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LARGEST CLASS EVER

Seniors graduate Friday

VISITOR SEATING A PROBLEM

With 118 candidates for diplomas, the largest graduating class from Iowa Park High School will participate in commencement exercises at 8 p.m. Friday in the school auditorium.

Seating of visitors promises to be a problem, unless those planning to attend have special invitations. There are 860 seats in the auditorium, and members of the class were issued 819 seating invitations for families. Some relief will come from addition of approximately 100 chairs which will be placed around the walls of the room.

The valedictory address will be made

by Sylvia Sibley, and the salutatory address by Judy Spruiell.

As president of the senior class, Jeff McDonald will make the traditional presentation of the key to a representative of the Class of '72.

Hoyt Watson, president of the school board of trustees, will present diplomas to members of the graduating class, following presentation of the class by principal Bob Dawson to Faris Nowell, superintendent of schools.

The Iowa Park High School Choir will render two special numbers during the program.

Rev. Claude McDonald, pastor of the First Christian Church, will give the invocation, and John Maples, minister of the Church of Christ, will offer the benediction.

A highlight of each year's ceremonies is the announcement of the top 10 scholastic members of the graduating class, and presentation of two special awards. The Arion Award, sponsored by the Noon Lions Club, is a music scholarship, and the Bobby Gilbreath Award will be made to the class member who has contributed the most to athletics and scholastics. The processional and recessional will be played on the organ by Nancy Miller.

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Group being organized to solve water plight

Formation of a committee to seek a solution to Iowa Park's water problems was announced Monday night at the regular meeting of the city council.

Dr. Erwin Soell, mayor, said two members of the city council, two from the water district's board, and five appointed citizens would make up the committee. The group will work out details of improving both the quality and supply of water to the city, and report the recommendations back to the commission and board for action.

Soell appointed himself and Herman Mahler to represent the city, while Delbert Todd and Gaines Maness will serve from the water board. The four will appoint the remaining five members.

The mayor indicated the committee's search will be in the direction of Wichita

Falls, where efforts to purchase either raw or treated water will be negotiated. The group will meet with engineers and probably Wichita Falls representatives, to determine feasibility and costs.

At the request of the mayor, the council approved finances to pay professional consultant help on the project.

A letter was read to the council which indicates passage of the pure water amendment to the Texas constitution recently has saved Iowa Park approximately \$50,000 on construction of the new sewer treatment plant.

In a memo from Director of Central Operations for the Texas Water Quality Board, Robert Fleming, the city's request for an increased grant amounting to 55 percent of the total project cost. Fleming said "We concur in this request

and are hereby recommending that this increase be made."

Four lots on Garden Drive were purchased from Clyde Douglas, at \$400 each, for further development as a city park. Equipment has been on the site almost a year after an agreement with Douglas was made to locate a park there, in return for no taxes to be charged on the four lots.

Second reading and final passage was observed on amendment to the dog ordinance which prohibits interfering with the dog catcher on private property. The vote was 2-2, however, and Mayor Soell's vote was required to break the tie.

First reading was held on Ordinance 116, which proposes to annex Bogan Acres and Kinney property in the northeast edge of the city. No one spoke in opposition to the annexation.

Frank Guyette requested and received permission to make hookups to existing natural gas lines in a home for purposes of installing heating and cooking units.

The local businessman said the building code required him to have a licensed plumber make the line connection, and this cost put him out of the competitive market against out-of-town bidders who paid no attention to the ordinance.

Since the job is reasonably simple, and will be inspected as required by the permit, the council approved all appliance installers the same privilege, as long as the connection is made to existing lines in the house.

A problem arose when the city found it owned property it had forgotten about. But the problem was to Maurice and Mike McGinty, owner and operator respectively of the new McGinty Tire Company.

Following a survey of the property, and search of records, it was found that the city owns a 24.8 foot strip of land paralleling the old highway, in that block and McGinty's gasoline pumps and canopy are on city land.

Maurice McGinty said he was told by the property's former owner the land he purchased extended to the highway, and thought that was part of what he paid for. "We'll be out of business unless we can work something out with the city," he told the council.

Rather than sell the land, in case the highway should want to widen the thoroughfare sometime in the future and require repurchasing of the strip, the city offered a lease agreement, which was accepted. The land is leased for \$1 a year, is a five-year lease, with two five-year options.

Considerable discussion was held by the council on merits of used and new heavy equipment with which to operate the city's sanitary land fill, which is required by state law. The subject was tabled for further study.

The council voted to provide insurance for employees who wished it, and a \$15 monthly wage increase for those who didn't want it. A survey of employees indicated about half wanted the insurance coverage. Employees can pay the same rates to have members of their families included in the policy.

Approval was also voted to pay all expenses for two or three members of the

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IOWA PARK HIGH GRADUATING SENIORS LOOK FORWARD TO CEREMONIES FRIDAY NIGHT.

Junior high ceremonies scheduled this evening

IOWA PARK VALLEY VIEW

The Iowa Park Junior High School Commencement will be held today at 8 p.m. in the Iowa Park High School auditorium.

For the processional, Mrs. B. G. House will play "Invocation" by Butler. The invocation will be given by Clifton Cummings.

Brent Patterson will give the salutatory address and Jay Meux will give the valedictory address.

Austin Webb, principal of Iowa Park Junior High, will present the class to Bob Dawson, principal of Iowa Park High School, who will make the presentation of certificates.

Special music will be furnished by the seventh grade choir directed by Mrs. James Fromme. Their selections will include "I Pledge Myself Faithful", a German folk song, and "Freedom" by Burrough.

Mrs. House will be the accompanist. The benediction will be offered by Robin Fox, and the recessional by Mrs. House will be "The Priest March" (Mendessohn).

The class sponsors are J. R. Stogsdill, Sherlyn Compton, Lahna Wood, Paula Bates, Charlene Jiraneck, Walter Lemons and Joan Riddles.

The Promotional Exercises at Valley View Junior High School will be held today at 6:30 p.m. in the Valley View cafeteria.

Mrs. Austin Webb will play the processional and recessional.

Miss Joanna Honeycutt will give the salutatory address and Miss Sherree Gibson will give the valedictory address.

The class, first to graduate there since consolidation, will be presented by James G. Ward, principal, and Faris Nowell, superintendent of the Iowa Park Consolidated Schools, will accept the class and present the certificates.

Special music by the junior high choir directed by Mrs. Webb will include "Fairest Lord Jesus", "Born Free" and "He".

The invocation will be given by Morris Dillard and Larry Tennant will offer the benediction.

Members of the class are David Lloyd Ammons, Randy Carl Catlin, Julie Lenor Davis, Morris Glen Dillard, Kenneth David Duckett, Helen Kay Franks, Beverly Gene Fuller, Sherree Doneice Gibson, Jack Leslie Hodges, Joanna Carol Honeycutt, Mark Alan Jackson, Melvin Ray Joyner Jr., Edward Hayden Kieren Jr., Allen Lee Little, David Earl Lovell, Kathy Ann Loyd, Kelly Grant Maloney, Kerry Lawrence Marston, David Lawton Medley, Arthur David Miranda, Debra Ann Morgan, Jimmy Ray Morgan, Lawrence Raymond Schoppe, Deborah Lee Scifern, Larry Ray Tennant, Johnnie Steven Toler, Lee Anna Tolleson, Tracy Lee Twyford, Terry Michael Walls, and Paul Houston Ward.

Sub campaign to end June 5

Saturday, June 5, will be the last day for the Iowa Park Leader's "Earn a Bike" subscription campaign.

For the past three weeks, youngsters of the area have had the opportunity to sell subscriptions to the Leader, and in return earn a brand new, \$38 dollar bicycle for themselves. Or, as an alternative, they can receive a 25 percent commission for their sales.

The campaign will end June 5, and all youngsters selling must turn them in that afternoon, or by noon the following Monday.

Three have already earned bicycles, while others are well on their way.



A BIG 'UN...Ronnie Boren proudly exhibits a 14-pound yellow catfish he took from Lake Iowa Park last week. He said he thought all the yellow cats had been taken from the lake, as he hadn't heard of any in several years.

Kids' fishing event Saturday

The annual Kids Fishing Rodeo, sponsored by the Northwest Texas Field and Stream Association, will be held from 10:30 a.m. to noon Saturday at Horseshoe Lake, and all youngsters are invited to attend.

