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Caplinger apparently new superintendent

The new superintendent of Iowa Park schools may well be Michael L. Caplinger.

A called meeting was to be held Wednesday morning with the candidate in Lubbock, and another is scheduled here this evening.

Four members of the school board traveled Tuesday to the Lubbock area to talk with various residents and businesses, concerning the candidate's background.

An emergency special session was posted at 12 noon Tuesday in the Lubbock-Cooper ISD administration building, stating that a meeting would be held at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The posted agenda called for an executive session with Caplinger.

A called special session agenda was posted here Monday afternoon, stating that a meeting would be held at 7 this evening in the local administration building.

That agenda calls for another closed session, and then in open session, a "vote on superintendent of schools for Iowa Park CISD" would be held.

Caplinger was among the three finalists to succeed Supt. Glen Mitchell as superintendent here. Mitchell early this year tendered his resignation, effective the end of this fiscal year.

The other two finalists were Dr. John Mark Henry, superintendent of Collinsville ISD, and John Mark Bass, superintendent of Plemons-Stinnett-Phillips ISD.



MICHAEL L. CAPLINGER

Each had been interviewed in meetings with the board.

Then, on the evenings of last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, each was interviewed a second time, but in a different setting than the previous get-togethers.

The latter sessions were held in the ballroom of Tom Burnett Memorial Library, complete with catered dinners.

Each candidate and his wife met with the board members and their spouses.

Caplinger was here Saturday evening, Bass on Friday and Henry on Thursday.

Caplinger is a native of Idalou, where he graduated high school. He attended South Plains Junior College in Levelland, and met his wife, Carolyn, who was a student at Wayland Baptist Univ. in Plainview.

The couple was graduated from Texas Tech Univ., where he majored in education and sociology. He earned a Masters from West Texas A&M Univ. in education administration.

The couple has two daughters, one who teaches special education and the other a junior at Texas Tech.

Caplinger is the former superintendent of Lubbock-Cooper ISD, a district which joins Lubbock on the East.

He resigned that position to accept the position as president and chief executive officer of the Davis Covenant Corp., headquartered in Lubbock.

Also during Saturday's meeting, the board approved the sale of the West Wichita Co-op building, at Valley View, to the Co-op.

The building and approximately one acre of land was sold for $48,080.



***THREE-VEHICLE COLLISION** - One person was transported by private vehicle as result of a 6:08 p.m. collision Friday on West Highway in front of Wal-Mart. Drivers included Ira Mac Richards, 60, of Electra, Nattie Jorene Young, 55, of Iowa Park, and Jerry Dan Payne, 31, also of Iowa Park. Mrs. Young was the only person reported being injured.*

Record vote turnout indicated Saturday

Based on the number of early votes cast in this year's city election, a record turnout might be expected when the polls close Saturday.

When the early voting period closed Wednesday, a total of 152 votes had been cast, according to Janice Newman, election judge and city secretary.

The polls are to open at 7 a.m. Saturday and close at 7 p.m. They will be located at Kidwell Elementary, 1200 North Third, and Bradford Elementary, 800 South Texowa.

Each of the three council positions on the ballot has three candidates. However, none of them are incumbents.

The three candidates for mayor are Bud Mercer, Tim Hunter and George Witherspoon.

Mercer is currently serving as Alderman Place Two, and his term expires this month. He has served several other terms as Alderman.

Hunter has previously held the office of mayor, and was defeated by Wayne House, who is not seeking re-election this year.

Witherspoon has never served in an elective position.

The three candidates for Alderman Place Two are Joe Ward, Terry Johnson and David Lee Ohm. None has ever served on the council.

Place Four Alderman Johnny Crawford is not seeking re-election this year.

The three candidates for his position at the council table are Joe Singer, Ida Zimmerer and Tim Rich.

Singer has been a council member before, but neither of the other two has ever served.

An election for school board had been called for Saturday, but later was cancelled because only the two incumbents had filed by deadline time.

A state ruling allows any political entity to forego holding an election whenever there are uncontested races.

Keith Fisher and Randy Catlin were declared uncontested winners for another term of office, because neither was challenged.

Actually, the same thing happened in 1993, though an election was held because the state's ruling had not been issued at that time. Both Fisher and Catlin were uncontested that year also.

The city secretary said the 152 early votes cast in the city's election possibly is a record. The previous high was in 1992, when 112 early votes were cast.

Two years ago, only 17 early ballots were counted, she reported.

With early voting included, a total of 535 ballots were cast in last year's city election.

The city council will hold a called meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, and the only business will be the canvass the election returns.

Those who are declared winners will be sworn into office the following Monday.

MARY ARRINGTON

Counted cross stitching pushes out other hobbies

By MYRNA SMITH

In search of a descriptive noun for Mary Arrington--a counted cross stitch aficionada--I decided that was descriptive enough. After becoming involved in counted cross stitch, some of her other hobbies have taken a back seat.

Although she still maintains an interest in other stitchery, counted cross stitch is the one she enjoys the most.

The piece that started her on her love affair with counted cross stitch evolved into a postman. Since her son is a postman, she gave it to him. Now it is hard for her to leave it alone.

One's attention is immediately drawn to the many beautiful matted and framed portraits that decorate the walls of her home. Most of them are 14 or 18-count stitch.

They range from a landscape of a colorful field of bluebonnets to an array of other scenes, just as beautiful and colorful.

Some are under glass, but Mary said, "I've been told those under glass will mold when the humidity is high".

But, the most beautiful and the most prized piece Mary has done is a nativity scene that took her 15 months to complete.

The piece is beautiful, both from the standpoint of needlecraft art and pleasing to the eye.

She used gold metallic thread along with brilliant colors of other thread for robes of the worshipers, the rays from the star over the manger, Mary, Joseph and the Babe, the angels and the animals.

It is an impressive and inspirational five-part framed ensemble of exquisite artistry. Each panel integrates elements to draw focus to another part of the ensemble.

The piece was used as a fireplace screen at the home of her son and daughter-in-law during the 1995

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Business burglary under investigation

Police were investigating a reported burglary of a local business at presstime Wednesday.

Sometime during Tuesday night, someone forced entry into Dollar General and took an undetermined amount of money, according to Det. Lynn Collins.

The burglary was reported shortly after 8 a.m. by the manger, who was opening the business for the day.

Three cases of criminal mischief were reported to police during the past week.

Wednesday of last week, they were told that the restrooms at Lake Iowa Park had been disfigured by graffiti.

With the assistance of an expert from the Wichita Falls Police Dept., it was determined the graffiti was similar but not exactly like that which is done by organized youth gangs.

The owner of a pickup told police Saturday that someone had broken a window on the vehicle some time during the previous evening, while it was parked in the 500 block of East Alameda.

Sunday morning, police were told that a window had been broken out at the junior high school cafeteria.

An officer on patrol Wednesday morning of last week stopped a pickup in the 1100 block of North Third on a traffic check, and when a computer check was run on the license plate, it was found the plate had been issued to an 1971 model automobile.

The driver, James M. Ferro, 34, was issued citations for driving an unregistered motor vehicle and displaying a wrong license plate.

The license plate was confiscated, according to the police blotter entry.

When Betty Bradford Landrum, 58, went to city hall last week to pay a fine, she was told to go to the police station.

At the police station, a warrant was processed for failure to maintain

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Benefit dance set Saturday

A benefit dance sponsored by The Friendly Door will be held Saturday at the Recreational Activities Club.

The band, composed of Louis Bartosh, Charles Bartosh, Don Duncan and "others" will be playing from 7 to 10 p.m.

Admission will be $3 per person or $5 per couple.

Tea and coffee will be provided, and it is suggested dancers should bring their own snacks.



NEWS OF THE IOWA PARK GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

After the Revolution there were fewer than 7,000 Methodists in this country, most of the preachers were from England and pro-British.

The patriots were neither friendly nor compassionate, and some Methodists fled to Canada or returned to England. Of the Methodists that remained, Francis Ashbury was of importance in keeping the faith alive and it became free from England and the Church of England.

Officially organized in 1784 in Baltimore, the Church was called the Methodist Episcopal Church and was the parent of many Wesleyan denominations.

A large number of the Methodist churches started as classes meeting in homes, led by a designated member, and visited by circuit preachers. Later these groups organized as congregations.

Those researching Methodist ancestors will find the early records of interest, as there are the "classes" and the "probationers" lists.

When one progressed through the steps required for full membership, a detailed account of the person's life was compiled, and a member was received either from the probationary list or by letter of transfer from another congregation.

Members of "full connection" appear in alphabetized order along with remarks that can be of great interest to family historians.

Other areas of importance to a genealogist are the church records of meetings, Sunday School, Ladies Aid, church boards and trustees.

If you know the area where your Methodist ancestors lived, contact the local library, historical society and/or the county and state library. *Also try the Commission on Archives* and History, United Methodist Church. P.O. Box 127, Madison, N.J. 07940.

Need help in genealogy research? Check your local library for resource material or address queries to IPGHS P.O. Box 553, Iowa Park, Tx. 76367.

Helpful Hints

The running or roaming at large of any dog, cat or other animal within the city has been declared a nuisance and positively prohibited, and it has been made unlawful and deemed a Class C misdemeanor for the owner or keeper of any dog, cat or other animal to allow the same to run or roam at large within the city.



CHRISTMAS IN SPRING - About a dozen volunteer airmen from Sheppard AFB converged on a residence on East Highway Saturday, armed with painting equipment, saws, hammers and other equipment.

Rabies clinic slated May 11

The annual dog and cat vaccination clinic, sponsored by the FFA Chapter at Iowa Park High, will be held Saturday, May 11.

From 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the school's vocational agriculture shop, representatives of the Fellhauer and Morris Veterinarian Clinic will be assisted by students in giving shots.

Prices for dogs will be: Rabies, $7; Parvo-Corona, $8; Distemper/Parvo/Corona, $12; Rabies/Parvo/Corona, $15, and Rabies/Distemper/Parvo/Corona, $19.

For cats the prices will be: Distemper, $8; Luekemia, $10; Infections Peritonitis, $8; Rabies and Distemper, $15; Rabies and Leukemia, $17, and Rabies/Leukemia/Distemper, $15.

drive friendly

Counted cross stitching

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Christmas Home Tour in early December. It drew many compliments from spectators.

When she started the nativity piece, she had in mind to do one for each of her children. By the time she finished it she told them, "If you all like it that much, you will have to do your own".

Mary has been at it now 15 years. She hasn't kept an actual count of the number of pieces she has done, but is sure it is at least 200. She has given a lot of them as gifts to friends and to her children and grandchildren.

She and some of her friends make several trips to Branson, Mo., during the year, and that is where she finds most of her pieces.

