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520 W. CLARA
IOWA PARK, TEXAS

Port Aransas constable 'backing out' on search

In the wake of earlier statements that he would have the case solved by the end of this week, Port Aransas Constable Ben Cash said Wednesday he plans to discontinue his department's South American search for missing Iowa Park businessman Bobby Johnson.

"I'm fixing to back out of this thing," Cash said Wednesday afternoon.

Cash, who has been spearheading the investigation since Johnson reportedly drowned Jan. 3 when he fell off a fishing boat 300 yards off the Port Aransas coast, indicated he would relinquish his position in the missing person search to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The FBI has more money and manpower, Cash said.

Cash's investigation seemed to be straggling to a close Wednesday afternoon as he awaited correspondence from Dep. Constable Charles Titus on assignment in the South

American country of Belize.

"I don't know what Charlie (Titus) has come up with down there, and I won't know until I talk to him," Cash added.

Titus made the trip Monday to Belize, and was expected to return later this week, Cash said.

Both Cash and Titus had made an earlier trip to Belize in search of Johnson, who the Port Aransas constables believed did not drown.

Titus' current trip to Belize was prompted last weekend when Cash disclosed he had new evidence to indicate Johnson, 41, was alive in Central or South America.

Cash announced last Saturday, "I should have it all wrapped up within a week, quite possibly less...If I told you what we had, it might not be there when we go after it."

It appears the new lead did not materialize, explaining Cash's withdrawal from the missing person search in South America.

Cash said the FBI is taking a more dominant role in the investigation which he believes is being focused in the North Texas area.

The FBI regional headquarters in Dallas would not supply any additional information Wednesday afternoon.

Cash said his department's routine patrol along the Port Aransas coastline continues the search for Johnson's body.

In another development, the FBI confirmed that a car registered to Johnson had been located at Meacham Field in Fort Worth. It is not known what connection the car, normally kept at the public airport for business use, might have in the case.

In still another segment of the investigation, the Dallas Morning News disclosed U.S. Customs agents had planned to seek Johnson's testimony in a federal grand jury probe of fertilizer smuggling from Mexico into Texas.

A customs agent in Brownsville, Henry Posio, was quoted as saying Johnson may have purchased and sold some smuggled fertilizer as part of his fertilizer brokering business.

As a fertilizer broker, the agent said Johnson had no part in the actual smuggling operations.

Posio said Johnson had not been informed he would be called to testify before he reportedly drowned.

He indicated few people in Iowa Park realized Johnson was as big in the fertilizer business because he did most of his buying and selling without any physical delivery of the commodity to his place of business.

"To my knowledge there wouldn't be any broker-wholesaler any bigger" between 1973 and 1975, Gene Snow, who handled dealer sales for Johnson, told the Dallas newspaper.

The Dallas newspaper quoted Stan Reed, Johnson's traffic manager, as saying, "Fertilizer was a big business. We just bought it from producers and other brokers. Just buy it from producers and other brokers. Just buy it and resell it. He did not manufacture any."

Meanwhile, the state's investigation into Johnson's grain dealings continues in the wake of findings that his Geronimo Elevator in Wichita Falls was 500,000 bushels short.

Aside from the continued audit of Johnson's grain records under the auspices of receiver James Dugger, little new has developed concerning involuntary bankruptcy proceedings brought against Robert and Anita Johnson.

A check Wednesday with a Dallas federal bankruptcy judge indicated no action had been taken by Johnson's attorneys.

The bankruptcy judge set Feb. 8 as the deadline for Johnson's lawyers to file an answer or motion to the bankruptcy proceedings brought by six North Texas creditors who claim Johnson owes them a total of \$165,287.



MUFFLED PLUG—With temperatures dipping down below freezing each night, some kind soul took an old shirt to give a downtown fire plug a little protection from the chilly night air.

Humorist to speak at Chamber banquet

Because of the reaction of the crowd at last year's Chamber of Commerce banquet, another after-dinner humorist has been contracted to speak this year by the Chamber's board.

He is Bob Murphey of Nacogdoches County.

Murphey, who has often said that he speaks perfect East Texas...and fair English, will share the spotlight Feb. 12 when the banquet is held at the high school cafeteria, starting at 7 p.m.

Tickets are now on sale at the Chamber office, or most businesses belonging to the Chamber, at \$5 per person. A steak dinner prepared by the Iowa Park Mule Skinners will be served.

Also in the spotlight will be the announcement and presentation of plaques to the Outstanding Citizen and Outstanding Senior Citizen of the community.

Keith Aulds will be installed as president of the Chamber, succeeding Charlie Lee.

Murphey says he enjoys life on a small ranch in the Piney Woods region of East Texas, where he was born and reared.

When asked for biographical information, Murphey usually replies that his background will stand



BOB MURPHEY

anything but talking about! Or, he might add, "The less you use the handle, the longer the hoe will last."

Actually, Murphey has had a varied and colorful background. A practicing lawyer by profession, he has looked at life and observed the American scene first as a Western Union messenger boy, then as a ranch hand, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Texas House of Representatives, fire chief, a war-time Merchant Marine officer, county attorney, district attorney, and respected member of the Texas bar.

Murphey states, "There ain't much to see living in a small town, but what you hear makes up for it."

Like a country woman who said she didn't enjoy spreading gossip, but didn't know what else to do with it, Murphey has passed along his quiet humor, wit, and wisdom as a public speaker.

He is in great demand as a speaker, and his down-to-earth philosophy, clean humor and witty observations have been enjoyed by hundreds of audiences throughout the United States.

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Aldermen void pickup purchase

The city council Monday night voted to rescind its previous week's action, reject bids it had accepted for the purchase of three half-ton pickups, and re-advertise for bids.

The action took place after a lengthy discussion, during which City Administrator Gene Britton pointed out all bids on his specification sheet for the same specifications due to his error.

Bids were allowed to stand on a three-quarter ton pickup and automobile, which had been approved last week.

Longhorn Chevrolet of Wichita Falls was the apparent low bidder on the half-ton pickups last week. But Britton said his specification sheet had not provided for wheel base and burning of regular or unleaded gasoline.

When he had the problem pointed out to him, he explained, attempts were made to notify all dealers who were sent bid notices. Apparently all dealers did not receive the information by telephone, he said, because some bid on the amended specifications and some didn't. And the difference was noted in the bids received.

Action approving Longhorn's bid of \$3,801.73 was approved last week, and voided this week.

The same company's bid of \$4,239.89 for the three-quarter ton pickup and Baggett-Bridwell's bid of \$4,722.90 for a 400-cubic inch engine Plymouth Fury were allowed to stand.

Neither local dealership submitted bids which were opened last week, and aldermen voiced the hope, they would on the re-bidding of the half-ton pickups.

Pickup specifications will include requirement of long wheel base and engines which burn regular gasoline.

GAS RATE PROPOSAL
Numerous questions were posed to M.R. Naylor, representing Lone Star Gas Company, on how the firm based its rates being sought from Iowa Park consumers.

Most of the questions centered around Iowa Park's service from an interstate transmission line, with the point being made that federal price controls restrict the price of that gas,

whereas intrastate gas costs the company much more.

Naylor explained that all city gate rates in the state are the same, on a "weighted" rate, which averages the price and makes it the same. All Lone Star cities served have a rate of \$1.0399, to be adjusted plus or minus monthly, set by the Texas Railroad Commission, he explained. The average price the company pays at the wellhead is 73 cents per MCF.

Mayor Johnny Crawford, who said he and Britton had been attending several meetings in an effort to learn more about rate structures, recommended the council postpone any action until more could be learned, in order for the council to make a more intelligent decision.

Crawford said if the city did not approve the request, or offered a

lower price it would accept, the matter would likely wind up before the Railroad Commission, and "that might be for the best."

Should the state board sit in on the decision, the city would at least know there had been an educated evaluation of the company's rate proposal, because the state people knew more about such things and had the staff to make a proper study.

Crawford's proposal to delay decision was approved.

PARK PROJECT
The council will await an overall plan for the development of Oscar Park from the Park Board before making final commitments of funding.

Questions relative to funding of equipment for the park's development, as well as making personnel available

for maintenance and upkeep, were posed by Mrs. Charlie Lee, representing the Board.

She was told personnel, probably from the street department, would do the work, and that had been planned in the current budget.

However, specific overall plans would be needed before the council could say whether the project would have to be developed all at once or in phases.

Mrs. Lee explained the personnel were necessary, especially to see that newly-planted trees were watered, as well as new grass, to insure proper development.

Tentative plan of the Board, reflected in its meeting minutes of Jan. 17, are to: have mesquite

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Weather Report

Weather reports are officially compiled for Iowa Park at the Texas Experiment Station, southeast of town.

Rainfall for week	.16
Total for month	1.00
Total for year	1.00
Total last year	.00

Burglars hit town during fair weather

Burglars took advantage of Iowa Park residents during last week's fair weather when more than \$2,000 worth of radios, guns, tools and assorted items were reported stolen.

One burglar even carted off 150 soft drink bottles, according to Iowa Park police reports.

Largest single burglary was reported last Thursday by Carl Catlin of 603 W. Clara. Catlin reported a two-way radio valued at \$1,480 was stolen from a pickup truck.

Also last Thursday police received a report from Richard Jackson Lott, 804 W. Magnolia, that a CB radio and mike valued at \$189 had been taken from an automobile.

A rifle and scope valued at \$300

was reported stolen Friday by Duncan Spruiell, 210 W. Texas.

The pop bottle burglary was reported Monday by E.L. French of 307 N. Seneca. Police reports said 150 assorted soft drink bottles valued at \$7.50, and a tire and wheel valued at \$50 were taken in the burglary.

