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Friendly Door to open Monday

Gov. Dolph Briscoe has signed a proclamation designating May as Older Texans Month. He has urged Texas communities to honor older residents "for their valuable contributions to our State and society."

Iowa Park will honor older citizens Monday at the grand opening of Friendly Door, Inc. in the Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church which will be headquarters for the meetings for the present.

Miss Ethyle Kidwell will register charter members of Friendly Door, Inc. and guests. All citizens 60 years of age or older are eligible to become members and can do so by paying a membership fee of \$1 per year. Those who have not already joined are urged to do so Monday or at their earliest convenience.

Membership in Friendly Door, Inc.

will enable senior citizens to take advantage of the noon meals that will be served Monday through Friday of each week for 75 cents per meal, according to Myrna Robinson, director, who stressed that she must have reservations for the meal next Monday by today. To make reservations, contact her at 592-4932.

Music by the stage band of Iowa Park High School will set the stage for the start of grand opening ceremonies which will begin at 10 a.m. with the ribbon cutting by Mrs. W.F. George and Joe Laird, oldest and youngest members of Friendly Door, Inc.

Rev. Jim Connatser, pastor of First United Methodist Church, will give the welcome address.

Bill Steger, president of Senior Citizens Committee, United Fund, will introduce guests and present the

charter to Mrs. Robinson. Special guests will include Keith Aulds, president of the Chamber of Commerce, Mayor Johnnie Crawford, Yvonne Null, aging services coordinator, Nortex Regional Planning Commission, Wayne House, Charlie Lee, Faris Nowell, United Way representatives.

A period of fellowship will ensue between 10:30 and 11:30 when lunch will be served. The invocation will be given by Carl Hecker, minister of the Church of Christ, and dinner music will be provided by Mrs. E.L. Gallop, pianist.

Menu for the day will be roast beef, whipped potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, bread, cake, coffee, tea and milk.

At 12:30 p.m. a barbershop quartet from the high school A Cappella Choir will present special music and

drawing for door prizes will take place.

Mrs. Robinson said that noon meals would be brought over Monday through Friday of each week under the supervision of Frances Wall, director Senior Citizens Services of North Texas, Inc. Reservations will need to be made the day before through contacting Mrs. Robinson.

The menus are made by staff workers with the advice of Ella Wooten, registered dietitian, and advisory councils. They are sent to Austin for State approval by the nutritionist before being used. Each menu is carefully analyzed by the nutrient standard method and contains one-third of an adult's daily requirements of calories, vitamins, etc. In addition menus are all low-salt, low fat, no fried foods and suitable for senior digestions.



A GIFT FOR MOM - Derek Davis, 5, demonstrates a scene which will be repeated all over the nation Sunday, as families remember Mother's Day. Derek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis, 902 Cornelia.

Multi-family housing project draws protests from neighbors

A five-hour Monday night meeting of the Iowa Park Planning and Zoning Commission which attracted about 50 persons resulted in the calling of a special meeting in mid-May to continue discussion on two controversial subjects, the hottest issue being a proposal to construct a multi-family housing unit here.

About a dozen homeowners who live near the housing proposal site appeared to protest construction of a multi-family unit.

Maintaining the construction of such low-rent housing would decrease the value of their homes, the homeowners present helped continue debate for about three hours.

The controversy stems from the request to re-zone Block 31 of Texas Addition.

Pat Conroy, representing an Ohio general construction firm, presented plans for development of the area with multi-family housing.

Charles McGilvray with the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) reported on how the FmHA had become involved in similar projects and told of the status of like undertakings at Henrietta and Archer City.

After about three hours of debate, the commission tabled the issue until later in the meeting. When discussion rekindled commissioner Tom Neely asked Conroy to supply the names and addresses of other complexes operated by his company.

Conroy also was asked to investigate the possibility of other suitable locations for such a project in Iowa Park.

A recommendation to the Iowa Park City Council was tabled until a special meeting of the commission set for May 16 when discussion will resume.

Also tabled and placed on the May 16 meeting agenda was a request to rezone Lot 2, Block W, Texas Addition.

Larry Ford and Karl King of

Pioneer Realty appeared before the commission to request rezoning of 1.37 acres from single family residential to convenience commercial in order to construct a real estate office.

Future plans would include the possibility for construction of a professional office building for possible use by a doctor, dentist or lawyer, the real estate agents explained.

After disqualifying himself from voting because of personal involvement in the area, commissioner Dr. Erwin Soell said he objected to any further commercial encroachment in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and Jimmy Bradberry said they objected to rezoning, although they felt the proposed use was the most desirable type of commercial activity.

With only four members of the commission present, Dr. Soell's disqualification left no voting quorum so action was tabled until the May 16 called session.

Commissioners absent were Vern Horsky and Robert Nolan.

Everett Boulware received a green light from the commission on a request to rezone Lots 16-21, Block 32, Texas Addition, to construct a pizza restaurant.

However, final approval is in the hands of the city council.

Despite protests from homeowners in the area, the commission recommended the area be rezoned from single family residential to convenience commercial.

Buddy Henderson said he feared construction of a restaurant would decrease the value of homes in the vicinity. He said there were other suitable locations for a restaurant in Iowa Park.

Hill asked Henderson if he would object if a hedge for sound screen and a fence for visual screen were required around the restaurant.

Henderson said any screening

methods would be inadequate.

When discussion on the issue rekindled later in the meeting, the commission unanimously recommended approval of Boulware's request with the provision that shrub and fence screen be provided for other properties.

On the heels of protests from a half a dozen homeowners who claimed such an establishment would lower the value of their property, commissioners unanimously denied approval of rezoning Lots 1 and 2, Block 41, Texas Addition, to automotive commercial.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens had hoped to gain approval to build a chain saw sales and service store.

The commission also unanimously denied approval of a request from Larry Melton, who wanted to place mobile homes on Lots 21 and 22, Block 11, Texas Addition.

Brown Hudson with the Texas Department of Community Affairs appeared concerning funds for updating the city comprehensive plan.

The commission unanimously recommended the city council approve participating in the program whereby the state would cover a third of the project's funding.

The city's two-thirds participation, primarily would be through "in-kind services," according to City Administrator Gene Britton.

Weather Report

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

Rainfall for week 1.26
Total for month93
Total for year 7.91
Total last year 7.42

The in-kind services participation would not require any cash outlay, but would entail services rendered by Britton and other municipal employees.

IOWA PARK

LEADER

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15 CENTS

Oil tank set ablaze by lightning

Black clouds and wind-blown rains that struck Iowa Park Monday morning were blamed for damages at

two locations in the city and area. Iowa Park police received a report Monday morning that high winds

ripped a metal awning front porch from a home on Cornelia. Damage was minor.

Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Department responded to a mid-morning call Monday that an oil storage tank was on fire north east of Kamay.

Hampered by an oil lease road so muddy that the two pumpers could not enter, Iowa Park volunteers loaded foam fire fighting equipment into two pick up trucks to travel closer to the fire.

A 10-wheel drive Kamay pumper unit already was at the scene, but the water did not affect the storage tank fire, apparently ignited during a lightning storm.

The top to the storage tank had been blown off and rested several feet away.

Although another storage tank full of oil was located next to the blazing tank, Iowa Park fire fighters journeyed up the facility's catwalk and quickly extinguished the blaze with foam.

No injuries were reported as a result of the incident.

Iowa Park received slightly over half an inch, .66, rainfall from the storm. In addition, .33 was measured Friday, .23 Sunday and .04 Tuesday.