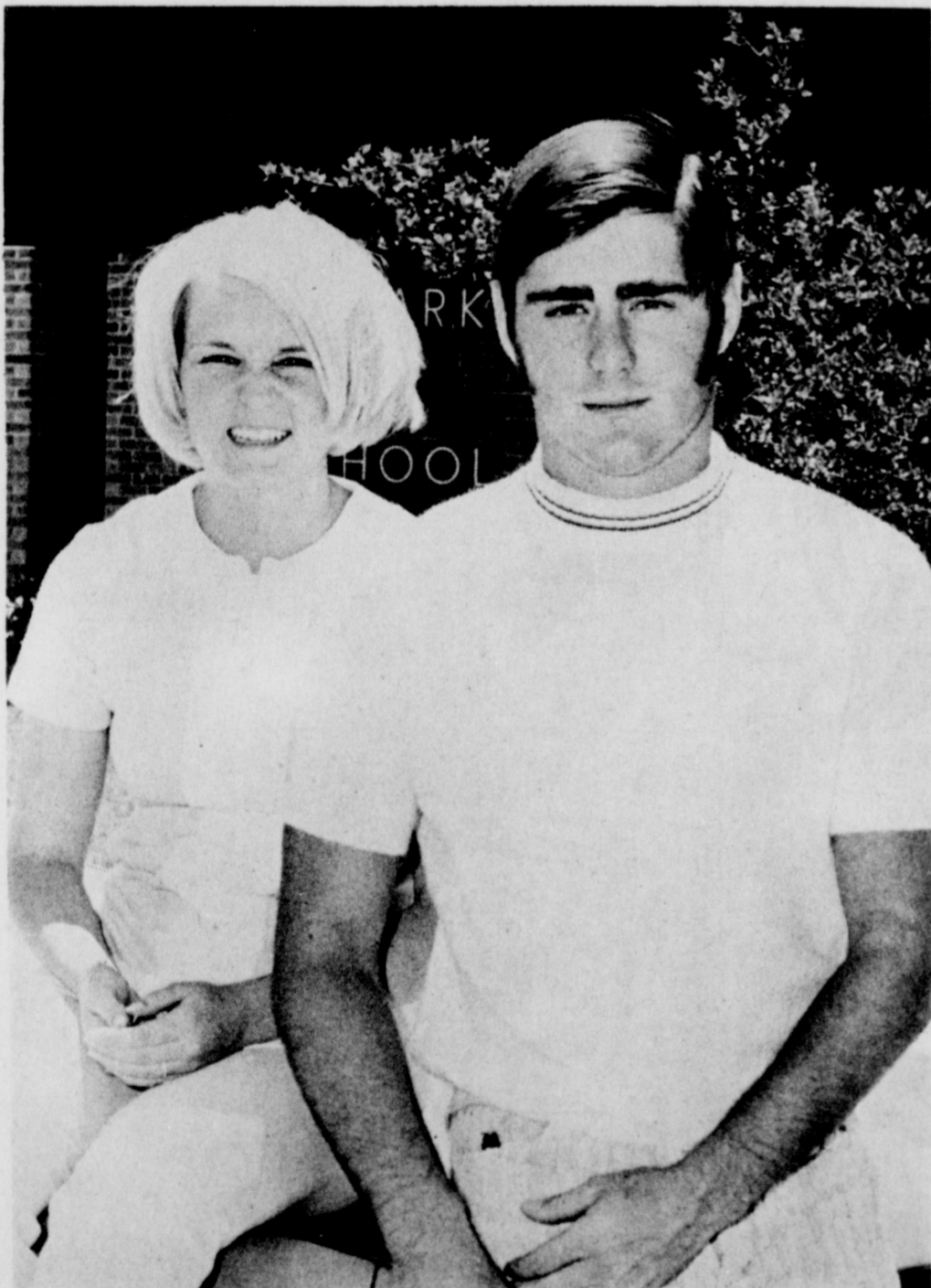
Chairman of the event is John Sibley, a director of the Association and principal of Bradford Elementary School.

Sibley said about 1,000 youngsters turn out for the fishing tournament and noon meal, which costs entrants nothing.

Three age groups are set up for the fishing contest: 1-4, 5-8 and 9-12. Trophies will be awarded to the boy and girl in each division who catches the largest and smallest fish.

All equipment, fishing poles and bait, are furnished by the organization. The children don't have to bring anything. Parents are urged to accompany the younger children, however.

At noon, a giant meal is ready for the youngsters. It consists of hot dogs, cold drinks and ice cream.



CLASS FAVORITES...Kathi Nichols and Greg Ancell were voted by class mates as Class Favorites of the Senior Class.

Lions Clubs slate installation night

Arrangements are being finalized for the annual installation of Lions Clubs officers, to be held June 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the First Christian Church. It will be a ladies night, also.

YOUR BIBLE QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

John L. Maples, minister, Church of Christ, Iowa Park.

QUESTION: L. G. of Iowa Park wants to know if Paul, the apostle, was married?

ANSWER: Many people feel that at one time in his life he was. They so reason because of an assumption, hardly to be proved, that he was a member of the Jewish Sanhedrin, and to be a member of that supreme court one had to be married. However, Paul wrote to the church in Corinth "I say therefore to the unmarried and widows, it is good for them if they abide even as I," (1 Cor. 7:8). So, it appears that Paul was not married, especially at the time of this writing.

If you would like to have a question answered please write to "Bible Questions and Answers," P. O. Box 520, Iowa Park, Texas, 76367.

Farewell party for Mrs. Fountaine

Mrs. Jack Fountaine, who will be leaving Iowa Park with her family to establish residence in Denver, Colo., was honored at a salad supper Monday night by the TOPS Dreamers.

Mrs. O. S. McLemore was program chairman.

A quartet composed of Mmes. A. J. Wood, Jr., De Wayne Williams, Pauline Steele and Joe Baxter sang "Bound to Lose", and Mrs. A. O. Beall read "Herman, the Worm".

The TOPS pledge was given. Those who had lost weight lighted candles signifying melting of fat, and the candles will burn for five minutes each week.

Mrs. Lloyd Lowe received a cash prize for having her name drawn, losing weight and being present. Mrs. George Boles was permitted to choose a gift for having lost the most weight as a TOPS, and Mrs. Pauline Steele was the KOPS nearest her goal and chose a gift. The gifts will be replaced by Mrs. J. C. Helms and Mrs. Joe Baxter.

Also present were Mmes. W. I. Lynn, Margaret Farcas, W. D. Vestal, J. R. Flick, H. Pierce, Edwin Towne, Bob Bush and Grady Henderson.

The meeting next week will be held Tuesday evening instead of Monday which is a holiday.

Local Newcomers

James Thorn-505 S. Wall Philip Carella-1218 S. Wall Jack N. Baba-Route 2 T. A. Clark-1004 Van Horn Wilbur Garrels-514 W. Aldine Marsha Hale-102 Westridge Johnny Hawkins-305 W. Crystal John Leist-309 E. Cash Vida Carroll-107 E. Garden Paul Blackwell-131 Wood Circle

Honor students named at MU

Two Midwestern University students from Iowa Park were named to the Dean's honor roll for the spring semester. They were John Joseph Pearson and Robert David Puder. Requirements for the Dean's honor roll include at least 15 semester hours with no grade below "A". Lucy Annette Black and Linda G. Holloway from Iowa Park and Mildred Spencer Girdley from Holliday were named to the University honor roll which requires a minimum grade point average of 2.5 out of a 3.0 system and no grade lower than "C" out of 15 semester hours.

Mahaffey-Kelly vowsexchanged

Miss Barbara Anne Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Kelly of Iowa Park, became the bride of Charles Randall Mahaffey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Mahaffey of Ranger, Saturday evening in the First Christian Church at Eastland. The Rev. Eugene F. Williams was the officiant.

Church decorations featured two sunburst arrangements of white gladioli flanked by candelabra on either side of greenery-entwined rails leading to the altar where the nuptial vows were exchanged.

Wedding selections were provided by Dural Reid of Eastland, organist, and Bill Bennett of Weatherford, uncle of the groom, soloist. The solos were "One Hand, One Heart" and "The Wedding Prayer" sung after the bride and groom had lighted the kissing candle. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore

a bridal gown of pure white all-over Chantilly lace in a traditional design. The slightly gathered skirt, edged with appliques of Chantilly lace, was accented with tiers of the beautiful lace in the back of the gown rising to the Dior bow.

A mantilla of English sheer illusion framed with the chosen lace extended from a lace headpiece and she carried a cloud bouquet centered with a cymbidium orchid surrounded with white daisies and baby's breath.

Mrs. Rusty Herridge of College Station was matron of honor and Miss Linda Greenwood of Iowa Park was bridesmaid. They were attired in floor-length, full-skirted yellow sarrano gowns. Their white organza bow headpieces were enhanced with short streamers with daisy trim. They carried white springtime baskets of rainbow daisies.

Candlelighters, dressed like

the bridal attendants, were Misses Cathy and Cindy Kelly of Mineral Wells, twin cousins of the bride.

David Mahaffey of Mineral Wells, brother of the groom, served as best man and Danny Stovall of Baird was groomsman. Ushers were Mike and Steve Kelly of Iowa Park, brothers of the bride, Carl Solbrig of Fredericksburg and Jesse Madrigal of Milsap.

The bride's parents were hosts for the reception at the Woman's Club. The refreshment table which was laid with a white nylon cloth was a pretty picture because of its delicate grace and charm. The skirt was accented with nylon scallops and pale yellow ribbons. The centerpiece featured balance scales filled with yellow and white daisies flanked by brass and crystal candle holders.

The tiered wedding cake decorated in pale yellow and white was divided with Grecian pillars and topped with a dove plaque ornament. A handcut crystal punch service completed table appointments.

Reception assistants were Miss Cheryl Mahaffey, sister of the groom, Miss Cara Tidwell, Miss Tyra Towns, Mrs. Sam Miller and Mrs. Alton Hightower.

The bride was graduated from Iowa Park High School and is a student at Tarleton State College. The bridegroom was graduated from Ranger High School, Cisco Junior College and he is also a student at Tarleton State College.

Following a wedding trip to Dallas and Fort Worth, the couple will live at Stephenville. The bride's traveling costume was a pale blue polyester pants suit with which she wore white accessories and an orchid corsage.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner Friday evening in the annex of the First Christian Church at Eastland.



MRS. CHARLES RANDALL MAHAFFEY

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Mike Skinner is graduated

Lloyd Micheal Skinner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Skinner, was graduated from Austin College at Sherman with a B.A. degree May 16. The Baccalaureate and Commencement Services of the 121st year were held in Wynne Chapel.

played in the stage band for four years. He is a member of the Church of God.

The Baccalaureate Sermon was delivered by the Rev. Sam M. Junkin, president of Schreiner Institute, and the Commencement Address was given by Dr. Jack K. Williams, president of Texas A&M University.



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Teels honor two seniors

A "come as you are" breakfast was given Saturday morning in honor of Miss Lana Jacks and Miss Glenda Miller, graduating seniors at Iowa Park High School, by Mrs. L. W. Teel Jr. and Miss Susan Teel.

The young friends of the honorees were gathered up early that morning and taken to the Teel home for the meal and fellowship.

A green and white graduation theme was carried out in table decorations and the favors were personal notebooks.

The honorees were given "pill bottles" with directions to take as needed for the "blahs and happiness" and girl graduate arrangements.

Mrs. Donald Hill, aunt of Miss Jacks, was a special guest. Other members of the high school set enjoying the affair were Misses Cindy Hill, Patty Hallford, Nancy Miller, Nancy Huckaby, Jo Ann Garrels, Cathy Irby, Linda Owens, Judy Spruiell, Glenda Spruiell, Mona Sasser, Debbie Smith and Sylvia Sibley.

ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. Ralph Stone has returned from a two weeks visit at FORT Worth with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Sanders and other relatives.

Mrs. Fred Parkey underwent surgery at Bethania Hospital Tuesday morning.

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Her concoctions of richly tender vari-shaped cakes crowned with luscious icing in attractive colors and designs, and accessories which intensify interest, are making special occasions more festive for many people in the area. They are definitely categorized as "cakes that make one famous".