Don Flippin, 1005 Cornelia, reported Monday that \$125 worth of tools and a tool box had been stolen from his garage.

On Tuesday police here received a report from Jan Spruiell, 510 W. Texas, that a CB radio had been stolen from a vehicle.

Bob Birdett, 1000 Cornelia, reported Tuesday that a CB radio antenna valued at \$30 had been stolen from a vehicle.



EXPANSION UNDERWAY - Crews and heavy equipment began work this week to prepare the ground around Cryovac's building, where a major expansion program is

planned. The new additions will raise the plant's personnel requirement from 250 to some 425, which will produce in excess of \$3.5-million in salaries annually.

Smith-Mauldin nuptials are exchanged Saturday

The First Baptist Church at Byers was the scene of a nuptial service Saturday at 7:30 p.m. uniting in marriage Miss Linda Ann Smith and Charles David Mauldin.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. B.L. Smith, Route Three, Wichita Falls, and C.L. Smith of Dumfries, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. N.J. Mauldin of Byers.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Johnnie Haney before an altar featuring an arch of candles in the background and spiral candelabra entwined with greenery holding blue candles on either side.

Raymond Smith, brother of the bride, presented her for marriage. She wore a formal gown of white organza trimmed in Chantilly and Venise laces.

The slightly-raised bodice was distinguished with a wedding band collar of Chantilly lace and a sheer yoke appliqued with the Venise lace and outlined with both Chantilly and Venise lace. The laces were repeated in horizontal rows on the full bishop sleeves. The A line skirt and attached chapel train featured alternating rows of the laces and hemline flounces headed and edged in Chantilly lace.

A cap of lace held the cascading chapel veil of



MRS. CHARLES DAVID MAULDIN

bridal illusion that repeated both laces in the border and appliques scattered over the veil. She carried white carnations and baby's breath.

Mrs. Randy Skinner of

Byers, sister of the groom, participated in the wedding as matron of honor and Miss Marilyn Jeffress of Wichita Falls was maid of honor. They wore light blue long dresses with smart hemline

ruffles and carried long stemmed white mums tied with blue ribbons.

Melissa Mauldin of Wichita Falls, the groom's niece, the flower girl, was also attired in a long light blue gown and carried royal blue flowers.

Donald Reed of Byers served as best man and Randy Skinner also of Byers was groomsman.

Ushers were Michael Mauldin of Nocona, the groom's brother, George Russell and Jim Bell of Byers.

and Mrs. Michael Mauldin served at the table.

Mrs. Floyd Stipe presided at the bride's book resting on a table holding a blue pillar candle and the plume pen.

The groom's parents were hosts for the rehearsal dinner at Village Square Restaurant.

The newlyweds chose Dallas for the wedding trip and they will live at Byers.

Help sought

The January meeting of Future Homemakers of America was held Monday in the homemaking department of the high school. Kathryn Mattis, president of Junior Chapter, presided.

Members were asked to work and furnish cookies when the Red Cross Bloodmobile visits Iowa Park Feb. 24.

Burlap pillows demonstrated

Mrs. Frank Cope demonstrated the making of burlap pillows for the Park Area Home Demonstration Club meeting held in the home of Mrs. Aletha Penn Wednesday morning. A salad luncheon followed the meeting.

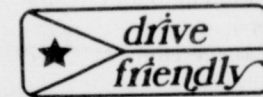
Visitors present were Mmes. Allie Girard, Elvy Sargent and Thelma Raney. Members attending were Mmes. W.E. Karstetter, Joe R. Cope, Roy Fortner, Grace Chastain, Floyd Stermer, J.C. Roby and O.B. Nolen Jr.

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Fulbright-Kingcade wed in double-ring ceremony

Miss Deanna Marie Fulbright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.F. Fulbright, became the bride of Charles David Kingcade, son of Mrs. Billie Kingcade and the late Pat Kingcade, in a ceremony performed recently at Faith Baptist Church, Carl Kent

was officiant for the double-ring ceremony.

The nuptial space was decorated with a double archway of candles and greenery flanked by candelabra holding white candles to provide a candlelight

setting. Candles were lighted by Jake Fulbright and Jeff Stansbury, brother and cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Sheldon Brown, pianist, provided pre-nuptial music, the wedding marches

and accompanied Miss Robin Collins for two solo presentations, "If" and "More".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an off-white cotton and polyester gown accented with smart macramé lace. A wide panel of lace defined the long sleeves and narrow lace enhanced the stand up collar and bodice. A wide hemline flounce added distinction to the skirt. She wore baby's breath tied with a red and white silk bow with trailing streamers at the back of her hair and carried a nosegay of red rosebuds. She wore her mother's pearl ring for "something old and borrowed", the traditional garter for "something new and blue" and the lucky sixpence in her shoe.

Miss Jeri Cameron served as maid of honor for the bride. She was attired in a long Qiana gown defined with white sleeves in matching material and carried a nosegay of red roses with red and white streamers. Bridesmaids wearing red Qiana dresses

trimmed with white fur at the necklines and on the cuffs of the long sleeves were Miss Charlotte Gray and Mrs. Laura Cribbs. They carried long stemmed red roses with red and white streamers.

The bride's father was best man for the groom. Groomsmen were Gene Kingcade, his cousin and Douglas Blevins, his brother-in-law. Randy Fulbright, brother of the bride, and Tim Kingcade, cousin of the groom, were ushers.

The bride is a senior at Iowa Park High School where she has been in VOE and on the tennis team. The groom was graduated from Iowa Park High School, served in the U.S. Navy three years and is employed by E.W. Moran Welding.

The Fellowship Hall of the church was the setting for a post nuptial reception given by the bride's parents.

The bride's table, laid with white linen accented with silver bells, was centered with the three-tiered cake featuring cupid-decorated pillars between each

red rose-covered layer and two white wedding bells outlined with lilies of the valley on the top tier.

The white-linen covered groom's table held a net topiary tree decorated with appropriate wedding symbols and the chocolate cake inscribed with the names of the bride and groom and their wedding date.

Guests registered at a table laid with red linen holding a vase of red roses and baby's breath with trailing streamers. Miss Kim Stansbury, the bride's cousin, presided at the bride's book.

Mrs. E.L. York of Lefors, the bride's aunt, and Mrs. Douglas Blevins, the groom's sister, served refreshments to the guests during the reception.

The couple are at home at 100 E. Diamond.

Bridal Shower Selections Now On Display For...

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Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hambricht announce the birth of their first child, Matthew Daniel, a seven pound, thirteen and one fourth ounce son, born January 24 at Wichita General Hospital.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Hambricht of Iowa Park and the maternal grandparents are Mrs. Patsy Fullerton of Wichita Falls and B.N. Fullerton of San Angelo.

Paternal great-grandparents are A.F. Hambricht of Chico and Mrs. Pearl Minnix of Holliday. Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Lola Corder of Electra and Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Fullerton of Loving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall House of Coram, New York announce the birth of an eight pound one and a fourth ounce son, Philip Jason, January 7th. Mrs. House is the former Becky Spruiell. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Spruiell and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne House of Iowa Park.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Ed Mulhauser of Iowa Park and Zapata and Mrs. Hill Spruiell of Iowa Park. Paternal great-grandparents are Mrs. W.N. House of Iowa Park and Mrs. W.J. Edwards of Wichita Falls.

Mahlers host monthly event

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mahler hosted the monthly dinner meeting of Christian Workers Class of First United Methodist Church Thursday evening. Twenty-five members and six guests attended.

Foreign airmen stationed at Sheppard AFB who were among the guests were AC Mostafa Mostafa and Moh'd Mostafa from Jordan, SSGT. Zemon Loheem from Morocco. They were accompanied by Mrs. Iline Swadley from the base. Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Dick were other guests.

Others attending were Messrs. and Meses. Floyd Harrison, J.C. Ralston, R.M. Thompson, Carroll Hester,

George Trammell, Swan Reaves, Elgin Denny;

Mmes. Cleo Hines, Bertha McDonald, Ida Parker, Kathleen Hatten, Emma Gauntt, Effie Walsh, Katherine Sue Jaquart; Miss Jane Gauntt and Glen Apple.

Following the meal, the group played games for diversion.



MRS. CHARLES DAVID KINGCADE

Candy sale to begin

Camp Fire Girls will start selling Russell Stover candy Friday and will continue selling through Feb. 13.

The council-wide candy sale is the one big project the girls have during the year. This year they will offer three varieties: mint patties, peanut delights and assorted chocolates at \$1.50 per box.

The annual candy sale supplements funds used to operate three council-owned camps: Harrell Park, Camp Letoli and Lake Arrowhead Camp Site. A percentage of the funds collected will go to individual groups to help pay for the expenses of each group's projects.

Girls selling the candy will be working for prizes which include embroidered patches, Camp Fire bracelets, Dino, the Dinosaur, Letoli camperships, autograph books and tote bags. The prizes they win depend on the number of boxes of candy they sell.

New Meter Connections

John Blair - 704 N. Wall St.

Janice Beason - 908 S. Colorado



TERESA ANN WEEDON and JOHN SYKES

Announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Weedon of Bryan announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Ann, to John Sykes, a former Iowa Parkan, son of Mrs. Jan Sykes of Waco.

The wedding will take place May 21st at Bryan.

Miss Weedon was graduated from Bryan High School and attended Texas A&M University. She is

presently employed by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at the university.

John, a graduate of Iowa Park High School, is a senior at Texas A&M University majoring in animal science. He has made the honor roll consistently at the university where he belongs to Gamma Sigma Delta, Alpha Zeta and Saddle and Sirlain.