Another of Mary's hobbies is piecing quilts, which was her main hobby, "Until I got hooked on counted cross stitch", she said. She had always hand quilted them.

She still enjoys piecing quilts and a number of patchwork pillow tops are noted in her home. She now has a quilting machine that takes up almost one wall of her bedroom.

Mary has 10 or 12 tops pieced ready to quilt, when she decides to leave her cross stitch long enough. She made each of her children a double wedding ring quilt and plans to give others to her grandchildren.

She does her own yard work and has been busy the past few weeks planting flowers and working in the yard.

Collecting salt and pepper shakers has been another of Mary's hobbies through the years. She has more than 200 sets of the cherished collectibles.

Many of them have been brought to her by friends and family, and every time she goes somewhere and sees a pair she doesn't have she buys them. Some are very old, some are from Japan and Puerto Rico.

Mary had a large book shelf that she converted into a place to hold 180 sets of her collection by putting glass doors in the front of the shelf.

She also has a collection of spoons from different states which are special to her. They originally belonged to her mother.

Mary was raised north of Graham and has lived in Iowa Park since 1964. She is a member of Faith Baptist Church. She worked for Wal-Mart five and a half years. She now has a paper route, one that her son did have, and begins throwing papers about 2:30 each morning.

She laughed and said, " I like it, when I get back I can either go back to bed or stay up and do counted cross stitch."

Mary has three children. Paul, the postman, and his family who live here, Steve lives in Lubbock and is an executive with Coco-Cola Co., and Karen Huff, who lives in Plano, works for NationsBank.

Mary currently has four grandchildren, but soon there will be five.

LOOK WHO'S NEW

Vos

A son, Thomas Michael, was born April 21, at Leeuwarden, The Netherlands, to Captain Raymond Vos and Lisa Vos. He weighed seven pounds, eight ounces and was 20 inches long. The new baby has a sister, Colleen Dorreen, and his mother is the former Lisa Weed of Iowa Park.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Brian Weed of Iowa Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Vos of The Netherlands.

Great-grandparents are Mr. Frederick Curtis of Iowa Park, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Weed of England, and Mrs. Wilhelmina Hilhorst of The Netherlands.

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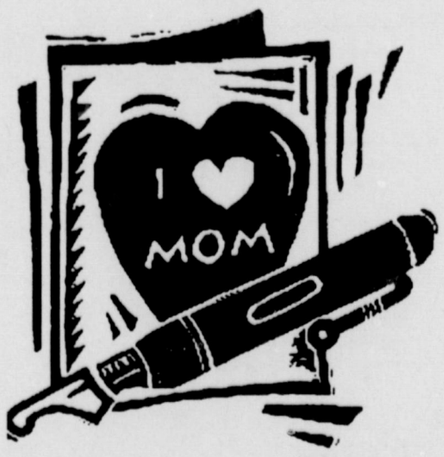


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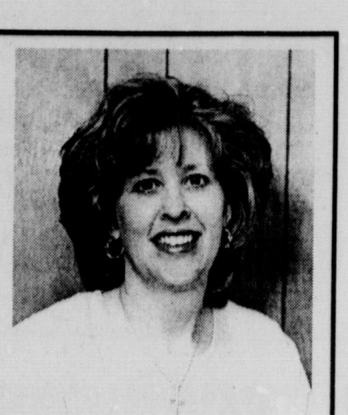


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Cook of the Week



Sandy McCalip

Sandy and Billy Ray McCalip recently purchased a home in Iowa Park. They and their two young sons, Weston, four and a half, and Laret, four months old, will be moving in soon.

For the last three years they have lived on FM 369, where Billy Ray trains cutting horses.

Sandy grew up and graduated high school in Ardmore, Okla. Billy Ray is a graduate of Henrietta High School, and has always worked with horses.

After graduating high school, Sandy worked four years in the district attorney's office in Ardmore. When she and Billy Ray married in 1986, they moved to Wichita Falls where she worked for Certainteed. They lived at Abilene for a couple of years before moving back to this area three years ago. Now, with two small sons, Sandy says she is a "domestic engineer."

Sandy said she loves to cook, try new recipes, ride horses, sing, and participate in activities at her church.

She used to ride and show cutting horses before the boys were born, and plans to continue when they are older. She is secretary of the Red River Cutting Horse Association.

At the Lakeview Church of God, Sandy sings in the choir, leads the praise and worship service, and works in the nursery. Before she was expecting her second child, she enjoyed helping prepare the fellowship dinner before Wednesday evening services.

Billy Ray is a leader for youth groups, teaches a Sunday School class, and plays the saxaphone.

Sandy credits her mother and father for instilling in her an interest in cooking. "My Mom is an excellent cook," she said. "And my father owned a meat market and deli when I was growing up, so they were both great influences."

Zuchinni Bread

2 cups flour
2 cups sugar
1 Tbsp. cinnamon
2 tsps. soda
1 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
1 cup Crisco oil
2 tsps. vanilla
3 eggs
1 cup raisins
1 1/2 cup nuts
2 cups grated zuchinni (unpeeled)

Combine flour, sugar, cinnamon, soda, baking powder, salt, oil, vanilla and eggs. Mix well. Stir in zuchinni, raisins and 1 cup of nuts. Pour into greased pan. Sprinkle with 1/2 cup of nuts on top. Bake 50 minutes in 350 degree oven.

Working Women's Ribs

1/2 onion, chopped
2 tsps. butter
2 tsps. vegetable oil
1 cup brown sugar
2 tsps. Worcestershire
1 tsp. mustard
2 cups ketchup
1 cup water
2 tsps. vinegar
2 tsps. A-1 or Heinz 57 sauce
1/2 tsp. salt

Saute onion in butter and oil. Mix remaining ingredients. Simmer on low for 20 minutes. Pour over ribs in large cooking bag. Bake 3-4 hours at 300 degrees. This recipe is for 5 lbs. of ribs.

Cornbread-Broccoli Casserole

1 box chopped broccoli
1 stick butter
1/2 cup cheese
2 eggs
12 oz. cottage cheese
1 pkg. Jiffy cornbread

Melt butter, add remaining ingredients and pour into greased pan. Bake 1 hour at 350 degrees.

Mexicorn

1 can Mexicorn
1 bag Fritos
3 Tbsps. sweet relish
3 Tbsps. Miracle Whip

Add relish and Miracle Whip to Mexicorn (drained). Stir together, then chill until time to serve. Crunch Fritos in bag and stir into mixture.

Sourdough Biscuits

6 cups flour
1/2 cup sugar
2 Tbsps. baking powder
1/2 tsp. soda
2 tsps. salt
2 pkgs. dry yeast
1 cup warm water
1/2 cup oil
2 cups buttermilk

Mix yeast in warm water and set aside. Mix all dry ingredients; stir well. Add oil, buttermilk and yeast water. Mix well. Batter will be sticky. Refrigerate for 4 hours. Drop by spoonfuls onto floured surface. Place in greased pan. Bake 12-15 minutes at 400 degrees.

FFA Boosters schedule pot luck supper, meeting

The FFA Booster Club will meet at 6:30 Monday evening in the high school ag building for a pot luck supper and meeting.

The upcoming banquet and end of the year party are some of the items to be discussed during the business session.

All members are urged to come and bring their favorite dish.

Helpful Hints

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

Garden Club visits Dallas landmarks

Sixty-six acres of beauty on the shores of White Rock Lake in Dallas were toured Friday, April 26, by members of the Iowa Park Garden Club. Luther Skinner accompanied the group.

Following lunch at the Golden Corral, the group entered the beautiful facilities of the Dallas Auboretum and Botanical Gardens.

Many of the spring bloomers, such as the azalea, iris and tulips were being replaced, but over all the gardens were beautiful.

The group took a tram to the De Golyer House and Gift Shop. It was also beautiful with its chandeliers and 12 to 14-foot ceilings.

The library was filled with books that had been purchased by the oil man when he lived in the home. This room had the largest world globe that anyone of the group had ever seen.

From the dining room, one could look across White Rock Lake and see the H.L. Hunt Mansion. This room is a favorite place for famous people and big business to hold receptions. The price is $10,000 per day, with no overnight accomodations.

It was noted that the DeGolyer house received the first central air conditioner in the city of Dallas.

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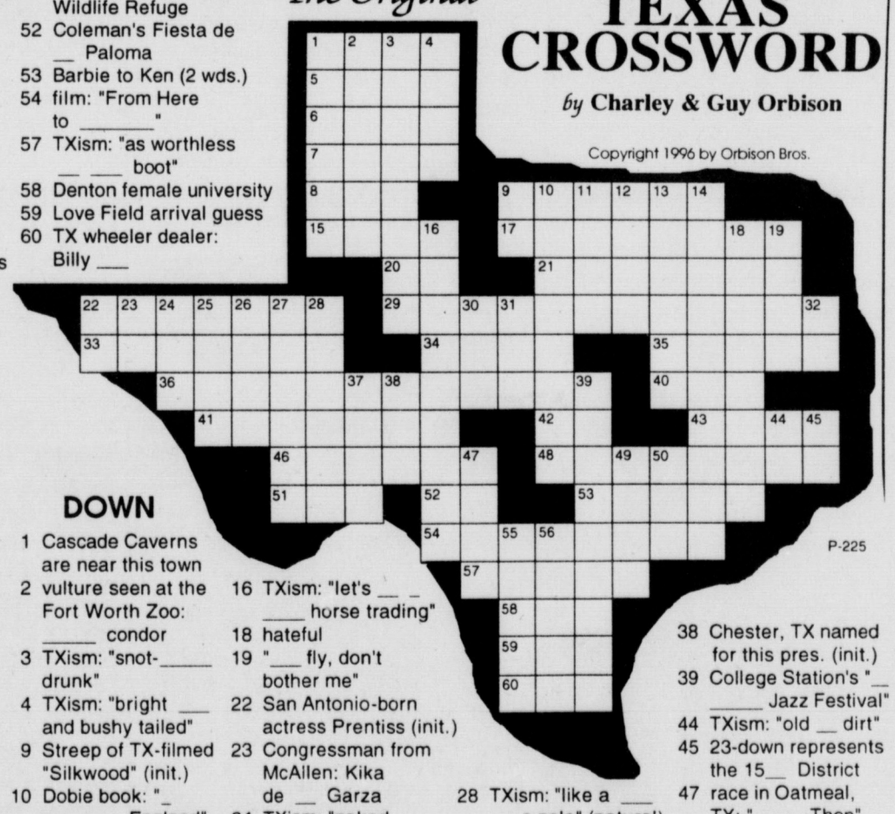
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6 ___ Adams Street is in San Antonio
7 tear apart
8 TXism: "two-bit ___" (poor horse)
9 poker IOU
15 Oklahoma town
17 canned fruit is pitless and _____
20 TXism: "he's __ spring chicken" (old)
21 "Rave On" is TX Holly's _____
22 Cowboys post season contest
29 in '37 this event caused the death of students in New London (2 wds.)
33 El ___ __-Stars won 1st Sun Bowl
34 bootmaker Tony
35 TX-made V-22 Osprey tilt-____ aircraft
36 how "Giant" star Dean died (2 wds.)
40 filmed in Galveston: "Capricon ___"
41 TXism: "hungry __ _ ___ on a concrete pasture"
42 exCowboy Holt (init.)
43 TXism: "tight as a cinch on _ ___ horse"
46 salsa ingredient
48 George H's son & George W's brother
51 Santa ___ National Wildlife Refuge
52 Coleman's Fiesta de __ Paloma
53 Barbie to Ken (2 wds.)
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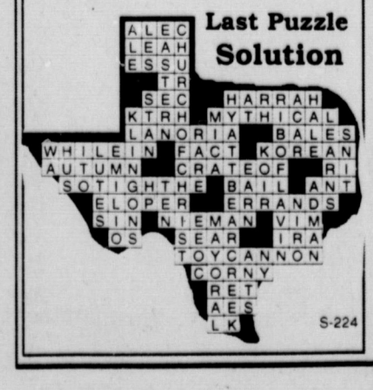
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10 Dobie book: "_ ____ __ England"
11 former Duncanville state rep. Glenn
12 Cameron AM radio
13 the mechanical bull
14 TX outlet malls offer _____ priced goods
16 TXism: "let's __ _ ____ horse trading"
18 hateful
19 "___ fly, don't bother me"
22 San Antonio-born actress Prentiss (init.)
23 Congressman from McAllen: Kika de __ Garza
24 TXism: "naked __ _ jaybird"
25 TXism: "I'll slap ___ _ new hat size!"
26 horse food
27 TXism: "strong enough to ____ _ horseshoe" (coffee)
28 TXism: "like a ___ __ a pole" (natural)
30 TXism: "tear jerker" (___ movie)
31 Tex-Mex mafia: "El ___"
32 TX pitching legend Nolan (init.)
37 unconscious state
38 Chester, TX named for this pres. (init.)
39 College Station's "__ _____ Jazz Festival"
44 TXism: "old __ dirt"
45 23-down represents the 15__ District
47 race in Oatmeal, TX: "___-_-Thon"
49 "Texas When _ ___"
50 TX cattle fattener: feed___
55 last name of 60-across
56 TXism: "tough ___ __ hoe"