Mrs. York is very modest and unassuming about her unusually excellent talent and some of the Leader personnel considered themselves fortunate indeed to have the opportunity last week of seeing five of her fantastic creations at one time.

A cake that she was especially proud of because she anticipated the happiness that it would generate in the lives of others less fortunate was the one that she had baked for two residents of the Wichita County Farm in commemoration of their birthdays.

The Confraternity Christian Doctrine class at Sheppard AFB takes cakes to the farm once each month for a project, and for several months, Mrs. York has been the one to bake the cakes.

The delicacy for May was a long sheet cake decorated in shades of brown, red, green and blue, colors apropos for men. Edible decorations on top of the light brown-frosted cake afforded a glimpse of the phenomena of Nature through the colors and minute details of two magnificent pheasants,

twigs, grasses, butterflies and wildflowers.

The confection was prepared especially for Manuel Gonzales and Reigar Walker and their names were written in blue letters beneath the birds. Swirls of dark brown frosting around the top and at the base of the cake enhanced its appearance.

The birthdays of at least three more people have been made more festive within recent days because of Mrs. York's cakes. One, which was baked for an elderly woman, was a white heart-shaped dainty topped with a spray of pink roses and violets frosting. Frills of the white icing outlined the confection to complete the beautiful picture.

The other two birthday cakes were baked for young ladies. One was pale blue oval-shaped embellished with frosting of

white roses and pink scallops and artificial lilies of the valley. It was borne on a white lacy cart to lend "an elegant air".

A doll cake must have delighted the heart of the honoree and friends who came to help celebrate her birthday. Mrs. York explained how she achieved the pleasing effects in the novelty. She baked the cake in a Bundt pan, inverted it, placed a piece of cardboard in the center to hold the doll. Then she used two shades of orchid icing in startip design to form the bouffant dress of the doll. The design was repeated in the matching hat.

The fifth lovely delicacy was baked for a party honoring a 1971 graduate of Iowa Park High School. A religious motif was combined with a graduation theme in decorations. Observ-

ing a pink and white scheme, the white Bible-shaped cake was ornamented with pink frosting molded into a graduate silhouette wearing a mortar board, and a pink satin ribbon book mark separated the carefully defined sections. The finishing touches were observed in the outline of pink roses.

Sgt. and Mrs. York are the parents of six children. She first ventured on the journey of cake baking and decorating when she decided to learn some of the techniques so that she could make her children's birthdays gala affairs. One of her daughters is an artist and draws many of the designs for her mother to use for decorations.

Sgt. York is stationed at Sheppard AFB.



CAKE ARTISTRY-The beautifully-decorated cakes pictured bespeak the talent and ingenuity of Mrs. Daniel York in the Cake Decorating Art. She holds one that features magnificent pheasants and a Nature setting in minute details and colors.



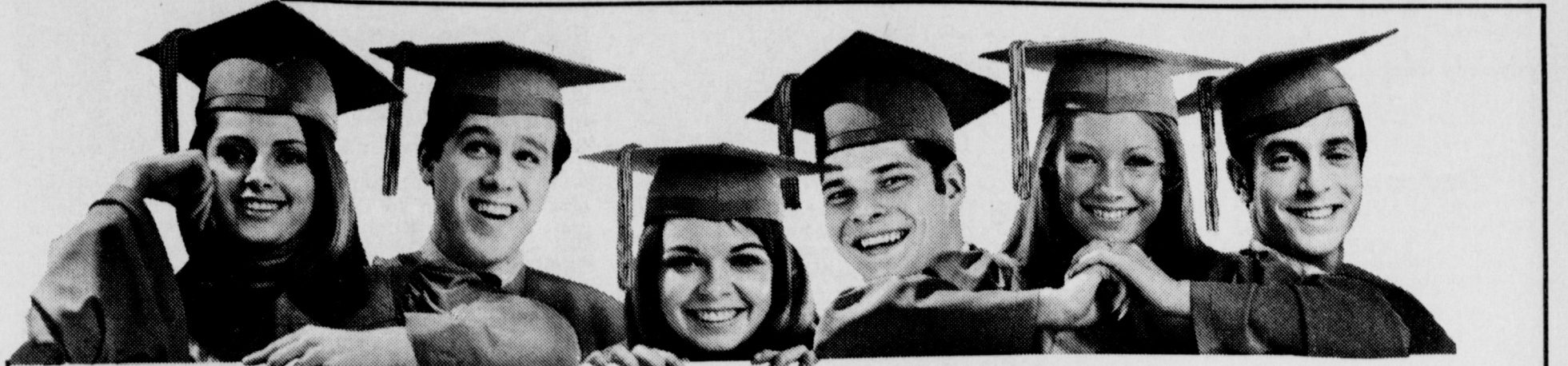
OFF TO STATE--Billy Sargent, left, and Terry Ratcliff will be representing Wichita County June 2-4 at the State 4-H Demonstration contests, to be held on the campus of Texas A&M. First place winners both in the county and district with their demonstration on Vegetable Mulching, the two are members of the Iowa Park Community 4-H Club.

Father, son fill pulpit

"The Comfort of the Holy Spirit" will be the title given to the lesson by John L. Maples at the Church of Christ Sunday morning. In his absence Sunday evening, his son, John L. II, will speak on "A Man in the Audience".

During the evening hour, Maples will be speaking at the Paradise St. Church in Vernon regarding his forthcoming trip to the Holy Land. He will accompany George Bailey and 20 other workers to Nazareth for a Campaign for Christ. The title of his message at the Vernon church will be "A Sense of Urgency".

The groundwork has been laid for the Vacation Bible School at the Iowa Park Church of Christ this year. The school will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. June 7-11. John Maples will be the director, and Richard Pectol, minister of the church at Tenth and Broad Streets in Wichita Falls, will teach the adult class.



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FOUR LOCAL BOYS

In business on their own

The 1971 season of harvesting grain is especially important to four Iowa Park High School students because they are moving over fields harvesting and threshing grain in their own combine, and if it were in the million-dollar machinery class they could not be prouder of it. It is of great consequence to them because it represents a whole year's work.

In the summer of 1970, Mrs. B. T. Grussendorf who lives in Wichita Valley Farms, told three of her grandsons, Bobby Pearson, Michael and Steven Duty, and Larry Clapp that they could have an old Massey-Harris combine of the late Mr. Grussendorf's if they wanted to tinker with it. The only stipulation attached to the giving of it was that if they were able to ever put it in running order again that they would harvest the grain on her land for two seasons.

When the four boys surveyed the combine it looked like nothing more than a heap of scrap metal. They visualized possibilities in it, however, and actuated by the desire to earn some extra shekels, they decided to make an effort to restore the machine. They had become rather discouraged when they applied for work to hear so frequently "sorry, no openings right now", so they were willing to make a stab at creating their own job opportunities.

The four boys put their shoulders to the wheel and started to work in earnest last summer, continuing through the fall and winter and the spring of 1971 every chance they had. Imagine their delight when they restored the combine to running again, and how they must have been beside themselves with joy and pride when they got their first field of grain to

harvest. That feeling is being intensified now that they are combining the second field and have promises of several more.

The completed project attests to the stickability of the boys and their strong conviction that there is no merit in failing to complete a worthwhile task once it is started. They faced many problems and discouragements due to their limited mechanical knowledge and finances and inability to buy new parts for the outmoded machine. But they alleviated many of their obstacles by making their own parts which was good experience.

The boys took the motor out, rebuilt the engine, built the front spool, replaced the wooden bearings and belts, and did the proverbial "thousand and one things" to get the combine in running condition again. If they had not dreamed and had visions, perhaps they might have become faint-hearted and given up many times, but their dream has now become a reality and for a few weeks at least they will literally be earning a living by "the sweat of their brows".

The young men are very modest and humble about their accomplishment. They agree that they could not have done what they have done without the help, cooperation and expert advice of their understanding parents and grandparents. They are indebted to Wayne Lehman, who took time out from his own harvesting to show them the tricks of the trade and how to adjust the machine.

Since none of the boys are old enough to have a commercial license they are using pickups with sideboards to haul the grain to the barns and silos. Incidentally, they are also too young to hire out as a part of a harvest crew. They are grateful to A. B. Stermer and Bing Miller whose grain they have harvested for giving them an opportunity to work.

Looking ahead to other seasons, the boys are planning to build up and perhaps buy better machinery in the future. Since they live here they feel that they can cut the grain cheaper and save the farmers money.



HAVE COMBINE, WILL HARVEST—Four young enterprising Iowa Park students are ready to work in the harvesting business. They include: Billy Pearson on the header; Stephen Duty on the seat; Michael Duty on the bin, and Larry Clapp standing.



FIFTY YEARS—Mrs. Emma Gauntt holds the certificate for 50 years membership in the Order of Eastern Star which was presented to her Tuesday night by Larry Latimer, worthy patron of chapter #42. She also received a 50 year pin from the local chapter and a 50 year membership from the Grand Chapter.

Mrs. Gauntt recognized for 50 years membership

Mrs. Emma Gauntt was honored Tuesday night for 50 years membership in the order of Eastern Star Lodge at a meeting of the Iowa Park Chapter No. 42.

Mrs. Larry Latimer, worthy matron, was in charge of the recognition service. She was assisted by Mmes. Bill Carnes, Carl Davis, Jerry Whitaker, Melvin Beavers, Faye Gibbs, Star Points; James Whitaker, conductress; H. I. Tatam, chaplain; and Walter White, musician.

Mrs. Elmo Traylor, sister of Mrs. Gauntt, presented her with a beautiful orchid from her and Mr. Traylor.

Mrs. Bobbie Little, Deputy for District 2, Section 6, presented her with a 50 year certificate from the Grand Chapter of Texas O.E.S.

Larry Latimer, worthy pa-

tron, gave Mrs. Gauntt the 50 year pin and certificate from the local chapter.

Special guests of the honoree were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Denny, her daughter, Miss Jane Gauntt, Mrs. O. E. Lochridge and Mrs. L. C. Hill from Iowa Park, Mrs. H. D. Mabry from Burkburnett; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Scales, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Largent and Mrs. Attie Martin, all of Chico.

Eleven chapters were represented from Wichita Falls, Chico, Burkburnett, Holliday, Electra, Tampa, Fla., Butler, Ala. and Iowa Park.