Building permits jump in April

Good weather during April apparently appealed to the construction industry, as building permits issued by the city hall soared.

Construction value for April almost equaled the previous three months of the year.

Included in the permits, valued at \$178,700, were six homes and a new business building. March permits were only \$384,322, well above the \$327,210 reported for the same period of time in 1976.

Permits included:
Billy James, 100 S. Wall, commercial shop, \$8,000;
Jerry Robertson, 111 W. Chestnut, bathroom, \$2,500;
Henry Owens, 510 N. Yosemite, repair and remodel, \$400;
Graton Eiben, 106 West View, storage shed, \$400;
Bill Cobb, 604 Coleman, addition, \$3,250;
Paul Blackwell, 921 Foley, remodel, \$500;
Herman Escue, 412 S. Bond, addition, \$1,250;
Joe Oswald, 1121 W. Louisa, enclose garage, \$1,200;
Steve Guerra, 903 W. Cornelia,

enclose garage, \$3,000;
C.K. Daulton, 610 W. Washington, mobile home, \$4,000;
Swan & Kiser, 207 W. Valley, new residence, \$22,500;
Swan & Kiser, 205 W. Valley, new residence, \$22,500;
Swan & Kiser, 413 W. Valley, new residence, \$22,500;
Swan & Kiser, 203 W. Valley, new residence, \$18,000;
J.M. Voyles, 510 W. Magnolia, carport, \$300;
Pat Green, 406 W. Lafayette, shed, \$300;
Rip Smith, 36 Surrey, new residence, \$34,000;
Rip Smith, 24 Surrey, new residence, \$34,000;
Tim Kaspar, 419 W. Valley, shed, \$100.

Second Iowa Park youth undergoing rabies shots

A ninth grader at Iowa Park High School this week became the second youth of the spring season forced to undergo rabies shot treatment after being bitten by a stray cat.

Iowa Park Police Department logged a report Monday that Renee Williams, 15, had been bitten on the finger by a black and white cat.

Authorities have been unable to locate the cat which reportedly bit the youth in her backyard. She is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. Williams of 1212 S. Wall.

Miss Williams became the fourth animal bite victim in Iowa Park this

year.

In April another youngster was forced to undergo rabies treatment after being bitten by a yellow cat that was never found.

Two other children also were bitten by dogs in April, but those animals were located and quarantined for observation to avoid the victims from taking the painful rabies shots.

In other police activity officers here received a report last Wednesday from David Brott of 308 E. Aldine that a motorcycle tire and rim valued at \$250 had been stolen.



PHASE COMPLETED - Workmen load up to leave Thursday afternoon after finishing the concrete floor of the Bicentennial Swimming Pool bath house. Work was authorized to be started by the pool committee,

eventhough complete financing is not yet arranged. Donations are being accepted at State National Bank, in the "Pool Fund". The building is planned to be completed when the pool opens for the summer season.

Bike-a-thon set May 21

Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha will sponsor the fourth Bike Ride for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital May 21. The goals is to have 200 local riders participating

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MOTHER'S DAY

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Smith, Cleveland wedding vows are recited Friday

Miss Nancy Cheryl Smith and George Lander Cleveland were united in marriage in double-ring vows recited Friday evening at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls. Officiating was the Rev. John A. Lightfoot.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence H. Smith of Wichita Falls and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover L. Cleveland of Wichita Falls.

Decorations in the nuptial area consisted of a brass arch covered with leather-leaf and white carnations flanked by brass spiral candelabra entwined with leatherleaf and baby's breath. On either side of the altar steps were all-white starburst arrangements of gladioli and carnations.

Mrs. Agatha Greebling, organist at Trinity United Methodist Church, provided wedding music.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white organza trimmed in Venise lace. Interesting details of the gown were a slightly raised bodice of lace appliques encrusted with seed pearls, bishop sleeves accented with vertical rows of lace and lace cuffs, an A-line skirt and lace-edged attached chapel train.

She wore a chapel mantilla edged in matching lace and carried a cascade of miniature and large red and white carnations holding two longstemmed red roses for her to present to the mothers during the service.

Miss Janice Smith attended her sister as maid of honor. She wore a formal red and white dotted swiss gown styled with a scooped neckline collared by a ruffle trimmed in lace and an A-line skirt finished with a hemline flounce. She carried a nosegay of red and white carnations.

Roy Cleveland was best man for his brother. Ushers were Mark Suggs of Wichita Falls and Randy Taylor of Denton.

The reception following the wedding was given by the bride's parents in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The cake table was covered with white lace edged in boxwood. The four-tiered white confection was touched with wedding symbols and covered with an arch decorated with greenery and red and white carnations.



MRS. GEORGE LANDER CLEVELAND

The punch fountain was on a white satin-covered table appointed with candelabra decorated with green-

ery and flowers and a red and white floral arrangement. Another table in the room



MR. AND MRS. FIELDON BRITT

Reception to honor Britts

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fieldon Britt are invited to attend a reception that will be given to commemorate their fortieth wedding anniversary Saturday afternoon. The affair will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Faith Baptist Church from 2 to 4:30 p.m.

Girtrue Lillian Gaston and Jonas Fieldon Britt were married May 8, 1937 in McCrory, Ark. They moved to Iowa Park in 1954. He is employed by the City of Iowa Park in the water department. They are members of Faith Baptist Church.

Their children are Loretta (Mrs. Stan) Stephens of Altus, Okla., Thomas of Lubbock, Cholette (Mrs. Billy) Bevard of Schertz, Lillian (Mrs. Roy) Winters of Denver, Colo., David of Wichita Falls and Dewayne of Daisy, Tenn. They have 11 grandchildren.

Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. David Britt will be hostesses for the reception. They have

selected a centerpiece of green, yellow and white carnations to appoint the white lace-covered refreshment table. The anniversary cake will be served with punch.

Food is topic of HD meeting

Mrs. J.E. Perm gave the program on "Nutritive Value of Foods" and "Drying Fruits" at the meeting of Park Area Home Demonstration Club Wednesday morning. Mrs. Grady Henderson was hostess.

Mrs. W.E. Karstetter was the presiding officer. Roll call was answered with a storage hint.

Other members attending were Mmes. Joe R. Cope, James Todd, Grace Chastain, Floyd Stermer and M.E. Reneau.

"Be brief when you cannot be good." St. Francis De Sales

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Cook of the Week

Many people still remember the delicious meals served and the gracious air of hospitality that characterized the Helton Hotel, a famous landmark of the area for many years, when Mrs. Ruby Caldwell managed it. Her Sunday dinners were something that people looked forward to all week and one of the things that made them so special was her

home baked rolls for which she used her original recipe. She later whetted the appetites of many students when their aroma wafted through the halls of the junior high building during the time she worked in the cafeteria.

Mrs. Caldwell, a 27-year resident of Iowa Park, moved to Wilbarger County when she was quite young and lived there until she moved here. Since she managed the hotel she has worked at Sprague Electric, Wichita Falls State Hospital and the school cafeteria.

A member of the Church of Christ, she taught a Sunday School for many years. She is a member of Iowa Park Garden Club and is presently serving as corresponding secretary. She enjoys sewing, gardening and cooking.

Mrs. Caldwell has a daughter, Mrs. Roy Johnson of Iowa Park, and a son, Michael, who is ranch foreman of the Bar B Ranch at Tioga and three grandchildren.