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As I See It...



By Bob Hamilton

Apparently, a town without a car dealership doesn't need a full-service station.

At least, that's exactly what's happened to Iowa Park, a community of almost 7,000 population!

As of this week, Mike's Texaco on East Highway no longer exists. That was the last of the full-service stations here.

In fact, it was the 11th full-service station to have closed in my 26-plus years in Iowa Park.

And now there are none.

When we moved here, there wasn't any such thing as a convenience store selling gasoline. Now there are four. And in the near future, there will be five.

But convenience stores don't offer such things as pumping your gas, checking your oil and transmission fluid, washing your windshield, airing up tires, fixing flats, lubricating, washing, cleaning the floormats, emptying the ash trays -- they're just what they are named, open hours at your convenience for selling you gasoline.

They're filling stations.

Oh, all of those services are still available, but you've gotta go to different places for them now.

Got a flat? Junior Collazo or James Cates will fix them for you. Need your oil changed? Catlin Quick Change will do the job for you. Need your car washed? You can do it, or go through the automatic washer unit, at Mean Green Car Wash.

Actually, Collazo says he does a lot more than just fixing flats. In fact, Junior says he does everything for your car's service, except sell you gasoline. That includes washing and cleaning, oil change, etc.

He's been at the same location on East Highway the past 40 years . . . as a matter of fact.

I don't know what a lot of people are going to do -- especially women who've never pumped gasoline at a self-service, or older folks.

My wife, as an example, had never pumped gas before Sunday. I took her to a local store and showed her how to do it.

That conjures up something else. Will convenience stores now be required to be handicap-service? How will a person in a wheel chair pump their own gasoline, or someone who can drive, but can't walk?

You can thank your federal government for our predicament. And the Enviromental Protection Agency, more specifically.

Gasoline tanks at service stations are buried underground. And the EPA requires them to be replaced if there is any leakage, or after a certain number of years, when they surely will commence leaking.

Folks, replacement of underground tanks can cost as much as $150,000, I'm told.

If there is any leakage, the contaminated soil has to be hauled away -- and that can cost as much as $100 per barrel load, I'm told.

That is the reason we have so many vacant service station buildings here and across the nation.

This nation will soon be one large mass of closed service stations. It already is, if you are taking notice.

No one knows what will happen to all the convenience stores now selling gasoline. It's doubtful they will be able to sell enough soft drinks and potato chips to finance operating, when and if they have to stop selling gasoline.

Anyway, you might want to make a note in your family Bible that you can, years in the future, show your great-grandchildren, that the last of the full-service service stations in Iowa Park closed in May, 1996.

That is, if you're interested in *history.*

Students' subscription sale to benefit Friendly Door

The annual subscription sales campaign by Iowa Park Junior High School band students will commence Wednesday and continue through May 13, according to Ed Hefti, director.

Students have solicited sales to the *Iowa Park Leader* the past several years.

In the past, commissions earned from the sale have been used to purchase equipment for the band.

However, this year, it has been decided that the organization will donate proceeds it earned to the Friendly Door senior citizens center.

Announcement of individual sales leaders will be made during the band's annual spring concert, to be held Thursday, May 16, Hefti said.

Individuals compete in three categories: most total subscriptions sold; most new subscriptions, and most renewals.

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Police

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liability insurance. She was released after signing a promise to appear in municipal court, according to the blotter entry.

Charles Edward Houston, 23, was arrested for public intoxication when police were called to a disturbance at Colonial Apartments at 1:26 a.m. Sunday.

Houston was released at 8:55 a.m. after signing a promise to appear in municipal court.

A female juvenile was picked up at 3:49 a.m. Saturday in the 300 block of East Highway for violating the city's curfew ordinance. She was taken to the police station and held until her parents picked her up.

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Local fireman named Firefighter of the Year

Greg Wood, assistant fire chief of Iowa Park Volunteer Fire Dept., was named Firefighter of the Year by the West Texas District of State Firemen's and Fire Marshall's Association, at the 126th annual convention held recently in Wichita Falls.

Wood was nominated by the local department after being selected Firefighter of the Year by his fellow volunteers in 1995.

Wood joined the department in 1990 and has served as chaplain, trustee, captain and assistant chief.

He will now compete with other firemen from their respective districts for the state honor. That will be announced when the state association meets next June in Amarillo.

Also during the West Texas District meeting, Lewis Skinner, captain of the local department, was elected first vice president, while his father, Danny, was named third vice president. Danny is chief of the Iowa Park department.

In competition during the district meeting, local members and their families also participated in pumper races and water polo. They returned with five first places, a second and a pair of third-place trophies.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone who helped us during and after Derek's bicycle accident last Wednesday afternoon.

Thanks to the Iowa Park EMTs for your response and care at the scene, and to Officer Dean Winters for your courteous and professional help. Special thanks to Don Haynes, who called 911 and offered support while we waited for the ambulance. Thanks to Dan and Kathy Geil for helping with Jeannie, as well as all the other wonderful things you did.

Also, our thanks to Wichita General Hospital nurses and Stacie Wheeler for your advice and support, and to Lifeline employees. You all helped more than you will ever know.

Many thanks,
Derek Wright and Irene Wright

Bauer is inducted into honor society

Kristen Bauer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bauer of Iowa Park, was inducted Sunday into membership in the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing in Lubbock.

The honor society, founded at Indiana Univ. in 1922, currently has 349 chapters at more than 391 colleges and universities in the United States, Canada, Taiwan, South Korea and Australia.

Membership in the Society is awarded to bachelor's, master's, and doctoral nursing candidates who achieve high scholastic averages and to graduates of nursing programs who have made outstanding contributions to nursing.

RAC News

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Bridge Clubs

With three tables in play, Marti Tinnerstet had the high score of 5340 at bridge last Wednesday. Nita Morris had the second high of 5220.

Monday bridge had two tables and John Chapman had the high score of 4760. Louise Clapp had the second high of 4240. There are only six players registered for next Monday.

Volleyball

We are still working on our sand volleyball league for spring. Thus far we only have three confirmed teams. Plans are to start the league in May or early June and play eight weeks. Registration fees will be $100 per team (min. 6/max. 10). If you would like to have a team, or have any questions, please call the RAC at 592-4471.

Summer Schedules

Schedules for summer events will be passed out at the elementary schools in the next couple of weeks. We hope to offer as much as possible for the kids to do this summer, so if you have any ideas or requests be sure to let us know. Further details will be printed in this column when finalized.

Attention Leaders

Scout leaders are reminded that we need to know your meeting schedules for the month of May in the RAC office. Also, if you plan to meet during the summer, it will be neccessary to schedule a room in advance (please do not assume you can keep your regular room and meeting time without checking). This information helps us in scheduling and your cooperation will be very much appreciated.

Food Handlers Course

We have had a few calls for another food handlers course, which we will gladly schedule if we have at least 10 participants. If you need a food handlers card or need to renew yours, please let us know and we will work towards having a course in the near future. For info, call 592-4471.

Cody Cole recognized Hardin Scholar at MSU

Cody R. Cole, a graduate of Iowa Park High School, was singled out for his academic achievements at Midwestern State Univ. Friday evening.

The chemistry major was named Hardin Scholar, the university's highest award for academic excellence.

The scholarship is presented each spring to a student during his or her senior year, and a $2,500 award is given with the honor.

Cole's previous honors include being named 1994 Outstanding Freshman Man, 1994 Ex-Students' Association Outstanding Honors Student, 1994 Alpha Chi Scholar and 1995 Clark Scholar.

He currently serves as a Student Ambassador, secretary of American Chemical Society Student Affiliate Chapter and a researcher for Dr. R.J. Williams.

While at MSU, Cole has been a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, Alpha Chi, Phi Eta Sigma, Gamma Sigma Epsilon and the 1995 College Bowl Team.

Presentation of Friday's award took place during the annual Honors Recognition Banquet, held in D.L. Ligon Coliseum.

Cole was valedictorian of his 1993 graduating class at IPHS.

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Masons to conduct annual pilgrimage

On May 19, Texas Masons will make their annual pilgrimage to the Masonic Oak Park at Brazoria to celebrate the event which ultimately led to the formation of The Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas.

The site is a 10-acre plot of ground, divided by a street named Pleasant, with the Masonic Oak near the street on one side and a pavilion and park on the other side.