Following the regular meeting and presentation ceremony, a social hour was enjoyed. A beautiful cake, baked and decorated for the occasion was cut and served with other refreshments.

A princess to visit here

Princess Catherine Caradja, formerly of Rumania, will arrive in Iowa Park today.

She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris and Mrs. M. J. McDonald. She will be the speaker at the United Methodist Church Sunday morning between 9:30 and 10:30 and the public is invited to hear her speak. The meeting will take place in the Fellowship Hall.

After escaping from behind the Iron Curtain, the princess made her way to the United States and she travels extensively speaking for Freedom.

If any organization would like to have her for a speaker during her stay here, she can be reached through the Harrises or Mrs. McDonald.

Cook of the Week



Mrs. L. Shelton

The consensus of all who have eaten her cooking is that Mae (Mrs. L.) Shelton is an excellent cook. If she were asked to explain why she would probably say "practice makes perfect".

The wife of an Air Force Sgt. (Ret.), mother of six and grandmother of 12, she has had plenty of experience not only cooking at home but also for many school and church functions.

Mrs. Shelton likes to prepare different and unusual dishes as well as ordinary dishes. She submitted the following recipes

because they are enjoyed so immensely by her family and friends:

- Eggplant Parmigiana
- 2 medium eggplant, peeled and sliced
- Cooking oil
- Milk
- 1 egg, beaten, milk added
- Progresso bread crumbs
- Salt and pepper
- 1 jar (qt.) Marinara Spaghetti Sauce
- 1 block Mozzarella Cheese, sliced thin
- Dip eggplant slices in milk, egg and bread crumbs; fry and set aside. Alternate layers of eggplant, Marinara sauce and cheese slices in baking dish. Repeat until eggplant is used up. Bake in moderate oven until cheese is melted. Yield: 5 to 6 servings.

Parents fete daughter

Miss Patricia Simmons, an Iowa Park Junior High School graduate, was honored Friday night at a party given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Hull.

The informal "come as you are" party was highlighted by a water balloon fight, and plenty of delicious refreshments.

The guests were Teri Brock, Terry Crozier, Sue Elzey, Marsha Holman, Kelly, Ember, Kevin, Denny and Cactus Jack Hull, James Dale O'Daniel, Janis Sidener, Mike Blalock, Kim Holt, Norma Holder, Diane Parker, Ruth Holmgren, Ron Taylor, Lanetha Smith, Gary Rowland and Mrs. Ed Holder.

After graduation, the honoree will leave for Miami, Fla. for a several weeks visit.

This is good served with English Muffins Pizza (recipe below).

Pull English muffins gently apart and toast lightly. Add tomato sauce. Top with Mozzarella cheese. Season with salt, oregano and Parmesan grated cheese. Broil from 3 to 5 minutes or until cheese melts. Serve bubbling hot.

Mrs. Shelton is president of the Women of the First Presbyterian Church and a ruling elder of the church.

The Shelton's children are Sammy of Fort Worth; Jimmy of San Antonio; Mrs. Joe Tavano of Shrub Oak, N.Y.; Mrs. Robert Koch of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Steve Heather of Wiesbaden, Ger.; and Bill of Wichita Falls.

Junior horse show slated

The Texas Junior Paint Horse Club will hold its first all-youth show Sunday at 10 a.m. in the Silver Spur Arena at Keller.

Joe Howard Williamson of Iowa Park was elected president of the organization when it was formed only a few months ago.

The show, which will feature classes for Paints, as well as other breeds of registered horses, will be held the day after the Texas Spectacular show at the Rex Cuable Arena in Denton.

A full slate of halter and performance classes will be offered for Paint horses, as well as open classes for Paints and other registered horses.

The club is encouraging all youth to enter, with a special invitation extended to those youth who live in states neighboring Texas.

A saddle will be awarded the high point winner, and trophies to the top placings in each class.

Additional information can be obtained about the show by contacting Williamson.

Goforth family to sing Saturday

The Singing Goforth Family will present a gospel concert at the Church of God Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

Members of the group are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goforth and their son, Stevie, and their nieces, Patti Brown and Brenda Fox.

The singers are returning from Cleveland, Tenn. where Leon, Patti and Brenda have been attending Lee College. Stevie has been a high school student there. They will return to Cleveland for the fall session.

Youth Day will be observed at the Church of God Sunday. Jimmy Skinner will be the pastor for the day. Miss Janet Fox will serve as secretary, and Johnny Lee Jr. will be the superintendent of the Sunday School. Talks by different young people will be part of both services.

YOUTH DAY
Iowa Park Church of God
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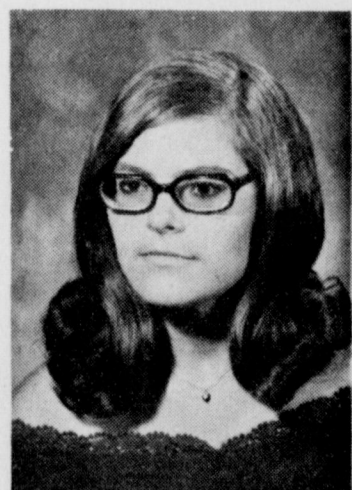
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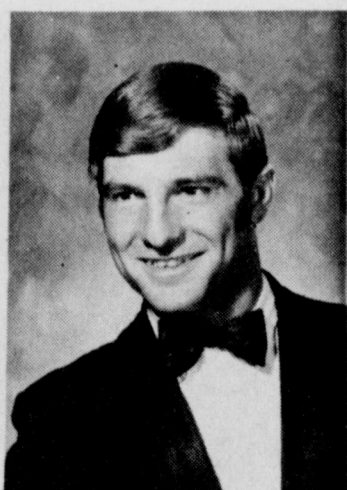
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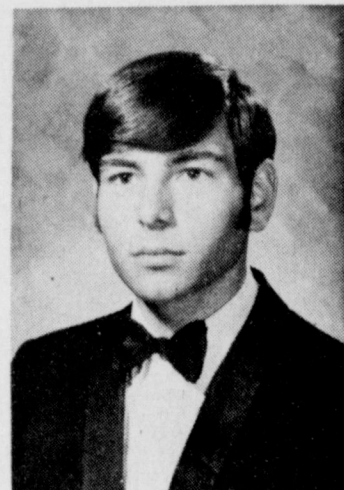