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CITY OF IOWA PARK, TEXAS COMBINED BALANCE SHEETS ALL FUNDS AND ACCOUNT GROUPS December 31, 1976

	General Fund	Water & Sewer Fund	Revenue Bond & Ret. & Res. Fund	Revenue Sharing	Debt Service Fund	Trust & Agency	General Fixed Assets	General Long Term Debt
Cash	\$69,597.24	\$9,554.33	\$9,049.70	\$15,734.51	\$14,499.17	\$1,637.42		
Investments (CD'S)	57,782.25	50,000.00		25,000.00				
Accounts Receivable		7,460.57						
Taxes Receivables Current	65,603.30							
Taxes Receivable Delinquent	7,062.05							
Interest & Penalties Receiv.	2,093.94							
Due from Other Funds						8,657.16		
Land		300,326.00						
Buildings and Structures		1,456,272.54					93,438.49	
Improvements other than Buildings		1,787,996.87					178,977.44	
Machinery & Equipment		49,850.04					216,193.93	
Allowance for Depreciation		(725,127.31)					(184,004.16)	
Amt. to be provided for G.O. Bonds								1,482,681.58
Amt. available for G.O. Bonds								318.42
TOTAL ASSETS	202,138.78	2,936,333.04	9,049.70	40,734.51	14,499.17	10,294.58	304,605.70	1,483,000.00
Vouchers Payable	919.92	100.68				27.44		
Due to other Funds	5,509.49	3,147.67						
Matured Bonds Payable								
Customer Deposits		31,159.61			16,000.00			
General Obligations Bonds Payable								1,483,000.00
Revenue Bonds Payable		544,000.00						
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,429.41	578,407.96			16,000.00	27.44		1,483,000.00
Investments in Gen. Fixed Assets							304,605.70	
Contributions from Municipality		1,669,000.00						
Contributions from Gen. Public	7,938.27		9,049.70	40,734.51	(1,500.83)	10,267.14		
Fund Balance	187,771.10							
Retained Earnings		688,925.08						
Total Liabilities & other Credits	\$202,138.78	2,936,333.04	9,049.70	40,734.51	14,499.17	10,294.58	304,605.70	1,483,000.00

NOTE 1. The large amount of cash and CD's in the Water & Sewer Fund & Revenue Sharing Fund can be accounted for by the fact none of the Budgeted Capital Outlay items have been purchased as of the date of this statement.

NOTE 2. The large amount of cash in the General Fund is due to the large amount of Taxes received in October, November and December and will be required for operations of the General Government, Police Department, Street Department, Parks & Recreation, Fire Department and Sanitation Department. 80% of the

revenue for these departments is derived from Taxes and since approximately 88% of the 1976 Taxes have been collected there will be little additional revenue for the General Fund until October 1977. The monthly operating expenses for these departments is approximately \$33,000.

NOTE 3. This balance sheet does not reflect accrued expenses, prepaid expenses or accrued revenues as of 31 December 1976.

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Musicians earn honors

Several Hawk Band students have received top honors in area competition during December and January, according to David Mooney, band director.

In December, Mark Stucki, Risa Roberts and Ricky Blair made the All-Region Orchestra. Mark Stucki was named to All-Area Band in competition held last week-end.

The Hawk Band students hosted the All-District Band in Iowa Park Jan. 8 and 15 and five local students made All-District Band. These were Mark Stucki, french horn; Lee Gwinn, trumpet; Lori Dick, timpani; Tim Adcock, percussion; and Regina Sargent, clarinet.

Mark Stucki and Risa Roberts were also named to All-Region Band.

Tournament places told

Iowa Park students who placed in the Vernon Speech Tournament held recently were announced this week.

In novice solo acting Connie Jennings won first and Lynn Wright won second. Robbie Raine placed second and Cherry Little placed third in varsity.

Becky Dickerson placed second in varsity humorous monologue. In dramatic monologue, second place went to Steve Anderson, novice and Mike Britton was third. Lydia Bushfield placed second and Elaine Cole placed third in varsity dramatic monologue.

In duet acting, first place was awarded Cheryl Hathaway and Lisa Shults in the novice division. Robbie Raine and Lydia Bushfield were first place winners in varsity; second place winners were Jeanna Dickerson and Becky Dickerson and third place honors went to Vicky Raine and Kathy Ladwig.

Cathy Griffin received third place in varsity prose reading.

ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Lydia Horton attended Home Interior and Gifts Seminar in Dallas last weekend. She received a diamond ring and pounce bowl for outstanding sales.

Cook of the Week

"Probably the only gal in the country that divides her time between the electric typewriter and the cement mixer", stated Mrs. Roy (Fern) McAllister in thinking about her doing her own remodeling, panelling, painting, porch building and using her electric cement mixer to pour her own sidewalks. A glance at her busy life shows clearly that she divides her time between many worthwhile and constructive things.

She is a piano, organ and voice teacher with studios in Holliday and Wichita Falls and a bookkeeper for Sadberry Trucking Co. and Teal Music Co. She is a member of First Baptist Church at Holliday, Major Francis Grice Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Wichita Falls Musicians Club. She is very active in participating in the musical presentations of both clubs. When time allows she enjoys her hobbies which are sewing, crafts, painting and she likes to work in her yard and flower beds during the summer.

As busy as she is, Mrs. McAllister is aware that her role as a wife, mother and homemaker is of first importance. Her husband, Roy, is an accountant and business manager for Taylor Foundry Co. in Wichita Falls. They have a son, Kevin, a senior at Holliday High School, and a daughter, Katha, age 5, a kindergarten student.

Many cooks attribute their success as cooks to their mothers. A footnote to the One-Two-Three-Four Cake recipe reads "This was my mother's favorite recipe and it was the first thing I learned to bake as a little girl". Another favorite recipe for her family is Empanadas, which they acquired during their two-year stay in the Philippines when Mr. McAllister was stationed there in the Army.



Mrs. Roy McAllister

EMPANADAS
 Make your flakiest pie crust recipe and chill until needed.
FILLING:
 1 lb. finely chopped lean beef
 2 medium onions
 1 green pepper
 1 clove garlic, chopped
 1 large ripe tomato, chopped
 1 t sugar
 1 T flour
 Chili powder to taste
 Salt to taste

Chop vegetables very fine and fry in a little salad oil until well cooked. Add meat, seasonings and flour. Stir and cook 15 minutes.

Cut chilled pastry into small pieces. Roll into thin rounds. Place a spoonful of filling on each round. Wet edges of pastry with a little cold water. Fold over and press edges together. The empanadas may either be baked in a hot oven or fried in deep fat, the oven usually is preferred. They are little meat pies suitable for many occasions. They can be made small for party snacks or larger ones for main course of regular meal.

ONE-TWO-THREE-FOUR CAKE
 1 cup butter
 2 cups sugar
 4 eggs
 3 cups flour

2 t baking powder
 1 cup milk
 1 t vanilla extract
 Cream butter, adding sugar gradually. Add egg yolks and beat thoroughly. Sift dry ingredients and add alternately with milk. Add vanilla and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in layers 375° for 25 minutes. Finish with your favorite icing recipe.

Note: This is the easiest "from scratch" cake you can make.

STEAK AND ONION PIE
 1 medium round steak, cubed
 1/4 cup flour
 2 t salt
 1/8 t pepper
 1/2 t paprika
 2 1/2 cups hot water
 2 cups diced potatoes
 Dash of ginger
 1/4 cup cooking oil
 1 cup sliced onions

Coat meat with mixture of flour, salt, pepper and spices. Add potatoes and onions, cook until golden. (Less trouble to add after meat is browned on one side and turned once.) Add water, cover and simmer 10 minutes. Pour into greased pan, cover with flaky crust, brush with milk. Bake 25 minutes at 450° or until crust is golden brown.

GREEN BEAN CASSEROLE
 2 cans seasoned green beans
 1 can Campbell Cheddar Cheese Soup
 1 can French fried onions
 Cook beans and season to taste. Melt undiluted soup in double boiler. Put beans in casserole, cover with soup, sprinkle onions on top. Place in 350° oven 5 minutes or until onions are hot.

CORN MEAL CHESS PIE
 1 1/2 cups sugar
 2 1/2 T cornmeal
 3 eggs beaten
 1 T vanilla
 1 T melted butter
 Mix sugar and meal. Add the beaten eggs, butter and vanilla. Mix together and pour in unbaked pie shell. Bake at 350° until firm and brown.

CHILI SAUCE (Tomato Relish)
 3 quarts ripe tomatoes, peeled, cut small
 2 large onions, chopped
 3 large green peppers, seeded, chopped
 1/2 cup sugar
 4 t salt
 2 cups cider vinegar
 1 bunch celery
 1/2 t ground cloves
 1 T dry mustard
 1 stick cinnamon
 1 lb. brown sugar

Scald tomatoes, peel and cook 15 minutes; drain off half of juice. Chop remaining vegetables, add tomatoes; simmer about 1 1/2 hours. Tie spices in cloth bag; add remaining ingredients to tomato mixture, continue cooking 1 1/2 hours. Remove spice bag. Fill clean hot jars and seal.

Note: This is a favorite to add to beans, serve with roast and it is especially delicious used for a dip with chips.

Small arms range is off limits

The Sheppard Air Force Base small arms range which is located on Rte. Range Road near Iowa Park is off limits to all persons not scheduled for training.

Trespassing is not only illegal but also dangerous. Sheppard officials point out. Captain Dale Morfeld of Operations Division, 3750th Air Base Group at Sheppard is in charge of scheduling the use of this range.

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cuttings and roots removed; level and shape the roadbed with parking by Mar. 1; trees planted, water line in, and maintenance available by April 1; and grass seeded by May 15.

Mayor Crawford, with approval of the council, named members of a committee to study the city's electrical code ordinances and examinations for electricians.