Conscious that so many people are watching their weight very carefully, she is sharing two weight watchers recipes, Wrinkled Fruit Cookies and Hawaiian Chicken Breasts, with us this week.

HOT ROLLS

2 yeast cakes or pkgs. dry yeast

4 cups fairly warm water (reserve 1/2 cup to dissolve the yeast in with 2 T sugar)

1/2 cup sugar

1/2 cup shortening

1 T salt

Mix the above ingredients together with enough flour (5 to 6 cups) to make a stiff dough. Turn out on floured board and knead until spongy and smooth and not sticky.

Place in greased bowl, cover and allow to rise until double in bulk. Punch down and allow to rise again. After second rising shape into rolls or loaves; allow to



Mrs. Ruby Caldwell

rise until double in bulk. Bake in 400° oven for rolls and 350° for loaves for 30 minutes or until light brown. Grease top with melted butter.

FRUIT SALAD

1 can Eagle Brand milk
1 small can crushed pineapple
1 can cherry pie mix
1 can angel flake coconut
1 medium size carton Cool-Whip
Mix above ingredients well and add 1 cup chopped pecans. Set in refrigerator until ready to serve.

WRINKLED FRUIT COOKIES

3 or 4 large pitted prunes
3 t brown Sweet and Low sugar
1/2 cup dry milk

3 t flour
Mix above ingredients together.

Add:
4 t water
1/2 t vanilla or butter nut flavoring
1/2 t soda
1/2 t cider vinegar

Drop by teaspoons onto non-greasy cookie sheet. Cook in 350° oven until light brown. Very good. Equivalent to 1 fruit, 1 milk for one day.

HAWAIIAN CHICKEN BREASTS

2-3 chicken breasts (as much as 6 ozs.)
1/2 cup crushed pineapple
1/4 cup soy sauce
2 T brown sugar Sweet and

Low or Sugar Twin
1/4 green pepper, cut in strips

Marinate chicken in soy sauce for 15 minutes, then place in baking dish. Sprinkle with brown sugar. Pour remaining sauce over chicken; add pineapple and green pepper strips. Bake covered for 1 hour at 350°. Uncover and continue to bake 30 minutes longer. One serving.

WMS meets

Sixteen members of the Day W.M.S. of First Baptist Church attended the meeting Tuesday morning in the home of Mrs. Howard Marlar. Mrs. Glen Miller was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Leo Thames described the Jot program for children which originated in Fort Worth and has spread to several foreign countries. She also directed attention to missionaries on Tuesday's birthday calendar.

Others present were Mmes. Donald Hill, Joe Ward, Don Flowers, Kenneth Flowers, Gilbert Mueller, Pat Hughes, C.O. Dodd, Earle Denny, Robert McIlroy, Wayne Williams, Wesley Davis, Luke Coffman and J.E. Penn.

Mrs. Hill will be hostess for the meeting next week.

"Character is a long-standing habit." Plutarch

Surprise birthday party given three ESA members

A surprise birthday party was held Tuesday evening in Texas Electric Reddy Room for three members of Epsilon Eta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha who will observe their birthdays in May. The honorees were Mmes. Kennie Jones, Don

Flowers and D.W. Mercer. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Hrcirik, Mrs. Dalton Bleeker and Miss Alice Turner.

The honorees were presented with corsages fashioned of flowers and accents in the chapter's colors, blue and gold. The colors were noted in the beautifully decorated cake topped with "Happy Birthday Millie, Jenola and Lela." The three were also recipients of gifts from the hostesses.

Jewel ritual is performed

The Rituals of Jewel ceremony for Mrs. Gayle Cleghorn and Mrs. John Conklin was conducted by Mrs. Bobby Attwood to highlight the Alpha Epsilon Omicron chapter of Beta Sigma Phi meeting Tuesday evening. Mrs. Wilbur Garrels was hostess.

Betty Tanner, chapter adviser, led the opening ritual and Mrs. Cleghorn led the closing ritual.

Mrs. Attwood directed the business. Members voted to support the Baylor College of Medicine, a state project of Beta Sigma Phi.

Announcement was made of the spring banquet Saturday at Maskat Temple and the revealing dinner and installation service at Village Square May 24.

Mrs. Cleghorn gave the program on History.

Others attending were Mmes. Danny Holman, Clifford Klinkerman, Clark Lane Jr., Richard Scott, Bill Veal, Gene Bond, James Owens, and Miss LaVonne Stogner.



TONYA COOK

Student recognized

Tonya Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook, has been selected as the Outstanding Student of the Month by the Opti-Mrs. Club.

A senior at Iowa Park High School, she has done outstanding work in the area of cosmetology and is secretary-treasurer of the cosmetology class. She has been a member of the pep squad two years.

She enjoys baking cakes and cookies and plans to seek employment after graduation.

The last meeting of the banquet at McBride's May year will be a spring 17.

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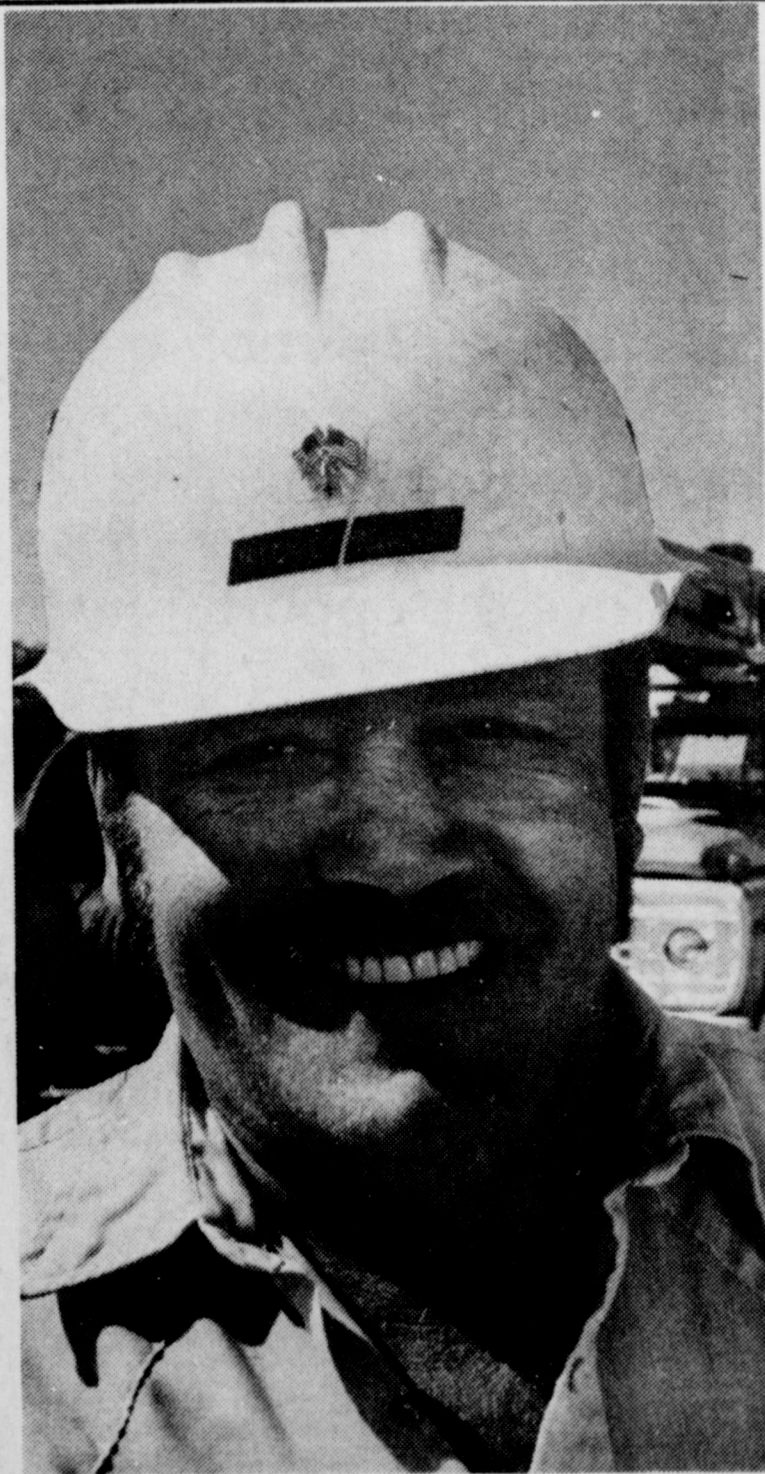
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School taxes may be lower

