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**IT'S A LOT OF WORK --** After months of feeding and exercising, there is still a lot of time required to prepare for the few, brief minutes in the show ring. This is a scene hours before swine were judged in Saturday's annual Iowa Park Junior Livestock Show. For complete results of the judging, please turn to page 8 in this edition.

## Facilty study nears end

After more than three months of meetings, a task force formed to study school facility needs agreed Thursday night on three possible solutions to present to the school board at their regular March 4 meeting.

At their October meeting, school trustees authorized Supt. Mike Caplinger to form a task force of citizens to study the needs on each campus and, if needed, make recommendations to the school board.

At their first meeting on Nov. 7, the task force, with Brenda Wood serving as chairperson, divided into committees, one for each campus. Each committee visited its respective campus several times to determine priorities.

A compromise committee was then formed of members from each campus committee to formulate the recommendations, which were then presented to the entire task force.

Don Daugherty voluntarily provided rough estimates, based on the recommendations, and presented them at three meetings.

A survey done over a year ago concluded that all four campuses in the school district are operating close to or beyond student capacity. The study pointed out that there is not

adequate space for the projected increase in student enrollment.

The three recommendations the task force will present to the school board include:

"I. An instructional design whereby grades 5 and 6 are placed at Bradford Elementary School and grades 3 and 4 are placed at Kidwell Elementary School. Improvements would be made at Kidwell to accommodate the additional grades and to expand core facilities for the addition of students."

"II. Construct a facility at the junior high to accommodate grades 5

and 6 somewhat separate from grades 7 and 8. A new cafeteria would be needed for this concept."

"III. Utilize the proposed three million dollars among the four school districts distributing the money based on campus priorities and needs."

"Included in Plan I and Plan II are the following: The Task Force determined that the high school needs new classrooms and labs, and the junior high school needs major classroom renovation, a band hall, and cafeteria renovations."

The study, if accepted by the school board, would necessitate a bond election to fund the construction.

## Trustees call election, extend some contracts

A trustee election was called, contracts of administrators and counselors extended, and a letter of resignation was accepted during Thursday night's meeting of the school board.

The election, to fill three positions on the school board, was set for May 3. The terms of Martha Dudley, Larry Dutton and Bert Williamson are due to expire at that time.

Polling places include Kidwell Elementary, Precincts 32 and 38; Bradford Elementary, Precincts 33, 25, 44, 35; and Valley View School, Precincts 34, 09-Archer County. Early votes can be cast April 14 through 29, at the school tax office. Linda Merrick, Wanna Hunter and Mrs. Wesley Lingle were appointed judges.

Monday was the first day a candidate could file for a place on the school board, with the cutoff date being March 19.

Following a closed meeting, the board renewed the contracts of the principals, assistant principals, counselors, athletic director, and tax collector through the 1997-98 school year.

They include, Richard Davis, high school principal, Randy Lovelady, junior high school principal, Patricia Cravens, Bradford Elementary principal, Steve Moody, Kidwell Elementary principal, Dennis Brooks, assistant high school principal, Debra Brandt, assistant junior high school principal.

Also, LaRae Collins, high school counselor, Janet Bowling, junior high school counselor, Diane Granbery, Bradford counselor, Vicki Adams, Kidwell counselor, Weldon Nelms, athletic director, and Allen Shewmake, tax collector.

Trustees also accepted a letter of resignation from Terry Davis. In their January meeting, the board voted to propose the termination during

contract of Davis, and notification be sent to him signed by the board president.

In his report, Supt. Mike Caplinger presented the board with a state, federal, and local revenue estimate for the 1997-98 school year. Using this year's budget for comparison, and adding salary increases, there is a possibility of a \$349,543 shortfall in next year's budget.

He said the Facilities Task Force would have possibly its final meeting on Monday night. The committee is expecting to complete recommendations on needs in the school district, which will be presented to the school board for consideration.

The meeting was to be preceded by a fish fry, compliments of board member Jeff Watts, and the other trustees were invited to attend. Because of the possibility of a quorum of board members being present, Caplinger said he was going to post the meeting.

Caplinger said the task force had come up with several options for the board to look at, but it would be hard to do anything before knowing what was going to happen at the state level concerning funding.

He also discussed a draft of the new Texas Teacher Appraisal System and the 1997-98 school calendar.

The superintendent made mention of a letter from the Eighth Grade Challenge History Class. They have

applied for a grant, and the letter outlined the projects for which the money would be used.

A resolution supporting March 3-7 as Texas Public Schools Week was adopted by trustees. Each campus in the school district is planning special activities to take place during the week.

A request from the Iowa Park Police Department to use the high school gym for a basketball tournament was granted by the board. Proceeds from the tournament, to be held Feb. 23 and 23, will be donated to the high school athletic department.

In addition to the regular business and reports, the trustees:

\* approved bids for cafeteria food and non-food items;

\* considered names of potential appointees for positions on the board of Wichita Appraisal District;

\* approved Board Policy Update 53 and Update 51 (Sec.E);

\* approved new appraisal guidelines for evaluation of principals, assistant principals, counselors, and librarians;

\* amended the school calendar to reflect usage of a bad weather day - since January was used for inclement weather, March 28 will be used for an instructional day;

\* were receptive to a proposal from Sheppard AFB to form a liaison program with the Iowa Park CISD.

## Election filing begins

Three candidates have already filed for the May 3 school board and city council elections.

Monday was the first day for candidates to file in either election, and the books will remain open through March 21.

Two of the three school trustees whose terms expire this spring have filed, including incumbents Larry Dutton and Martha Dudley. Bert Williamson's term also expires in May.

Only one of the councilmen whose terms expire in May has filed. Bob Hamilton filed, seeking his fourth term in office.

The other two aldermen are Dan Fears, who has indicated he plans to seek re-election, and Mark Raby, who has not given any indication of his plans.

Candidates wishing to run for the school board can do so at the school administration office. Council candidates file at city hall.

Early voting will commence April 14 and continue through April 29 in both the city and school elections.

The early voting poll for the school's election is at the school tax office, 1303 North Fourth, and the early voting box for the city election is at city hall.

## Hawks face Breckenridge tonight in Graham's gym

The Iowa Park Hawks and head coach Tim Clark are confident heading into tonight's playoff game against seventh-ranked Breckenridge.

Clark's team is entering the game off a 77-42 thumping of Nocona on Saturday in a warm-up game, and has

had a good week of workouts leading up to tonight's big game that will be held in Graham at 7:30. Additional seats have been added on the visitors side to accommodate a large crowd.

Iowa Park totally dominated District 10-2A Nocona on Saturday as the Hawks jumped out to a 22-12 first-quarter lead, then never looked back.

Senior guard Nick Black, a four-year starter for the Hawks, poured in a career-high 34 points, including five three-pointers, to lead Iowa Park past the Indians. Iowa Park followed up the big first quarter with a 13-6 second quarter to take a 35-18 halftime lead. A 22-8 third quarter gave the Hawks a 31-point lead heading into the final 8 minutes of play which Iowa Park won 20-16.

"I thought we played exceptionally well," Clark said. "We came out ready to play and played with a lot of intensity. It was a good game for us heading into the playoffs. Nick Black had the best game of his career for us. He scored 34 points with 5 three-pointers and that has carried over into practice where he has been hot all week long. That's not to take anything away from the rest of the team, they all played well against Nocona and it will take another team effort Thursday night to beat Breckenridge."

"Defensively, we played well and accomplished what we wanted to with our full-court man pressure," Clark added. "We forced them into a lot of

turnovers which led to some easy baskets for us."

Turning the attention to Breckenridge, the Buckaroos are coming off a loss in their final district game which snapped a 13-game district winning streak. Their overall record is 26-5 and they finished with a 13-1 mark in district. This will be their first playoff game since 1991 which they lost to Denver City.

"They're a very athletic team," Clark said. "They will press you from the opening tip till the final buzzer. Our goal is to get them out of their press. We've worked all week long on breaking the press and we feel confident that we can handle their pressure."

"Their press accounts for about half of their offense," Clark added. "They don't play well in a half court set and we feel like we can hurt them if we can force them to set up their offense against our half court defense. Breckenridge uses a zone type press that gives you the same look every time down the floor, unlike Bowie's press which is a trapping press where you never know where the trap is coming from. We just need to go out and play Hawk basketball and get them out of their press and we will win the game. They live off their press."

Iowa Park has already played Breckenridge earlier in the season in

## Police make two arrests

Iowa Park police made two arrests during the past week, both during traffic stops.

Donald Price, 34, was taken into custody at 10:38 p.m. Sunday in the 1000 block of West Cornelia, and it was determined he was operating his vehicle while his license was suspended.

In addition to the driving violation, the officer also charged Price with fleeing. He was transported at 3:40 a.m. Monday to the county jail, according to the police blotter entry.

The other arrest was recorded at 3:23 p.m. Monday, in the 500 block of the northwest access road.

When information was sought in the computer on the driver, Steven Ming, 20, it was determined a warrant for his arrest had been issued locally.

The warrant was capius pro fine failure to maintain financial responsibility. Ming was released from custody at 7:23 p.m., after he signed a promise to appear in municipal court.

Tuesday morning, police received a telephone call from a spokesperson at Wal-Mart, informing them of something they had found

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## Annual Clean-Up Week dates set by Chamber

Dates for the annual Clean-Up Week and City-Wide Garage Sale were tentatively set during Monday's monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors.

Clean-Up Week will be April 7-13, with the City-Wide Garage Sale to be held Saturday, April 12.

Clean-Up Week is jointly sponsored by the Chamber and City of Iowa Park.

Organizations and individuals, including student groups, will be encouraged to participate, and when they contact the Chamber office they will be given areas of responsibility, such as parks and roadways.

Also during that week, the city traditionally opens its convenience center to allow free dumping by residents, encouraging them to do their part in making the community cleaner and more attractive.

Another date tentatively set by the Chamber was Friday, June 6, for

the annual All-Iowa Park Golf Tournament. That event has for the past two years been held at River Creek Golf Course.

Also approved was a draft describing the organization's secretary's job description and appraisal.

Other business discussed during the meeting included:

\* the first Business of the Quarter to receive recognition will be announced at next month's board meeting;

\* a committee is to meet to formulate details for development of a discount card which can be used for savings at participating businesses;

\* designated the Chamber's fundraising committee to formulate a proposal concerning use of the business building on a fee-less basis by non-profit organizations;

\* heard a commercial proposal to develop promotional video film on the community.

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Christina Kaye Welch and Patrick William Sargent

## April date selected

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Welch of Iowa Park announce the engagement of their daughter, Christina Kaye, to Patrick William Sargent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin J. Sargent of Iowa Park.

The couple will exchange vows April 12 at Faith Baptist Church in Iowa Park.

Christi is a 1994 graduate of Iowa Park High School and graduated in 1996 from the Vernon Regional Junior College Nursing Program. She is employed at Bethania Regional Health Care Center.

Sargent was graduated from Iowa Park High School in 1985. He served in the United State Navy from 1986-90, when he was honorably discharged. He is a general manager for DRS, Inc.

## FRIENDLY DOOR MENU

**FRIDAY, Feb. 21**  
Lunch--Oven fried catfish, corn O'Brien, spinach, cornbread, peach slices, milk.

**MONDAY, Feb. 24**  
Lunch--Italian steak w/ spaghetti sauce and Mozerella cheese, Italian mixed vegetables, corn salad, garlic bread, banana, milk.