It was under this tree that five Master Masons met at 10 a.m. on a day in March, 1835 to compose a petition to the Grand Lodge of Louisiana to form a Masonic Lodge in Texas.

It was to be named Holland Lodge after the then Grand Master of Louisiana, John H. Holland. Anson Jones, first Grand Master of Masons in Texas and fourth Governor of the Republic of Texas was to be Master of the Lodge. The petition was granted.

That was the beginning of organized Masonry in Texas and the Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas, which now consists of 149,000 members in 910 Constituent Lodges.

The practice of convening at the Masonic Oak Park in Brazoria began in 1949 when members of newly formed Anson Jones Lodge No. 1313 conceived the idea of a day of fellowship and picnic.

The month of May was chosen because of the unpredictable weather in March. The idea caught on and became an annual pilgrimage, occurring now on the Sunday after Mother's Day.

It is the practice for the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas and his Grand Officers to attend. Activities start in the morning with a Worship Service, presentation of the Colors, and then awards for different categories such as "the oldest Mason there," or "who travelled the farthest," and so on, the latter all in fun. There are hayrides and games for children of all ages.

The Grand Master is the principal speaker, and after his talk, a catered dinner concludes the program.

Further details can be obtained locally by calling the Iowa Park Masonic Lodge No. 713 at 592-2697.

Film to be shown Sunday evening

A new dramatic movie, "The Home Coming", from World Wide Pictures, a ministry of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association, will be shown Sunday at First Baptist Church at 6 p.m.

According to Dr. Derrell Monday, pastor, the film speaks to everyone who's had to struggle with peer pressure, belonging and making the right choices.

It is the story of a big-city tough guy who finds himself in a small town high school and is befriended by a couple of students, despite their obvious differences.

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10:45 a.m. ..... Worship
5:00 p.m. Discipleship
(Training Classes for all ages)
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship
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(Jr. High & High School)
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Obituaries

David Waldo Huber Jr.

Services for David Waldo Huber, 62, were Friday at 2 p.m. at Southside Baptist Church in Bowie.

Rev. Walter McCall, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery under direction of Burgess-Fry-Owens-Brumley Funeral Home.

Mr. Huber, father of Michael Huber of Iowa Park, died Wednesday, April 24, in a Bowie hospital.

Born Dec. 14, 1933, in Ryan, Okla., he was married to Betty Johnson Jan. 21, 1955, in Marietta, Okla. He was a heavy equipment operator for pipeline construction.

He is survived by his wife; two other sons, David of Millsap and Rodney of Wichita Falls; one daughter, Tammie Hopson of Bowie; his father, D.W. Huber of Bowie; one brother, Dennis of Runaway Bay; one sister, Wanda Brown of Montague, and 10 grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Jessie B. Johnson

Services for Jessie B. Johnson, 94, were at 2 p.m. Friday at Sullivan Funeral Home Chapel in Vernon.

Rev. Derrell Patterson, pastor of Frist United Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Eastview Cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson died Tuesday, April 23, in the Iowa Park nursing home.

Born Oct. 29, 1901, in Mexia, she was married to Frank P. Johnson Feb. 14, 1920, in Vernon. He died in 1967. Her son, D.J. died in 1987.

Mrs. Johnson had been a resident of Vernon, Electra and Iowa Park most of her life. She was a former cook for the W.T. Waggoner Estate. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Iowa Park and the Eastern Star.

Survivors include seven grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be sent to a humane society or a favorite charity.

Marie Crenshaw

Services for Marie Crenshaw, 82, were at 3 p.m. Friday at Bible Baptist Church in Bridgeport.

Rev. Bill Higgins officiated. Burial was in East Bridgeport Cemetery under direction of Hawkins Funeral Home.

Mrs. Crenshaw, mother of Lou Dormier of Iowa Park, died Thursday, April 25, in a Bridgeport nursing home.

Mrs. Crenshaw was born Nov. 27, 1913, in Purcell, Okla. She had lived in Bridgeport 74 years. She was a member of Bible Baptist Church and the Bunko Club.

Other survivors are a son, Buz of Big Spring; another daughter, Dolores Ferrier of Bridgeport; eight grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Roy E. Koenig

Roy E. Koenig, 59, former resident of Iowa Park, died Sunday in a San Antonio hospital following a long illness.

Prayer service was Tuesday night at 7 p.m. at Roberson Funeral Home Chapel in Alice. Graveside services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday in New Collins Cemetery with military services by Alice VFW 8621.

Koenig was a veteran and was retired from Civil Service

He is survived by his wife, Esmeralda of Alice; one son, Roy E. Koenig Jr., of California; one daughter, Linda Garcia of Texas; his father, Clements Eli Koenig of Georgia; his mother, Sarah Koenig of Florida; two brothers, Calvin Koenig of Georgia and William Koenig of Jacksonville, Fla, and three grandchildren.

Mary Kathleen Brown

Graveside services for Mary Kathleen Brown, 75, were at 10 a.m. in Riverside Cemetery in Wichita Falls.

Rev. Jim Pugh officiated. Arrangements were under direction of Owens-Brumley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Brown died Tuesday, April 23, in a Wichita Falls hospital.

She was born Oct. 24, 1920, in Tyler. Mrs. Brown was a retired cafeteria manager of Wichita Falls Independent School District. She was a member of First Christian Church of Wichita Falls.

Survivors include her husband, Willie W. Brown of Iowa Park; one son, John J. Clark of Albuquerque, N.M.; one brother, Royce T. Walker of Wichita Falls; one sister, Maxine Woods of Dallas, and two grandchildren.

Christine L. Dobson

Christine L. Dobson, 90, former resident of Iowa Park, died April 23, in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Graveside services were Friday at Riverside Cemetery in Wchita Falls. Mrs. Dobson was born May 30,1905, in Decatur, Mich., to Jim and Bernice Wilson.

She moved to Texas in 1948 and lived in Iowa Park from 1948 to 1957.

Survivors include two daughters, Regina Jarmon of Seattle, Wash., and Jeanne Nolasco of New Jersey; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

We, the family of Effie Thompson, wish to express our thanks for the prayers, cards, letters, food, flowers and memorials. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated.

Ruth, C.L., & Chuck Thompson
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Iowa Park School Lunch Menu

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Lunch--Little Smokies, potatoes, baked beans, bread slice, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY, May 7
Breakfast--Breakfast pizza, fruit or juice, milk.
Lunch--Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, salad, rolls, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY, May 8
Breakfast--Biscuit and gravy, breakfast meat, fruit or juice, milk.
Lunch--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, pickle and onion, ice cream, milk.

THURSDAY, May 9
Breakfast--Cinnamon roll, smokies, fruit or juice, milk.
Lunch--Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, fruit, rolls, milk.

FRIDAY, May 10
No school, in-service day

Due to the fact the end of the school year is near and we need to use commodities and frozen food stored, this menu is subject to change without notice.

HIGH SCHOOL & JR. HIGH

MONDAY, May 6
Breakfast--Cheese toast, fruit, milk, or cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch--Beef Stroganoff, salad, green beans, garlic bread, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY, May 7
Breakfast--Sausage, biscuit, gravy, fruit, milk, or cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch--Pizza, salad, corn, fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY, May 8
Breakfast--Scrambled eggs, toast, fruit, milk, or cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, pickle, onion, ice cream, milk.

THURSDAY, May 9
Breakfast--Breakfast pizza, fruit, milk, or cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch--Pork steak, potatoes, gravy, English peas, rolls, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY, May 10
No school, in-service day

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Letters to Editor policy explained

The *Leader* receives numerous letters which cannot, for one reason or another, be published.

Letters will not be printed unless they are signed. A typed name will not do. And, for the sake of verification, the writer's telephone should be included.

Should the writer not wish his/her name printed, it will be omitted upon request. However, the letter will be kept on file to be read upon request.

Letters also must be free of libel. If not, they will not be published, because we will not edit the content of any letter.

In letters supporting political candidates or issues, the *Leader* reserves the right to limit their lengths.

We encourage your Letters to the Editor, and offer the paper space as your forum for discussions of ideas and observations.

Helpful Facts

The City of Iowa Park offers a $250 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person commiting arson within the city limits.

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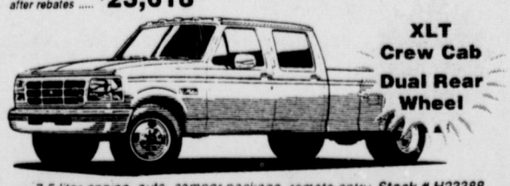
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$14,399*



$600 Factory Rebate or 4.8% up to 48 months
4.9 liter engine, 5 speed, tilt, cruise, air conditioning. Stock # F50791.

1996 RANGER SUPERCAB XLT
Total vehicle plus options $16,314
Option pkg. discount $1,306
MSRP $15,008
KKFM disc $2,068
Rebate $600
Sale price after rebates $12,340*
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$600 Factory Rebate or 4.8% up to 48 months
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Total vehicle plus options $14,157
Option pkg. discount $1,306
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Total vehicle plus options $17,291
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4.9 liter engine, 5 speed, air conditioning. Stock # F20262.

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Automatic, 5.0 V8 engine, AM/FM/cass, tilt, cruise, power doors & locks. Stock # F41164.

News from the Halls of the Hawks

Bradford

New Menu, New Name

Bradford is hosting a contest to name the cafeteria, this coming just a couple of weeks after the school began participation in a pilot program offering a varied menu each day.

Last week, students submitted their choices for cafeteria names. This week, cafeteria supervisor Trena Reck, and others, have been busy selecting finalists for the student body to vote on.

The winner will be announced in "Halls of the Hawks" next week.

Congratulations, Hoopsters

Four Bradford students competed in the State Hoop Challenge held last weekend in Waco.

Third graders Rachel Watreas, Ben Bowling and Marcus Blagg, and fourth grader Corey Bosley earned the trip after winning locally, and then at the regional competition held in Burkburnett.

Map finished

The United States map, painted by the Southwestern Bell Pioneers last weekend, is beautiful.

The map, painted on the large, covered concrete slab in front of the cafeteria features the United States in full color. The map will be used by Bradford classes to study geography and other subjects.

The Pioneers volunteered their time, and all the supplies were donated as well.

Field Trips

Fourth graders will take a field trip this week to the Fort Sill Museum in Oklahoma.

Third graders are planning a trip to the Land of Legends.

You have the right to write a Bill of Rights

Fifth graders have been studying the United States Bill of Rights, and as a project, are writing their own for Bradford.

The student's efforts and ideas, which must be "reasonable," will be on display in fifth grade hall.

A good play

Mrs. Parson's language arts class are busy rehearsing a play they will present to the entire student body the last week of school.

An annual class project, the play was written by Mrs. Parson.

Students raising $10 or more received a colorful red, white and blue Olympic theme Fun 'N Fitness t-shirt.