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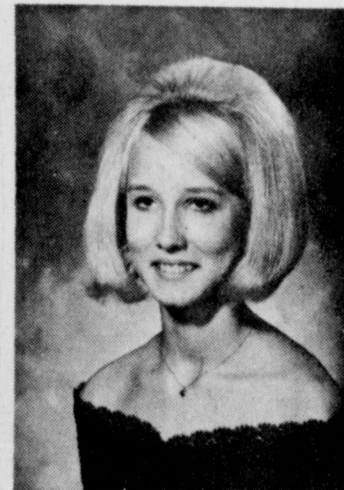
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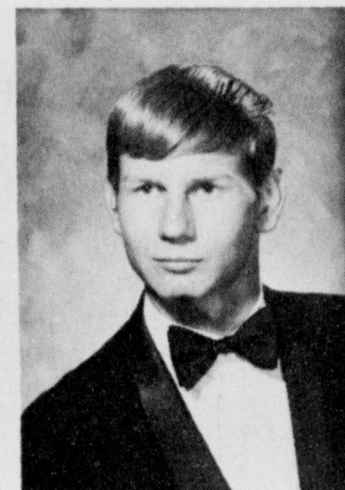
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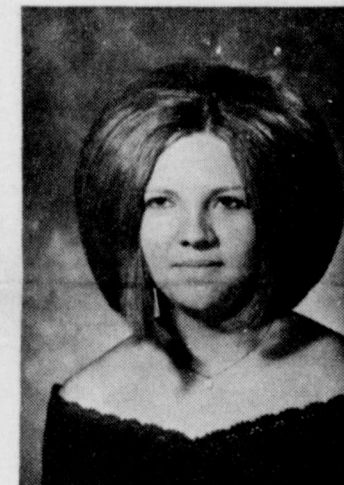
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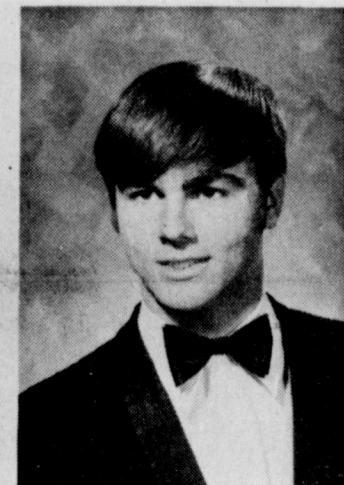
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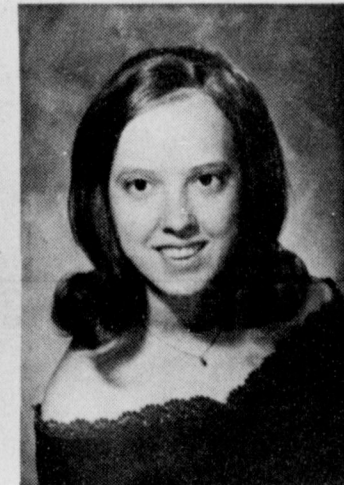
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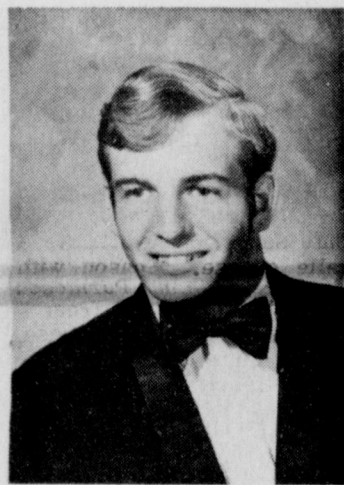
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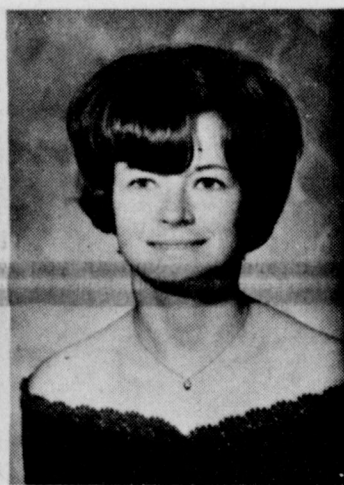
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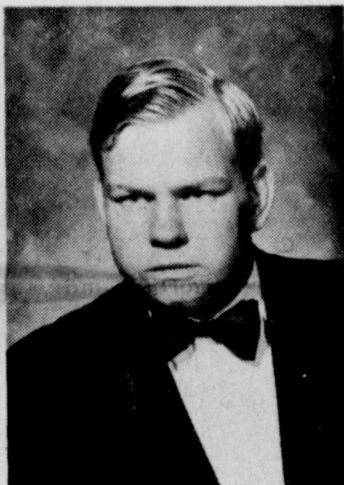
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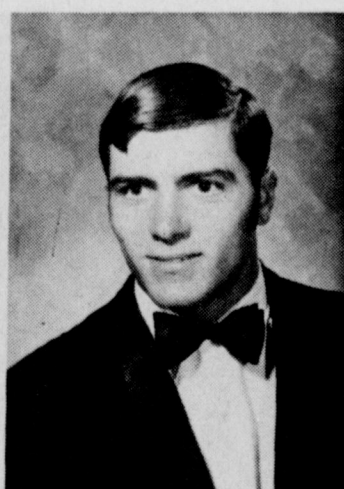
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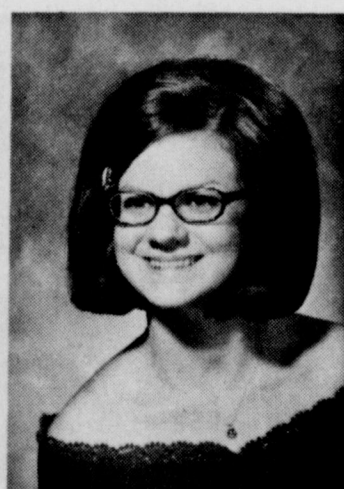
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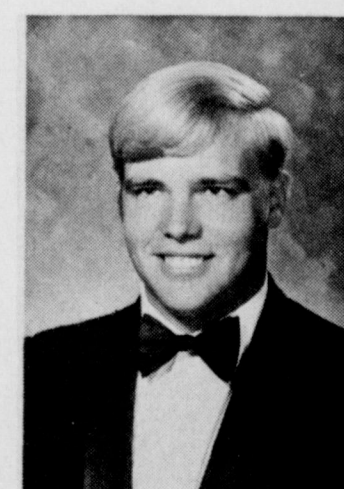
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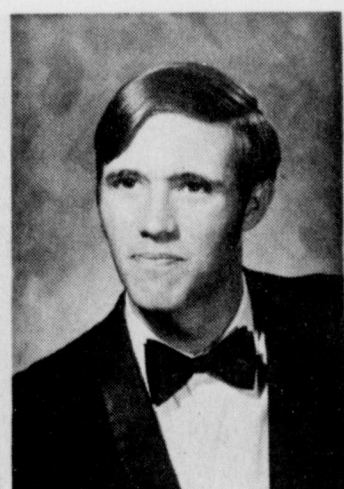
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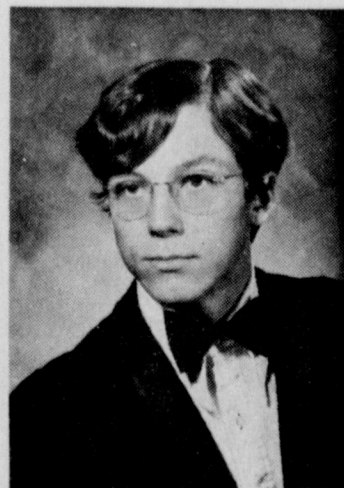
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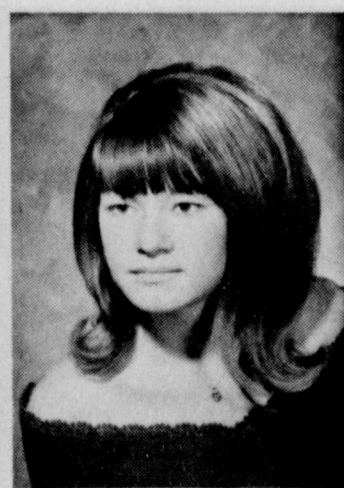
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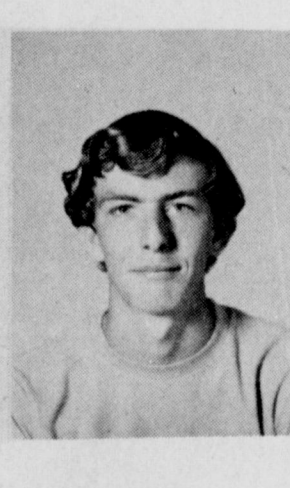
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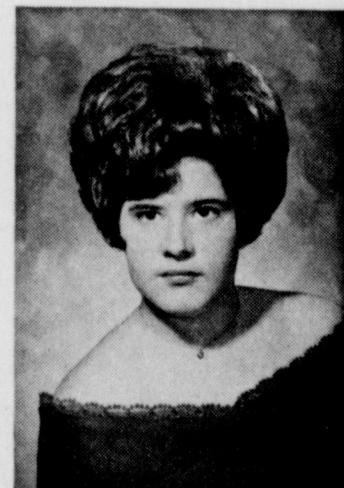
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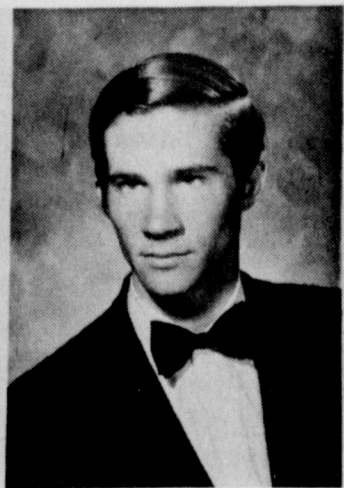
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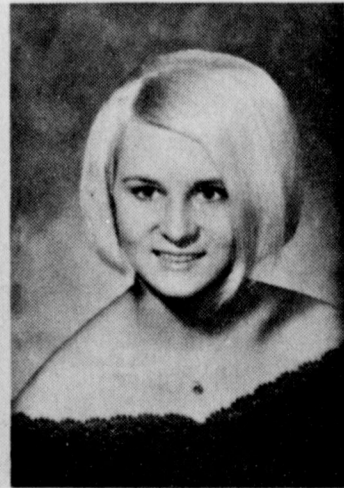
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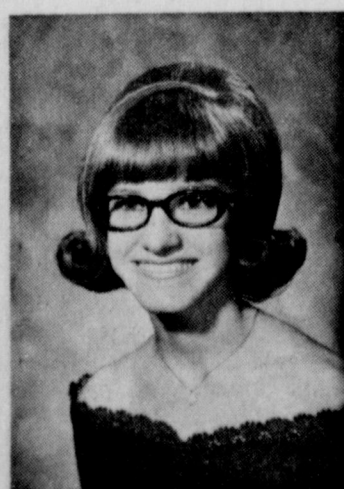