**TUESDAY, Feb. 25**  
Lunch--Sliced beef, brown gravy, parslid potatoes, cheese, cabbage, white/wheat bread, strawberry cake, milk.

**WEDNESDAY, Feb. 26**  
Bar-B-Que chicken, pinto beans, potatoes, cornbread, apricots/prunes, milk.

**THURSDAY, Feb. 27**  
Lunch--Baked ham, green beans, sweet potatoes, cornbread, bread pudding w/lemon sauce, milk.

## Student Council taking orders for curb addresses

The Iowa Park High School Student Council is taking orders to paint curb addresses, a move that will raise funds for them while helping emergency workers.

Members of the student council will paint a Hawk Head and house number on a residential curb for a \$5 donation.

Those wishing to have this done should contact the school, 592-2144.

## Forty-seven inducted into Honor Society

Forty-seven students from Iowa Park High School were inducted into membership of the National Honor Society in an evening ceremony Thursday. The ceremony was held at Chaparral Baptist Assembly.

Members were selected for meeting high standards of scholarship, leadership, character, and service.

Students inducted were Summer Dewitt, Misty Gibson, Jodi Henderson, Cody Russell, Stephanie Schoenecker, Kim Scobee, Ricky Spruiell, Brandi Swanson, Nathan Ables, Brandi Beavers, Amber Brandt, Wendy Bridwell, Brandy Burditt, Karen Burgoyne, Jonathan Clubb, Danielle Clynch, Kristen Cooper, Lacie Crume, Jeremy Dorzab, Doug Dreher,

Also Jeannie Frazier, Kyler Godwin, Jon Gray, Brandi Harris, Michael Hayes, Dee Lynn Herder, Jonathon Horton, Ky Hunter, Kevin Hunter, Valerie Johnson, LeAnn Jordan, Sarah Kaspar, Nicola Kelly, Jeremiah Love, Clint Mathis, Sara McCarty, Elizabeth McNeely,

And Christy Moore, Rochelle Morath, Bambi Pryor, Trisha Pulley, Sara Siddle, Amanda Stephens, Kim Taylor, Nick Tran, Katy Williamson,

Shala Womack.

"National Honor Society members are expected to continue their exemplary contributions to the school and community," said Vicki Dillard, faculty adviser.

Several awards were presented. The outstanding member award was presented to Alora Foster. Scholarship recipients from the local chapter are Randi Tigrett and Jake Dillard.

Serving as officers for the local chapter are Alora Foster, president; Randi Tigrett, vice president; Amber Beason, secretary, Camie Fischer, treasurer; Jake Dillard, reporter, and Justin Pruitt, chaplain/parliamentarian.

The National Honor Society ranks as one of the oldest and most prestigious national organizations for high school students. Chapters exist in three-fourths of the nation's high schools, and, since 1921 more than six million students have been selected to membership.

More than two million dollars in scholarships have been awarded to senior members since 1945 by the sponsoring organization, the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

## Junior high musicians compete at solo and ensemble contest

Results of the solo and ensemble contest for junior high school musicians, held recently in Wichita Falls, have been announced.

Students earning Division One ratings for their solos include Summer Banks, David Neubert, Justin Dudley, Candy Rennhack, Eddie Lynn, Lauren Lovelady, John Nichols, Stephanie Daulton and Josh Moer.

Also, Talya Burgher, Shawn Kyle, Ashley Albus, Kyle Burgoyne, Becky Turner, Lindsey Hunter, Cheyenne Patterson, Charles Cray, Kiel Scoughton, Jason Pelz, Jeremy Kaspar, Cayce Gauthier, Gynna Ezzell, Ashli Cook, Zac Miller, Mindy Rennhack, Freddie Simmons and Travis Aponte.

Earning Division One for their ensembles were Cayce Gauthier, Justin Dudley, Kristen Green, Kelly Boylan, Jason Pelz, Becky Turner, Stephanie Daulton, Summer Banks, Leslie Hodges, David Neubert, Lauren Lovelady, and Cheyenne Patterson.

Also, Andrea Kwas, Johnna

Brown, Kelly Goin, Mindy Rennhack, Rachel Walls, Ashley Brandt, Ricky Ashton, Dana Smith, Zac Miller, Jennifer Wood, Stephanie Dewitt, Meegan Kee, Tammie Drew, Paula Lyons, Adam Fields, and Shawn Kyle.

Receiving Division Two on their solos were Eric Stevens, Ricky Ashton, Kristen Green, Melissa Cusey, Michael Davis, Christie Pruitt, Jessica Owens, Stephanie Dewitt, Doug Boyd, Robert McCann, Sarah Johnson, Rachel Higgenbotham, Jason Vanek, Tammie Drew, Wade Busby, Jacalyn Cook and Jeremy Vickers.

Those receiving a Division Two on their ensemble were Ashley Cook, Wade Busby, Travis Aponte, Mandi Recco, Ashley Hall, Tiger Ezzell, Summer Banks, Mandi Recco, John Nichols and Kelli Boylan.



Kelli McGhee and Gary P. Garza

## Announce engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Sutton of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Steve McGhee of Rowlett announce the engagement of their daughter, Kelli McGhee, to Airman Gary P. Garza of Altus AFB, son of Delfina Nack of Denton.

Miss McGhee is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Capps of Iowa Park.

The couple will marry Sept. 27 at the Tom Burnett Memorial Library.

The couple are both graduates of Billy Ryan High School in Denton.



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**Health Notes**

### Lidocaine for Migraine

by Joe Hughes, R.PH

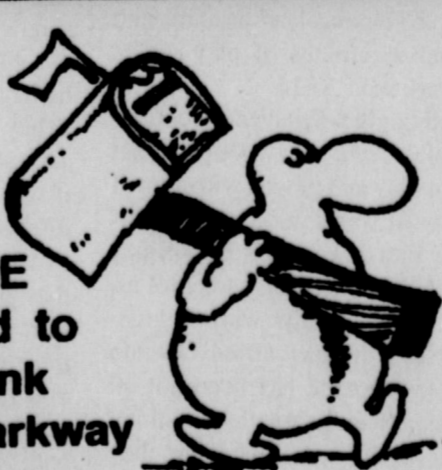
Migraine is a recurrent painful condition that affects approximately 17% of women and 6% of men each year. Nasal drops containing the anesthetic lidocaine can provide quick pain relief for migraine headaches, though relapses are likely, according to a recent article in *The Journal of the American Medical Association*. Researchers found: "Intranasal lidocaine provided rapid and effective relief of pain in approximately 55% of patients with migraine headache. . . Most of the effect occurred within five minutes, and nausea and photophobia (an abnormal sensitivity or intolerance to light) were similarly relieved. . . 42% of lidocaine responders had relapse of headache. . ." Adverse effects were limited to irritation or numbness in the nose or in and around the eye, and an unpleasant taste. Numbness in the throat may cause a sense of gagging. Instillation can be tricky. Lidocaine nose drops are currently not commercially available. (*Pharmacist's Letter*).

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## Garden ideas presented at meeting

"Your Beautiful Garden", featuring annuals and hanging baskets, was the video presentation when the Iowa Park Garden Club met Friday at the RAC.

Marita Holdsworth was the spokesperson, since she had previously lived in the Seattle area that was shown and discussed by Ed Hume, the Master Gardener of the Northwest.

Hume showed plantings of different flowers, discussing his preference of solid color rather than mixed. The exception being zinnias.

He took his listeners through the process of planting seeds and transplanting into beds or pots.

The gardener also showed hanging baskets containing flowers that people in this area usually plant only in pots. Some were plants new to most of the club members, but they are planning to try their luck this spring.

The video ended with Hume inviting everyone to visit and tour the many gardens in the Northwest.

Bonnie Illingworth, president, presided over the meeting. Norma Fortner, chaplain, gave a thought for the day about displaying one's knowledge.

Bernice Williams brought a Bird's Nest Fern for the horticulture display and explained how it multiplied, but did not grow very tall, resembling a bird's nest. She had some new shoots from the plant to share with members.

Members were reminded of a district meeting in Granbury March 12, and urged them to plan to attend.

Nina Robinson and Joyce Short, co-hostesses, served refreshments from a beautifully decorated table. The centerpiece was a valentine bouquet of red and yellow rosebuds and red candles.

Following the previous meeting of the club, Freddie Skinner demonstrated making valentine wreaths. Each member took home a kit prepared by Mrs. Skinner and her husband, Luther.

Members met a week later and decorated each door at the IHS. Last

Monday they met to remove and pack the wreaths so they can be used again next year.

## Area captain is TOPS speaker

Vernie Nordstrom, Area Captain for TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will be speaker for the TOPS #1528, of Iowa Park this evening at Faith Baptist Church Singles House, 412 S. Wall St.

The Area Captain said TOPS encourages members to change their eating habits, lower intake of fat and get more exercise, particularly walking.

An invitation is extended to anyone who is interested in seeing if TOPS might be the answer to a healthier you. There is no charge or obligation.

# COOK of the WEEK

## Recipes from the Past

This week's recipes are some that were popular in the 1930's. They are taken from a book of recipes, "The Valley Cook Book," loaned to *The Leader* by Wilma (Mrs. Walter) Spruiell.

The cookbook, printed by the *Iowa Park Herald*, and distributed compliments of Park Grocery & Market, contains recipes of local housewives, many whose names are prominent in the history of Iowa Park.

The grocery store, located in the 100 block of West Park, was in operation until 1941.

Wilma said she thought the cookbook was given to her by an aunt, Mrs. Hugh Thompson, when she married.

### Creamed Chicken

2 cups diced chicken  
1 can mushrooms  
2 cups broth  
1 cup cream  
1 large tablespoon flour  
Salt & pepper to taste

Make white sauce of butter, flour, cream and broth. Add chicken and mushrooms. This may be put in a baking dish and covered with buttered crumbs, and browned. Or may be served as creamed chicken on toast.  
Mrs. T.J. Pace

### Dainty Salad

2 cups cabbage  
1 bell pepper  
3/4 cup chopped onion  
Small glass of pimentos  
1 cup vinegar  
1/2 cup sugar  
1 tablespoon salt

Mix all together and let stand one hour. Dissolve one tablespoon of gelatin in 1 cup cold water; add 2 cups boiling water and let cool. Drain liquid off cabbage and stir into gelatin and chill.  
Mrs. Herman Mills

### Cheese, Nut and Raisin Sandwich

1 cup nuts  
1 cup diced cheese  
1 cup raisins

Grind this mixture and mix with mayonnaise. Spread on thin slices of bread.  
Mrs. G.B. Gauntt

### Windsor Sandwich

Cream 1/3 cup butter and add 1/2 cup each of finely chopped cold boiled ham and cold boiled chicken. Season with salt and paprika. Spread mixture between thin slices of bread.  
Mrs. J.A. Griffin

### Ice Box Pudding

Cream together 1 1/2 cups sugar and 1/2 cup butter. Add 4 eggs, beaten separately, 1/2 cup grated pineapple, juice drained off, 1 cup nuts.