The public education bill currently being debated in Austin by the legislature could possible lower school taxes for the Iowa Park district, according to Faris Nowell, superintendent.

Admitting there is no way of knowing what the final language of the bill will be once it passes through the legislature and is signed by the governor, Nowell said he is hopeful more state funds

will be given Iowa Park, reducing the tax load locally expected in future years.

Nowell made his observation while speaking Tuesday to the Noon Lions Club. He said "House Bill 750 looks favorable to us as compared with H.B. 1126." The latter bill was passed two years ago and cost the local district about half a million dollars in higher local taxes.

The bill to which he referred has been passed by the House of Representatives and is currently in the Senate.

Another feature of the new bill he likes is requirement of smaller numbers of students per classroom, especially in the grades K-5.

Merchants' group meeting postponed

Regular monthly meeting of the Retail Merchants Association, scheduled for Monday will be cancelled. This the opening date of the Friendly Door, and all members are urged to visit the Senior Citizens Club at First United Methodist Church. Activities start at 10 a.m.

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PESTICIDE USERS

Today is deadline for certification

By DON DECKER
 Time is running out for farm and livestock producers to become certified in

order to purchase restricted use pesticides beginning in October 1977. The third and next to final pesticide

training and certification meeting in Wichita County is scheduled for 7 p.m. today at the Texas Electric Conference Room in Burkburnett. A final meeting will be held in Electra later in the season.

Only 32 agricultural producers in Wichita County have been certified at the two previous meetings. This means there are hundreds of producers still to be certified. At least two months is required for applications to be processed by the Texas Department of Agriculture, after the training has been completed.

Even livestock producers will need to be certified to purchase livestock sprays, weed killers, pasture insect sprays, and brush killers. Many livestock producers think the certification is needed only by crop producers, however, nearly all agricultural pesticides are expected to be on the restricted use pesticide list.

The training and certification meeting requires three hours. Participation in the session will complete everything a producer needs to become certified. Each person is requested to bring a pen or pencil. The training will be given by Don Decker,

Wichita County Extension Agent, while the applications for certification will be accepted by Floyd MaHaney of the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Escue, Miller tour academy

Herman Escue, counselor, and Dean L. Miller, curriculum director of Iowa Park Consolidated School District, were among approximately 70 area educators attending an educator orientation visit to the United States Naval Academy April 26-29.

The tour was organized in Dallas by Emerson Emory, Captain, USNR, as a part of the Naval Academy Information Program. The area educators departed from Dallas Naval Air Station April 26, toured the Naval Academy, the Library of Congress, the Pentagon, Kennedy Center and had lunch in the office of Congressman Jim Collin before returning to Dallas last Friday night.

Youths planning overnight camp

Faith Baptist youths, grades 9-12, have planned an overnight encampment at Chaparral Baptist Assembly May 13-14. They will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lyles.

The cost is \$7.50 per person and that will cover meals, transportation, lodging and insurance. The deadline for reservations is May 11.

Municipal Court Records

Results of municipal court held here Wednesday and last Thursday were:
 Terry Daniels, public intoxication, \$27.50;
 Doris Moyer Roy, speeding, \$31.50;
 Frederick Wayne McCall, speeding, \$27.50;
 Florence Eudaly Jones, failure to yield right of way, \$27.50;
 James Karl Rost, expired license plate, \$17.50;
 Jeffrey G. Nolan, speeding, \$27.50;
 William White Jr., speeding \$32.50;
 Carl Dwayne Davis, speeding, \$35.50;
 Rodney Wade Davis, exhibition of acceleration, \$27.50;
 Harold Martin Weaver, negligent collision, \$27.50;
 Christine Henson Glenn, no driver license, \$27.50;
 Christine Henson Glenn, speeding, \$30.50;
 David Hullen Pitcock, speeding, \$28.50;
 Jon Kevin Catron, speeding, \$42.50;
 James R. Hubbard, speeding, \$35.50.

WMU to elect new officers

A nominating committee composed of Mmes. Don O'Donnell, Darrell Dick and Paul Callaway was elected Tuesday night during a meeting of the Night W.M.U. of Faith Baptist Church.

Thirteen attended the meeting held in the home of Mrs. Jim Miller.

Brazil provided the topic for the program given by Mrs. Norman Hodges. Mrs. Jim Miller concluded the program with mission support emphasis.

Others present were Mmes. Don Jagers, Lewis Adams, Hubert Thompson, Earl Jones, Andy Arrington, George Atkins, Herman Daymude and Larry Balsley.

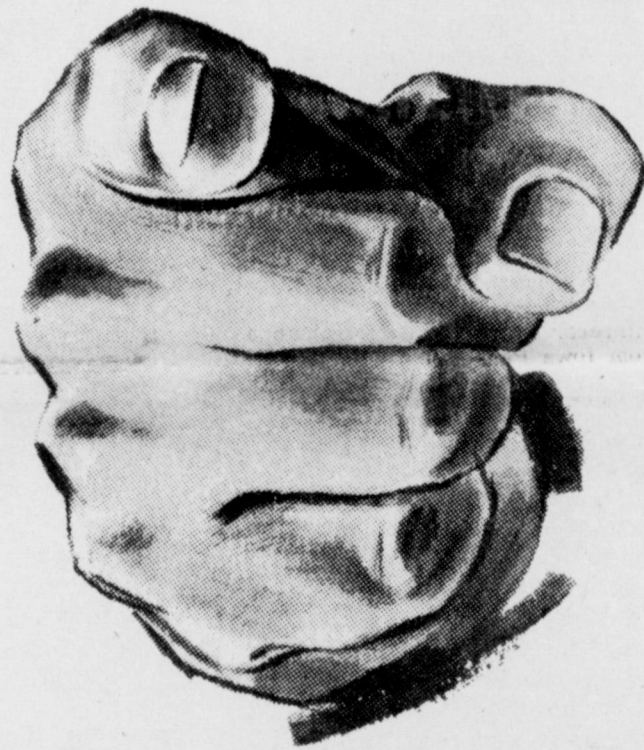
Fidelis class holds meeting

The Fidelis class of Faith Baptist Church met with Mrs. Dick Holdeman Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Sang Boone gave the devotion and the story of how she became an American in the Philippines when she was there in missionary work.

During the business, Mrs. Boone was elected mission support chairman of the class.