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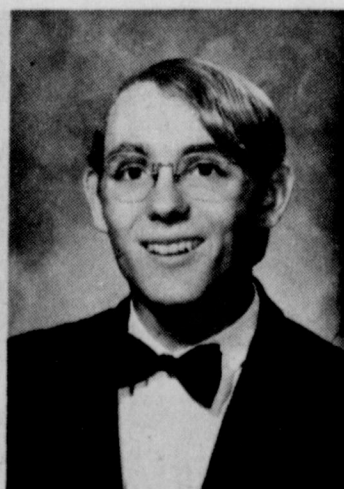
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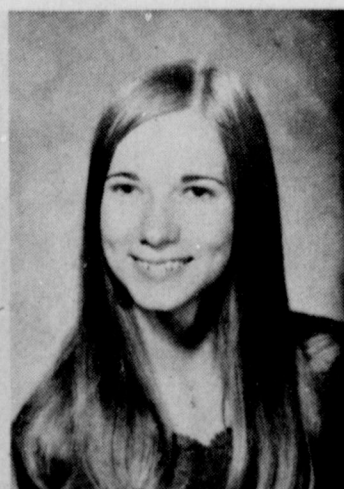
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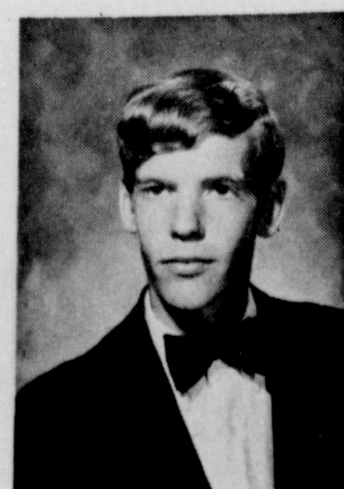
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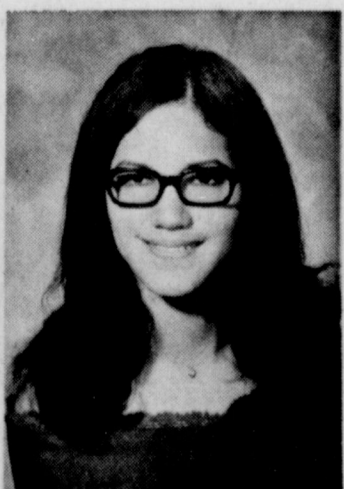
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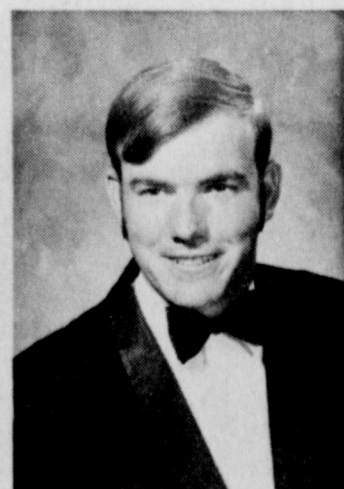
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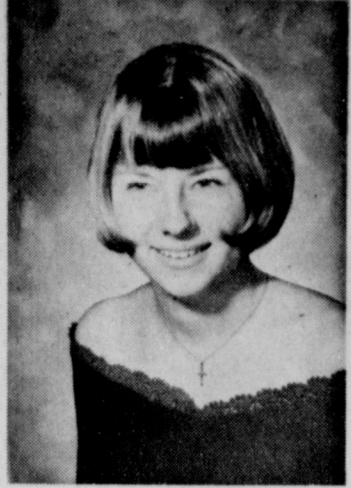
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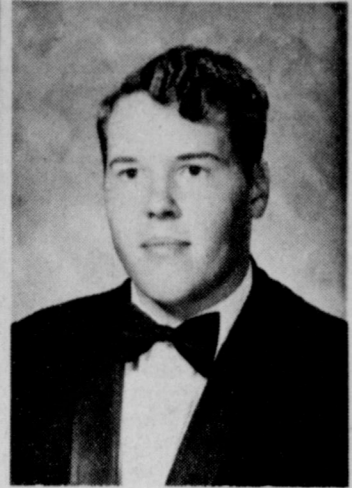
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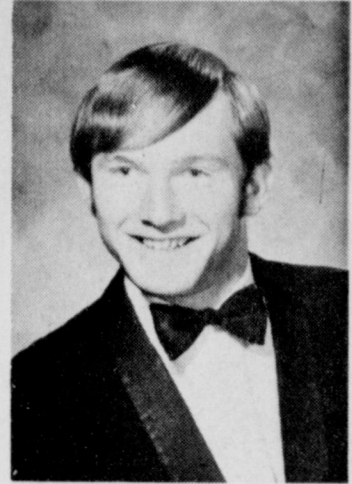
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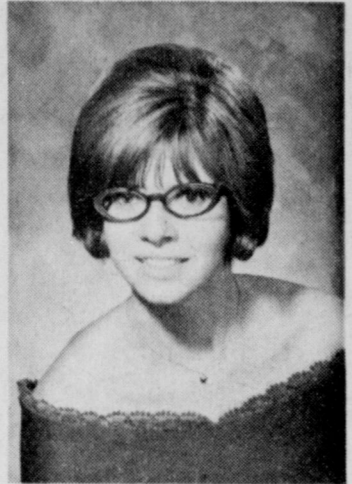
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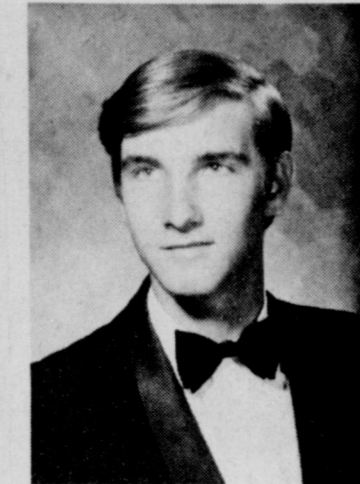
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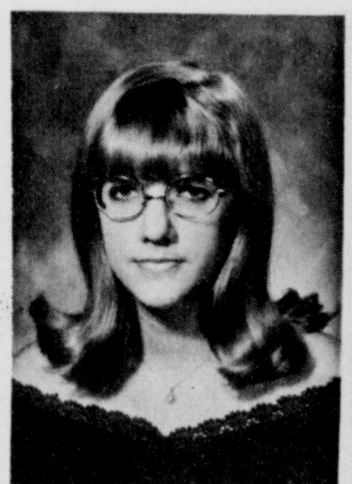
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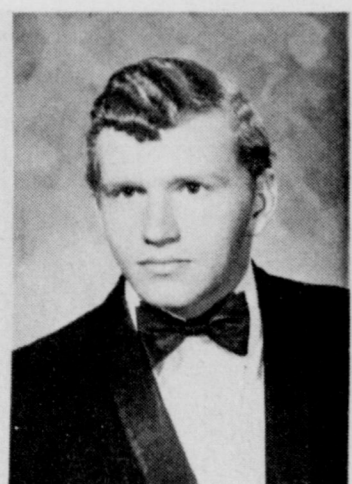
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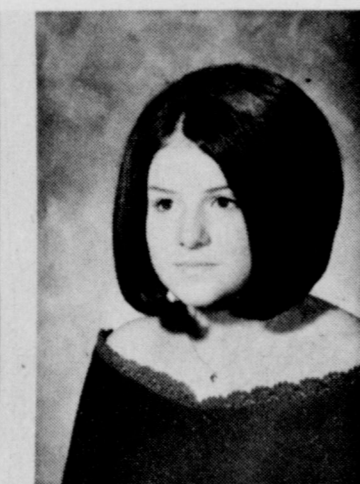
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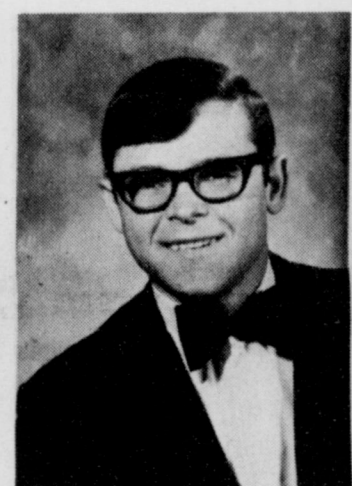
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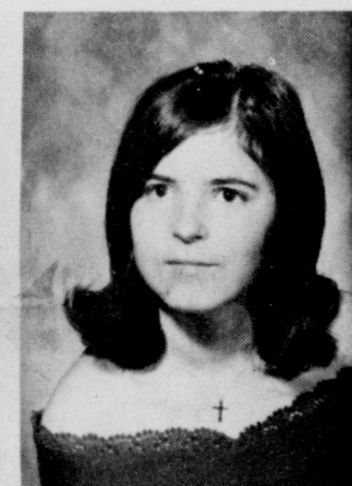
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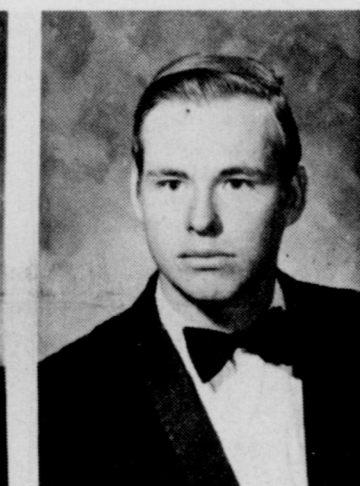
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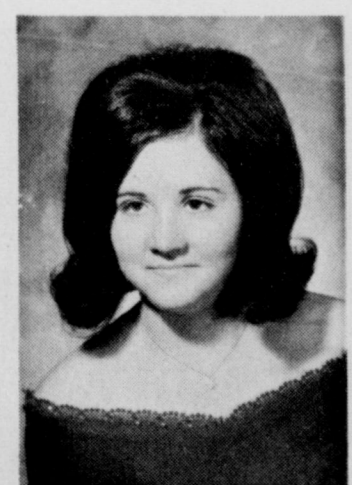
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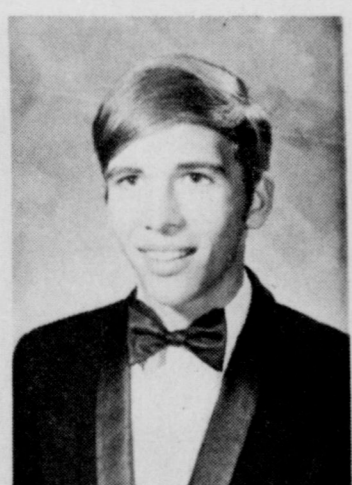
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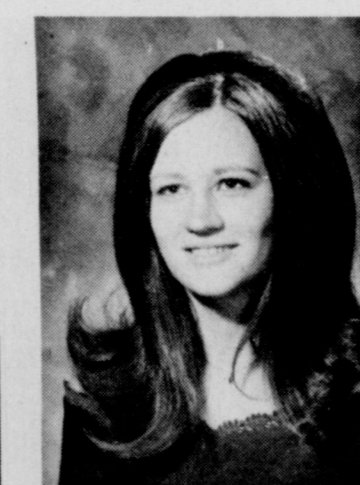
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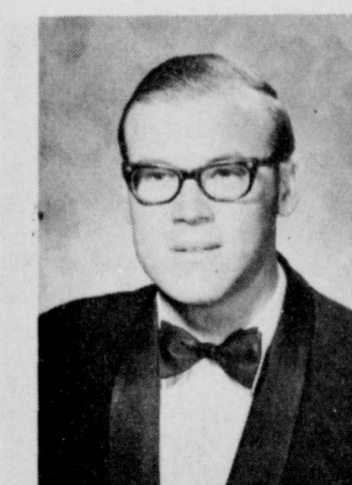