Line a bowl with vanilla wafers and pour in some of the pudding mixture. Alternate layers of wafers and pudding until all is used, ending with wafers. Place in ice box 24 hours. Serve with whipped cream.  
Mrs. Miles Hines

### Date and Green Pepper Sandwich

Mix chopped dates and finely chopped green peppers. Use 1/2 cup green peppers to one cup dates. Moisten with mayonnaise and spread between buttered slices of bread.  
Mrs. King Abernathy

### Apple Brown Betty

3 large apples, cubed  
1 cup sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 tablespoon butter  
1 cup bread crumbs

Alternate bread crumbs and apples in greased baking dish. Add sugar, spices and butter. Add 1 cup water. Bake in covered baking dish 30 minutes. Uncover and let brown 10 minutes.  
Mrs. Joe Lakey

### Fruit Pie

Cream together 1/2 cup butter and 2 cups sugar. Yolks of 4 eggs, 3 teaspoons vinegar, 1 teaspoon nutmeg, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup pecans. Mix all ingredients then fold in well-beaten egg whites. Bake 40 minutes in moderate oven. This makes two pies.  
Mrs. W.R. Munden

### Pineapple Pie

One small can of crushed pineapple, 1 cup sugar, 2 egg yolks, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, 1/2 lemon rind and juice, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 cup water, 1 tablespoon butter. Put sugar, cornstarch, then pineapple and water in double boiler; add lemon and cook fifteen minutes. Add butter and egg yolks to mixture, cook two or three minutes and put in baked crust. Cover with meringue and brown.  
Mrs. Harvey Cagle

### Butter Cake

2 cups flour, 1 1/3 cups sugar, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 5 eggs, 1 cup butter. Cream sugar and butter. Add one egg at a time. Add extract, flour little at a time. Bake in medium oven in loaf about one hour.  
Mrs. John Barbour

### Butterscotch Cookies

Mix 2 cups brown sugar, 1 cup Crisco or butter, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon each of soda, cream-of-tartar, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 cup nut meats, 4 cups flour. Mix well and mold into two small long loaves, let stand in refrigerator overnight. Slice thin and bake in a hot oven.  
Mrs. A.C. Golden

### Pecan Caramel

2 cups brown sugar, 1 cup pecans, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 cup cream, 1 cup corn syrup, 1 teaspoon vanilla. Place sugar, syrup, milk and butter in pan. Boil until forms hard ball. Remove from fire and add vanilla and nuts. Pour into buttered pan. When cooled, cut in squares.  
Mrs. Benton Fields

### Ginger Ale Punch

1 gallon sherbert, 1/2 dozen lemons, 1 quart peaches, 10 bottles ginger ale. Mix and serve ice cold. This will serve 40 to 50 people.  
Mrs. Jess Van Horn

### Grape Juice

2 cups freshly picked grapes. Put in 1/2 gallon jar which has been heated. Put one tablespoon sugar on top on each jar, fill jar with boiling water and seal. This is very good.  
Mrs. Lee Warren

### Pepper Hash

1 dozen red peppers, 1 dozen green peppers, 15 onions. Chop very fine or grind through food chopper. Mix peppers and onions, pour boiling water over them. Let stand a short time, drain, scald again in weak vinegar water. Drain again, then add one pint of vinegar, 2 cups sugar, 3 tablespoons salt. Cook slowly for one hour, then seal while hot. This is a delicious relish for meats.  
Mrs. Tom Corridon

### To Prevent a Cold

As soon as you feel you are taking a cold put a teaspoon of sugar in a glass. On it put six drops of camphor, stir it and fill the glass half full of water. Stir until sugar is dissolved, then take a dessert spoon full every 20 minutes.  
Mrs. Will Burnett

## IN THE MILITARY

### Munsey to enter Army

David C. Munsey has joined the U.S. Army under the Delayed Entry Program, and is to report to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for military basic training May 6.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Munsey of Kamay.

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- TX Mandrell's "If Loving You \_\_\_ Wrong"
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- TX rancher Chuck Norris was \_\_\_ weight karate champ
- TXism: "couldn't fight his way out of \_\_\_ bag"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ up on" (study)
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- Cisco h.s. class
- biggest oil discovery was East \_\_\_
- TX Buddy Holly hit: "Not \_\_\_ Away"
- Nolan's full initials
- recently done to Capitol's exterior
- this Meredith was in "The Son of Davy Crockett"
- TX Kite stroke
- film "JFK" had this type of cast (2 wds.)
- Bellview AM radio
- 42 and the rest (abbr.)
- TX Ketchum went on crime \_\_\_ in 1890s
- TXism: "he's only got one \_\_\_ the water"
- \_\_\_ Harvey Oswald
- TX gunfighter Longley was \_\_\_ to hang
- 35 across was TX pro \_\_\_ of year in '90
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# As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



All the big news in the financial world is about the Dow Jones Industrial average exceeding the 7000 mark.

That happened for the first time in history last Thursday, when it jumped up to 7022.44. It went down for a couple of days, and then Tuesday it went all the way up to 7067.46.

It's all very impressive, especially if you follow the Dow on a regular basis, or can remember a few years ago when it wasn't that high.

As I recall, and I don't have the dates or absolute numbers, the news when Jimmy Carter was leaving the office of president, the Dow was just about to drop below the 700 mark.

Yep, I said 700. I haven't got a cent invested in any stocks, but a few years ago I began following two stocks in particular, on a daily basis.

I don't remember why, but I looked at the daily report one day and noticed that Wal-Mart and Grace were both at 21 plus a fraction.

That sounded interesting, because both had facilities here. (You surely know that Grace is the parent company of Cryovac.)

The two stocks have bounced around, never getting very far apart.

Until recently.

Despite the fact that Grace divested its health care division, that stock has really been on the upward move.

As of Tuesday's close at the Dow, Wal-Mart was at 24 7/8, and Grace was 56 7/8.

When Bill Sturgis was here last week, for his final visit as president of Cryovac before retirement, I got his goat a little bit.

"The investors have apparently gotten word already that you are retiring, Bill," I said. "That's got to be the reason Grace stock has grown almost 10 points during the past month."

Bill loved it, I guess as much for my observation of the company's stock value, and the fact that he has accumulated several shares during his years with the firm.

Like I said, I don't have a share of stock. And likely won't ever. Any monies I have laid back, besides our monthly expenses, are in our local bank on CDs.

It's not that I have no desire to get more return on what little I have laid back, it's just that I came from the Great Depression generation, which was caused by the fall of the stock

market.

Those memories plainly will not allow me to make such an investment.

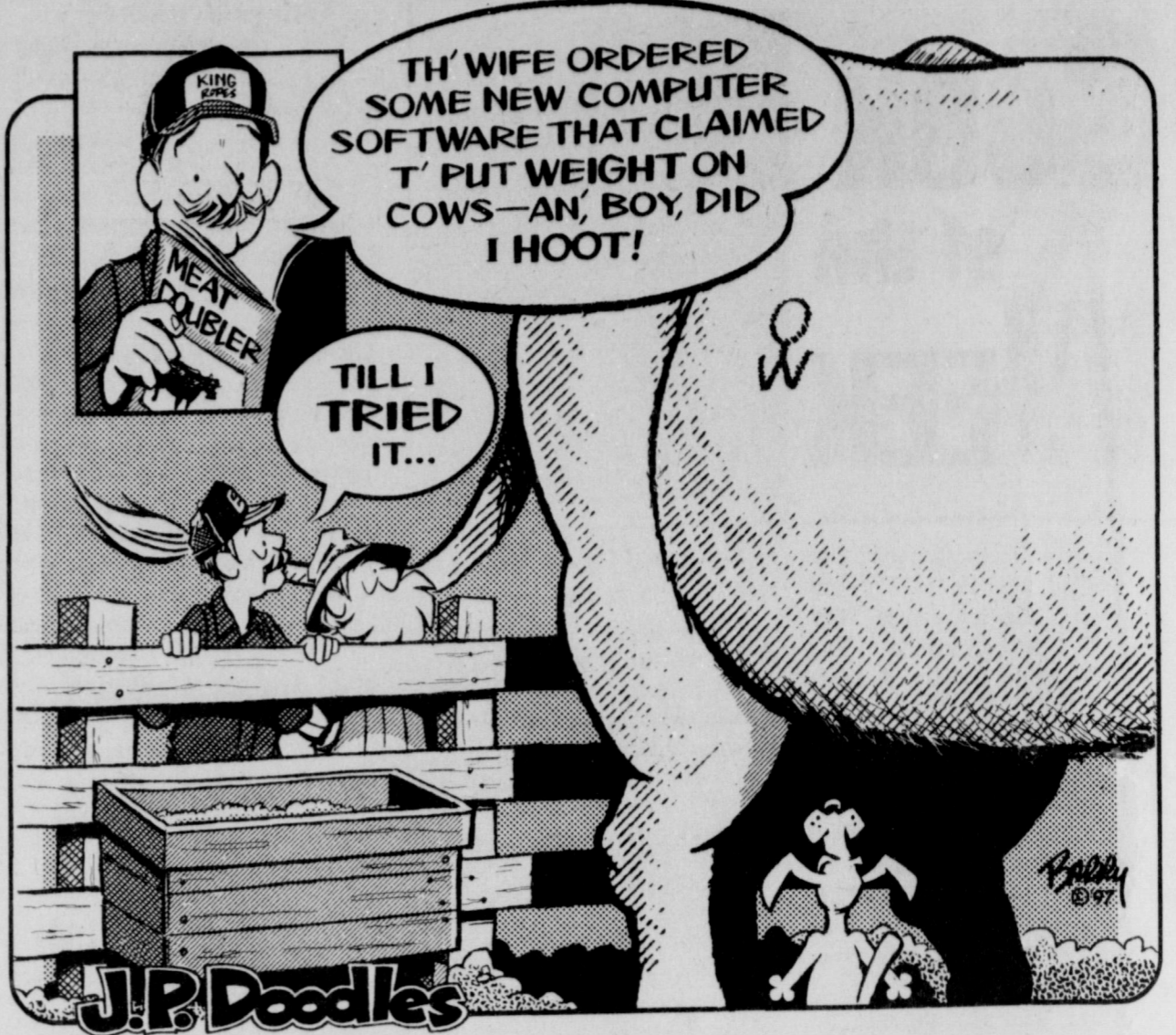
I don't have to pay a fee when I buy a CD at the bank, nor do I have to pay a fee when I cash one in, as long as it's not before the date I agreed to.

There's hardly a day I'm not approached by someone who does stock investing. It seems to me that those folks have been multiplying almost as fast as the stock market has grown.

But I have a feeling that part of the stock market's growth relates to the continued investments in the 401K program, than anything else.

Maybe I'm wrong. Maybe I just lack the confidence so many people are placing in the stock market.

But I don't know any stock market investors who were around during the 1930s.



## WORTH QUOTING

Once when I was an 18 year old kid and had been in the Navy for about a year, I was telling a sailor who had only been in for three months how much easier things were for him. I said, "You know, things just aren't like they used to be."

An old Chief standing nearby turned and said to me, "Yeah, and they never were."

My parents told me how much more difficult life was for them than it was for me when I was growing up. I did the same thing to my kids and now I hear them telling this to my grand-kids. I guess the old Chief with seven hash marks on his sleeve was correct.

One of the biggest differences I see is in what it takes to entertain kids now. They want big fancy pickups with boom boxes, CD players, TVs, private phones in their room and a cellular phone in their pocket. They can never be further than arm's length from a phone and most have figured out that it costs by the minute to call long distance.