Money raised by this annual effort has been used to purchase many needed items for the Kidwell campus, including playground equipment, gymnasium equipment, computers and Saxon Math boards.

Parents and family members are invited to participate in the day's activities.

Book Fair Continues

The Kidwell Book Fair, originally scheduled to last through today, will offer one more day and evening of shopping.

Lori Williams, fundraising co-chairman, said they will hold the fair from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., and from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at the school.

The Monday evening hours are being designated as "Parent's Night."

Quality children's books are being offered at the fair at discount prices, as well as on a "2-for-the-price-of 1" basis.

Funds generated from the sale of the books will be used for service projects of the Kidwell PTA.

Reading for others

Mrs. Wright's reading class are continuing a reading program through May, in which they read books and narrate poems to Kidwell kindergarten classes.

The class began the program in April and will continue to the end of school.

According to Mrs. Wright, the readers and listeners are enjoying their time together.

Kidwell

FUN 'N FITNESS

Kidwell's annual Fun 'N Fitness is finally here! The playday will be held all day Friday, with games and competitions slated.

This playday culminates a fund-raiser, sponsored by the the Kidwell PTA. Kidwell students raised money and earned prizes for this playday.

Ermis' give time, talent for others

Just when you think you've heard nothing but bad news, a story comes about a group of kids, and it truly brightens your day.

Such is the case with a group of boys known in Valley View as "the Ermis Boys."

Their parents, Pete and Marlene Ermis, own Valley View Mini Mart, and do quite a bit of catering. Some time ago, Pete had agreed to cater a rib feed fund-raiser for the Iowa Park Little League on opening day.

It turned out that opening day this year was the same weekend as Daddy Pete's big fishing trip.

Pete had already decided he would cancel the trip and fulfill his agreement with the Little League, when his sons, Jake, Pete and Luke convinced him they could handle the job. So Pete went on his fishing trip.

So with the help of two cousins from Seymour and Valley View resident Ray Gholson, The Ermis brothers hauled cookers, equipment and ribs to the Little League field and spent the entire Saturday cooking ribs - 225 pounds of them.

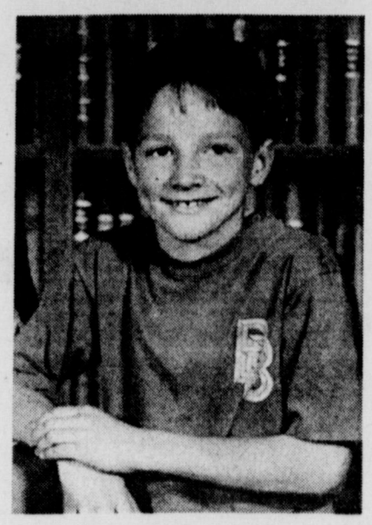
The boys can also be found each Friday night pitching in at their parents' restaurant during their busiest time.

Jake, Pete and Luke are 14, 13 and 11-years old, respectively.

Next time you hear a story about the youth with discipline problems, remember there are some like the Ermis brothers who are willing to donate their time and effort to help others.

EXPRESS YOURSELF
with a letter to the editor
Iowa Park Leader
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Iowa Park, TX 76367

Sidlauskas named national award winner



Jesse Sidlauskas

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Jesse Sidlauskas has been named a United States National Award winner on the Honor Roll.

Jesse Anton Pike Sidlauskas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Sidlauskas, formerly of Iowa Park. He is the grandson of Orpha (Cookie) and Andrew Sidlauskas of Iowa Park and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Pike of Whitesboro.

Jesse attends Whitesboro Middle School. He was nominated for this national award by Ms. Amos, a counselor at the school.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students attain. The Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school and middle school students.

Jesse will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

Winners are selected upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standard of Selection set forth by the Academy.

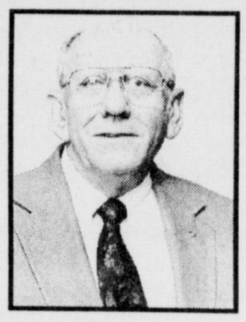
Criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude, and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation for a teacher or director.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history and winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the Academy.

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Experienced business management for the City of Iowa Park. To assure our continuing growth and provide a stable city government, Please Vote For:
BUD MERCER - Mayor
JOE WARD - City Council (Place 2)
JOE SINGER - City Council (Place 4)
Please remember and vote for BUD, JOE and JOE!
Pd. Pol. Adv. By Marvin Doyle Parks

A vote for JOE WARD is a vote for:



INTEGRITY — The highest standard for city government
STABILITY — Maintain a stable city government
PROGRESS — Encourage local businesses and attract new business and industry
TEAMWORK — I will be a co-worker with city employees and the people of Iowa Park
STEWARDSHIP — Get the best possible return for each tax dollar spent
SERVICE — Strive for excellence in all services the city provides
SAFETY — Help our fire and police departments do their jobs

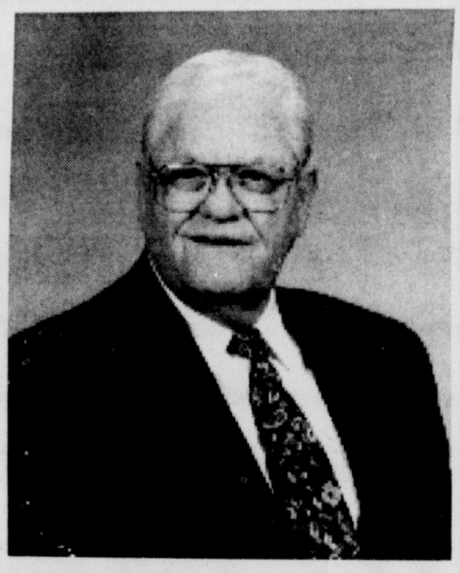
Elect Joe Ward
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ELECT
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City Council - Place 4



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☆ Continue an active infrastructure program
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☆ Maintain an efficient level of service to all citizens.

I have the time and the desire to devote to the city business,
PLEASE VOTE MAY 4 FOR BUD MERCER

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VOTE TERRY JOHNSON



City Councilman, Place 2
(Clockwise from Terry) Terry, Ann, Stephanie, Valerie, Donnie

✔ I will be open minded & fair to all.
✔ Old enough to make wise decisions and young enough to look to the future.
✔ Promote economical growth without burdening tax payers further.
✔ I am a working tax-payer with a family.
✔ I will make decisions that reflect all levels of income in Iowa Park.
✔ Willing to listen to the people and ask their opinions.
✔ Independent decision maker.
✔ Iowa Park resident for over 30 years.
✔ 4 years of City Government experience & knowledge of budgets for city maintenance.

I need your vote Saturday, May 4th to be your Councilman for Place 2. Thank You, Terry Johnson
Political Adv. paid by Terry Johnson

Letters to the Editor

Youth's actions appalling

Dear Bob;

I thought I'd write this down while it was still fresh on my mind.

Thursday night we went to the Senior Baseball Game behind Sonic. We sat on the top of the bleachers and were soon sharing it with Junior High kids. Wouldn't have been so bad I'm sure if their parents would have been there or within ear-shot.

Seems the favorite word is the "F" word. That's about the one that was used in every sentence of the three boys sitting near us. Someone's Dad (I won't mention names) and a boy drive up, they get out and our potty-mouth boys say: "I'm fixing to go beat the ***** out of him. One other says well he will just run behind his Dad. Well one of the boys says he'll just kick H*****'s A** (the dad's). Tough boys aren't they? Oh it gets better. We got our belly full after two girls join them and start cutting the people on the bottom of the bleachers down. How F******** fat, how F******* gross. I'm sure you get the picture. They all leave the bleachers. It was 5 minutes later and I looked over at the other bleachers and one of the 6th graders is picking on a kid half his size. I watched and a adult walked by as he past this same boy acted like he was going to kick him. Another walked past and this boy acted like he was going to bow up to him. Of course all this was behind these men's backs.

Well, he proceeds to grab this boy again and put him in a head-lock, hitting him and squeezing. Finally he let go and grabs the boy's hat and takes off with it and slams it into the brush. Of course then we heard from the littler boy. Anyway this 8th grader starts heading towards where we were sitting and a 4-5 year old boy walks by and he says something smart-alec to him. By then I'm sick of it and I yelled T***** cut the crap. Of course he looks at me with what'd I do? I replied "You know exactly what, I've been sitting here watching you and if you don't cut the crap I go speak with your Dad." Well, he trots on over to Dad mumbling under his breath. And turns around knowing I'm still watching him and points to Dad without his Dad seeing that. They left within 5 minutes after that.

Now how proud would we have been if we would have been playing another town and they heard this? This isn't the only time this crap has been heard out of this kid, and I'm sure won't be the last. But parents (Where are you?????). I'll bet they don't talk that way in front of you.

Now this kid that I watched tonite, I don't know if he even said anything to his dad. Maybe if Mom sees it in the paper she might realize these kids need more supervision. Nobody likes to hear this garbage anyway but it's disgusting coming from our kids mouths.

Now don't get me wrong I have and did see a lot of kids that sat and behaved themselves and even if they did have a Dad get on them I heard "Yes Sir." So their not all trouble makers but there is a few out there that have to ruin things for everyone else. I know it ruined my night and I really didn't feel comfortable getting on to someone else's child but obviously they were not watching or seeing.

Name withheld by request

Library News

NEW ADULT BOOKS

The New Dare to Discipline by James C. Dobson
The Campaign: a novel by Marilyn T. Quayle
The Enemy Within by Larry Bond
You Mean I'm Not Lazy, Stupid, or Crazy? by Kate Kelly
David Brinkley by David Brinkley
In Their Name: Dedicated to the Brave and the Innocent, OKC, April 1995
Hope by Len Deighton
Pentecost Alley by Aline Perry
A World of Baby Names by Teresa Norman
Incarnations by Clive Barker
The Olympic Factbook by Visible Ink Press
Living the Dream by Hakeem Olajuwon

STORYTIME CLASSES

If your little one is between the ages of two years and entering kindergarten, we offer a class on Tuesday from 9:30-10 and Thursday from 9-9:30.

Our themes for these classes depends on holidays of each month or time of the year, etc.

Perhaps your child is between the ages of four to six. We will once again start up our Thursday afternoon class from 1-1:30. Please call Ardis at 592-4981 to arrange this program.

Tuesday, May 14, we will travel to the Friendly Door for storytime and Friday, May 17, we will visit with our friends at the Intergrated Health Services. Next week we will be working on some special things to share with them.

TOURS

We are looking forward to May 8 and 15 when we will have all Kindergarten children from Kidwell getting acquainted with the Tom Burnett Memorial Library. Then Monday, May 13, we will share information with all of the first graders from Kidwell.