Also attending were Mmes. Paul Callaway, John Hatfield, Desley Alan, Les Curry, Larry Balsley, Floyd Merriman, and a visitor, Mrs. Don Jagers.



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Natural gas on tap for Monday meeting

Iowa Park City Council will continue its running battle with Lone Star Gas Co. when it meets in regular session at 7 p.m. Monday in the council chambers.

Iowa Park school trustees are scheduled to convene in regular session at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the junior high school cafeteria.

Only regular monthly reports are expected to appear on the school board's agenda.

City Administrator Gene Britton said there will be two phases to the Lone Star Gas discussion Monday

night.

The utility is expected to appeal an interim gas rate ordinance that surfaced on Iowa Park gas billings this month, Britton said.

Britton said Lone Star Gas and the council also will discuss the process of appealing. The gas company is expected to ask the city to stipulate that the main and service lines here are in 85 per cent condition.

The council also will be asked to outline a policy for paying mileage and per diem expenses of municipal employees attending special schools.

On the recommendation of the planning and zoning commission, the council will be asked to apply for a state grant to update Iowa Park's comprehensive plan.

The traffic and safety commission has recommended the council approve an ordinance lowering speed limits on Business U.S. 287 and FM 368.

Britton is slated to present the council with additional building insurance proposals, and there will be a resolution introduced to change water meters.

As I See It... by BOB HAMILTON



The question of where big trucks should be allowed to travel in town, and where they should be allowed to park, has come up from time to time before the city council.

It's a real problem, and one which has never been resolved.

The council, a couple or three years ago, passed an ordinance establishing routes for trucks through town, and pointing out where trucks could not be left parked overnight.

But that ordinance was revoked at the following meeting when a number of men involved in the trucking business met with aldermen to protest, and pointed out their side of the argument.

I've always felt our city leaders put their head in the sand on the subject since then. That's not to say that the ordinance had been completely wrong, nor was it completely right. It was just dropped.

The issue came up again a couple of months ago, and was referred to the Traffic Safety Council. I'm hoping that from this group we will eventually have some sort of relief, which both the truckers and the citizens can live with.

Truck routes, according to state law, must be properly marked with

signs. That's a major stumbling block, because the signs are costly.

But not as costly as continuously repairing pavement damaged by the heavy vehicles. This is an on-going problem, because the city's streets were not constructed for such heavy traffic. In fact, they have hard enough time just with cars.

Parking of trucks is the real issue. It's a sticky subject that has really sound argument from both sides.

Almost all streets of the city are too narrow for the larger vehicles to park, and leave space and visibility for normal traffic to safely pass.

And many truckers who have wide dirt ditches to park in, or on the shoulder, are using those. This doesn't give traffic any problem, but it sure tears down the area, and also several have been seen leaving empty cans on the ground after changing oil.

Iowa Park has an extraordinary large number of independent truckers living in the city. These people own their own trucks, and they argue they must keep the trucks close to their

homes for a number of reasons.

No one can argue that they face theft and vandalism if their trucks are not close at hand. Also they have a transportation problem between truck parking and home, if they are not parked at the home.

The question is, who has the argument with the most pluses? Is the city responsible for providing parking for commercial vehicles?

No one wants to hurt any segment of our population, that's for sure. We want our trucking people here, and happy.

Maybe one possible solution would be for the truckers to pool their efforts, obtain land where a parking lot could be fenced and well lighted. Hire round-the-clock gate guards.

This way, trucks could be parked in safety. Also those who drive to the lot in their cars could leave them there, in equal safety.

True, there are added expenses involved, but it's a possible solution, and one which might be considered some time in the future.

Meeting Friday for region educators

Region IX Education Service Center and Texas Education Agency will host a North Texas conference on career education Friday at Iowa Park High School auditorium.

Theme of the conference is "Career Education-The Hope for a Better Tomorrow."

Purpose of the conference is to promote understanding and a spirit of partnership among business, industry, parents, educators and the public in order to make career education a reality for all students.

Faris Nowell, superintendent of Iowa Park schools, will welcome

those attending the conference which begins with registration from 8:30-9 a.m. Friday.

"Career Education - The Texas Concept" will be the 9:05-9:30 a.m. talk by Dr. Mary Martha Hackley, project director, office of Career Education, Texas Education Agency.

Mrs. Faris Nowell, director of Project INFORM, will talk on "Career Education Model K-12" from 9:30-10:50 a.m.

Risa Roberts, a student at Iowa Park High School, will present a talk entitled "What Career Education Has Done for Me" from 10:50-11 a.m., followed by Mary McCarley, who will

take the podium until 11:30 a.m. to speak on "Career Education - A Parent's Point of View."

The conference will break for lunch from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Board of Commerce and Industry of Wichita Falls will make a presentation from 1-2 p.m.

Retired Gen. Jerry Page, president of Aero Technical Institute, will speak from 2:20-3 p.m. on "After Career Education, What Happens?"

A 30-minute discussion and complete Texas Education Agency participant opinion survey will conclude the conference at 3 p.m.

Tennis tournament winners are named

All but two divisions of the second annual Iowa Park Tennis Association spring tournament were completed last weekend.

Results of the tournament were: Boys 14 and under singles, Hodges def. Case 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; Boys 14 and under doubles, Shaw -

Watson def. Taylor - McMahon 2-6, 6-2, 6-2; Girls 14 and under singles, Corless def. Parker 7-5, 6-3; Girls 15 and over singles, Corless def. Dowell 6-3, 6-3; Womens open doubles, Rowell - Parker def. Currey - Corless 3-6, 6-3, 6-3; Mens open singles, Griffith def.

Featherston 7-5, 5-7, 6-1; Mixed 30 and over doubles, Wallace - Soell def. Bowerman - Bowerman 6-2, 4-6, 7-5; Womens 20 and over

singles, Bowerman def. Flowers 6-3, 6-2; Mens 30 and over doubles, King - Smith def. Hubbard - Soell 6-2, 6-2;

Mens open doubles, Featherston - Griffith def. Ransdell - Smith 6-4, 6-0; Mixed open doubles, Dowell - York def. Smith - Wineinger 6-2, 6-2.

Matches yet to be played: York vs. Griffith in Boys 15-19 singles, and Soell vs. Thompson in Mens over 35 singles.

Plans for an open tournament to be held in June and the forming of leagues for men and women will be discussed at the organization's meeting Monday, to begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.



PROUD Little League baseball players marched through the business district Saturday, signaling the opening of baseball season in Iowa Park.

Spring banquet set for Monday

Top Iowa Park High spring sports athletes will be recognized Monday evening at the annual Spring Sports Banquet.

To begin at 7 p.m., the banquet will be held in the high school cafeteria.

Outstanding participants in boys and girls basketball, track and tennis, boys baseball and golf and girls

volleyball will be recognized with special awards. Keynote speaker for the event will be Gerald Stockton, basketball coach for Midwestern State Univ.

Tickets, \$3 each, are available at the Iowa Park Leader, State National Bank and high school principal's office.

Bike-a-thon

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in the national effort to raise a million dollars for the hospital.

Volunteer bike riders are presently securing sponsors for their "pedal power". The total distance of their ride will be 22 miles with an option of six extra miles. Information and sponsor lists are available through Mrs. James Dyer at Iowa Park Junior High School, Mrs. Leon Biddy at Iowa Park High School, and Randy Lovelady at Valley View Elementary.

The ride route will begin and end at Iowa Park Library. Registration will be at 7:30 a.m. and the ride will start at 8 a.m.