Growing up, the only electrical entertainment I got to enjoy was listening to Fibber McGee and Molly on the old Emerson radio and an occasional shock from a Model-T coil. My uncle Les, who was my mother's youngest brother, usually had a shocking machine rigged up on his old Ford. I was always gullible enough to pick his pliers up off the fender to hand him on request.

It was always fun spending a week during the summer at Uncle Les'. He would take me possum hunting and fishing. He let me ride on the back of one of his mules when he came in from the field at night. He once moved to a farm that didn't have a water well and he dug one by hand.

The hole was about four feet in circumference and about 30 feet deep. He would let himself down in the hole on the well rope and pulley. With a short handle pick and shovel he dug and filled a bucket with dirt. He hoisted it up for his new bride to empty. Because I showed a lot of curiosity about this project he agreed to let me down in the well for a look.

As an 11 year old, I didn't weigh much. It wasn't much of a chore to let me down and bring me up. This was exciting and scary. It was really dark at the bottom and when I looked up it looked like it was a mile to the top of the hole. Having gone through a layer of sand rock he had just found water and a small trickle was beginning to run into the hole.

It didn't take much to entertain me. Being so excited about my exploration into the under world, I couldn't wait to tell my dad when he came on Sunday evening to take me home. He was mad that Uncle Les

had risked my life so foolishly. He said, "You could have caught damp-black (carbon monoxide poisoning associated with coal mines)." I still look back on this as one of the highlights of my childhood.

When a kid pulls up beside me at a traffic light in a big truck, I think of the danger it could be, because having a radio on so loud that a root canal could be performed without anesthesia.

Then I think of what the old chief said years ago, "Things aren't like they use to be, and they never will be."

DAVID GREGORY  
Bowie News

How come we don't believe we ever have any luck . . . but we continue to buy lottery tickets?

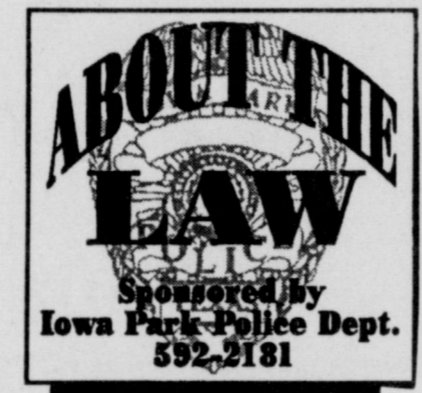
We saw the above in a Lions Club bulletin. Some more examples, written by Cece Scott, included:

How come?  
-- We spend so much effort getting ready for a party . . . but shake off the compliment like it's nothing special?

-- It's so hard getting up at 7 a.m. for work . . . but positively exhilarating jumping out of bed at 6 a.m. for 18 holes of golf?

-- We expect those automated bank machines to dispense more money than we have in our account?

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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.

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## WORTH QUOTING

Here in West Texas, where brine is a by-product of oil production, scores of rules and regulations dictate the handling of brine.

Let a truck accidentally spill brine water in a ditch, and it's treated like a major disaster with cleanup running into the thousands of dollars.

Yet, cities and state agencies immediately start dumping salt on streets and highways at the first sign of icing conditions.

The purchase of salt is a major budget item for large cities around the country, especially in the northeast. Tons and tons of salt are used to free roads and highways of ice. Eventually, that salt must make its way into rivers and streams, and ultimately the ocean.

Does EPA come along later and demand an accounting of the salt used? Are the cities and highway departments forced to clean up the salt after the ice has disappeared? Is the brine produced in the oil patch different from the brine created by use of salt on roadways?

It's downright confoozin'!

Did'ja hear about the banker who loaned a customer \$5,000 to undergo plastic surgery?

The account became past due and the banker lamented: "Now I don't even know what he looks like!"  
JAMES ROBERTS  
Andrews County News

## Police

Continued from page 1 while going through the store's lost and found box.

A gold colored coin purse in the box contained drugs (amphetamine) and paraphernalia, which was turned over to officers. None of the employees could remember who had found the purse and put it in the box, officers were told.

Two criminal mischief reports were filed during the week.

One concerned a bicycle which had been run over Sunday on the grounds of Bradford Elementary, by a four-wheel vehicle.

The driver was located and agreed to pay for damages. No formal charge was filed.

Early Monday morning, a resident in the 800 block of West Magnolia reported a vehicle parked there had been egged overnight.

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Option pkg. discount	\$850
MSRP	\$16,205
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Farm Bureau Rebate	\$500
Sale price after rebates	<b>\$13,772*</b>
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Farm Bureau Rebate	\$500
Sale price after rebates	<b>\$20,199*</b>
SAVE \$4,696	from MSRP

Stock # G17016.

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Option pkg. discount	\$795
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# NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF THE HAWKS

## HIGH SCHOOL

### TAAS test next week

The biggest Exit Level TAAS test of the year will be next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

All 10th graders, new students, and re-testing 11th and 12th graders will take tests in writing, reading and mathematics. Mastery of all three parts is required for graduation, so it is important that students be at school time, be well-rested, and have a healthy breakfast on these days.

The tests are untimed so, if possible, appointments to the orthodontist, doctor, etc., should be moved to another day so students do not feel pressured to finish the tests quickly.

Make-up exams are not allowed, and if students miss any or all parts, the exam will be given in July and again next year.

If you have questions, call high school counselor, LaRae Collins.

## JUNIOR HIGH

### Academic achievers on display at stores

Photos of junior high school students who have received academic recognition are on display in the windows of Iowa Park businesses.

As one of the incentives to do well on TAAS tests, students who excel academically in two areas, will have an 8x10 photograph placed in the windows of local merchants.

### Get your t-shirt here!

It's t-shirt time again at junior high! The G/T class is selling t-shirts as a fundraiser to help pay field trip expenses and to support our charity activities.

This year they are offering three shirts to choose from: t-shirt style, golf style, and henley style. All shirts are white with the green hawk em-

blem in the upper left chest. Shirts are 50% cotton and 50% polyester. T-shirts are \$10, and golf shirts and henley shirts are \$12. They are available in adult sizes small, medium, large, X-large, XX-large, and XXX-large. There is an additional charge for XX and XXX sized shirts.

Order forms have been sent home with junior high students. However, if you would like to purchase a shirt and do not have access to an order form, contact Shelley Merchant or any of the junior high G/T students. Orders are due by Feb. 28.

## BRADFORD

### All together now...say cheese!

Bradford class pictures will be made Wednesday.

Cost for a picture will be \$7 for a picture; and \$12 for a picture and pennant.

### Musically speaking

All fifth grade students will take a trip next week to Floral Heights United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls.

During the trip students will get to see and hear the large pipe organ at the church, and Merle Anthony will speak to the group about the history of the organ and the church.

### Writing TAAS coming

Fourth graders will take their T.A.A.S. (Texas Assessment of Academic Skills) writing test Tuesday.

### Novel Analysis

Bradford's fifth graders will begin their novel analysis of "Mrs. Frisbee and the Rats of Nihm" this six weeks.

Many activities have been planned to correspond with this project.

## Birthdays this week

Happy Birthday wishes go to Gayle Lyles, Bradford secretary, and Diane Granbery, counselor.

## KIDWELL

### Kidwell PTA meets

Some 62 parents and students attended the general meeting of the Kidwell PTA Tuesday night.

Last month, the PTA voted to offer an incentive to the class who had the most parents attend the PTA meetings - \$25 for a class party. Mrs. Padgett's second grade class earned the prize.

The PTA voted to offer the prize at all remaining meetings this school year.

Among the items announced were:

\*Public School Week will be held March 3-6, with activities being planned for Kidwell.

\*The Kindergarten musical program will be held April 15. It had previously set to be held in March.

\*The annual book fair has been set for April 15-18.

\*Kindergarten orientation will be held April 29 and 30.

\*Teacher Appreciation Week will be May 5-8.

\*Fun 'N Fitness will be held May 8.

A special PTA board meeting was scheduled for Feb. 25 to finalize

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plans for Fun 'N Fitness and to nominate officers for the next school year.

### 600 minutes tallies due

Tally sheets for students participating in the 600 Minutes Reading Program are due Friday.

**4-H CLUB NEWS**

The Valley View 4-H Club would like to express our appreciation for those who helped make our concession stand a success at the local project show Saturday.

Thanks to the businesses who donated supplies, B&R Thriftway, Scobee's Mini Mart, United Supermarket, Shirley's One Stop, as well as Pete Ermis and Ray Gholson.

Thanks, also to the FFA Booster Club for the use of the concession stand, and to all the parents who showed up to work.

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Registration for classes will be on March 8 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the American Red Cross, 1809 5th Street in Wichita Falls. There will be instructors available to answer questions.

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## Project Graduation planning session set

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Parents of seniors who would be interested in helping are asked to attend the meeting.

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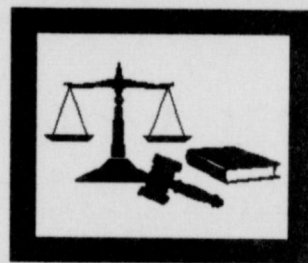


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**WICHITA COUNTY**

ABB OIL CO., INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4200' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 3 miles N of Holiday. The PERKINS & CULLUM "A" DEEP Well No. 1 is located in the Blk. 8, Denton CSL League #4, A-417 on a 80 acre lease.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 1.5 miles N of Kamay. The BURNS SHALLOW Well No. 23 is located in the Lot 10, Blk. 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 426.68 acre lease.

BTO VENTURE, INC. of Iowa Park, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 1.5 mile N of Kamay. The BURNS SHALLOW Well No. 35 is located in the Lot 7, Blk. 26, KEMP'S W.V.F.L. S/D on a 426.68 acre lease.

FIELD PRODUCTION COMPANY of Fort Worth, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1900' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 9.5 miles E of Electra. The K. MERTINS Well No. 23 is located in the GC&SF RR Co. Survey #1, A-365 on a 120 acre lease.

J. FRANK HOOD, JR. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2 miles S of Kamay. The SHERRILL TRUSTS Well No. 4, in the Blk. 43, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1535'.

SOONER WELL SERVICE COMPANY - C/O DON RHODES of Olney, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1.5 miles NW of Holiday. The FRED DAUME, JR. Well No. 1, in the SP RR Co. Survey #1, A-266, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 400'.

CHOLLA PETROLEUM, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Davidson Field, 1 mile SSW of Wichita Falls. The FOUR CORNER Well No. 2, located in the Green Reynolds Survey, A-251 on a 171 acre lease, tested 14 BO/D, 10 MCF/D, 80 BW/D flowing on open choke at 60# from perfs 5322-32' and 5336-40' after acid treatment.

CODA ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 7.5 miles SW of Burkburnett. The S. M. A. UNIT "B" Well No. 403, located in the Lower Pinto IA&M Co. Survey, A-373 on a 1748 acre unit, tested 50 BO/D, no gas, 535 BW/D on pump from perfs 1812-16', 1832-38' and 1856-60' after acid and frac treatment.

RED RIVER OPERATING & DRILLING CO. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 7 miles SE of Burkburnett. The C. BIRK Well No. 1-RR is located in the F. Huseman Survey, A-93 on a 136 acre lease.