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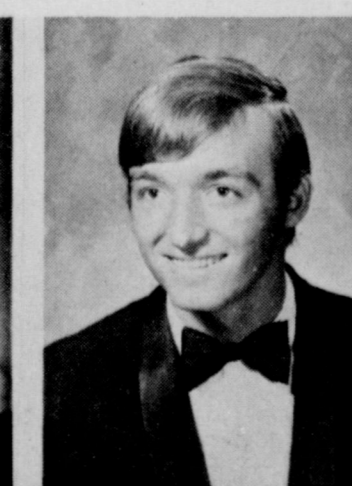
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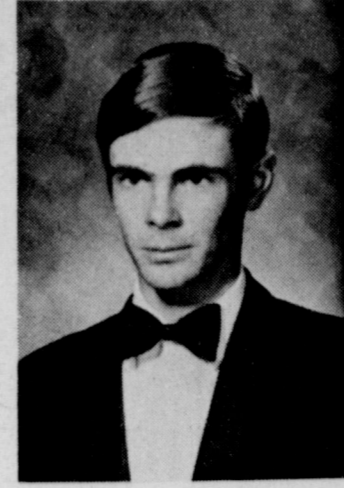
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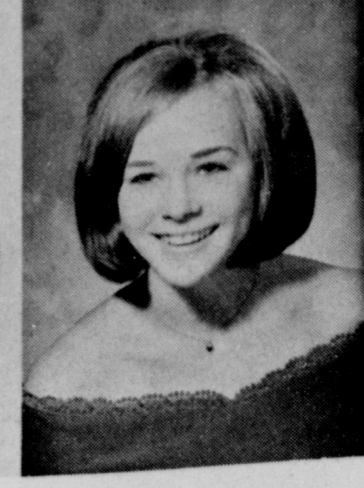
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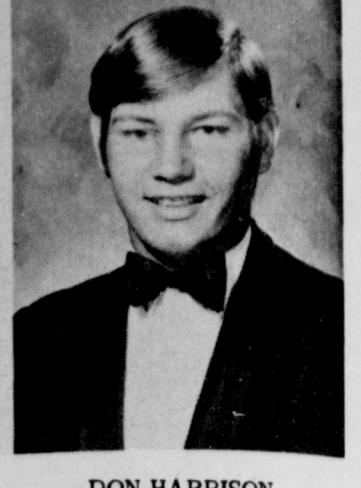
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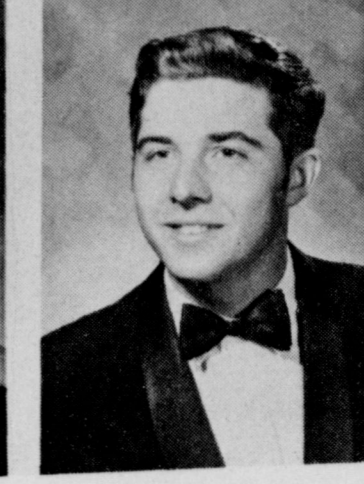
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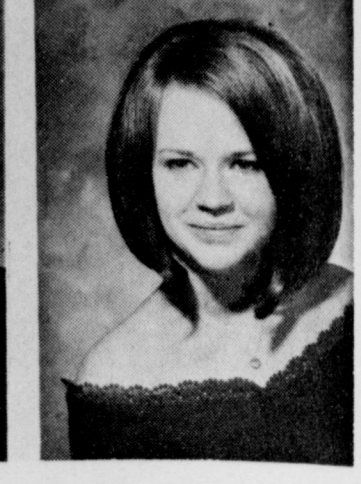
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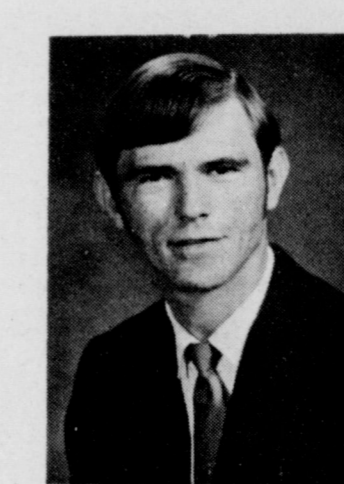
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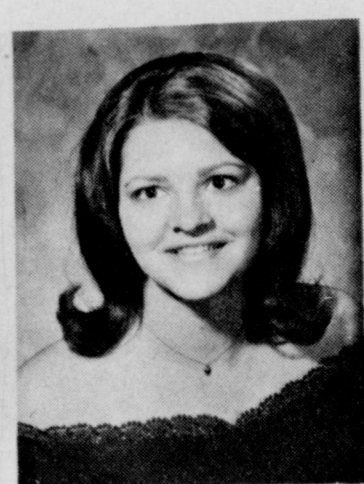
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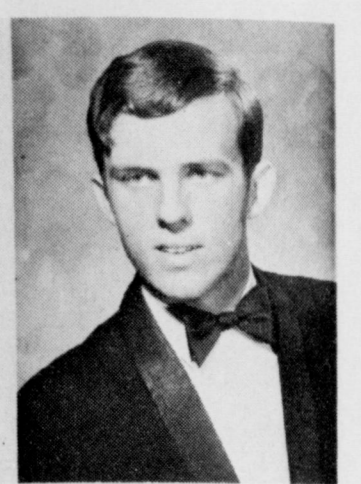
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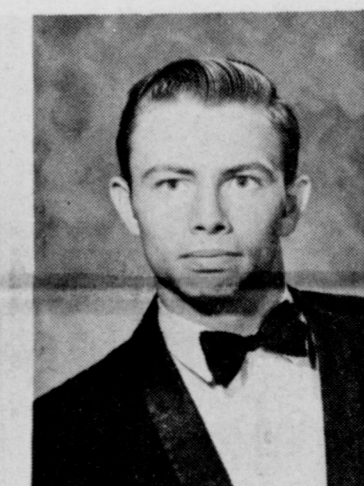
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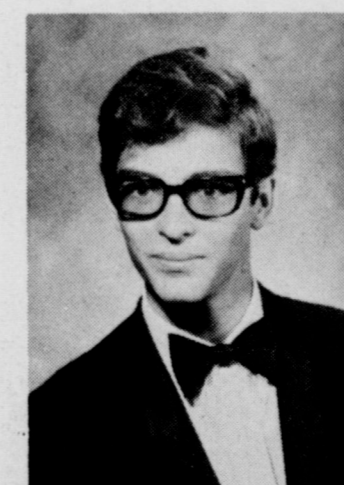
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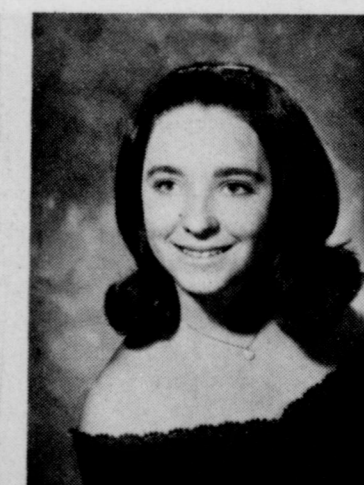
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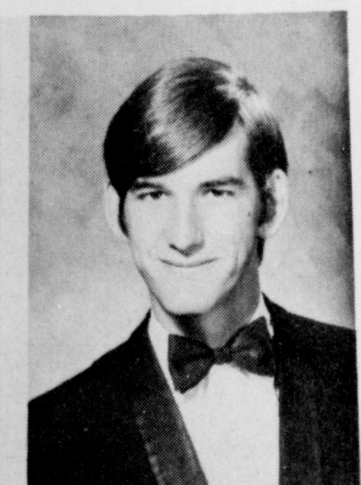
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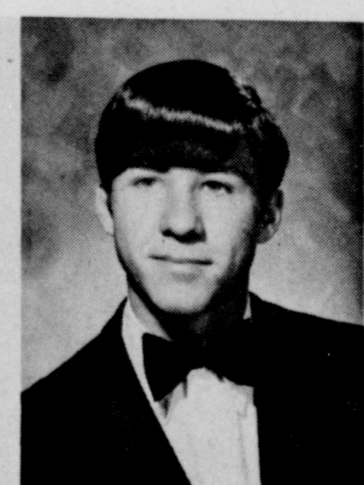
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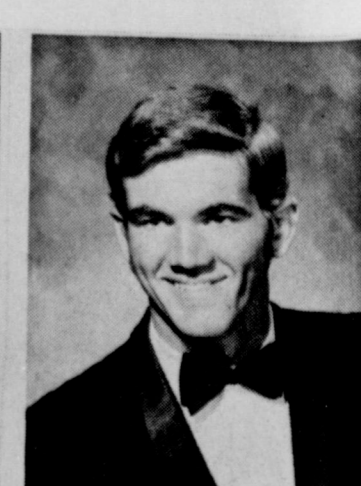
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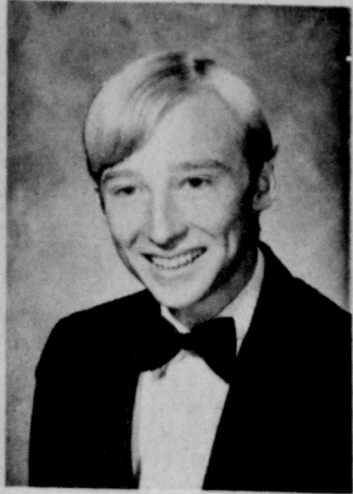
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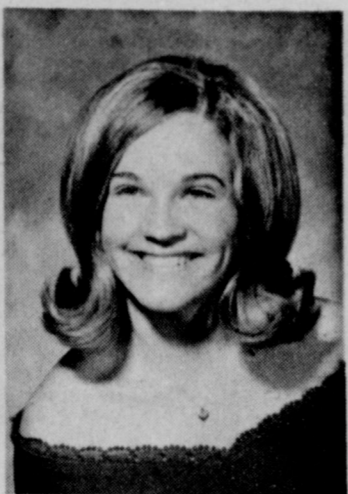
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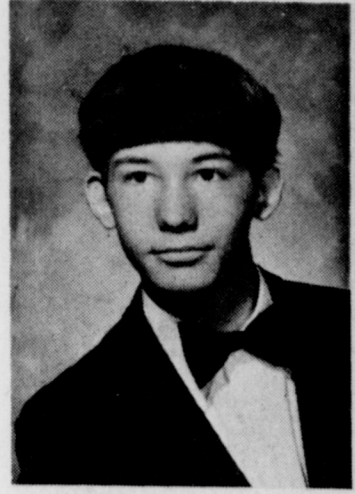
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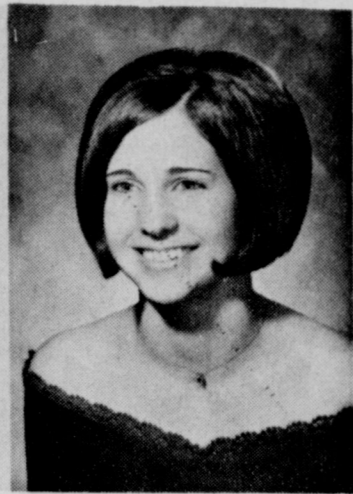