Pepsi-Cola will be served to riders at Burnett Park as they return from Valley View and water will be available at each rest stop. Each rider will receive a certificate for a sundae from Iowa Park Dairy Queen.

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All-church dinner set

Mrs. H.W. Carter conducted the business meeting for United Methodist Women Tuesday morning.

Announcement was made that the Methodist Youth Fellowship would host the all-church dinner May 15 at 6 p.m. for graduating seniors from the church.

Mrs. Wilbert Wynn gave the closing devotion from "Love Unlimited" written by Festus Kevinger, a deeply African Christian. She stressed what Christian discipleship meant, love for Christ in action, how greatness is measured in the Kingdom of God and Christ's way of life.

Mrs. Otis Gay and Mrs. C.L. Lee were in charge of the music.

Others present were Mmes. George Trammell, Larry Parks, James Rinehart, L.A. Thurlo, Miles Thompson, E.L. Gallop, David Springer, James A. Sewell, Jim Connatser, Don Beals, Emma Gauntt, James Owens, W.M. Owens, Miles Hines, Rafael Carrillo Miranda, Riley Thompson, Bertha McDonald, L.L. Lindsmith, C.L. Thompson, Eugene Lowrey, Herman Mahler, Kathleen Hatten, Charlie Thompson and Miss Ethyle Kidwell.



WEST WICHITA COOPERATIVE students were among 304 athletes competing in the 1977 Special Olympics Saturday at Sheppard AFB. Twenty-four teams were represented in this year's event. The WWCC group is shown taking a break at noon, when they and all the other participants were served a sack picnic lunch.

CWF holds election

New officers of Christian Women's Fellowship of First Christian Church were elected Monday night during a meeting in the church parlor. Mrs. T.M. Clark presided.

The slate includes Mmes. Dewey Conley, president; Rollin Roberts, vice president; Sammy Henderson, treasurer; and Wm. Andersen, secretary.

Mrs. Faye McAllister presented the program, "A Chosen Race-A Royal Priesthood". The discussion

centered on what it means to be a chosen people and whether it is a privilege or responsibility.

During the business it was reported that Mmes. Rollin Roberts, T.M. Clark, Rollins Woodall, William Andersen, Pauline Steele and Lucille Holm attended the District 19 C.W.F. Workshop at Park Place Christian Church in Wichita Falls Saturday where new study materials and plans for 1977-78 were introduced.

Klinkermans to observe golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. H.B. (Butch) Klinkerman will be honored at a 50th wedding anniversary celebration Saturday at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church from 5 to 9 p.m.

The couple's 23 grandchildren will assist with the reception. Friends of the honored couple are invited to call during the reception.

Hosting the reception will be their eight children and their spouses. These are Messrs. and Mmes. Ray Heidrich of Enid, Okla., Charles Geyer, Lloyd Klinkerman and Harvey Klinkerman, all of Houston, Howard Klinkerman, Don Roy Klinkerman, Clifford Klinkerman, and Ralph Klinkerman, all of Iowa Park.

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BIBLE TEACHING ABOUT LIFE AND DEATH - PART 1

"I can't do the things I used to when I was younger" -- how often we hear those words. And how true they are! We don't have to wait until we reach our 70's to find our powers failing, either.

Even in middle age we cannot move as fast or think as quickly as we did when we were young.

We spend our life growing old, and we know for a certainty -- if we stop to think about it -- that one day we shall die. The words of the Psalmist are true, when he says,

"The days of our years are three-score years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be four-score years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow; for it is soon cut off and we fly away." [Psalm 90, v. 10].

All men die. In fact, it has been truly said that the only certain thing about living is that one day we shall die.

THE FIRST MAN ON EARTH

Why is it that we all grow old and die? To find the answer we must turn to the first book of the Bible, and read about the very first man and woman.

God made the world as a very lovely place for men and women to live in. He created the plants and animals first, and then, when all was ready, He made a man. It tells us in Genesis 2, v. 7, that,

"The Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground."

With wonderful skill a human body was formed.

We can picture that lifeless body lying on the ground. What happened next? God "breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and man became a living soul." (Gen. 2, v. 7).

The man began to breathe. He was alive! He could see, and hear, and think and feel -- surely he was the most wonderful of things which God had made.

ADAM IS LONELY

Genesis 2, v. 8.

"The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there He put the man whom He had formed."

Adam -- for that was the name which God gave to this man -- looked after the garden. He was told by God that he could eat any of the fruit he liked -- except for one tree, which is called "the tree of the knowledge of good and evil." God warned him, "In the day that thou eatest thereof, thou shalt surely die." (Genesis 2, vv. 9, 17).

Adam had only the animals for company; and they couldn't think in the same way as he could. He became lonely, and God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone. I will make him an help meet for him," (Genesis 2, v. 18). You will read in vv. 21-23 how God put Adam to sleep, took one of his ribs, and shaped it into a woman -- someone to be with Adam and share his life.

ADAM AND EVE BREAK GOD'S LAW

Now read Genesis 3, vv. 1-13, and you will see how the first woman, Eve, broke God's law by listening to the serpent, and how Adam also disobeyed God.

By breaking God's law they have sinned, and as we have already seen, the wages of sin is death. Adam and Eve knew that, too, for God had said of them, "In the day that thou eatest thereof, thou shalt surely die." (Gen. 2, v. 17).

THE PUNISHMENT

The serpent was punished for his part in

causing the trouble. Adam and Eve were condemned to death, and driven out of the garden.

Although they lived a long time after this, Adam and his wife became dying creatures -- and just like us, they would get tired and sick, and at last grow old and die. The words of God were certain -- "Dust thou art; and unto dust shalt thou return." (Genesis 3, v. 19).

You will remember how, when God made Adam, He "breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and he became a living soul." (Genesis 2, v. 7).

All human beings are "living souls," but when they stop breathing their life has gone -- they become "dead souls."

As the writer of the book of Ecclesiastes says,

"For the living know that they shall die, but the dead know not anything, neither have they any more a reward; for the memory of them is forgotten. Also their love and their hatred, and their envy, is now perished; neither have they any more a portion for ever in anything that is done under the sun." [Eccles. 9, vv. 5-6].

Or, as we read in Psalm 146, vv. 3-4,

"Put not your trust in princes, nor in the son of man, in whom there is no help. His breath goeth forth, he returneth to his earth; in that every day his thoughts perish."

SIN AND DEATH IN THE WORLD

The apostle Paul helps us to understand how this affects us. In Romans 5, v. 12, he says,

"By one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin, and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned."

Adam and Eve became sinners. We are their children, and so we are sinners, too.

Our very nature is a sinful nature; or as Paul puts it, we are by nature "children of disobedience." Like our father, Adam, we sin, and like him we die.

It is not our fault that we have a sinful nature, and it certainly is not God's fault. It was Adam's fault, and our misfortune.

We are being very foolish if we blame God. Instead we should thank Him. We should thank Him because He has given us a chance to live at all, which we have no right to, really; and we should especially thank Him for giving us a way of escape from our hopeless plight. We are not blamed for being born with a sinful nature, but deserve great blame if we neglect God's offer of a way of escape. For those of us who accept God's offer of a way, through Christ, will be rescued from death. The Lord Jesus Christ will give eternal life in his kingdom to those whom he resurrects and finds faithful at his coming.