**NEWS OF THE IOWA PARK GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

The local newspapers, daily or weekly, are considered to be the best medium of recording events when they happen and thereby such records become of great historical value in the search of family data. The rapidity with which their contents are written and printed do not permit the reporters to verify all that they write and legend or heresy is occasionally included.

Publishers generally preserve files of their papers which can be examined for historical events and records of happenings to families in the vicinity. Files of old newspapers are often found in the care of historical societies or in local libraries.

Newspapers are especially valuable in securing information on marriages and deaths. Those published years ago have only the name, place, date, pastor or official, and possibly the names of parents.

Some newspapers maintain genealogical sections or columns in which questions and answers are printed. Occasionally feature articles are published on the history of families, soldiers, or localities when celebrating an anniversary, which are of great value.

The publishers usually possess libraries containing books on local history and of the families residing in their area. Files of more recent events and personages are maintained for ready reference.

The deaths of local residents during the past 80 or 90 years were amply recorded whether as news items or in an obituary column and include such information as the full name of the deceased, residence, date and place of birth, names of parents, to whom married, names of survivors, membership in churches and lodges, and other vital information.

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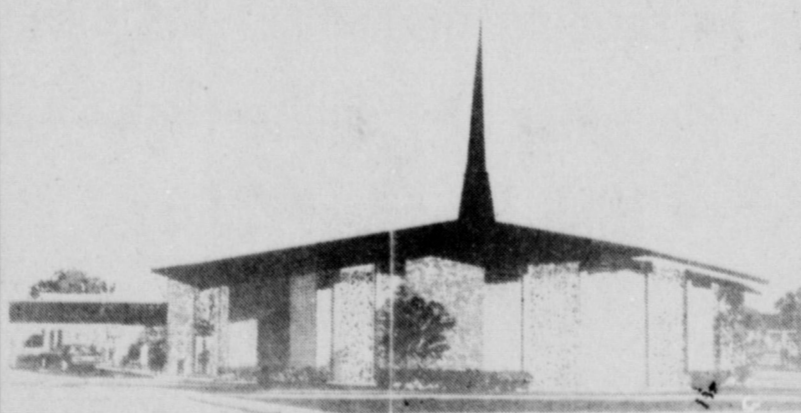
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10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship  
5:00 p.m. - Discipleship Training  
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship  
Wednesday Schedule  
6:00 p.m. Acteens (Jr. & Sr. High Girls Activity time)  
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# Obituaries



## Margie Manuel Byrd

Services for Margie Manuel Byrd, 93, will be at 1 p.m. today at Owens & Brumley Funeral Home in Wichita Falls.

Rev. Bob Christmas, pastor of Allendale Baptist Church will officiate, assisted by Rev. Bill Stone of Sawyer, Okla. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery in Iowa Park.

Mrs. Byrd died Sunday in an Iowa Park nursing home.

Born Dec. 11, 1903, in LeHigh, Okla., she was married to Ray E. Byrd March 15, 1919. He died Oct. 14, 1960. They moved to the Wichita Valley Farms in January 1938, and moved into Wichita Falls in 1944.

Mrs. Byrd was a charter member of Jefferson Street Baptist Church in Wichita Falls. She was a Sunday school teacher many years and was active in WMU.

Survivors include one son, Kenneth of Martinez, Calif., two daughters, Joyce Hallum of Iowa Park and Opal Wallace of Weslaco; one sister, Elsie Ingram of Fort Worth; eight grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren

She came to Valley View in 1917 to work as a housekeeper for the Will Hodges family. She moved to Wichita Falls in 1959, and was a member of Floral Heights United Methodist Church.

She is survived by nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Childrens Home in Waco or Floral Heights United Methodist Church.

## Carl S. Bates

Services for Carl S. Bates, 90, a longtime Iowa Park resident, were held Saturday at 2 p. m. at Highland Cemetery Pavillion.

Rev. Charles Hensley, pastor of First Assembly of God of Iowa Park officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home.

Mr. Bates died Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1997, in a Wichita Falls Hospital.

Born in Upsey County Jan. 14, 1907, he and Vera L. were married May 8, 1974 in Wichita Falls. She died Jan. 31, 1994.

Mr. Bates was a retired truck driver and a member of First Assembly of God in Iowa Park.

He is survived by two sons, Archie of Fort Worth, and Doyle F. of Houston; three daughters, Betty Smith of Fort Worth, Judy Bohart of Wellington, Va., and Virginia Fort of Foyt; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

## IN THE MILITARY

### Muse enters training

Army Pvt. Melissa L. Muse has entered basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton D. Muse is a 1995 graduate of Iowa Park High School.



## Vietnam vet to speak Sunday at Lakeview Church of God



Dave Roever

Dave Roever will be guest speaker at Lakeview Church of God Sunday at 6 p.m., according to Rev Ole Olds, pastor.

Roever was burned beyond recognition in the Vietnam War while serving as a river boat gunner in the elite Brown Water Black Beret of the United States Navy. A phosphorous grenade he was poised to throw exploded in his hand. He was hospitalized 14 months and underwent 15 major surgeries.

Roever, with his humorous style, is enthusiastically received both nationally and internationally as a public speaker. A gifted minister of the gospel, he and his evangelistic team minister in city-wide crusades, men's and youth conventions and churches.

Roever's services are requested in a variety of settings, including public schools at the secondary level, military installations, and business conventions. He also is a frequent speaker on national television talk shows, and hosts his own weekly television program, "Dave Roever Presents" which airs across the United States and in many other nations.

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He talks about solutions to problems such as drug and alcohol abuse, drinking and driving, teen pregnancy, suicide and low self-esteem.

Roever is founder and president of two non-profit corporations, one produces television programs, audio

cassettes, books, and videos, the other one trains and sends out quality speakers who reach an accumulative audience of several hundred thousand public school students during each school year. He also is the author of three books.

Roever and his wife Brenda make their home in Fort Worth. They are parents of two adult children, Matt Roever and Kim Chapin, who, along with their spouses, work with their parents in the ministry.

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### SUMMER READING

This year's theme will be "Incredible Dream Machine." Plans are now underway to make the summer reading program an interesting one. Watch for more information through this column or flyers from school.

### THANK YOU'S

To everyone who saved tissue boxes for our storytime classes valentine boxes. Also a special thanks to everyone who contributed the refreshments served to the children.

# GARDENING HINTS

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

**Q.** I read your column a few weeks ago regarding pre-emergent weed control applications. I have been busy and still have not put a pre-emergent down on my lawn. Can I still apply the pre-emergent and get satisfactory results?

**A.** You still have time to get the benefit of a properly applied pre-emergent herbicide. The entire month of February is really prime time for pre-emergents most years in this region.

Check with your local nursery or garden center and even do it yourself pest control outlets for good selections of pre-emergent control products. These products are easy to apply with a broadcast spreader and must be watered in after application.

**Q.** I would like to plant several Redbud trees in Burk Burnett. Is there a Redbud tree that is better than others to plant in this area?

**A.** You actually have some options when it comes down to selecting a Redbud tree. In full-sun landscape locations you can plant Eastern Redbud. The cultivar "Oklahoma" has dark purple spring flowers and very glossy green foliage which is reportedly less susceptible to leaf roller attacks (a common pest problem on Redbud).

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Another option is the "Forest Pansy" Redbud which has attractive purple foliage in early Spring periods turning to a green coloration during the growing season. The Forest Pansy Redbud does require some protection from intense afternoon sun and heat. It tends to be less drought tolerant, however, in a protected loca-

tion this tree is beautiful. Check with a local garden center for these selections of Redbud. The Redbuds make attractive, small trees in the landscape.

**Q.** My houseplants in Wichita Falls have a white, cottony material on the leaves and stems. What do you think the problem is?

**A.** The houseplant problem you are describing indicates a mealybug insect infestation. This is a very common insect problem on houseplants. Some infestations of mealybug can be wiped off of stems and leaves with a solution of soap and water.

More severe attacks of mealybug may require that you apply a houseplant insecticide available through garden centers. Make sure you select an insect control that is labeled for use on the houseplants that you are growing.

**Q.** I have several Yaupon Hollies in my landscape in Wichita Falls. These are large, standard Yaupons which are actually in need of some pruning. When and how should I go about pruning these plants?

**A.** Major pruning of Yaupon Hollies and other broadleaf evergreens should be done in late winter. February would be a good month to get your pruning job taken care of. Minor pruning tasks can be performed throughout the growing season to keep plants within bounds and looking good.

I prefer to prune standard size Yaupon Hollies into a small tree form plant maintaining a natural type of appearance. Other people may prefer a more formal look keeping the Yaupons trimmed into a rounded form or even growing these plants as a large shrub.

The choice is your's.

## Maude Kirschner

Services for Maude Kirschner, 103, were held Wednesday afternoon at Floral Heights United Methodist Church in Wichita Falls with Rev. Merwin Turner, associate pastor, and Rev. Lester Scally, pastor of Loving Baptist Church in Sherman, officiating. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

She died Sunday in Wichita Falls. Miss Kirschner was born Oct. 17, 1893, in Grayson County, Texas.

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# Junior Stock Show placings reported

Clint Myers earned the coveted Herdsman Award of this year's Iowa Park Junior Livestock Show, held Saturday at the school project barn.

Complete results of the show included:

**RABBITS**  
1. Amber Miller, 2. Jaula Garcia, 3. Amber Miller, 4. Allison Wall, 5. Chris Catlin, 6. Chris Catlin, 7. Michelle Behrens, 8. Timmy Barnes.

**GOATS**  
1. Jodessa Carter, 2. Boon Bowling, 3. Aaron Shaffer, 4. Kristy Tucker, 5. Christy Norton, 6. Stormi Rains, 7. Ryan Tyler.

**BROILERS**  
1. Justin Martin, 2. Lindy Tyler, 3. Aaron Shaffer, 4. Michelle Behrens.

**TURKEYS**  
**Hens**  
1. Lacy Downs, 2. Justin Baumer, 3. Robert Baumer, 4. Dakota Patterson, 5. Shay Dipprey, 6. Misty Dipprey, 7. Cheyenne Patterson, 8. Kaylee Baumer.

**Toms**  
1. Cari Hogan, 2. Shay Dipprey, 3. Misty Dipprey, 4. Cheyenne Patterson, 5. Lacy Downs, 6. Karilea Collins, 7. Kaylee Baumer, 8. Justin Baumer, 9. Dakota Patterson, 10. Robert Baumer, 11. Tom Collins.

**STERS**  
1. Jerrod Vernon, 2. Bo Vernon, 3. Mike Noel.

**LAMBS**  
**Fine Wool Cross**  
1. Kelly Williamson, 2. Cari Hogan, 3. Kelly Williamson, 4. Cari Hogan, 5. Heather Moody, 6. Dan Glass.

**Medium Wool Lightweight**  
1. Lacy Wells, 2. Misty Dipprey, 3. Mike Noel, 4. Mike Noel, 5. Kelly Williamson, 6. Heather Moody, 7. Lacy Wells, 8. Mollie Moody, 9. Dustin Lehman.

**Medium Wool Mediumweight**  
1. Robyn Dillard, 2. Lacy Blackney, 3. Ross Dillard, 4. Lacy Wells, 5. Cody Myers, 6. Clint Myers, 7. Clint Myers, 8. Jessica Joplin, 9. Robyn Dillard.