He named Rip Smith, home builder; Charlie Lee, industry; Bud Mercer, master electrician; Kenneth Clary, journeyman electrician; Wayne House, utility; and is yet to name a member at large.

The same group is to also serve as members of the electrical examining board, and will have length of terms set up that all are not expiring at the same time.

Aldermen also approved the city's sponsorship of a dinner meeting of the Northwest Texas Water Association, a group of city water department employees from this area. Twelve cities sponsor meetings once a month, at which speakers and educational programs are presented.

Council members also approved publication of the semi-annual financial statement of the city.

Girls win 18th

Iowa Park's eighth grade girls stretched their season winning streak to 18 victories with wins over Graham and Petrolia.

While the eighth grade girls maintain an 18-0 season mark, the seventh grade girls have been upset only once as they hang on to a 7-1 record.

The eighth graders picked up No. 18 Monday night by downing Petrolia 42-19. Jill Watts was highpoint with 20, trailed by Joann McClurg with 16.

The seventh graders won their contest with Petrolia in a 23-13 shoot out. Tammie Richardson paced Iowa Park with 13 while Lindy Neeley sacked up six.

Watts led the eighth graders with 14 points in Iowa Park's 35-11 win over Graham. McClurg scored

nine. The seventh and eighth grade boys and girls will host Henrietta this afternoon with the first of four games set to begin at 4 p.m. The eighth grade girls and boys will travel to Burk Burnett for Monday's court action.

Educators set meeting

Teacher education and professional standards as they relate to accountability and other areas of concern for educators will be the topic of discussion at the District IX workshop Friday.

The meeting, open to professional personnel in the district, will be held at Northwest Junior High School in Wichita Falls. It will begin at 5 p.m. with a complimentary dinner followed by group discussions and a wrap up session.

Harold Bonham, Beatrice Campbell, Tillie Himstedt, Bill Phillips, John Seddon, and Selina Smith will serve as group leaders.

Linda Bonham, District TEPS chairperson, Jim Coulston, and Otis Polk will serve as district resource people. Dean Miller and ClayRene Brown will serve as resource people from the state TEPS Committee, and Bill Potts will represent the Texas State Teachers Association.

Municipal Court Records

Results of municipal court held here last Thursday were:

Linda Kay Frederick, negligent collision, \$17.50;

Richard E. Dietrichson Jr., no operators license, \$27.50; Danny J. Haynes, failure to yield right of way, \$27.50; Sargent Lester Baptist, speeding, \$44.50;

Young Maxie McClendon, speeding, \$47.50; Owen Clint Allen, speeding, \$27.50;

Jackie Ray Britt, violation of restriction, suspended two months, probated six months; Lee Carlston Turner, habitual violator, six months suspended, probated six months;

Gordon Clark Bohannon, habitual violator, suspended six months; James Ernest Stewart, violation of probation, suspended six months;

Christopher Columbus Bennett, incapable of passing examination, license revoked by default.

Burrell, 802 Vogel.

The Chorale, which began its spring concert tour series this week, has appeared with such groups as the Dallas and San Antonio Symphony Orchestras in addition to its many concerts. Other concerts during the week will be at Fort Worth, Midland, Big Spring and Irving.

The public is invited to attend the concert this evening.

ETSU chorale to sing here

East Texas State University's 50-member Chorale will sing at First Baptist Church today at 7:30 p.m. The select group of voice majors is under the direction of Charles Nelson, voice instructor and associate professor of music at ETSU. Betsy Burrell, an alto with the Chorale, is a graduate of Iowa Park High School. She is a sophomore music education major at the university and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Derrell

Trio eliminated in tournament

A trio of Iowa Park boxers were eliminated from a trip to the finals during the second night of competition during the Sunrise Optimist Boxing Tournament in Wichita Falls.

Wazoo Loving of Iowa Park was forced to retire to the gloves of Tom Walls of

Southwest Boys Club in Friday night's Sportsman Division competition.

Kent Fairchild of Iowa Park lost a decision bout to Larry Denney of Holliday in the Novice Division.

Ricky Sidlauskas of Iowa Park defaulted to Gary Jackson of Southeast Boys Club.

As I See It....

by BOB HAMILTON



One of the provisions you will find in the proposed new Home Rule Charter, to be voted on April 2 by voters of Iowa Park, is for a city manager.

I'm wondering how many people are still against having a city manager. It was one of the major issues when the last unsuccessful charter was put before the people.

I'm wondering how many people fears, half-truths, mistruths and outright lies that were put out about what a city manager would mean to and cost citizens.

It's a sad thing to say, but charges are made that, prior to the last election, the mis-truths and lies came primarily out of the city hall. I wouldn't know.

I do know that people told me they voted against the charter because they understood a city manager would require a salary around \$28,000 or higher, require a secretary, a car, and would be the ruin of the city with his spending because a council wouldn't be able to control him.

Those same people apparently never gave thought to what was already happening to our city government and its finances, or what it was costing in personal effort of those who were elected to serve on the city council.

Our City aldermen, realizing the need of full-time management, hired a city administrator. They first interviewed numerous applicants, and true, most of those who were

apparently qualified, did want a handsome salary.

But they found the man they thought right for the job. And he was. They were right.

Gene Britton is one of the hardest-working, most-dedicated men I've ever seen, regardless of what the job, position or salary.

I truly admire him.

Not only did he walk into an almost hopeless situation, of working with an almost entirely new council, hardly any of whom knew anything about city government, but the city was in dire financial condition. And he, himself, knew little or nothing about city government, having been a career Air Force officer.

But he came, he dug in, he worked, and has continued to work, more hours than any of us know.

He has, with the help of the mayor and council members, worked out a plan to put the city back on a sound financial position, mainly by providing the council with regular, accurate

financial reports.

He has worked hard to learn city government, and today is the most knowledgeable person alive on Iowa Park city ordinances. He has researched most of the law books concerning cities.

I truly believe, that what he doesn't know about his job and our community, he will learn it in the near future.

Not only does he take short lunch breaks, he is at work early and stays late, despite knowing he must meet with one committee or another, besides the council, at least three nights of every week.

Britton is costing the city about \$12,000 a year in salary. He has no secretary and he uses his own car.

Maybe the people who sounded the alarm about what a city manager would do to Iowa Park could have been right, had not the right man been named as administrator.

But so far, they've been dead wrong.

Young Farmers receive awards

Iowa Park members of the Wichita County Young Farmers received several awards at the state convention in San Antonio.

Iowa Park Young Farmers chapter won the state award for radio and television publicity.

Phil McClendon was runner-up for the outstanding agri-businessman in the state.

Rex Wells, Harold Phillips and Barry Mahler, local president and Area IV vice president, attended the convention that attracted 700 members from across the state.

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International unity is focus of program

Focusing on international program Thursday afternoon, the 23 Study Club featured a talk by

Nguyen Liem, refugee from South Vietnam who came to Iowa Park with his wife and three daughters under the sponsorship of Faith Baptist Church in 1975, and a talk by Miss Titia Belle Blanks on "The Panama Canal Problem."

The meeting took place in the home of Mrs. Homer Blalock with Mrs. Rollins Woodall serving as co-hostess.

Mrs. Glen Miller contributed the meditation on "Acceptance". Mrs. Travis Smith prefaced the reading of two poems for the arts number with friendship quotations. The poems she read were "New Friends and Old Friends" by Joseph Perry and "The House by the Side of the Road" by Sam Walter Faust.

Mrs. Jim Miller, a special guest, introduced Mr. Liem, a graduate of Saigon University and Southern Methodist University, who is now employed at Cryovac. Accompanied by Mrs. Liem, he acknowledged the difficulties for the family during the transition period but emphasized that they were grateful for the opportunity of living in America and especially in Iowa Park.

He described the weather, food, language, education and marriage customs of his country and placed special emphasis upon the honor bestowed upon parents. He said that children were taught to respect their parents and teachers, and that they did not go anywhere without permission from the fathers. A high point of interest in Mr. Liem's talk was a short demonstration of the language showing how the accent of one letter in the word could give the same word six different meanings. The word he used was "la" and the accent given the "a" determined the meaning of the word.

Miss Blanks' topic dealt with the question of whether the United States should

relinquish control of the Panama Canal to Panama. Starting with colonial times when men dreamed of digging a canal across the isthmus of Panama to link the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, she said that work was started in the 1880's by a French company and during President Theodore Roosevelt's administration the U.S. acquired the rights to the project which was finally opened to traffic in August 1914.

She discussed various negotiations between the U.S. and Panama for a new treaty to replace the 1903 treaty up to 1974 when Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and Panamanian Foreign Minister Juan Antonio Tack signed an agreement on eight principles to guide subsequent negotiations.

Mrs. Joe Singer, president, presided at the coffee and punch services during the social hour.

Other members attending were Mmes. Earl Watson, E.F. Soell, W.G. Steele, T.M. Thaxton, O.E. Lochridge, Chauncey Weiler, C.E. Birk, Fred Widmoyer, D.O. James, L.E. Brooks, James A. Sewell, Earle Denny and Miss Ethyle Kidwell.

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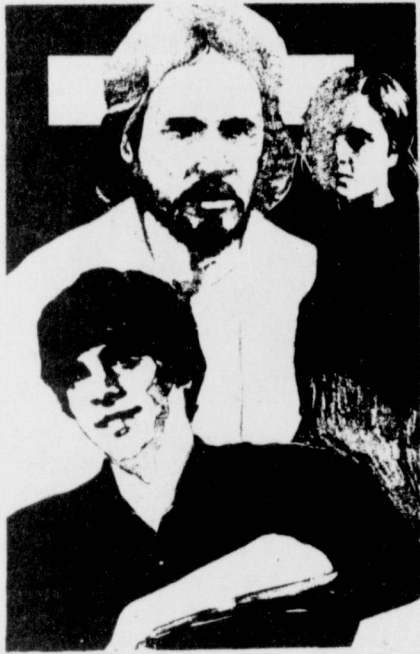
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SANDRA SOREY

Sandra Sorey is recognized

Sandra Sorey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sorey, has been selected as the Opti-Mrs. student of the month. She was honored for her academic achievements in business.