SUMMARY

1. God made Adam from the dust of the ground.
 2. He caused him to live, by breathing into his nostrils the breath of life.
 3. God gave Adam a commandment. He told him that if he broke this commandment, the punishment would be death.
 4. Adam and Eve broke God's commandment. They became dying creatures.
 5. All men are descended from Adam; all are sinners, and all die.
 6. Christ brought men a hope of eternal life, which will be given to the faithful when he comes again.
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Fuller is region champ; next stop is Austin

Sophomore Kip Fuller threw the discus almost 14 feet farther than his season's best Friday at Denton, to win first place in the region meet and advance next week into the state finals.

The stock weightman's distance was an even 162 feet, easily outdistancing the second place effort of 157, by an entry from Mount Pleasant.

Fuller's best throw of the year had been 148.7, at the Hawk Relays. He was undefeated through the season, until the District 4-AAA meet at Graham, when he lost to Doug Reid of Brownwood. Reid placed fourth at Denton with a 146.

The Hawk strongman, finding the wind to his liking, threw 155.6 on his first effort Friday, and came back with a 158. Though he scratched on his third preliminary toss, he still made it to the finals.

He scratched on the first final throw, got his 162 on the second, and beat that on his final throw, but scratched again.

Fuller will be throwing against the best in AAA state competition at 2:30 p.m. Friday of next week, on the campus of Texas University.

Three other Hawks also

competed in the region meet, but failed to qualify for state.

Vaulter Jim Dooley, who was given the best chance of the trio to make it, had pole problems. He broke the pole he had been working with all season two days before region, and had to borrow one.

He still cleared 13 feet, same as the second place winner, but missed twice at that height before making it. Had he cleared 13 on the first effort, he would be going to Austin with Fuller, because second place was decided on misses. First place was 13.6, which Dooley has cleared numerous times this year.

Dooley is a junior. Ray Cook, the only senior from Iowa Park at the region meet, had a problem he'd never experienced in four years of high school competition in hurdles.

He fell.

Competing in the preliminaries, Cook was well in the pack in his heat when he hit the seventh hurdle and fell into the eighth, eliminating him.

Scott Stubbs, another junior, was competing in the 880-yard run finals Saturday, as there was no preliminary in that event. He said he felt good

through the first lap, but had run it faster than he was capable, and had nothing left once he reached the 550-yard mark, and fell off the pace.



Karren runs for gold tomorrow at Austin

Karren Brown will not only be running for a state championship tomorrow night, but establishing a state record.

The Iowa Park High senior is one of the favorites in the girls' state University Interscholastic League track meet.

She has already established five records this season.

This is the first year for the mile in girls' competition.

Miss Brown earned her right to compete in the meet, to be held at Memorial Stadium on the University of Texas campus, by winning the region at Denton meet two weeks ago.

She will be competing Friday night, when classes AA and AAA are scheduled to run.


Saturday afternoon classes B, A and AAAA will compete.

Coach David Williams is anxious to see what his prize athlete will do, if she gets some competition at Austin. She has never been pushed, including the regional meet.

It's for certain she'll find it tomorrow night, however. One qualifier, a runner from Brownfield, turned in a 5:33 at the Region I meet two weeks ago.

But Karren's 5:35.2 at Denton was without a kick, because she was so far ahead of the next runner she coasted to the finish line.

Williams has had her training hard the past two weeks, in hopes she will be ready to meet whatever competition she might face at the state championships.



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Hawks hand Bulldogs title with win over Lions

Iowa Park handed Burk Burnett the North Zone championship for baseball Tuesday by knocking off Vernon 6-3 at Hawk Field.

The Hawks, already out of contention after having lost their third game with the Bulldogs, 2-1 Friday, were already out of the running. That loss had been coupled with two to the Lions.

Before beating Vernon Tuesday, the Lions still had a shot at the playoffs, if they could beat Burk the rest of the schedule, coupled by at least one win over the 'Dogs by the Hawks.

Vernon took the lead with a run in the second inning, and with numerous errors coming in the third, it looked like the Lions were headed for another victory. They scored again in the top of the fourth.

But the starting pitcher got in trouble, loaded the bases after two Hawks had scored, and was relieved. Then Iowa Park got its

insurance runs, as the next four pitches produced three runs.

The first pitch was a ball, and the next three were passed balls on the ground, with Hawks scampering home after each one. Keith Hillard was at bat.

Both teams scored a run in the fifth inning.

The Hawks are to host Stephenville tomorrow afternoon in a non-district bout, and then Burk Burnett will be here Tuesday for the final game of the season for Iowa Park.

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Holliday News

Outstanding athletes for year recognized

Bob Gilmore received the Fighting Heart Award and was cited as the best all-round athlete and outstanding football running back at the annual Holliday High School sports banquet.

Clay Carver also garnered a trio of awards.

Carver was named most valuable in basketball, best defensive lineman and basketball king.

Debbie Brown was tapped as the school's top individual in tennis.

Barry Lawson received honors for best in golf.

Gerry Graves, Cathy Halenak and Karen Richeson shared honors for top performances in Holliday's

track program. Nancy Sanders was named basketball queen. She also was honored as most valuable forward in girls basketball.

Gayla Minnix captured the plaque for most valuable in volleyball.

Tanya Wood was named most valuable guard in girls basketball.

Randy Berryman received honors as best defensive back in football.

Larry Veal took honors as football's best lineman.

John Ruby was tapped the ideal athlete.

Mark Mankins was named the best academic athlete. The honors were awarded

at the annual sports banquet at the Holliday school cafeteria where humorist Don Newberry was guest speaker.

Newberry was introduced by Dan Owen, and Walter Lemons served as master of ceremonies.

Danny Mayfield gave the invocation at the catered banquet, and Bob Berry gave the benediction.

Awards for football were presented by Don Lucy.

Scotta Schroeder presented girls basketball awards, and Lemons presented the awards for boys basketball.

Bill Lee handed out the awards for spring sports.



SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION - Despite recent rains construction workers at the site of Holliday's new high school have been working at a busy pace in an effort to be finished by the beginning of school next year. A view from the north shows the unfinished front of the building as crews continued work on the roof.

Hodge graduates

Louis Hodge, Holliday school district's tax assessor-collector, will be among persons graduating May 21 from Midwestern State University. Hodge will receive a bachelor of arts degree in political science. Hodge also attended Texas Tech, North Texas State University and the University of Maryland.

Holliday Happenings

Debbie Brown of Holliday, regional champion in Class A women's tennis singles, will leave today for Austin where she will begin competition Friday in the state finals, said tennis coach Ralph Klinkerman.

Regular meeting of the Holliday school board is set for 7:30 p.m. Monday in the high school home economics room.

Holliday High School Band is slated to perform a spring concert for the public at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the wake of their weekend trip to Six Flags Over Texas.

Regular meeting of the Holliday City Council is slated for 7 p.m. Monday at Holliday City Hall. Hospital-

ization insurance for municipal employees is among items expected to be discussed by the council. Charles Parker, recently appointed to fill a council vacancy, is expected to be sworn into office.

The last week of May will prove a busy one for Holliday High School seniors, who have the junior-senior banquet set for May 26, followed by graduation exercises May 27.

Five riders winners

Five riders from Iowa Park and Holliday garnered trophies Saturday at the Sheppard Saddle Club's Spring Horse Show.

More than 60 entrants from the North Texas area competed at the annual show staged at Sheppard AFB's stables and arena.

Dana Cavanaugh of Holliday rode Skipper's Beauty to victory in the junior western pleasure event.