**Medium Wool Light-heavy**  
1. Ross Dillard, 2. Ross Dillard, 3. Heather Moody, 4. Tara Bailey, 5. Leann Jordan, 6. Cody Myers, 7. Misty Dipprey, 8. Bo Vernon, 9. Mollie Moody.

**Medium Wool Heavyweight**  
1. Clarisa Kuykendall, 2. Cole Yarbrough, 3. Robyn Dillard, 4. Janelle Edwards, 5. Leann Jordan, 6. Pete Ermis, 7. Jake Ermis, 8. Luke Ermis. **Breed Champion** - Ross Dillard; Reserve, Clarisa Kuykendall.

**SWINE**  
**Berkshire**  
1. Kraig Pool, 2. Chris Clerihew, 3. Luke Ermis.

**Chesters**  
1. Bodie Yarbrough, 2. Pete Ermis, 3. Ashley Brandt, 4. Hunter Davis, 5.

Courtney Sheets.  
**Duroc Lightweight**  
1. Mitchell Singleton, 2. Jennifer Phillips, 3. K.K. Ewing, 4. Ashley Davis, 5. Brandi Phipps.

**Duroc Mediumweight**  
1. Kaley Meadows, 2. Hunter Davis, 3. Janelle Edwards, 4. Natasha Sargent, 5. Justin Phillips, 6. Ashley Lucore.

**Duroc Heavyweight**  
1. Robyn Dillard, 2. Heather Martin, 3. Jared Davis, 4. Lacy Downs, 5. Clint Myers, 6. Joni Goin.

**Hampshire Lightweight**  
1. Dakota Patterson, 2. Blaine Moss, 3. Ashley Davis, 4. Cody Myers, 5. Hunter Davis, 6. K.K. Ewing, 7. Brandi Phipps.

**Hampshire Mediumweight**  
1. Kaley Meadows, 2. Mollie Moody, 3. Ross Dillard, 4. Mark Drayer, 5. Sheyna Stewart, 6. Rowdy Hebel, 7. Megan Smith.

**Hampshire Heavyweight**  
1. Clint Myers, 2. Amber Brandt, 3. Shay Dipprey, 4. Charles Kidd, 5. Jake Ermis, 6. Cari Hogan, 7. Jodessa Carter, 8. Bryan Taylor.

**OPB Pollard**  
1. Lindsey Pool, 2. Cheyenne Patterson, 3. Janelle Edwards, 4. Chase

Martin, 5. Joni Goin.  
**Spots**  
1. Lacy Downs, 2. Hunter Davis, 3. Mark Drayer, 4. Ashley Lucore, 5. Katy Williamson, 6. Carrie Sheets.

**Yorkshire Lightweight**  
1. Mitchell Singleton, 2. Sandi Jordan, 3. Joni Goin, 4. Brad Green, 5. Jake Ermis.

**Yorkshire Heavyweight**  
1. Brad Green, 2. Mindy Atchley, 3. Ross Dillard, 4. Misty Dipprey, 5. Sheyna Stewart, 6. Bryan Taylor.

**Z Cross Lightweight**  
1. Charles Kidd, 2. Sandi Jordan, 3. Jared Davis, 4. Chris Clerihew, 5. Kraig Pool, 6. Wade Van Winkle, 7. Cari Hogan, 8. Rowdy Hebel.

**Z Cross Heavyweight**  
1. Blaine Moss, 2. Lyndsey Pool, 3. Lacy Downs, 4. Mindy Atchley, 5. Rusty Brixey, 6. Rusty Clopton, 7. Barrett Smith, 8. Katy Williamson, 9. Bryan Taylor.

**Overall Grand Champion** - Clint Myers; Reserve, Brad Green.

**Senior Showmanship Award** - Lacy Downs; Junior Showmanship, Cody Myers.

# Lady Hawks suffer first loss of season

The Iowa Park Lady Hawks suffered their first loss of the young softball season this week, falling 5-4 to Rider, a Class 5A team.

The Lady Hawks rebounded nicely on Tuesday to defeat Wichita Falls High School 7-3 to move to 2-1 for the season.

In the game against Rider, the Iowa Park hitters were kept off balance by Stephanie Yeager, who struck out 15 batters before leaving the game in the sixth inning.

After Yeager's departure, Iowa Park exploded for 4 runs to tie the game at 4-4, but couldn't pull out the win as the Lady Raiders scored the game-winning run in the bottom of the sixth for their first win of the season.

Amanda Roberts took the loss for Iowa Park, evening her record at 1-1 for the season. Leading hitters for the Lady Hawks included Jennifer Nicholson with a triple, Misty Beavers with a double and a pair of RBIs, and Kim Scobee and Lori Wiggins with a single each.

"We played pretty well," said head coach Larry Beard. "We made some mental mistakes early that let them get out in front and we chased a

lot of balls that were up in the strike zone against their pitcher. It was a very competitive game that we had a chance to win against a 5A school so overall I thought we did a good job."

In Tuesday's game against the Lady Coyotes, Iowa Park jumped out to a 3-0 lead after the first inning, then added single runs in the second and third to take a 5-0 lead before WFHS ever got on the board. Old High pulled to within 5-2 after scoring runs in the third and fourth innings. Iowa Park answered with single runs in the fifth and sixth while allowing Old High only one more run in the fifth to pick up its second win against only one loss for the season.

Leading hitters for Iowa Park included, Nicholson who went 3x4 with a triple and 2 RBIs, Wiggins and Beavers, who each finished 2x3 and Belinda Terry who added a pair of RBIs.

The Lady Hawks also got a stel-

lar defensive performance from Terry and from Kasey White. Terry, playing right field, twice fielded ground ball singles and threw out the runner trying to advance from first to third. White, playing center, came up with two outstanding catches, one in the first and the other in the fourth.

Roberts picked up the win for the Lady Hawks to improve to 1-2 overall and Melissa Threet came on to pick up the save, her first of the season.

"We played real solid defensively," Beard said. "We hit the ball well and were aggressive and smart on the bases and that's what we have to do to win games. We're going to have to rely on our defense and have to take advantage on the bases."

Iowa Park will travel to Denton to take part in the Denton Tournament today, Friday and Saturday and will begin pool play against Denton Ryan, Decatur and Springtown.

# Hawks lose no-hitter

If someone had told head coach David Furhman that his team would go out and throw a one-hitter in the season-opener against Hirschi, he would have been overjoyed.

That's exactly what the Hawks did in Tuesday's game as Cody Russell and Tyler Pulley combined to one-hit the Huskies, yet Iowa Park couldn't come away with the win.

Hirschi held Iowa Park to only one hit as well shutting out the Hawks while scoring three un-earned runs to take a 3-0 win to start the season.

The Iowa Park hitters managed only a single by Wayland Stewart in the bottom of the first inning off Hirschi starter John Crowe as the junior right-hander struck out eight while walking only one in his first start of the season. Crowe threw a complete game, throwing only 72 pitches.

"Their kid threw the ball real well," Furhman said. "He did a good job of working the outside part of the plate and he threw the ball with some velocity. He's as good a pitcher as we will see for quite a while."

The Hawks got off to a quick start as Russell set down the first three Huskies he faced, two on ground balls to short and the third on a strikeout.

Iowa Park got runners on first

and second in the bottom of the first with two outs on Stewart's single to right-center and a hit-by-pitch to Dusty Crawford, but couldn't pick up the key hit to drive home the runners.

Hirschi got on the board with two un-earned runs without a hit in the top of the third inning. Perkins was hit by a pitch to lead off the inning and went to second on an error by Justin Terry at short. Perkins came around to score on an error by Crawford as he tried to make a play on a ball hit in front of the plate but threw wide of first, allowing Perkins to score. Hague's RBI ground-out accounted for the Huskies' second run of the game as he grounded out to second with one out.

The Huskies made it 3-0 in the top of the fifth, scoring another un-earned run without a hit. With one out, Franklin reached on a walk then stole second. He then advanced third on a ground out and came in to score on a wild pitch by Pulley.

Hirschi's only hit of the game

came in the top of the seventh on a ball hit by Patterson that bounced off the glove of Jonathan Clubb in right field.

Meanwhile, the Iowa Park hitters were held in check by Crowe as the Hawks had only two base runners the rest of the game. Crowe finished the game striking out the side in the bottom of the seventh.

"I thought our pitchers pitched very well for us," Furhman said. "They only gave up the one hit in the seventh inning, and that was a questionable hit, and that guy didn't even score. We gave up three unearned runs and we just didn't hit the ball at all. There's not much more positive to say, I wish there was."

Iowa Park will try and pick up its first win of the season Friday when the Hawks travel to Graham to take on their former district rivals. Graham advanced to the State Finals last season and moved up to Class 4A this year. The game is scheduled for a 4:30 p.m. start.



Hawk fans should have no problem remembering the name of Vernon's outstanding back/linebacker Brenton Gabbert. Besides being an outstanding football player, last weekend he successfully defended his championship title as the best in the Texas State Wrestling Tournament's 160-pound class. And he's only a junior.

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## Powerlifters continue setting school records

Both the Hawks and Lady Hawks Powerlifting teams continued to have early season success as each brought home hardware from last week's meet in Saint Jo.

The Lady Hawks made it two-for-two as they now have won both meets that they have competed in, while the guys came home with the second-place trophy this week.

In the girls' division, Iowa Park continues to smash school records as 19 more records fell in the Saint Jo Meet. Amanda Stevens, who finished first in the 97-lb. division with a total of 545, was also named as the Outstanding Lifter in the meet.