A senior at Iowa Park High School, she is an active member of OEA and is employed as a bookkeeper at State National Bank. Her future plans include attending Midwestern State University majoring in business and data processing.

Lee speaks to Lions

Charlie Lee, manager of the Iowa Park Cryovac plant, was guest speaker Tuesday at the Noon Lions Club.

Lee told of expansion plans now underway at the plant, and also explained how the plant's primary product, the "Barrier Bag" is made and used by costumers.

He mentioned that when the expansion project is completed, and the work force is raised to slightly more than 400, Cryovac's payroll in Iowa Park will exceed \$3.5 million annually.



Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tanner of Wichita Falls announce the birth of Stephen Douglas, an eight pound and twelve ounce son, January 17th. He has one sister, Lisa, four years of age.

Mrs. Tanner is the former Donna Childers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Childers of Iowa Park, Mrs. Bettye Tanner and A.M. Tanner of Wichita Falls.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Hicks of Wichita Falls.

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Obituaries

Mrs. Maude Ann Bush

Services were Friday at Owens & Brumley Funeral Home in Wichita Falls for Mrs. Maude Ann Bush, 89, of Holliday.

Mrs. Bush died Jan. 18 in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Rev. Roy Stewart, pastor of Faith Tabernacle Church, officiated. Burial was in Holliday Cemetery.

Mrs. Bush was born Nov. 16, 1887, in Tennessee.

Survivors include two sons, C.L. Minnix and R.P. Minnix, both of El Cajon, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Sally Ghormley of Sheridan, Wyo., Mrs. Ila Howard of Waco, Mrs. Della Howard and Mrs. Edna Minnix,

both of Holliday; three step-sons, T.A. Bush of California and A.M. and W.L. Bush, both of Monahans; a step-daughter, Mrs. Jessie Loftis of Arkansas; 13 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

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tional training, diagnostic and evaluative services, transportation, educational, social, recreational and other programs geared especially for the visually handicapped are encouraged.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the State National Bank of Iowa Park

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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

	Thousands of dollars
ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	3,958
U.S. Treasury securities	None
Obligations of other U.S. Gov't. agencies and corps.	1,515
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	2,049
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	None
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	6
Trading account securities	None
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	225
Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	5,202
Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	157
Loans, Net	5,045
Direct lease financing	None
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	132
Real estate owned other than bank premises	None
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	304
Other assets	13,234
TOTAL ASSETS	5,638
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.	4,840
Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.	21
Deposits of United States Government	1,313
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	None
Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions	100
Deposits of commercial banks	227
Certified and officers' checks	12,139
TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	6,494
Total time and savings deposits	5,645
Total deposits in foreign offices	None
TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	12,139
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None
Liabilities for borrowed money	None
Mortgage indebtedness	None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None
Other liabilities	182
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	12,321
Subordinated notes and debentures	None
Preferred stock No. shares outstanding None (par value)	None
Common stock a. No. shares authorized 10,000	100
b. No. shares outstanding 10,000 (par value)	100
Surplus	713
Undivided profits	0
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	913
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	13,234
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	13,234
MEMORANDA	
Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:	
Cash and due from banks	3,713
Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	110
Total loans	5,199
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices	790
Total deposits	11,777
Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None
Liabilities for borrowed money	None
Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	2
Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	725
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	152

I, Roberta Hill
Name
Vice President & Cashier
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Roberta Hill
Signature

January 21, 1977
Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Carl Chode
Stanley Hillman
Directors

HAVE WE ETERNAL LIFE NOW?

A popular answer would be, Yes! The Scriptural answer is undoubtedly, No.

1.-Because eternal life is a matter of promise.

"This is the promise that he hath promised us, even eternal life" (1 John 2:25). "Eternal life, which God, who cannot lie, promised before the world began" (Titus 1:2). "According to the promise of life which is in Christ Jesus" (2 Tim. 1:1).

The fact of eternal life being a subject of promise is proof that it is not the subject of present possession, for what a man has in his possession is no longer "promised" to him.

2.-Because it is in the world or age to come that eternal life is to be received and enjoyed.

"He shall receive...in the world to come, eternal life" (Mark 10:30). "He that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal" (John 12:25). "God will render...to them who...seek for glory, honour, and immortality, eternal life...in the day when God shall judge the secrets of men by Jesus Christ" (Rom. 2:7, 16). "The righteous shall go into life eternal" (Matt. 25:46).

If it is in the age to come that eternal life is to be conferred, it is manifest that it cannot be possessed in the present age.

3.-Because "eternal life" means strictly "the life of the Age to come"; the word in the New Testament being derived from the Greek word for "Age". It is truly life which will never end, and therefore is also translated "everlasting life".

"They who shall be accounted worthy to obtain that world...neither can they die any more" (Luke 20:36). "I give unto my sheep eternal life, and they shall never perish" (John 10:28). "The wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord" (Rom. 6:23).

If eternal life is everlasting life, it follows that in the present state we lack it, seeing our life is not everlasting, but comes to an end, necessitating our return to mother earth.

4.-Because eternal or everlasting life results from a change of this corruptible and mortal body into an incorruptible and immortal one.

"He shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body" (Phil. 3:21). "This corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality" (1 Cor. 15:53). "Clothed upon, that mortality may be swallowed up of life" (2 Cor. 5:4).

Our present mortal and corruptible state

is therefore evidence that we do not possess immortal life.

BUT YOU WILL SAY

"There are passages that plainly say we have eternal life," e.g., "Ye have eternal life" (1 John 5:13); "God hath given to us eternal life" (verse 11); "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life" (John 3:36). True, there are such passages; but what are we to do with them? Are we to put such a meaning upon them as will contradict and make the other passages meaningless and useless? or are we to understand them in harmony with the other passages? There is only one wise answer: We must find the point of view that harmonizes them. The Scripture is at one with itself, and if we make it clash, there is something wrong in our interpretations.

You cannot make the idea of an actual possession of eternal life agree with the passages which tell us it is a future thing; but you can make the idea of an actual future possession agree with statements that speak of it as a present possession. You ask, "How?" The answer is: By noting the custom of Scripture to speak of future things that are certain as though they were present. Examples:

"A father of many nations have I made thee" [when as yet Abram had no son]-(Gen. 17:5).

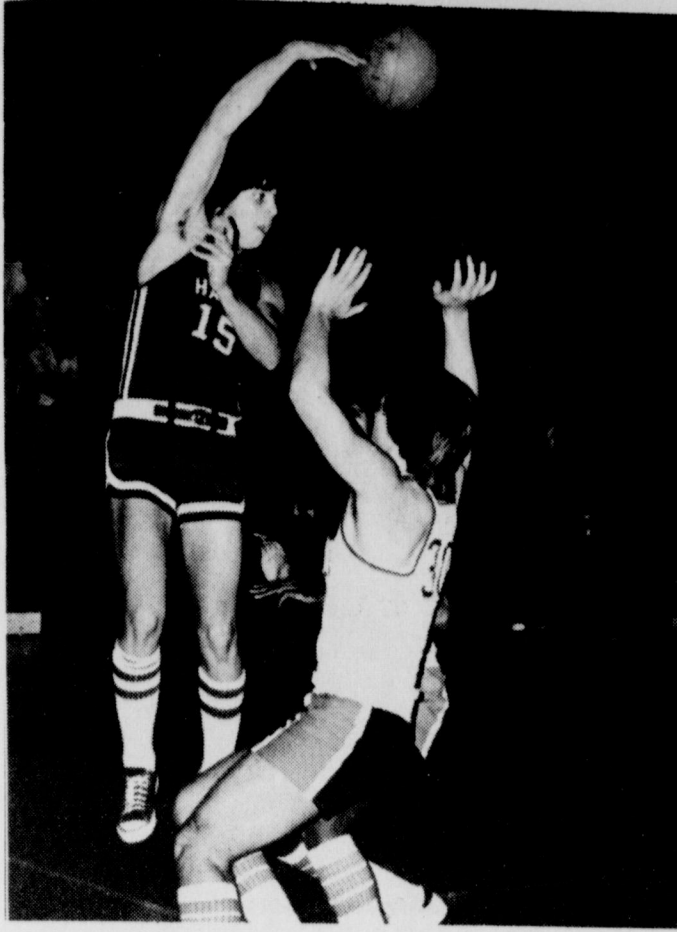
"Unto thy seed have I given this land" [when as yet there was no seed]-(Gen. 15:18).

"I [Isaac] have made him [Jacob] thy [Esau's] Lord, and all his brethren have I given to him for servants; and with corn and wine have I sustained him" [when as yet Jacob had realized none of these things]-(Gen. 27:37).

There are many other examples. A single New Testament illustration may suffice: Jesus in prayer said to the Father, "The glory which thou hast given me, I have given them" (John 17:22), when as yet, even Jesus himself was not glorified (John 7:39). Jesus said, "I give my sheep eternal life". In the sense in which he gives it to them—in promise and guarantee—in that sense they "have" it—not actually, but in the certainty of its future possession.

Christ now has it actually, and those who possess him possess it, for he is our life (Col. 3:4), and that life is eternal life, and this life is in Christ only (1 John 5:11). Christ dwells in the believer's heart by faith (Eph. 3:17). In this sense, and in this sense only, eternal life abides in him. But this sense is a very important sense, for the possession of eternal life by faith will lead to its actual glorious possession in the age to come.

