to make the final 14-7. Kyle Chaney scored the Hawks first touchdown, giving Iowa Park a 6-0 lead. Graham answered with a touchdown and an extra point to lead 7-6 until the final drive.

Iowa Park's defense also came up big by shutting down an explosive Steer offense with two goal line stands, the last of which occurred as the time ran out in the fourth quarter.

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TOP OF TEXAS FOOTBALL

The Iowa Park Midget East conversion pass to Glasgow. Hawks continued their perfect season Saturday afternoon with a 30-6 playoff victory over Vernon.

The win puts the Hawks in the semi-finals Saturday at 2 p.m. against Henrietta at Iowa Park.

Zac McAllister opened the scoring for the Hawks with a 36-yard touchdown on Iowa Park's first possession. McAllister then added the two-point conversion to give his team an 8-0 lead.

The Iowa Park defense led by Jeremy Williams, Chris Trevino, David Quick and Michael Sargent all played another big game for the Hawks. Matt Glasgow and Sam Rains each came up with an interception for the Hawks while Grant Miller, Blake Beals and Tyler Duggins all had fumble recoveries.

Iowa Park pushed the lead to 16-0 at the half on a 10-yard touchdown run by guarterback Justin Swenson. Swenson then threw the In the third quarter, Swenson

scored his second touchdown, this one on a four-yard run, then threw to Quick for the conversion to push the lead to 24-0. Sargent added the final touchdown for the Hawks on a 16yard run.

JV captures loop crown

Despite falling in their final game of the season, the JV Hawks finished with a 6-4 record overall and were the District champs with a 4-1 record.

Graham handed the Hawks their only loss in district play on Thursday night in Graham, winning 27-6.

The Steers took advantage of four long touchdown passes to pick up the win. Iowa Park's lone score came on a 75-yard interception return by Alex Quick.



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