J.R. Holloway won the open bell race on Rotan, and his wife, Alice, took top honors in the senior poles competition on Shane.

Mike Nelson of Iowa Park won the showmanship trophy in Gofar Bar Sinda in the 11-and-under age group. Chris Nethery rode Beebe to win the junior barrel race.

Lions honor 43 students

Forty-three Holliday High School students were honored at Tuesday night's annual honor's banquet hosted by the Holliday Lions Club.

Members of the 1976-77 high school honor roll honored include:

Seniors - Paula Beighley, Bob Berry, Robin Bridges, Bret Collier, Pam Franklin, Bob Gilmore, Jon Hodge, Sylvia Holton, Dana Rains, Becky Snow, Debbie Wylie and Dianna Wylie.

Juniors - Debbie Brown, Bobby Hawley, Steve Lucy, Mark Mankins, Donna Ruth, Bridget Talley and Donald Young.

Sophomores - Stanley Craddock, Larry Denney, Dennis Holt, Gary McKay, Mark Romoser, Lisa Talley and Katie Williams.

Freshmen - Beth Barry, Teresa Borton, Kim Chase, Jody Collier, Cathy Halen-

ak, Mindy Lowder, Cindy Martin, Kelly Morgan, Nancy O'Neal, Scott Reece, Tommy Richeson, David Romoser, Floyd Spencer, Lou Thomas, Donna Walker, Karen Wilkerson and Clifford Wood.

Bill Crabbs, high school principal, introduced the honor students at the banquet staged in the school cafeteria.

Perry Goolsby introduced the guest speaker, Fuller Self.

Music was provided by Deloras McDaniel.

Sylvia Holton and Mark Mankins offered the invocation and benediction, respectively.



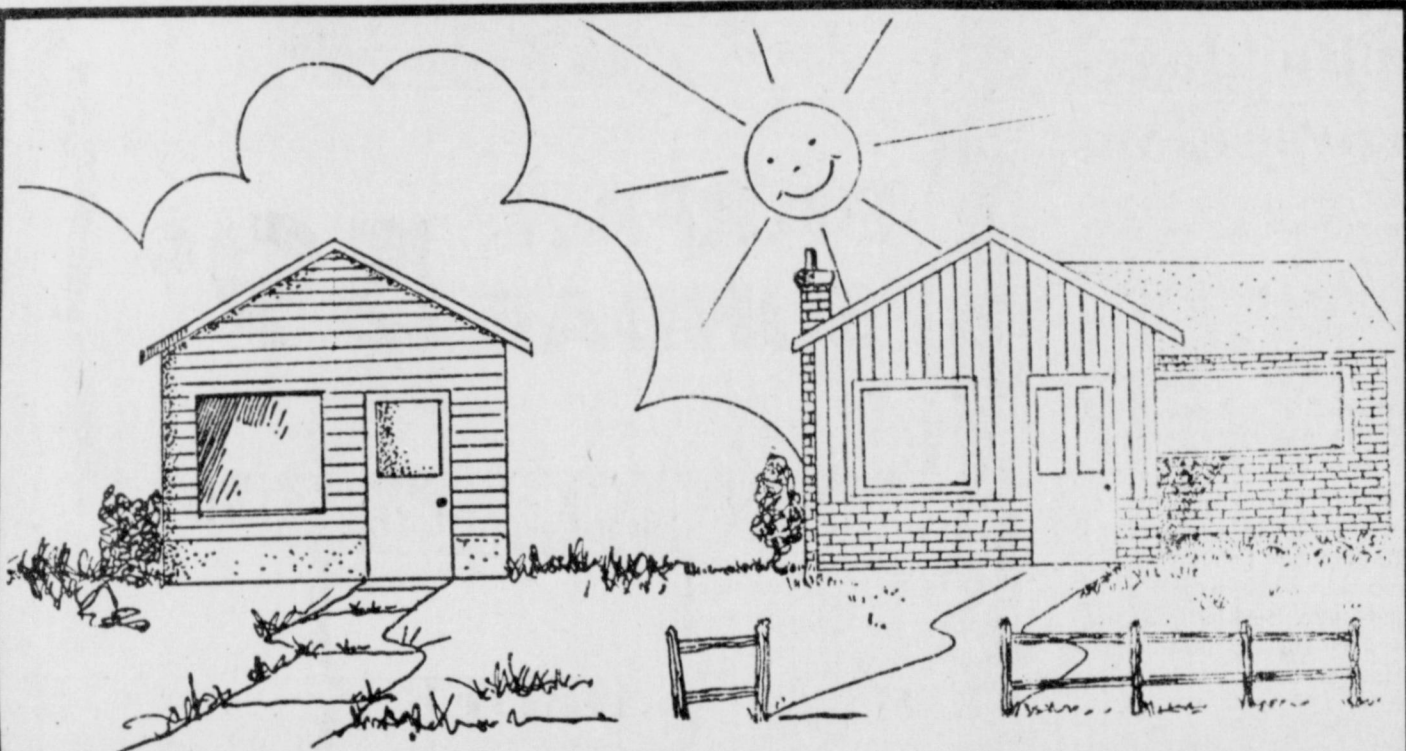
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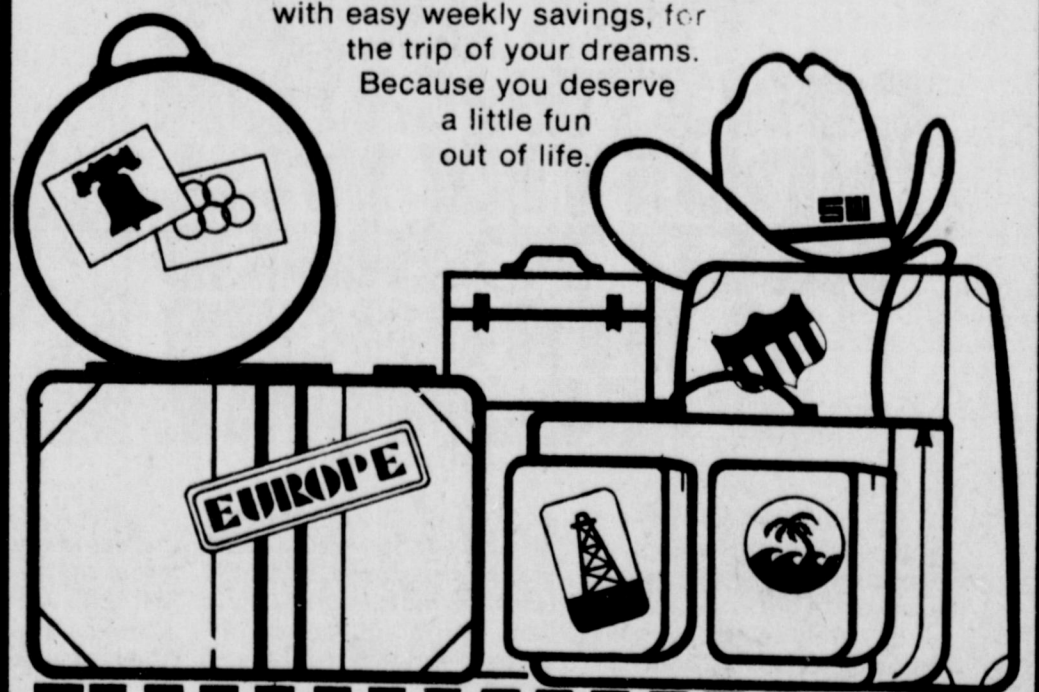


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