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UP AND OVER
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7-point difference in four games

Basketball games aren't played much closer than they were here Tuesday night.

In four games, varsity and junior varsity both boys and girls, the total point spread was only seven points. Unfortunately, all four were won by Burkburnett.

The Hawks lost 52-53 in overtime, the Hawk JV lost 65-66 in double overtime, the Hawkettes lost 31-32 on a basket scored the four seconds remaining, and the Hawkette JV lost 34-38.

Coach Mike Billingsley threw up a different look at the Bulldogs Tuesday, who three weeks earlier had humbled the Hawks by 22 points, 85-63.

Introducing for the first time a spread offensive formation, the Hawks zoomed to a 15-9 spread before blowing it with turnovers to hold a scant 17-14 first quarter rest period lead.

Burkburnett countered with a zone defense which threw the Hawks off balance, and the 'Dogs led 35-32 at halftime, and they held on to lead 46-41 after three periods.

Rusty Price sank a long jump shot with 2:06 remaining in regulation time to tie the score at 46-all, and after getting the ball back Iowa Park stalled for one last shot, taken by Doug Rogers at the buzzer, but missed.



BASKETBALL BALLET
...everyone, almost, was on her toes for rebound.

Play became extremely hectic the final minute of the overtime period. Burkburnett led 48-46 and added a free shot before Eddie Cannedy narrowed the gap to 48-49 with a layup with 57 seconds remaining.

Daniel York fouled a Bulldog with 17 seconds, resulting in a pair of free shots, but Doug Rogers hit a pair of charity tosses with 12 seconds showing on the clock, making it 50-51.

Still trying to get the ball back, Jim Rowell drew his fifth foul with seven seconds remaining. Burk hit both, 50-53.

Donnie Taylor drove the length of the floor for a layup but couldn't draw a foul as the ball went in, and that left the final score at 52-53. The ball had gone through the net with only a tick remaining on the clock.

Rogers finished as high scorer for the Hawks with 14, York had 12 and Price 11.

The Hawkettes were six points down before scoring their first field goal with only 2:33 remaining in the first quarter, but they

worked their way back to lead 26-25 after three periods.

Holding a one-point lead, a Burkburnett girl threw a desperation attempt from the top of the key with four seconds remaining in the game. It bounced off the backboard and through the nets, giving the visitors a 32-31 victory.

Wendy Baston was high for Iowa Park with 10, and Kim Baea was nine.

The Hawk JV led 17-15, 31-22 and 45-36 after each of the quarters, but allowed the visitors to knot the score with only seconds remaining on the clock, 53-53.

Both teams stood at 61-61 after the first three-minute overtime, and Burk pulled it out in the last effort of the

second overtime, 66-65.

HAWKS WIN

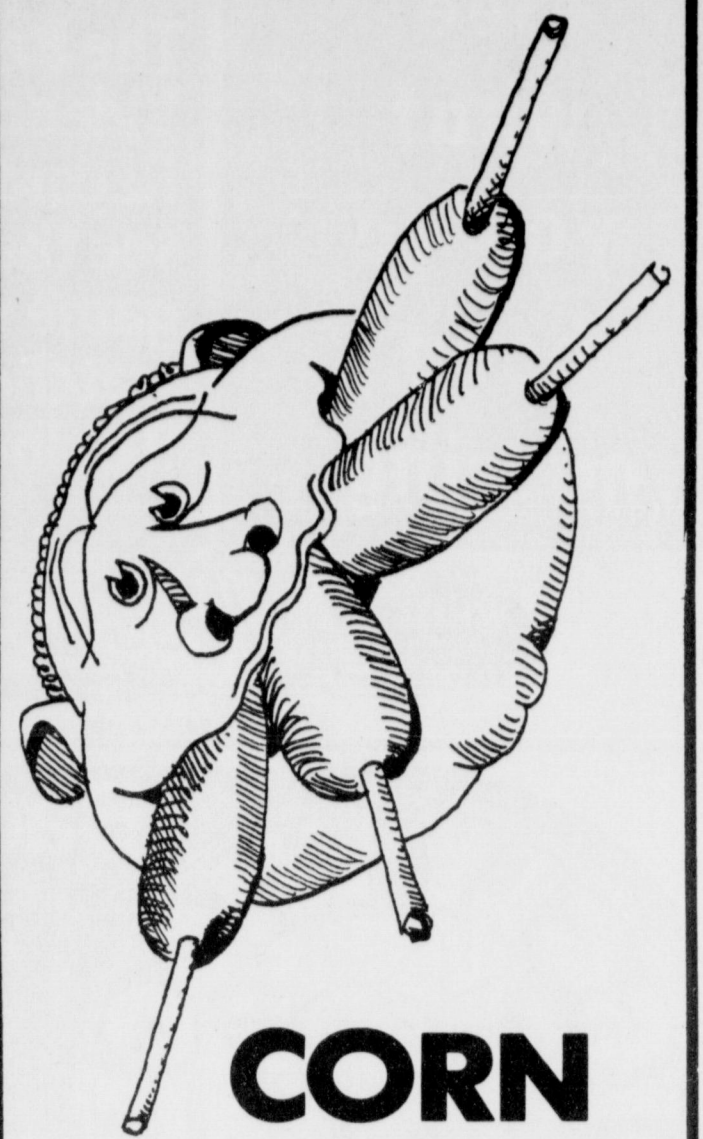
The Hawks defeated Stephenville's Yellow Jackets on their home court 63-45 Friday.

Led by Rogers with 17, York with 14 and Rowell with 10, Iowa Park held 15-8, 29-24 and 43-32 quarter scores.

Stephenville's powerful girls' team dominated Iowa Park, rolling to a 34-0 first-quarter lead and cruising to a 71-30 victory. Connie Schrieber led with 12 points.

Iowa Park hosts Weatherford tomorrow, with both boys teams and girls' varsity to see action. First game is to start at 5 p.m.

Tuesday both varsities and junior varsities travel to Vernon.



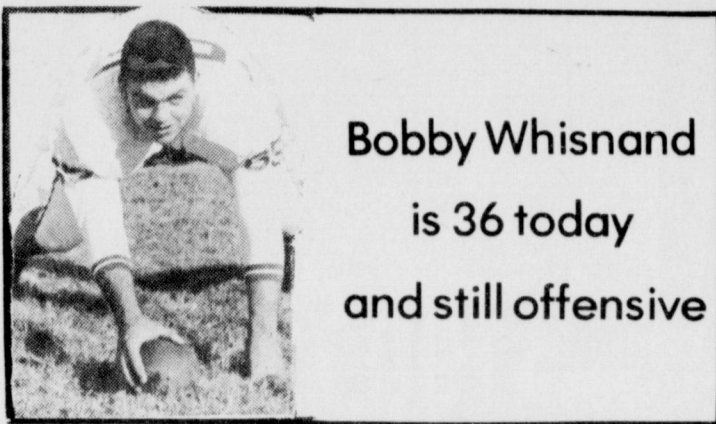
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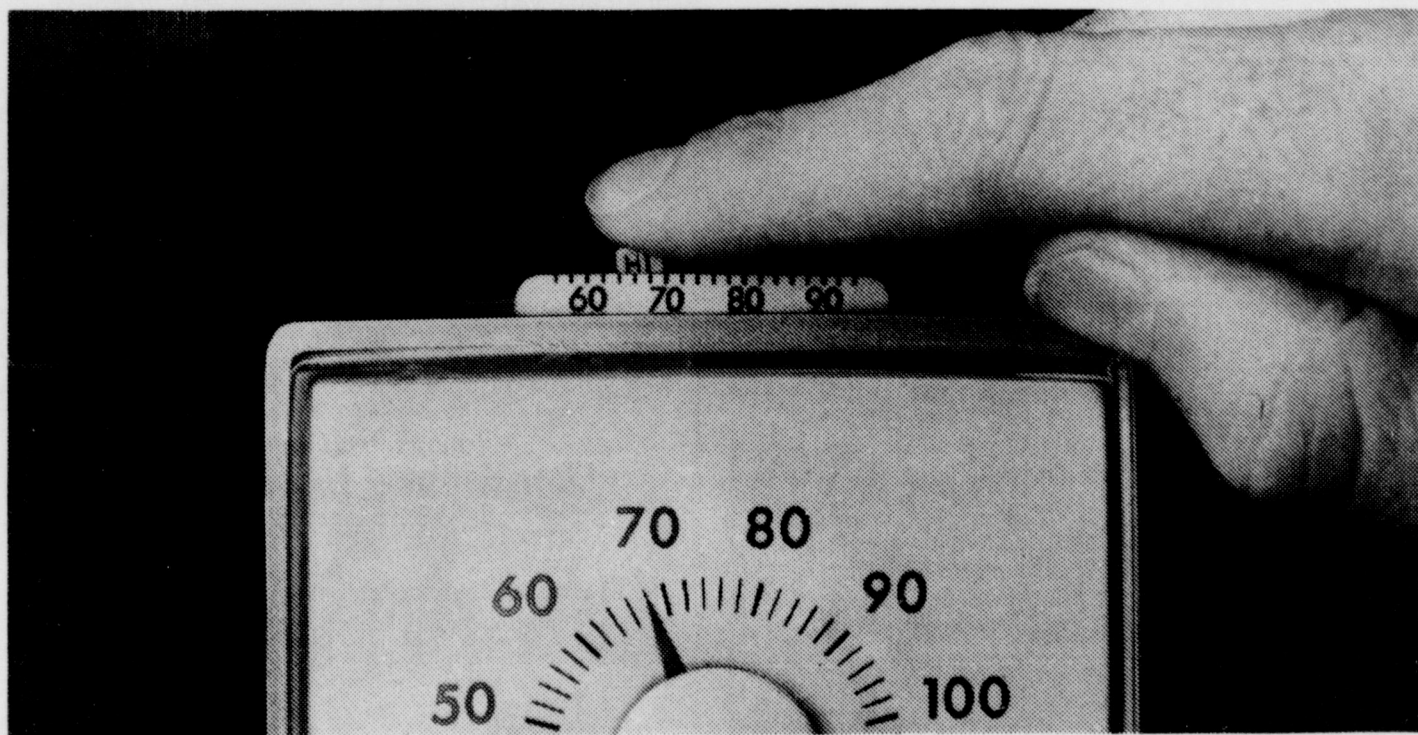
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\$200	383	1-in-24,687	1-in-1,899	1-in-949
\$100	765	1-in-12,359	1-in-951	1-in-475
\$50	1,530	1-in-6,179	1-in-475	1-in-238
\$25	3,060	1-in-3,089	1-in-238	1-in-119
\$10	6,120	1-in-1,544	1-in-119	1-in-59
\$5	12,240	1-in-772	1-in-59	1-in-29
\$2	24,480	1-in-386	1-in-29	1-in-14
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- Arm & Hammer Laundry **Detergent** 30-oz. Box **49¢**
- Fabric Softener **Downy** 96-oz. Btl. **\$2.19**
- Peter Pan Crunchy or Smooth **Peanut Butter** 18-oz. Jar **89¢**