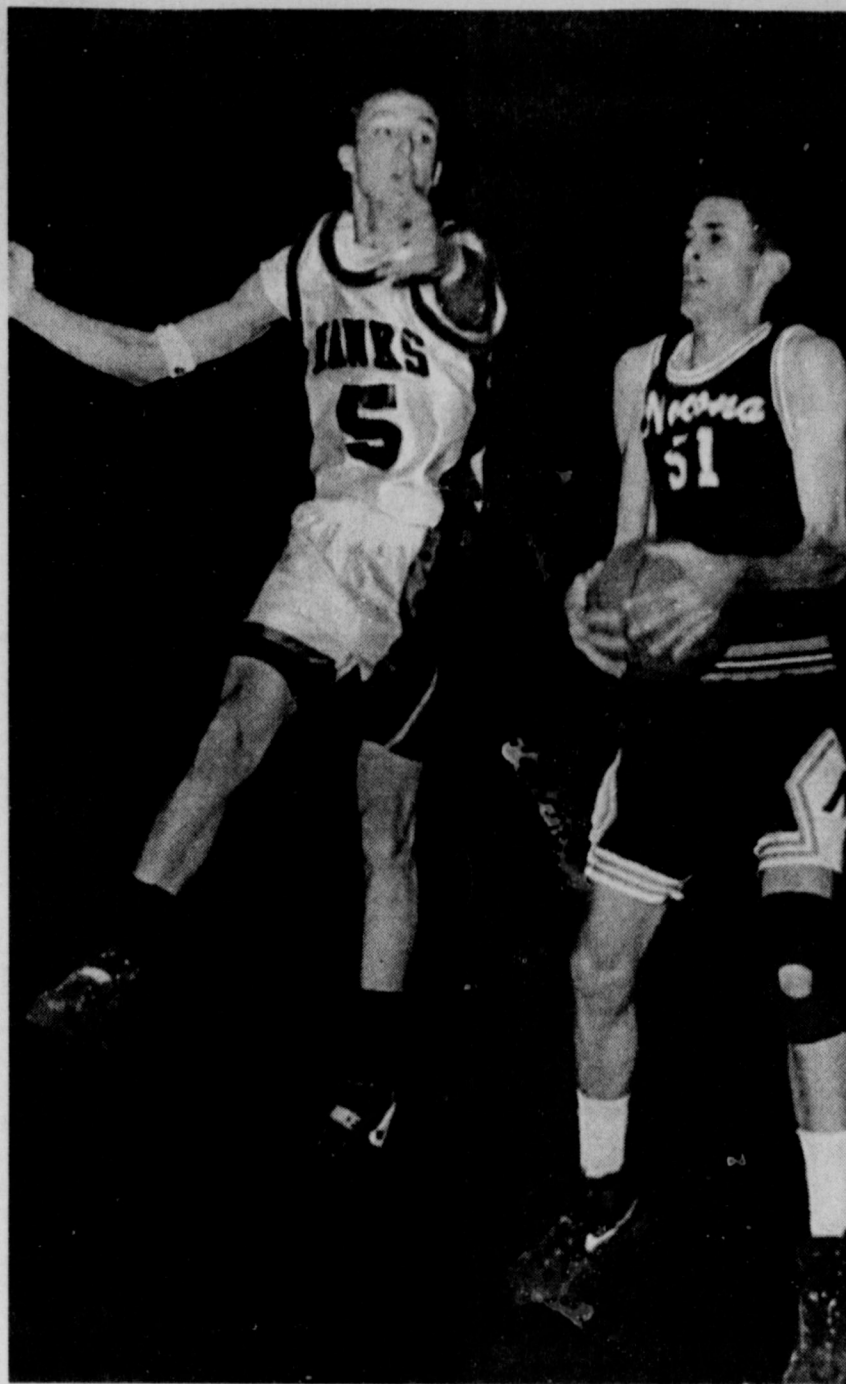
GIRLS		
<b>97-lbs.</b>		
Amanda Stevens	545	1st.
Sage Hamilton	330	2nd.
<b>105-lbs.</b>		
Tara Godwin	350	3rd.
<b>123-lbs.</b>		
Lacey Slack	485	3rd.
Jessica Love	480	4th.
<b>132-lbs.</b>		
Jessica Shaw	565	2nd.
Robin Harmon	475	4th.
<b>148-lbs.</b>		
Carmen Tidwell	655	1st.
Misty Beavers	630	2nd.
Jennifer Nicholson	575	5th.
Vanessa Hebel	565	7th.
Stephanie Wilson	515	8th.
<b>165-lbs.</b>		
Stacey Robey	560	3rd.
<b>181-lbs.</b>		
Sabrina Luckey	635	1st.
Shannon Eaves	630	2nd.

<b>198-lbs.</b>		
Melinda Bradshaw	725	1st.
Christy Goin	555	3rd.

In the boys' division, Iowa Park finished in second place for the second time in a meet this season as the Hawks set three new school marks.

BOYS		
<b>132-lbs.</b>		
Jeremy Tatum	815	3rd.
<b>148-lbs.</b>		
Cody Russell	1060	4th.
Toby Catlin	945	8th.
Malcom Wise	825	12th.
Carl Morgan	760	21st.
Aaron Sanders	740	23rd.
<b>165-lbs.</b>		
Roger Walls	900	12th.
<b>181-lbs.</b>		
Brandon McLemore	1205	1st.
Keith Trammell	1060	6th.
<b>198-lbs.</b>		
Calvin Galliton	1230	1st.
Tres Beisch	985	7th.
Damon Fox	700	17th.
<b>242-lbs.</b>		
Richard McCann	1255	2nd.
Josh Arrington	1125	6th.
<b>275-lbs.</b>		
Seimon Hendrix	1220	3rd.
Wally Wahl	1070	5th.
<b>SHW</b>		
Galen Pickens	1025	3rd.

Both the Hawks and Lady Hawks will be in action again this week as they travel to Nocona for the Nocona Invitational Meet, which will be the final tune-up before the Regional Meet that will be held in Iowa Park on March 7.



SHAWN FULFER BLOCKS INDIAN'S SHOT ATTEMPT

## Hawks

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the Granbury Tournament. The Hawks, playing without Chad Wright, who was sick, and Todd Yeager, who missed the game with an injury, fell 58-51 in overtime to the Buckaroos.

"I know we've improved a lot since then," Clark said. "We had to play without Chad and Todd and we still showed that we could play with them."

Black will be counted on once again to help lead the Hawks and help in the scoring department.

On his 34-point performance

### Men's basketball tournament slated

A men's basketball tournament will be sponsored Feb. 22-23 at the Iowa Park High gymnasium by the Iowa Park Police Dept.

Proceeds will benefit the IPHS athletic programs.

Men wishing to participate can contact DeDe Alderman at the police department, 592-2181.

Admission for fans will be \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.

The first game of the tourney will tip off at 7 a.m. that Saturday.

Saturday, Black said, "I always seem to play well at Rider, I've never had a bad game there."

"Like coach said, if we can get them out of their press, we have eliminated about half of their offense," Black said. "They're not very good when you make them set up in their half court offense. Their press is nowhere near as tough as Bowie's press. Nobody in the state plays as tough defensively as Bowie does and we played with them. We just need to go out and play our game and work hard on the boards and we'll be alright."

## St. Patrick's Day tourney set

The Second Annual St. Patrick's Day Golf Tournament will be held Saturday, Mar. 15, sponsored by Christ The King Catholic Church.

Deadline for the four-man scramble, to be played at LaVista Golf Course in Wichita Falls, is Monday, Mar. 3, according to Bob Smith, coordinator.

### Athletic Booster Club to meet Tuesday at RAC

The Athletic Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Recreational Activities Center, 806 N. Third St.

Included on the agenda are discussions of track meets that are coming up and the power lift meet.

There is still time to order a football highlight tape. This can be done by calling Sherry or Lester Rose at 592-9675. Deadline for orders is Feb. 28.

This year's tourney has been expanded to include two flights, with 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. starts.

The \$45 per-person entry fee includes green fee, cart, catered meal, and prizes for first, second and third place teams, closets to pin, longest drive and most accurate drive.

Players interested in entering should contact Smith, 592-0032, or the church office, 592-2802.

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The City of Iowa Park received a check this month for \$32,476.51, representing taxes collected by monthly filers in December, and also those who report their collections on a quarterly basis.

The check reflected a 1.78-percent increase over the one received in February of 1996, according to the state comptroller's office.

Because January's check was less than the one received that same month the year before, Iowa Park's total for

the first two months of 1997 is 1.36 percent less than at this time last year.

However, the other three cities in the county are down even more, according to the report.

Wichita Falls is a minus 2.84 percent in comparison with last year, Burkburnett minus 4.73 and Electra minus 17.73 percent.

Holliday is enjoying a considerable increase in its sales tax collections, the report indicated. That city is 18.46 percent above this time last year, having received \$13,004.25.

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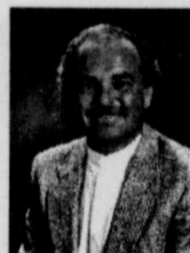
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The Board of Adjustment of the City of Iowa Park, Texas, will conduct a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on March 3, 1997, to consider the issuance of a variance at Lot 40-A, Block E, Indian Springs Addition (Cherokee Trail), to allow less than the required twenty-five feet (25') front yard setback. Any comments for or against may be presented orally at the hearing or in writing to City Hall prior to the meeting. All meetings are open to the public.  
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The Iowa Park CISD will receive sealed proposals for Property and Casualty Insurance until March 20, 1997. Proposal packets may be obtained by contacting the Superintendent's Office at (817) 592-4193. Each proposal should be sealed and marked "INSURANCE PROPOSAL." Proposals will be opened at 10:00 AM on March 20, 1997 in the School Administration Board Room, and final selection will be made by the Board of Trustees on March 24, 1997. Trustees may reject any or all proposals.

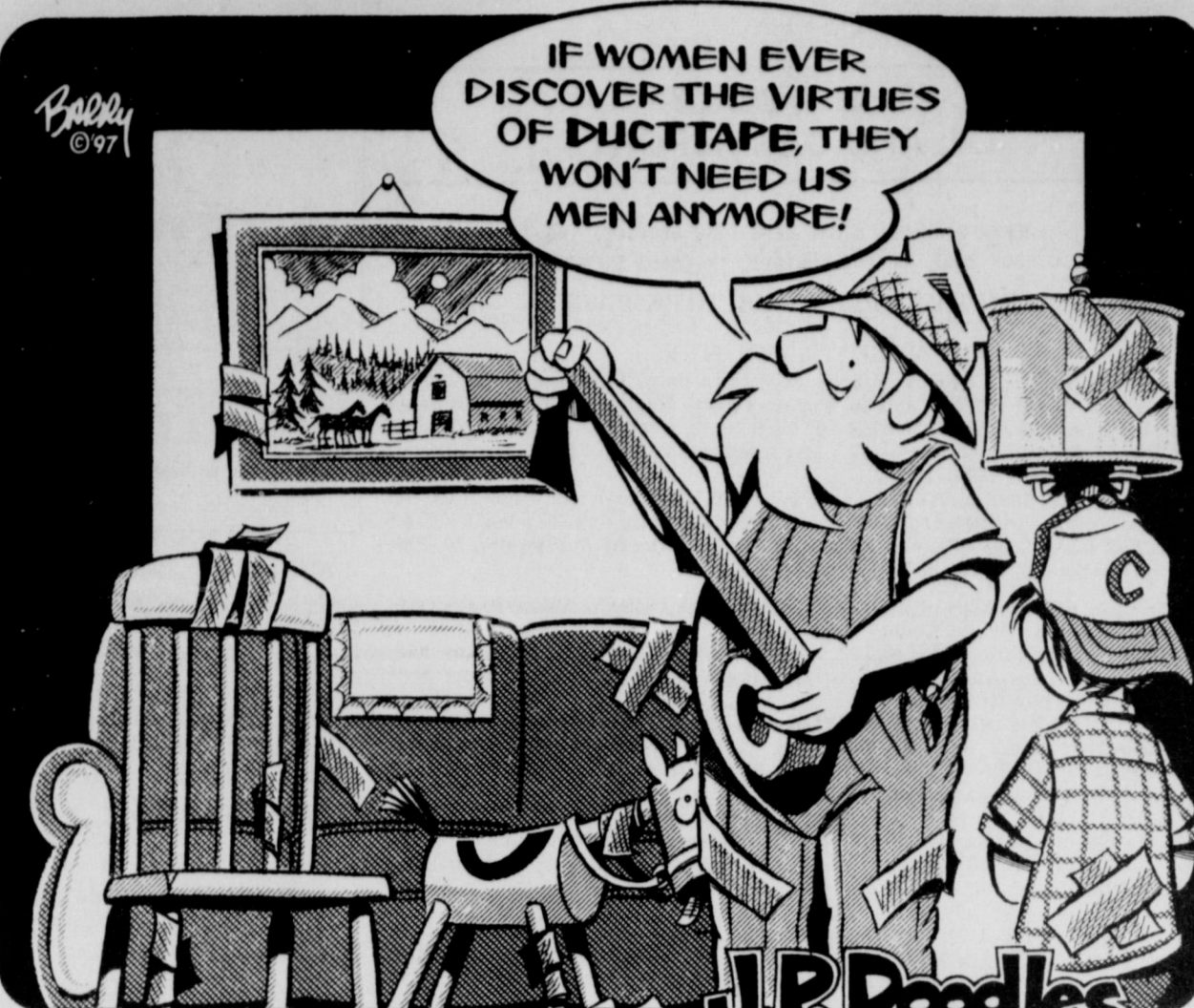
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS, THAT: the City of Iowa Park, Texas proposes to institute annexation proceedings to enlarge and extend the boundary limits of said city to include the following described territory, to-wit: a 4.959 acre tract of land out of Park Place Addition out of Section 10, Tarrant County School Land, Wichita County, Texas; BEGINNING at a point being the Southeast corner of Lot 10, Block 2, Park Place Addition, per plat recorded at Volume 27, Pages 72 and 73 of the Wichita County Plat Records; THENCE North for a distance of 330.0 feet; THENCE East for a distance of 655.0 feet; THENCE South for a distance of 190.0 feet; THENCE West for a distance of 1.0 foot; THENCE South for a distance of 140.0 feet; THENCE West for a distance of 654.0 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING and containing 4.959 acres of land. A public hearing will be held by and before the City Council of the City of Iowa Park, Texas on the 10th day of March, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall of the City of Iowa Park, Texas, for all persons interested in the above proposed annexation. At said time and place all such persons shall have the right to appear and be heard. Of all said matters and things, all persons interested in the things and matter herein mentioned, will take notice.  
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Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792). 2-20-1tc