If your child does not have a library card and would like one, we ask that you bring them to the library to assist them in filling out the application card.

There is no fee involved, but we do need the parents' birth date and drivers license number in order to issue a card for students under the age of 16.

Elect
JOE WARD
City Council
Place 2



Vote May 4

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Elect
JOE SINGER
Place 4
Iowa Park
City Alderman



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MEET YOUR CANDIDATE
FOR CITY COUNCIL - PLACE 2
DAVID OHM SR.

• Age - 43 • Married 22 years
• Employed by Total Petroleum Denver Co.

My wife Judy and I were raised in Iowa Park Community and chose to raise our three sons, David Jr., Chris & Matt here.

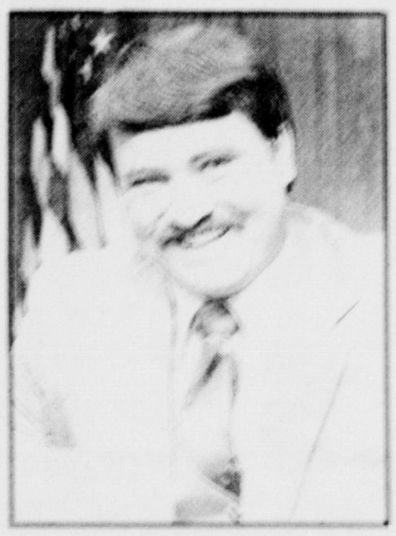
As my opponents have said, they have no axe to grind or hidden agenda. Well, I have no axe but I do have a small agenda I can share. My reasons for running for City Council:

• Help rebuild somewhat of a decaying public image of our city government.
• Help rebuild city departments that are understaffed, overworked and underpaid.
• Make decisions that are good for everyone, and not just a few chosen.
• Be a voice for all.

Your vote for me on May 4 will put your voice on the City Council.

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Elect
TIM
HUNTER
Mayor



Accomplishments of City while I served as Mayor

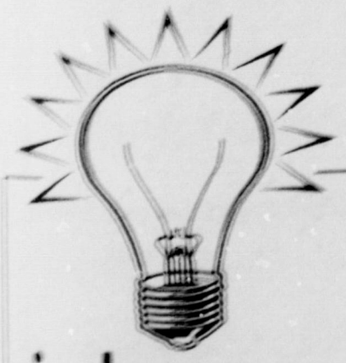
★ Acquired and renovated Tom Burnett Memorial Library
★ The renovation of City Hall
★ Signed contract for new RAC Center
★ Park improvements
★ Street improvements on Fourth St., Texowa, Wall Street, and others
★ Water and Sewer improvements
★ Addition added to the Police Station
★ Fire and Police services upgraded
★ Served in numerous capacities at Nortex Regional Planning Commission and Texas Municipal League
★ Served on Texas Rural Economic Development Task Force.

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1. Whether business is good or slow, you have to get your share of whatever business is around. Cutting back your advertising puts you at a disadvantage at the very moment when you need an edge. Increasing your advertising gives you the edge.

2. In times of uncertainty, consumers are careful and a little reluctant to spend. They want to be sure before they buy; they want information about products, services, prices and values from newspapers. Yours-or somebody elses'.

3. Maybe you figure other retailers in your line are going to cut back their advertising, so it's safe for you, too. Right? Wrong. You're in competition for the customer's dollar with every other retailer in town, no matter what he or she sells. People have only so many dollards to spend and if they don't *spend them for what you sell they'll spend them for something else.*

4. There are more people working now than ever before. More women working too, adding to the family income. People still need and want goods and services and will spend for them. There is plenty of business out there. Your competitors will be bidding for their share - and yours.

5. You can't do much about most factors in the marketplace rent, labor costs, price of merchandise, what the competition will. But one thing you do control is your own promotion. Remember that newspaper advertising is not just a cost of doing business. It's a proven sales tool that returns many times your investment in store traffic and sales.

6. Remember how long it took you to get started? Once you build up a business you can keep it going with a moderate, consistent advertising program. But if you cut your advertising and lose your hold on the public's awareness you'll find it's much harder to build it up again. It's sort of like starting all over.

7. Your advertising is a part of your sales force. Newspaper ads help to pre-sell customers and help you close the sale faster. What saves you time saves your money.

8. You say your customers know you and for a while, at least, they'il keep coming in even if you don't promote? That's partly true, but shortsighted. Remember, one out of five Americans moves every year. So there's a steady flow of your customers out of your market, and a corresponding influx of new folks who don't know you at all. Tell them about yourself.

9. Here's hard fact to chew on. Over any given period, a business that advertises below the industry average has sales that are below the industry average.

10. Advertising is "news" - about products and services. Your customers look for this kind of news in the pages of this newspaper. In plush times, retailers often experiment with other media, but when the going gets tough, they concentrate their efforts in the weekly newspaper because it provides and immediate payoff at the cash register.

Give us a call. We can help you plan a professional advertising program that will increase store traffic while helping increase sales.

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Friendly Door News

DANCE--Thursday, May 2, from 7 to 10 p. m. a dance will be held at the Iowa Park RAC. All proceeds will benefit the Friendly Door.

Admission will be $3 each, or $5 per couple. Tea and coffee will be provided. Bring you own snacks.

Musicians will be Louis Bartosh, Charles Bartosh, Don Duncan and others.

THANK YOU--to Wal-Mart for donating us two shrubs in honor of Earth Day. They will look nice in front of our new building.

BIRTHDAYS --for the month of May: Evelyn Bowden, Hubert Lyons, Curtis Smith, Esther Weiss, Joan Hand, Rita Cogdell, Grace Roberts, Myrna Robinson, Malcolm Turner, Dorothy Beard, Charles Murphy, Gladys Whisnand.

PICNIC--May 9 we will go to Lucy Park for a fun day of food, games, dancing and a train ride through the park. Friendly Door will be closed this day, hoping everybody will join us in the park. The bus will leave the Center about 10:30 a.m. Everyone must sign up by Friday, May 3.

SILVER HAIR LEGISLATURE--If you are 60 plus and would like to vote for the Silver Haired Legislature we will have absentee voting May 1-10. You must bring your voter registration number.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINICS--
Thursday, May 2; Monday, May 13; Tuesday, May 21.

BLOOD SUGAR CLINIC
Friday, May 24.

Building permits still mounting

Building permits for three new residences and numerous home improvement projects were issued during April by city hall.

Permits totaling $299,361 for the month raised the year's sum to $1,180,961.

The permits issued during April included:

Curtis Smith, 902 Van Horn, roofing, $1,300;
Cindy Yarbrough, 415 W. Chestnut, alteration, $1,000;
Treeina Morales, 303 Kathleen, siding, $4,900;
Phil Johnson, 1602 Johnson Road, swimming pool, $12,000;
Andy Treadway, 108 W. Texas, storage building, $400;
Lisa Hamilton, 100 W. Washington, storage building, $400;
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Joe Kerly, 124 James, carport, $1,000;
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Donnie Berend, 201 E. Garden, storage building, $1,250;
Donald Haynes, 510 S. Colorado, carport, $300;
Leonard Williams, 716 W. Louisa, storage building, $250.

April Weather Round-Up

Precipitation	.04
High Temperature	89
Low Temperature	36
Average Maximum	77.3
Average Minimum	47.9
Mean Temperature	62.6
Clear Days	21
Cloudy Days	6
Party Cloudy Days	3

Helpful Facts

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

Gardening Hints

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

The following Garden Checklist will help you take care of all the garden and landscaping needs at your home throughout May.

PLANTING

* Install warm-season annuals for summer-long color. Local nurseries and garden centers have plentiful supplies of beautiful bedding plants.

* Plant warm-season vegetables including tomato, pepper, squash and melons, among others. Celebrity and Carnival tomato cultivars are top choices for the Texoma region.

* Plant warm-season turf grasses from seed, sod, plugs, or hydromulch. Use shade-loving ground covers in heavily-shaded areas such as under large trees where turf will not grow.

* Select and plant container-grown trees, shrubs, vines and groundcovers to increase the value and appearance of your property.

* Use containers and hanging baskets on patios, porches and decks for color and accent. Use quality potting mixes and slow-release nitrogen fertilizers such as Osmocote in containers before planting. Make sure your container has drainage holes to avoid over-watering.

FERTILIZATION

* Fertilize bermuda, St. Augustine and Zoysia lawns with a slow-release nitrogen lawn food that has a 3-1-2 or 4-1-2 ratio.

* Quality slow-release nitrogen lawn fertilizers are also fine for trees, shrubs, vines and groundcovers as well as bedding plants.

* Iron deficient plants such as Red Oak can be treated with a chelate iron product such as Spring 138. Avoid getting any iron fertilizer on walkways or other hard surfaces as they will stain.

* Apply zinc sprays to newly-emerged pecan foliage.

PRUNING

* Prune out winter-damaged tissue on shrubs, trees and other plant material.

* Mow winter-stressed St. Augustine lawns at a lower mower setting for the first mowing and provide water and fertilizer to stimulate new growth. Most St. Augustine lawns are very slow to recover this spring and some lawns may need replacement due to winter kill. Wait several weeks and provide proper care to see if your turf was permanently damaged or not.

* Complete pruning of spring flowering shrubs and vines.

PEST, DISEASE, AND WEED CONTROL

* Control broadleaf weeds in lawns by mowing them down and then treating the tender, new growth with a broadleaf herbicide such as Weed-B-Gone or Wipeout among others.

* Control scale on Live Oaks with Malathion, Orthene, or Dursban labeled for use on Live Oak. Don't use dormant oils at this time of the season. Large trees may require hiring a pest control operator with spray equipment capable of getting entire canopy coverage.

* Flea and tick control in home lawn areas can be achieved using Dursban or Diazinon or beneficial nematode sprays. Ask your veterinarian about insect growth regulator tablets such as Program for dogs and cats. Animals with flea or tick problems should be treated with a registered dip or spray for the animal which you are treating. Major problems should be referred to a veterinarian.

* Be on the watch for blackspot disease on roses and treat with Funginex on regular intervals.

* Don't forget to water lawns, landscape beds, and other plantings regularly as we continue to experience very dry and windy conditions across Texoma.

In The Military

Enters basic training

Pvt. David A. Hamrick has entered basic military training at Fort Sill, Lawton.

He is the son of Brady A. Hamric of Wichita Falls, and his wife, Monica, is the daughter of Edwin G. McDonald of Iowa Park.