Tomato Rich **Hunt's Ketchup** Qt. Jar **69¢**

- Piggly Wiggly Halves or Sliced **Cling Peaches** 2 16-oz. Cans **79¢**
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Six weeks honor rolls released

The honor rolls for high school and junior high for the third six weeks were released this week by the principals.

12th Grade AA - Sherry Little, Darla Roberts, Bruce Hammonds, Holly Burrell, Inga Brown, Robin Marquart, Mike Nipper, Reesa Robinson, Jan Tennant.

12th Grade A - Charles Mattis, Robert Dillard, Charles Franks, Brian Catlin, Ricky Blair, Mike Lunsford, Jeff Shierry, Paul Dunsmore, Larry Goin, Dennis Fischer, Sam Forman, Dan Williams, Sherry Dozier, Linda Beall, Sandra Hammack, John Bentley, Elaine Cole, Robin Whiteacre, Karren Brown, Cathy Griffin, Becky Loyd, Kathy

Hines, Patricia Cummings, Dawn Billingsley, Janice Branscum, Carol Buikema, Ricky Kirkland.

11th Grade AA - Johnny Moore, Billy Farmer, Lydia Buchfield, Kathy Johnson, Donna Klinkerman, Rebecca Wetzel, Tracie Siddle, Bick Nguyen, Kay Baca, Darlene Mahler, Cindy Flannagan, Jerretta Soapes, Jacalyn Hale, Evelyn Black.

11th Grade A - Michael Britton, Lee Gwinn, Randy Gibson, Paul Arrington, Stacia Adams, Norman Flowers, Debbie McCreary, Tim Wright, Suzanne Davis, Kevin Ketchersid, Carrie Cole, Mary Johnson, Mark Gregg, Sherry Evans, Michelle Miller.

10th Grade AA - Diana Smith, Jill Koonce, Tenna Cook, Lori Merrill.

10th Grade A - Dale McCreary, Cheryl Dowell, Chuck Thompson, Jo Lynn Duckett, Mare Hildebrand, Vickie Shirley, Tammy Petrich, Connie Bryan, Janice James, Chris Jones, Paul Staber, Rocky Combs, Cheryl McCoy, Wendy Johnson, Lynette Flick, Annette Naney, Kelli Richter, Tandra Wilkerson.

9th Grade AA - Mike Phillips, Carla Hecker, Edie Hayden, Norman Gwinn, Tony Bartow, Regina Sargent, Tim Adeock, Risa Roberts, Helen Gilmore.

9th Grade A - David Sauls, David Morton, Cheryl Doy-

le, Kamela Edwards, Jim Geotze, David Horsky, Judy Aulds, Kit Brown, Michele Baker, Cindy Grace, Mark Solomn, Janice Wheeler, Tanya Jones, Kay Singletary, Rita Ratcliff, Bryan Gibson, Greg Collier, Joanni Jennings, Lien Nguyen, Roger Combs, Karen Arrington, Diane Walls, Carla Nipper, Deane Patterson, Terri Rowell.

8th Grade AA - Wendell Burnam, Ross Cantrell, Matt Curry, Jane Dickey, Kim Durham, Kari Hatcher, Todd Huoni, Michael Lunney, Marian Lunsford, Frances Sampley, Joe Spruie.

8th Grade A - Ruth Robertson, Denny Ander-

son, Randy Billingsley, Larry Britt, Daphne Butler, Steve Cooley, Karrie Culpher, Laura Dowell, Mickie Gregg, Ila Hambricht, Deena Hefner, Jim Hodges, Michael Ladish, Troy Linthicum, MeriLynne Mellroy, Tim McWhorter, Jim Meisel, Michele Mueller, Marc Nowell, Ronda Richter, Tammie Robertson, Linda Rowell, Russell Shawver, Lorena Smith, Steve Smith, Barry Tyler, Gary Wallace, Bart Wetzel, Teresa Young.

7th Grade AA - Michelle Bamber, Eric Birk, Tina Blalack, Robin Combs, Sherry Cox, Jayna Evans, Connie Heard, Tonya Marquart, Buddy Mercer, Shawn Prunty, Jeff Ralston,

Ronny Sawyer, Rose Soell, Jim Smith, Lesley Smith, David Staber, Terry Taylor, Wayne Watson, June Wood, Marianne York.

7th Grade A - Renee Alexander, Bobby Britt, Donna Cook, Kristi Cooley, Kim Costello, DeLayne Davis, Stephen Davis, Jayne Elliott, Terry Escue, Pam Foreman, Susan Gullatt, Steve Hammonds, Barby Harbuck, Ann Kelly, Rowland Ketchersid, Carla Kent, Christi Lemmon, Tammy Lott, Brad Martin, Kim McCoy, Linda Neely, Leslee Phillips, Tammie Richardson, Paul Rowe, Gloria Schmidt, John Sitgreaves, Steve Smith, Darlene Taylor, Mari Thornton, Mark Williams.

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HHS senior wins first in poetry-reading

Pam Franklin, a senior at Holliday High School, won first place in poetry reading at the Top-O-Texas Speech Tournament at Midwestern State University.

Miss Franklin won the first place trophy with her final reading of Sylvia Plath's "Tulips," a dramatic presentation about a woman who tried to commit suicide.

Diana Wylie, also a senior at Holliday High School, placed sixth in poetry reading with her dramatic presentation of "In Her Death and After" by Thomas Hardy.

A total of 15 HHS students attended the two

day tourney, largely dominated by students from AAA and AAAA schools, according to Kay Lucy, HHS speech and drama coach.

The debate team of Don Martin and Bud Wylie is coached by Debbie Reed.

Other HHS students competing included Karen Wilkerson, David Romoser, Tommy Richeson, Renee Jones, Stanley Craddock, Ken Young, Joan Scales, Sonja Burks, Steve Laukhuf, Cindy Martin and Lou Thomas.

District 13-A competition is set for March 29 in Gainesville, Mrs. Lucy said.



HEADED FOR OLNEY - House Speaker Bill Clayton and Rep. Charles Fennell will be in Olney Friday to return the "Mesquite Gavel". Clayton is to speak at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet tomorrow evening, and at that time he will put the set on display at the high school. Olney students made the set from a mesquite post taken from the farm where Clayton was born near Olney. It was used to convene the 65th legislature. Fennell, named by Clayton to chair two sub committees on transportation and business development, ranks 17th among 150 in seniority in the house, where he is serving his fifth term.

Dogs and grants major city topics

Stray dogs and capital improvement grant applications occupied much of the discussion at Tuesday night's regular Holliday City Council meeting.

Toni DeStefano, representing the Wichita County Humane Society, appeared before the council to offer her assistance in solving the city's stray dog problem.

Mrs. DeStefano said she would supply the council with legal materials to aid in compiling a comprehensive animal ordinance for Holliday.

"The problems you have here are no different than in Wichita Falls, Iowa Park or anywhere else...perhaps on a smaller scale," she said.

Her comments came in the wake of an incident two weeks earlier when several dogs were shot by an unauthorized city employee.

She called for a "common sense" approach to animal control, maintaining the root of the problem is with "irresponsible people owning a dog."

She said 13,000 dogs are put to sleep each year in Wichita Falls, and that overpopulation is a major culprit.

Mrs. DeStefano said she would continue to work with the council in adopting an animal control ordinance.

In a related matter, Lomax Campbell, city policeman, asked the council to

adopt an ordinance to control the use of air rifles in the city limits.

Campbell said he has received complaints of children shooting dogs and other children with BB and pellet guns; however, there is no ordinance on the books to control use of air guns since they are not classified as firearms.

The council indicated it would amend the firearm grants to help finance capital improvement projects.

Andrews said the city should know by March 1 whether or not it will receive the \$175,000 applied for under the HUD Block Grant program.

The ongoing sewer treatment plant improvement project, Andrews said, is into Step 2 which includes preparation of plans prior to the actual construction phase.

The council also discussed the problem of policing the municipal dump ground. The city plans to begin prosecuting persons who use the dump without a permit sticker which must be attached to the windshield of the vehicle used for hauling.

The city election was set for the first Saturday in April.

Holding posts up for election include Fred Maier, Jimmy Blankenship and Gene Harmon.