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 30th District Court of Wichita County, on the 13th day of January 1997 by Dorsey Trapp, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Four hundred ninety eight and 13/100 DOLLARS Plus 10% interest from date of judgment and costs of suit, under a certain judgment, in favor of Iowa Park Independent School District, Et Al in a certain cause in said Court, No. 38,763-A and styled Wichita County Education District - Iowa Park, Iowa Park Independent School District, Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2, Electra Hospital District, County of Wichita VS: Calvin Glover, Shirley Glover Klima, Larry Dewveall, Jeanette Dewveall Patterson, Stephen Dewveall, The unknown heirs at law of Elbert J. Glover and The unknown heirs at law of Madgeleine E. Glover, and the unknown owner or unknown owners, and placed in my hands for service, I Thomas J. Callahan as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did, on the 23rd day of January 1997 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:  
TRACT 1: A tract of land forty (40) feet by two hundred ten (210) feet Tract 21, Blk 22, Wichita Valley Farm Lands, Wichita County, Texas, as more particularly described in a deed recorded in Volume 1456 at Page 238 of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas.  
The above property shall be sold subject to the owner's right of redemption. The redemption period is two years for homestead and agricultural use property and six months for all other property. Purchasers shall receive a Sheriff's Deed that is without warranty. Bidders should satisfy themselves concerning title and location of the property and improvements on the property prior to sale.  
and levied upon as the property of Calvin Glover and that on the first Tuesday in March 1997, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas at 10 A.M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public venue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Calvin Glover  
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Iowa Park Leader a newspaper published in Wichita County.  
Witness my hand, this 23rd day of January 1997  
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**WICHITA COUNTY**

**HULL OIL COMPANY, INC.** of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 6 miles SE of Electra. The J. & J. WAGGONER "B" Well No. 7, located in the Blk. 4, GC&SF RR Co. Survey #2, A-772 on a 132.5 acre lease, tested 12 BO/D, no gas, 2 BW/D on pump from perfs 1892'-1894.5'.

**STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO.** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 4.5 miles S of Iowa Park. The PARKER Well No. 1-S is located in the Blk. 20, Palo Pinto CSL Survey, A-241 on a 1810 acre lease.

**A. E. SIMPSON** of Electra, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 1 mile W of Electra. The W. T. WAGGONER ESTATE Well No. 22, located in the GC&SF RR Co. Survey #18, A-586 on a 40 acre lease, tested 6 BO/D, no gas, no water, on pump from perfs 974'-998' after frac treatment.

**BOHNER OIL COMPANY** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1800' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 3 miles NNE of Kamay. The KEMP & ALLEN "C" Well No. 24 is located in the Lot 9, Blk. 26, Kemp's W.V.F.L. S/D on a 40 acre lease.

**J. F. HOOD** of Fort Worth, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 6 miles SE of Electra. The BURNETT "U" Well No. 1, in the H&GN RR Co. Survey #12, A-432, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1685'.

**ARCHER COUNTY**

**21ST CENTURY MARKETING, INC.** of Palestine, TX has filed for a permit to RE-ENTER a 5669' depth Scotland [Mississippian] Field well 3 miles SW of Scotland. The HEMMI Well No. 1 is located in the Lot 35, Blk. 3, Clark & Plumb S/D on a 72 acre lease.

**ROBINSON OIL CO.** of Olney, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 2.5 miles W of Archer City. The FALLS COUNTY SCHOOL LAND "A&B" Well No. 11, located in the Blk. 63, Falls CSL Survey, A-130 on a 84 acre lease, tested 2 BO/D, no gas, 0.5 BW/D on pump from perfs 1166'-74' after acid and frac treatment.

**RYDER SCOTT OIL COMPANY** of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in a Wildcat well, 8 miles NW of Scotland. The BROWN Well No. 1, in the Blk. 66, A.T.N.C.L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 4138'.

**J. F. HOOD** of Fort Worth, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Archer County Regular Field well 2 miles NW of Geraldine. The CARTER Well No. 1 is located in the Blk. 96, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 100 acre lease.

**TALON PRODUCTION INC.** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 7 miles E of Megargel. The RICHARDSON Well No. 2 is located in the J. Scott Survey, A-374 on a 53 acre lease.

**WESTRIDGE OIL & GAS PROPERTIES** of Fort Worth, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 6000' depth Wildcat well 6.6 miles WNW of Markley. The LONESOME DOVE Well No. 1 is located in the Miguel Galan Survey, A-137 on a 172.23 acre lease.

**CLAY COUNTY**

**LINDELL O'NEAL** of Nocona, TX has filed for a permit to WORKOVER [plug back] a 5990' depth Ringgold Field well 5 miles SW of Ringgold. The EARL SPRINGS Well No. 63 is located in the Sec. 35, Blk. 4, H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-251 on a 681.40 acre lease.

**MUIRFIELD EXPLORATION, LTD.** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Clay County Regular Field well 5 miles W of Petrolia. The HARRISON & ALLEN Well No. 37 is located in the J. Duncan Survey #35, A-112 on a 200 acre lease.

**MUIRFIELD EXPLORATION, LTD.** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Clay County Regular Field well 5 miles W of Petrolia. The HARRISON & ALLEN Well No. 38 is located in the J. Duncan Survey #35, A-112 on a 200 acre lease.

**HARDEMAN COUNTY**

**KADANE CORPORATION** of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 8500' depth Wildcat well 6.5 miles SW of Chillicothe. The ST. GERMAINE Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 102, Blk. 16, H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-1000 on a 30 acre lease.

**TALON PRODUCTION INC.** of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in a Wildcat well, 5 miles S of Chillicothe. The BELL Well No. 1, in the Sec. 73, Blk. 16, H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-1130, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 8336'.

**State Capital**



**HIGHLIGHTS**

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

**AUSTIN** — State Comptroller John Sharp last week proposed that "career" students pay up to four times their current tuition.

"What we want to do is target those students who just can't seem to graduate," said Andy Welch, a spokesman for Sharp's office.

Sharp's proposal — aimed at curbing our undergraduate students who have amassed at least 170 hours of credit — would increase those students' tuition from \$2,150 a year up to \$7,910 a year.

The proposal, if approved by the Legislature, could save the state about \$5 million a year, beginning in 1999.

Statistics maintained by the comptroller's office show that about 18 percent of students enrolled in state universities have more than 170 credits. Most majors need about 120 total credit hours to receive an undergraduate degree.

**Complaint Backlog to '89**

Nearly 1,100 complaints against teachers and school administrators are being investigated by the State Board of Educator Certification and the oldest cases date to 1989.

The board has the authority to revoke or suspend an individual's certification.

Board officials said the large number of cases is caused by limited resources — only three investigators are on the job — and the need to proceed carefully in cases that could damage reputations.

But educators say the backlog creates a dangerous situation for students and is unfair to school personnel who have to wait a long time for their case to be resolved.

Allegations that indicate a potential danger for students — such as sexual misconduct — have the high-

est priority; allegations of violence are priority two; and drug violations are assigned priority three.

**Nursing Home Reforms OK'd**

Nursing home administrators will be held accountable for all problems in a nursing home, under a set of tough new standards adopted last week by the Texas Board of Nursing Facility Administrators.

In adopting 25 standards of conduct that hold administrators accountable, the board sided with advocates for the more than 98,000 nursing home residents in Texas.

The vote came after a four-month study by the board to overcome public outrage generated by an *Austin American-Statesman* investigation that found none of the state's 2,700 administrators had been disciplined since 1993, despite questionable deaths, injuries and other problems in Texas nursing homes.

The new standards require administrators:

- To ensure that enough trained workers are on duty and that a nursing home has enough resources to provide adequate nutrition, medication and treatment programs;

- To prevent abuse and neglect of residents; and

- To refrain from misleading families about what services the home provides.

**State Workers Want Raises**

When the Legislature convenes later this month, state employees want pay raises, and they want their salaries to be a high priority with lawmakers.

State workers have not had an across-the-board pay raise since December 1992.

"Enough is enough. We're going to have to get tough about this," Lane Zivley, executive director of the 16,000-member Texas Public Employees Association, told the Associated Press. TPEA is seeking a \$250-a-month raise for 1998 and 1999.

Texas House Speaker Pete Laney, D-Hale Center, said he thinks the raises are long overdue, but a raise would depend on whether the money is available.

Republican Gov. George W. Bush and Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, a Democrat, also want to see whether money is available before making commitments to support a raise.

The House Appropriations Committee, headed by Rep. Rob Junell, D-San Angelo, has been studying state employee salaries.

"I would like to do a state employee pay raise," Junell said. "I'm not going to say it's going to happen, but I think there's a real desire to do something, at least the people I visit with who are decision-makers."

The state auditor has recommended a raise of 3.5 percent in 1998 and 1999. On the average state workers earned \$24,175 this year.

**Other Capital Highlights**

- A toll-free College Information Hotline will open Jan. 18 and 19 to anyone in Texas wanting free information about colleges, universities, admissions, testing and financial aid. The hotline will be staffed by high school and university professionals from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. both days. The number is (800) 347-3475.

- Texas' population increased to over 19 million in 1996, making

it the fastest-growing state for the fourth consecutive year. A high birth rate and migration from other countries boosted the state's population by 326,900 people in the past year, according to an annual population estimate by the U.S. Census Bureau.

- From Jan. 1 to Dec. 30, 1996, the Texas Department of Public Safety issued 114,655 handgun permits under the state's concealed handgun law. Before the law went into effect, the law's authors projected that 80,000 of the permits would be issued by the end of the year. Now, about one percent of the state's adults have a permit.

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