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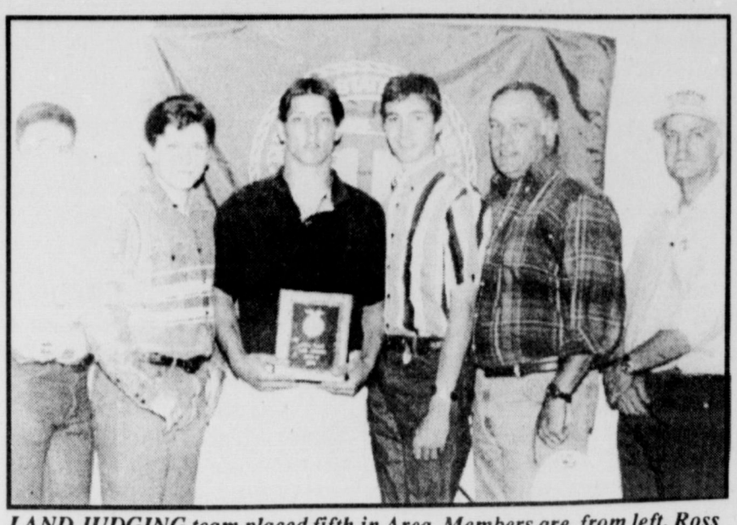
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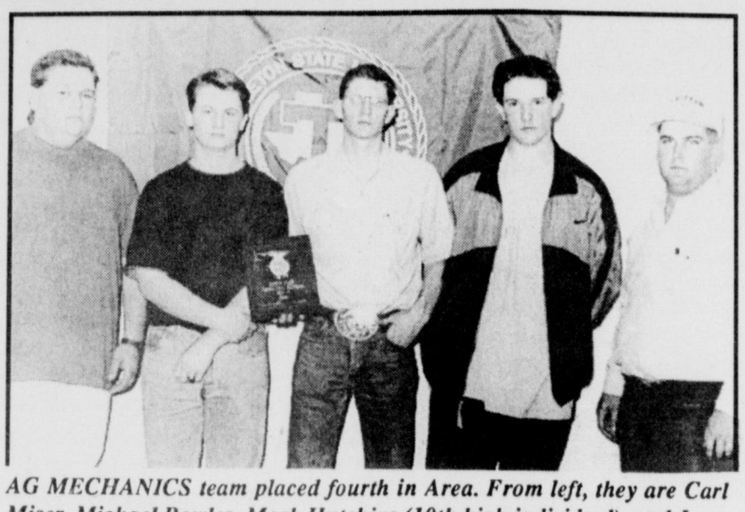
LAND JUDGING team placed fifth in Area. Members are, from left, Ross Dillard (4th high individual), Bo Vernon, Brandon Brown, Ricky Spruiell and advisor Ray Dillard, with Tarleton's Dr. Joe Cadle. (TSU photo)



BUSINESS MANAGEMENT team placed fourth in Area. Members include Bobby Adams, Glen Blackman, Terry Walls (9th high individual), and Michael McCarty. (TSU photo)



DAIRY CATTLE JUDGING team placed eight in Area. Members include Kevin Pace, Mindy Atchley, Kathy Williamson, Brad Green and advisor Ray Dillard. (TSU photo)



AG MECHANICS team placed fourth in Area. From left, they are Carl Miser, Michael Bowles, Mark Hutchins (10th high individual), and Jesse Turlington. Tarleton graduate assistant Sye Mitchell is on the right. (TSU photo)

GIRLS SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Senior League

	W	L	T
Lakers	4	0	0
Thrillers	2	2	0
Rascals	1	3	0
Magic	1	3	0

Game Scores

Magic 11, Thrillers 10
Lakers 16, Rascals 9
Lakers 31, Magic 7
Thrillers 14, Rascals 8

Minor League

	W	L	T
Celtics	4	0	0
Sonics	2	2	0
Cavaliers	1	2	0
Warriors	0	3	0

Game Scores

Cavaliers 10, Sonics 9
Celtics 15, Warriors 9
Celtics 7, Cavaliers 5
Sonics 9, Warriors 6

Major League

	W	L	T
Spurs	2	1	0
Heat	2	1	0
Hawks	2	1	0
Mavericks	1	2	0
Jazz	1	3	0

Game Scores

Hawks 8, Mavericks 4
Heat 5, Jazz 4
Mavericks 12, Spurs 6
Hawks 17, Jazz 8

Midget League

	W	L	T
Clippers	3	0	1
Hornets	2	1	1
Nuggets	2	2	0
Knicks	0	4	0

Game Scores

Hornets 20, Knicks 5
Clippers 20, Nuggets 8
Clippers 20, Hornets 7
Nuggets 16, Knicks 7

BOYS BASEBALL STANDINGS

Major League

	W	L	T
Dodgers	3	0	0
Rangers	2	1	0
Astros	2	1	0
Rockies	1	2	0
Giants	1	2	0
Yankees	0	3	0

Game Scores

Dodgers 13, Giants 2
Giants 8, Yankees 5
Dodgers 6, Rockies 1
Astros 5, Yankees 3
Rangers 4, Giants 2
Astros 6, Rockies 2
Rangers 6, Yankees 4
Rockies 4, Rangers 3
Dodgers 10, Astros 2

Minor League I

	W	L	T
Phillies	2	1	0
Diamondbacks	2	1	0
Braves	2	1	0
Pirates	0	3	0

Game Scores

Braves 15, Pirates 9
Phillies 6, Diamondbacks 0
Phillies 6, Pirates 3
Diamondbacks 12, Braves 7
Diamondbacks 11, Pirates 7

Minor League II

	W	L	T
Cubs	3	0	0
White Sox	2	0	0
Rangers	3	1	0
Mariners	1	2	0
Padres	1	2	0
Reds	1	2	0
Expos	0	3	0

Game Scores

Cubs 6, Expos 3
Cubs 12, Padres 5
Rangers 7, Mariners 2
White Sox 10, Mariners 8
Cubs 12, Rangers 11
Rangers 13, Expos 9
Mariners 9, Padres 3
White Sox 10, Reds 3
Padres 12, Expos 9
Reds 13, Mariners 9
Rangers 8, Reds 2

5-Pitch

	W	L	T
Tigers	2	0	0
Brewers	2	1	0
Blue Jays	1	1	0
Angles	0	3	0

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone who helped with the clinic and practices and tryouts for the Top of Texas Cheerleaders. A special thanks to the Optimist Gym for use of the building. A special thanks to Karla Hopper, an Optimist member, and Phyllis Friday for their help with the building and adding up scores. To all the moms who stayed and helped these girls practice. To all the moms who helped with the girls at the tryouts. A great big thanks to the following girls who helped, Jessica Lively, Laci Wiggins, Niki Pryor, Cayce Howard, Robin Dillard, Cheyenne Patterson. Last but not least to all the girls who attended. We had a wonderful week! Congratulations to all the girls!! Thank you.

Denise Henderson
Charlie Fears

Iowa Park FFA wins District Sweepstakes

The Iowa Park FFA captured the Sweepstakes Banner at the Wichita District FFA Convention last week.

This is awarded to the FFA chapter that accumulates the most points in the Career Development Events Contest.

The local chapter had two first place, four second place, and one third place, qualifing five teams for the state contest.

Other highlights of the convention included Ross Dillard being elected District Officer for 1996-97, Clint Myers was named Star State Agriculture Business candidate, and 10 State FFA Degree candidates were selected.

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Six Lady Hawks heading to Austin

The Lady Hawks track team isn't finished yet, as they will be represented at the State Meet in Austin on May 10-11 after six different members either finished first or second in the Regional Meet in Odessa last week.

Both Julea Ricks and Dusti Welch, seniors, won their events to advance to the State Meet. Ricks finished first in the Discus with a toss of 124-6 while Welch placed first in the high jump with a leap of 5-2.

"Julea has a good chance to medal," said head coach Bruce Merrell. "Her best throw of 129-0 would put her third from what we've seen. There's a girl who has thrown 134 and one other at a little over129, so if she can just match her best throw of the season she should medal and who knows how far she can throw against that type of competition.

"We were real surprised that Dusti advanced with her jump of 5-2," Merrell said. "I thought she would place but we figured it would take 5-6 or better to get out. She jumped real well and we're real pleased to move on."

If Merrell was surprised with Welch's victory he was shocked when his 800m Relay team ran it's best time of the year and finished second to advance to Austin with a time of 1:46.80.

When asked if he was suprised that the relay team was moving on, he said "Gosh yes. We thought we had a chance. We told the girls that it would take each one of them running their best splits of the year for them to make it. I was totally delighted. Everyone of them ran their best times of the season, we had near perfect handoffs and it was a beautiful thing to watch."

The unit consists of Bambi Pryor, Alisha Clements, Brandi Butler and Wendy Bridwell.

"Of all eight teams that qualified for the State Meet," Merrell added. "You could throw a net and cover all of them. If we can duplicate what we did in Odessa, we stand a good chance to do very well."

Also competing in the Regional Meet were Laci Downs who threw the shot put 30-3. Pryor also ran in the 200m while Butler finished sixth in the 400m Dash with a 64.03.

Ricks will get things started that Friday at 10 a.m. when she enters the Discus ring. Welch will take her first jump at 10 a.m. Saturday morning with the Relay team getting started shortly after noon on Saturday.

As for the Hawks, Shawn Fulfer had a good showing at the Regional Meet finishing 4th in the Long Jump with a 21-11, ninth in the Triple Jump with a 42-9, and just missed a trip to Austin when he tied for second in the High Jump with a leap of 6-6.

The first tie breaker to settle a tie is the number of misses by each jumper. That still didn't break the tie as both jumpers remained tied. The next tie breaker is the fewest attempts. Fulfer took one more attempt than the other jumper did and had to settle for third place and thus missed out on a trip to Austin.

Hawks facing title showdown

With just two games remaining on Iowa Park's regular season schedule, all the Hawks have to do to reach the playoffs again is to beat Bowie Friday afternoon. The win would guarantee the Hawks of at least a second place finish.

But with a win over Bowie coupled with another win over Graham in the regular season finale would give Iowa Park the District 3-3A title once again.

The Hawks, 20-6 overall and 7-1 in district play after spanking Jacksboro 15-0 Tuesday night, will be looking for a better offensive performance against Bowie this time after wining the first meeting between the two teams by the score of 1-0.

In Tuesday's game against the Tigers it was all Iowa Park as the Hawks, behind another strong outing by Chris Norris, who moves to 10-1 overall, and the two-home-run-game by Dusty Owen, easily won 15-0 in six innings.

The Hawks scored once in the first, five in the third, three in the fourth and six more times in the sixth, while holding the Tigers to only one hit. Norris pitched three no-hit innings, striking out 7 before he gave way to Corky Petty, who gave up the only hit Jacksboro would get in the fourth inning, pitched the final two innings to close out the game.

Leading hitters for Iowa Park included Owen, who went 2x2 with 2 runs scored and 4 RBI's with a pair of two-run shots both time scoring Norris ahead of him. Norris was 3x3 with 3 runs scored, Dusty Crawford finished 2x2 with a pair of RBI's and a double, Petty went 1x3, scored 2 runs and drove in a pair while Clancy Lalumia finished 1x2 with a run scored and and RBI.