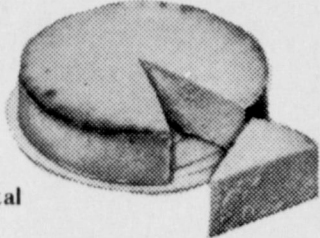
The council also decided to sell water to contractors at the new high school construction site.

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2. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$
3. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$
4. HEALTH	\$	\$
5. RECREATION	\$	\$
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7. SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$
8. FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$ 19.
9. MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT.	\$	\$
10. EDUCATION	\$	\$
11. SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
12. HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
13. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
14. OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$
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THE GOVERNMENT OF HOLLIDAY CITY has received General Revenue Sharing payments totaling \$ 4,615 during the period from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976.

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(D) TRUST FUND REPORT (refer to instruction D)
1. Balance as of June 30, 1976 \$ 2,577
2. Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976 \$ 4,615
3. Interest Received or Credited (July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976) \$
4. Funds Released from Obligations (if ANY) \$ 7,172.
5. Sum of lines 1, 2, 3, 4 \$
6. Funds Returned to GRS (if ANY) \$
7. Total Funds Available \$ 7,172.
8. Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C) \$ 19.
9. Balance as of December 31, 1976 \$ 7,153.

(E) CERTIFICATION: I certify that I am the Chief Executive Officer and with respect to the information reported herein, I certify that they have not been used in violation of either the priority expenditure requirement (Section 103) or the matching funds prohibition (Section 104) of the Act.

Signature of Chief Executive: Leo A. Chappell, Mayor Date: 1-24-77

FHA slates bake sale

The Holliday High School chapter of Future Homemakers of America (FHA) will hold a bake sale from 8 a.m. until noon Saturday in front of the White Auto Store here.

Proceeds of the bake sale will go to the Holliday Volunteer Fire Department which is engaged in a fund drive to purchase a new truck and fire fighting equipment.

Ethel Cook is FHA sponsor here.

Bookkeeping course spills into second class here

Due to the tremendous response to an adult bookkeeping course being offered here, officials at Vernon Regional Junior College plan to open a second class for those who could not be enrolled in the initial section.

Persons who were turned away from the bookkeeping course already in progress should

meet at the Holliday school cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. Monday, said Jim Fritz at Vernon Regional Junior College which sponsors the continuing education courses.

The possibility of beginning an adult typing class also will be discussed at Monday night's meeting, Fritz said.

Days and times of the

additional courses have not been set.

The decision to offer a second bookkeeping course was prompted when 41 persons enrolled earlier this month.

An additional estimated 15 persons showed up for Monday night's meeting, encouraging college officials to open a second bookkeeping course.

Boxing tourney set in February

Holliday Lions Club will sponsor its second annual Holliday Boxing Tournament Feb. 10-12.

The tournament will begin each night at 7:30 p.m. in the Holliday High School gymnasium.

Area boxing teams interested in entering the Holliday tournament should contact the Central Boys Club in Wichita Falls.

Deadline for entering is Feb. 8.

Coach of the Holliday boxing team is Kirby Kellogg.

Gilmore, Minnix Mr., Miss HHS

Bob Gilmore and Gayla Minnix have been selected Mr. and Miss HHS for 1976-77.

They were presented along with other class favorites during the Honors Day program at Holliday High School.

Gilmore and Sylvia Holton were chosen All-School Beauty and Beau.

Other favorites selected by the student body included: Senior Favorites-Vicki Flowers, John Ruby, Gary Dolberry.

Junior Favorites-Monica Walker, Bennie Ezzell.

Sophomore Favorites -- Judy Horner, Dennis Holt, Barry Lawson.

Freshman Favorites -- Nancy O'Neal, Karen Wilkerson, Jody Collier.

Kristi Lucy, Gregg Graves. Seventh Grade Favorites -- Julie Lemons, Joe Chase. Senior Beauty -- Paula Beighley.

Junior Beauty -- Amanda Wood.

Sophomore Beauty -- Laurie Mauldin.

Freshman Beauty -- Karen Wilkerson.

Most Likely to Succeed -- Paula Beighley, Jon Hodges.

Most Studious -- Debbie Wylie, Mark Mankins.

Busiest -- Paula Beighley.

Wittiest -- Nancy Sanders, Larry Veal.

Friendliest -- Donna Ruth, Bennie Ezzell.

Most Courteous -- Donna Ruth, John Ruby.

Best Dressed -- Paula Beighley, Larry Ayres.

Mr. and Miss Holliday Elementary -- Gil Gilbert, Buffie Broyles.

Sixth Grade Favorites -- Gil Gilbert, Shami Northcott.

Fifth Grade Favorites -- Jay Burks, Staci Anderson.

Fourth Grade Favorites -- Kelly Coats, Buffie Broyles.

Third Grade Favorites -- Pat Parker, Kim Wylie.

Second Grade Favorites -- Ricky Stout, Pam Seale.

First Grade Favorites -- Ricky Hodgkins, Lana Parish.

Boys win, girls lose

Holliday's varsity round ballers opened the second half of loop competition Tuesday night with an even trade out in Lindsay.

Coach Walter Lemons' guys dominated Lindsay 79-54, while Coach Scotta Schroeder's gals were left holding the short end of the

stick in a 50-38 decision.

Clay Carver, who is averaging 20.33 points per conference contest, highpointed for the Eagles in Lindsay with 28.

Jay Miller hit for 18, Andy Barton hit for eight and Bob Gilmore made six.

Gilmore is averaging a dozen points per loop outing.

Nancy Sanders, averaging 24.66 points per district contest, highpointed in Lindsay with 25. Amanda Woods made eight and Cami Potter was good for five.

The win over Lindsay left the Eagles with a 4-2 District 13-A record, while the girls are 1-5 in loop play.

The girls were narrowly edged out Friday night in Muenster during a 59-58 sizzler. Sanders paced the girls with 37 nets.

The rough-and-tumble contest with Muenster gave the Eagles a 55-27 win. Carver highpointed with 15, and Gilmore had nine.

Both varsities will be at home in Eagle Fieldhouse for Friday's 7 p.m. tip-off against Petrolia.

Petrolia was beaten by both of Holliday's varsity units earlier in district action.

On Tuesday night the varsity boys and girls will travel to Archer City for a conference rematch.

Both red teams will be out for revenge after being defeated by the county seat champs earlier in District 13-A play.

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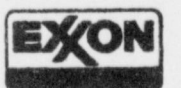
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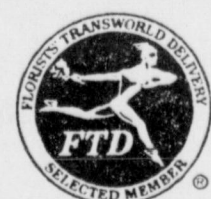
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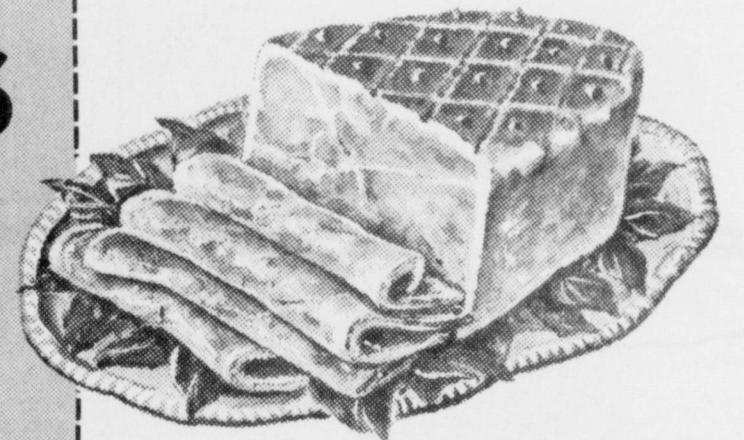
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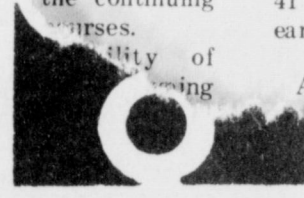


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The decision to offer a second bookkeeping course was prompted when 41 persons enrolled earlier this month.



An addition

EVERY WEDNESDAY & SUNDAY

Dogs and grants major city topics

Stray dogs and capital improvement grant applications occupied much of the discussion at Tuesday night's regular Holliday City Council meeting.

Toni DeStefano, representing the Wichita County Humane Society, appeared before the council to offer her assistance in solving the city's stray dog problem.

Mrs. DeStefano said she would supply the council with legal materials to aid in compiling a comprehensive animal ordinance for Holliday.

"The problems you have here are no different than in Wichita Falls, Iowa Park or anywhere else...perhaps on a smaller scale," she said.

Her comments came in the wake of an incident two weeks earlier when several dogs were shot by an unauthorized city employee.

She called for a "common sense" approach to animal control, maintaining the root of the problem is with "irresponsible people owning a dog."

She said 13,000 dogs are put to sleep each year in Wichita Falls, and that overpopulation is a major culprit.

Mrs. DeStefano said she would continue to work with the council in adopting an animal control ordinance.

In a related matter, Lomax Campbell, city policeman, asked the council to

adopt an ordinance to control the use of air rifles in the city limits.

Campbell said he has received complaints of children shooting dogs and other children with BB and pellet guns; however, there is no ordinance on the books to control use of air guns since they are not classified as firearms.

The council indicated it would amend the firearm grants to help finance capital improvement projects.

Andrews said the city should know by March 1 whether or not it will receive the \$175,000 applied for under the HUD Block Grant program.

The ongoing sewer treatment plant improvement project, Andrews said, is into Step 2 which includes preparation of plans prior to the actual construction phase.

The council also discussed the problem of policing the municipal dump ground. The city plans to begin prosecuting persons who use the dump without a permit sticker which must be attached to the windshield of the vehicle used for hauling.

The city election was set for the first Saturday in April.

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