In the third inning, Norris led off with a single and on the second pitch he saw, Owen smashed a drive that cleared the left-center field fence to put his team on top 3-1.

Same song, second verse in the fourth inning. Norris again led off with a single, stole second and on the second pitch he saw, Owen again smashed a drive over the left-center field fence in almost the same place, only longer this time.

The Hawks played as well defensively as you can taking into account that Jacksboro only put 8 balls in play the entire game. Iowa Park didn't make an error while the Tigers were tagged with three miscues.

Iowa Park's next game is in Bowie Friday at 4:30 p.m. with the regular season finale scheduled with Graham on Tuesday here at 4:30 p.m..

Dusti Welch is recognized

The post-season awards just keep on piling up for Dusti Welch, who just finished her final season with the Lady Hawk basketball team.

Welch, who has already been named to the All-Region team earlier this year, was named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches All-Star Team this week.

The game will be played Saturday in San Antonio.

The TABC is the largest basketball coaches association in the nation. The All-Star games are held in conjunction with their spring coaches clinic.

Welch, the daughter of Randy and Ladena Welch, averaged 17.2 points per game in her final season with Iowa Park and pulled down an average of 8.3 rebounds per game.

SPORTS
Shorts

One of the three finalists for new superintendent of Iowa Park schools was almost an assistant coach here. Jon Mark Bass, superintendent of Plemons-Stinnett-Phillips CISD, was an assistant under Len Williams at Mart. He was offered the same position when Williams took the head football and athletic director post here. He eventually became principal and then superintendent at Mart, before moving up to Stinnett, which is very near his hometown of Stratford.

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Card of Thanks

We would like to thank all the people who back the Little League Opening Day fund-raiser by eating, and all the volunteers who helped put it on. We would also like to give special thanks to the Ermis' and Ray Gholson for the parts you played.
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300 E. Ruby
304 E. Ruby — **IN CONTRACT** 2-BR house on large lot, includes detached garage and carport.

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617 N. Park — Spacious home on large corner lot provides ease of living and entertainment areas - formals, family room, enclosed sun/game room.

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524 Callie Lane
516 Callie Lane — **PENDING WITH CONTINGENCY** New construction in Highland Park subdivision features approx. 1550 sq. ft. of living, two dining areas, beautiful ceilings, and separated master suite.

1701 Johnson Rd. N — New Construction in beautiful Park Place subdivision features separated master with lovely bath, formal dining. Call today!

90's

714 W. Aldine Ct. — **IN CONTRACT**

Suburban

5190 Love Road — **$40,000** 3-BR, 2 BA on approximately 3 acres has barns with grooming area. Home recently recarpeted; ceramic tile entry.

540 Burnett Road — **$89,500** Attractive 3-BR home has large rooms, walk-in closets, great floor plan and sits on one (1) acre of land. **$99,500 with 10 acres.**

1758 Van Horn Rd. — **$102,900** Lovely 3-BR home on three (3) acres has ample storage, security system, and reinforced storm shelter.

205 Melanie — **$132,500** Impressive 4-BR home in Pleasant Valley Estates has spacious rooms, ample storage, and includes 4-stall horse barn on 3.71 acres.

4504 FM 367 West — **$151,500** Spacious home on approx. 40 acres includes 4 bedrooms, office, storm cellar, barns and pens.

1716 Texowa — **$299,000** Gorgeous home has over 3,000 square feet of living space, 50'X100' shop w/offices and 14 acres of land.

Farm

700 Johnson Rd. S — Approximately 348 acres of fenced and cross-fenced land; includes historic home and numerous barns and buildings.

Land

8.22 Acres
32.01 Acres — **SOLD IN CONTRACT** Johnson Road
79.12 Acres

Lots

FM 368 North — 130'X200' lot in Hillside Terrace.

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Sunday, May 5



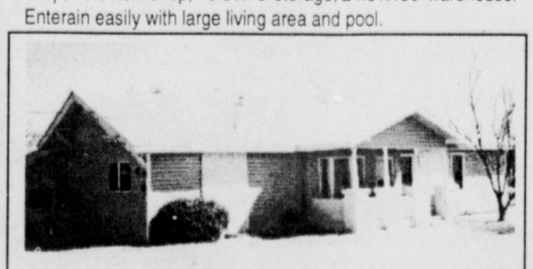
706 W. Texas

Stately pine trees stnad guard at this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. Country decor gives each room its own personality and open airy rooms are delightful. Separate living and dining areas. Brick exterior has siding on eaves and storm windows.

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2287 FM 369 - Acreage

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IT'S PRICE WILL SURPRISE YOU
$18,000 buys 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath mobile home on 401 S. Alcott. Corner lot with fruit trees, covered patio with wooden deck, 20X15 workshop and storage building. Central heat and air. Owner finance available.

COUNTRY SPIRIT
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Johnson Rd. and U.S. 287 is ideal commercial land for your business. Great site. Unlimited potential. 1.05 acres. Take a look!

COUNTRY MEADOW ADDITION
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Misc. for Sale

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5-2-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Friday only. 808 S. Yosemite. Starts 7:30 a.m.
5-2-1tp

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YARD SALE - 107 West Jefferson, Saturday, 8 a.m. to ? Weedeaters, toys, Brush Guard (Chevy), mowers, fans, 18 hp Twincy mower, tools and more.
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NEW LISTING - 3634 KARLA , W.F. - 3 Bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living,. $60's.
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514 MANES - 1.14 acres. Commercial or build.
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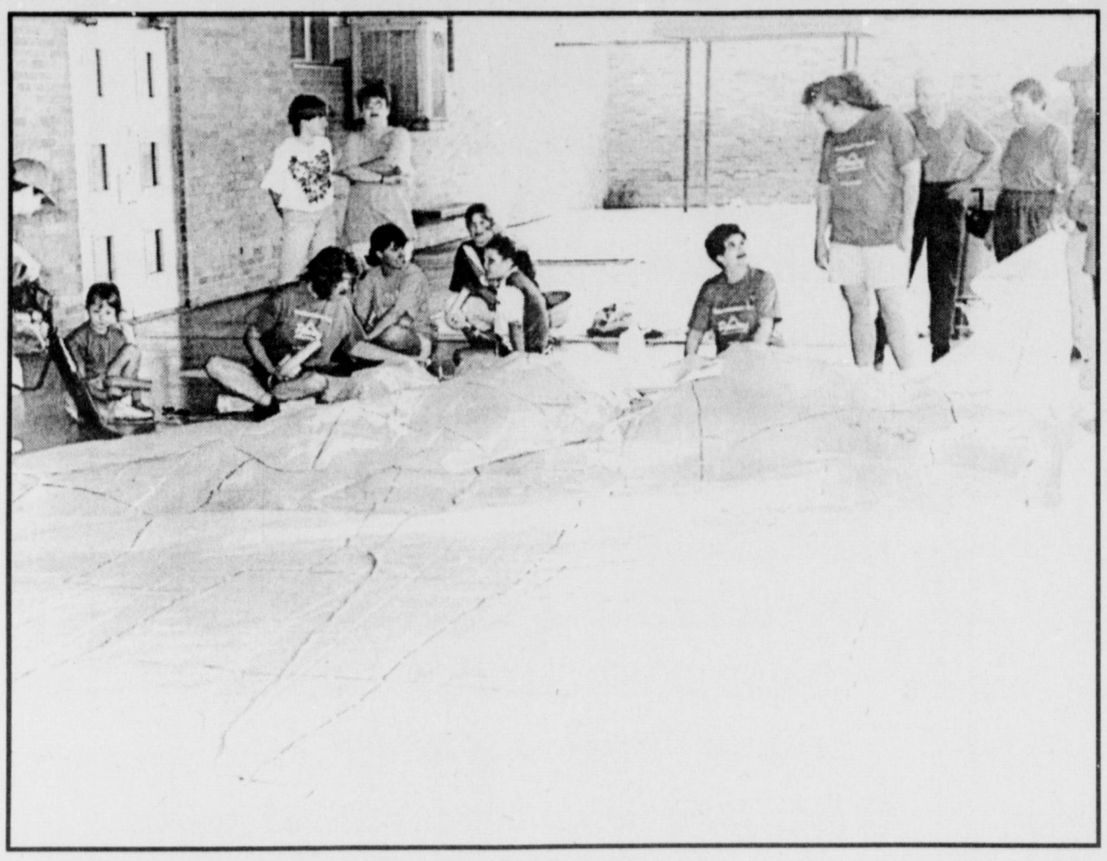
These items may be viewed for inspection from Monday thru Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the City's water treatment plant located at 100 East Texas. Bid forms may be obtained at City Hall or at the water plant.
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Legal Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE
Lone Star Gas Company, in accordance with the Gas Utility Regulatory Act, hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to modify the cost of service adjustment clause, modify the mainline extension rate, and to implement a weather normalization adjustment clause applicable to rates charged to the residential and commercial customers in the City of Iowa Park, Texas effective April 8, 1996.
During the period when the new rates are in effect, the modifications will result in increases and decreases in the Company's revenues from residential and commercial customers in the City of Iowa Park. A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Iowa Park. If you desire to comment concerning this modification of rates, you may contact the City Secretary.
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State spent over $33-million for county welfare

The state spent a total of $33,369,781 last year for major welfare programs in Wichita County, according to David Maberry, regional administrator for the Texas Department of Human Services.

Food stamps worth $11,656,426 were issued for the fiscal year which ended August 31, while Aid to Families with Dependent Children totaled $2,519,711.

Food stamps are funded entirely by the federal government, while the department determines eligibility of applicants and issues the food coupons.

The state and federal governments share in the cost of AFDC to families where needy children are deprived of support because of the absence or disability of one or both parents.

Nursing home costs of approximately $14,419,307 were paid for aged and disabled residents.

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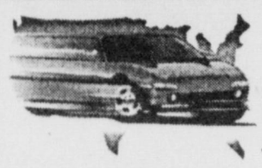
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Hawkette Drill team signup is tomorrow

Sign up for the Top of Texas Hawkette drill team will be 6 to 8:30 p.m. Friday at 706 W. Texas.

The drill team will perform in the fall at Top of Texas football games.

Girls finishing the first through the fifth grades this year are eligible to enroll. There will be a non-refundable $20 registration fee, according to Cyndi Swedburg, coordinator.

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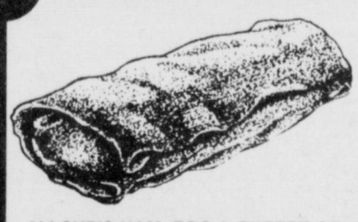
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