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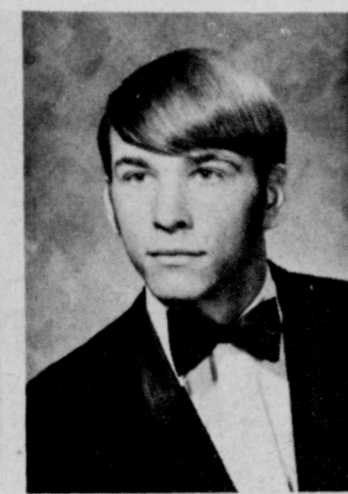
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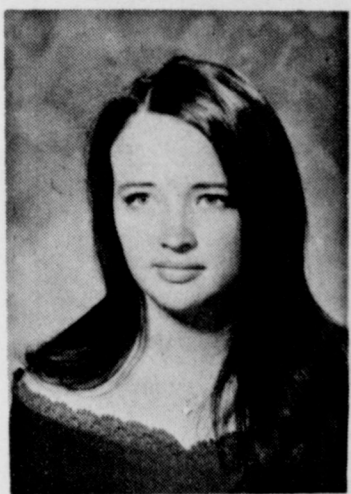
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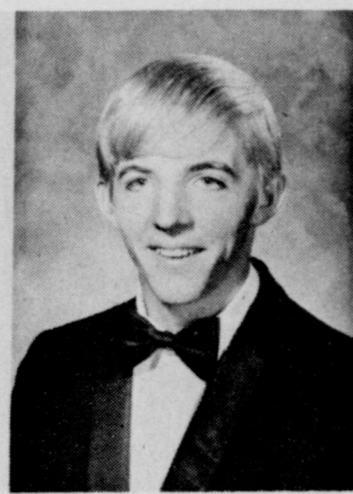
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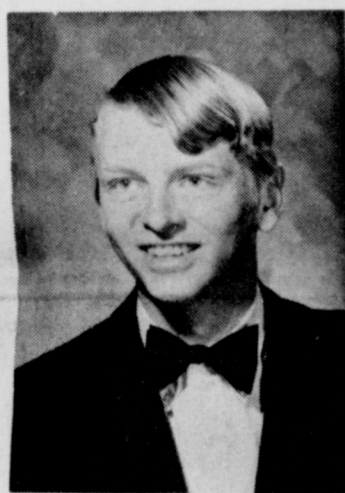
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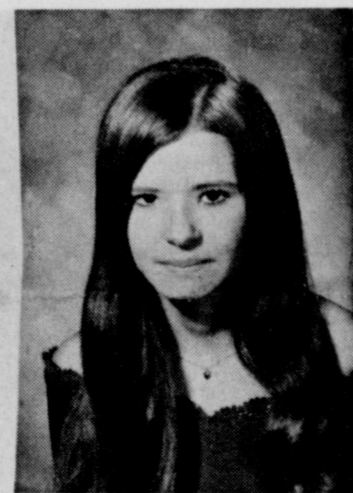
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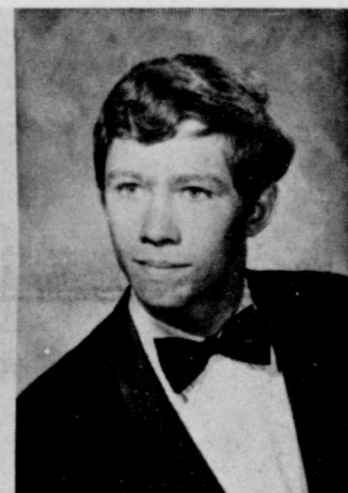
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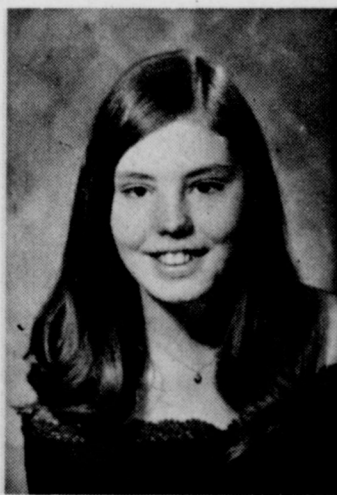
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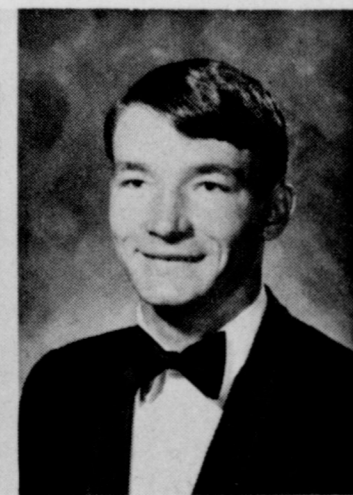
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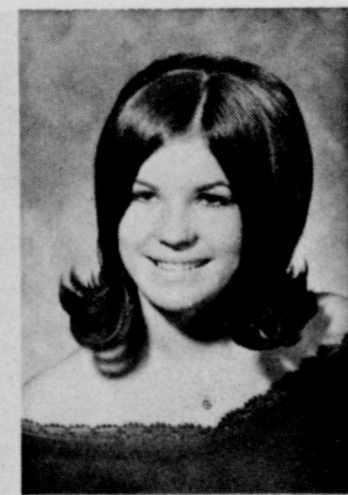
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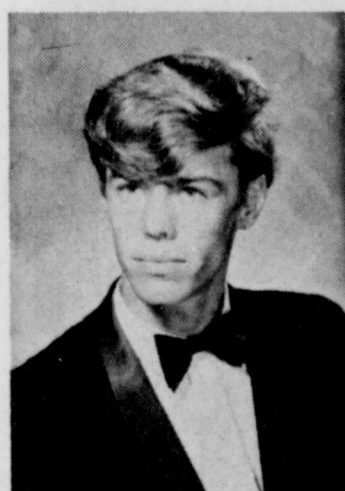
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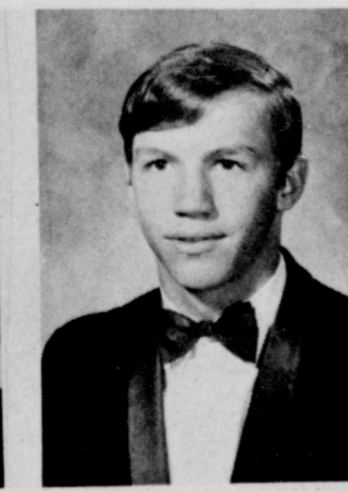
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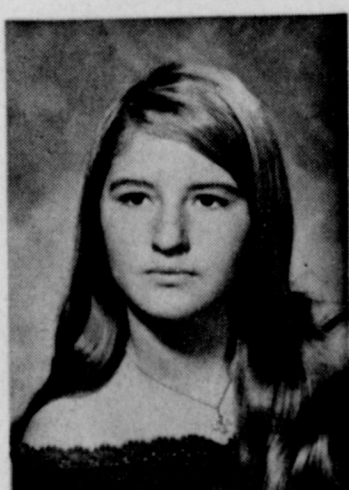
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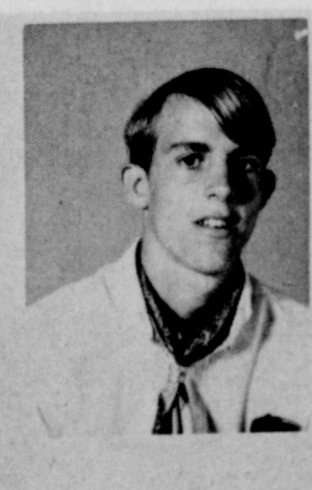
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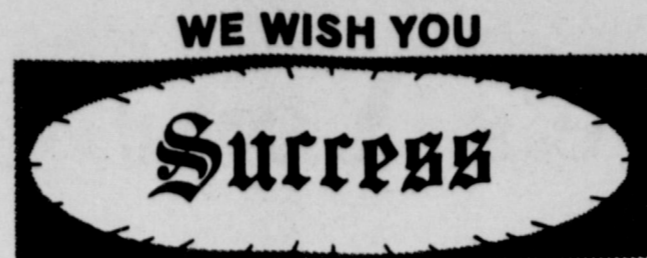
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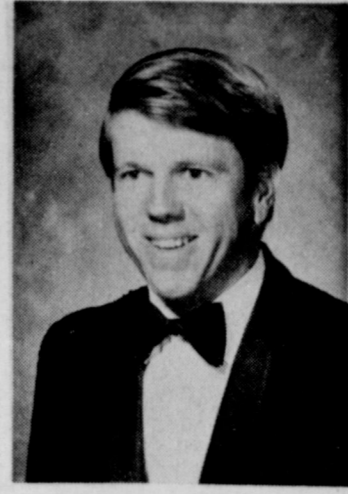
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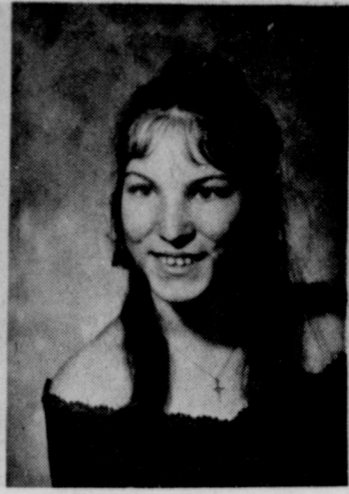
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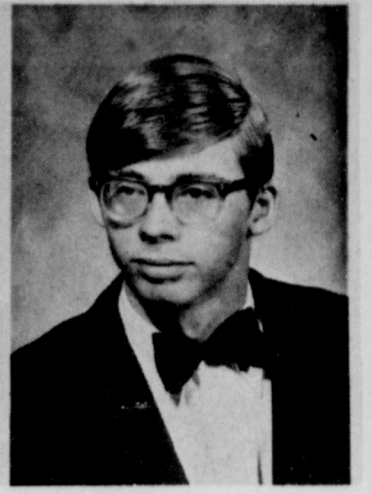
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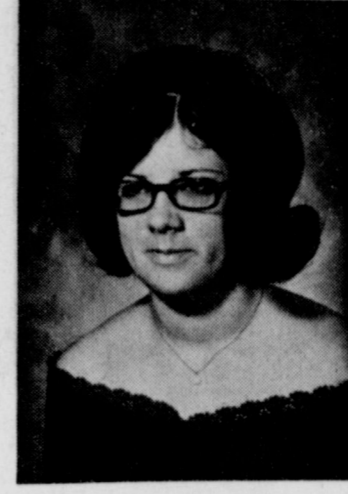
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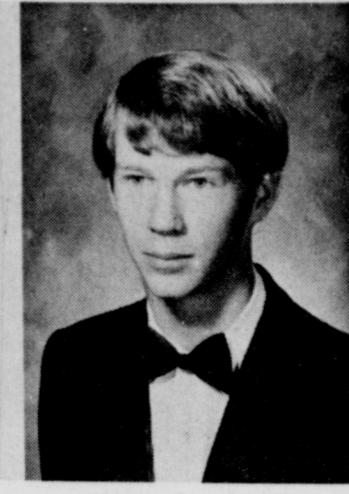
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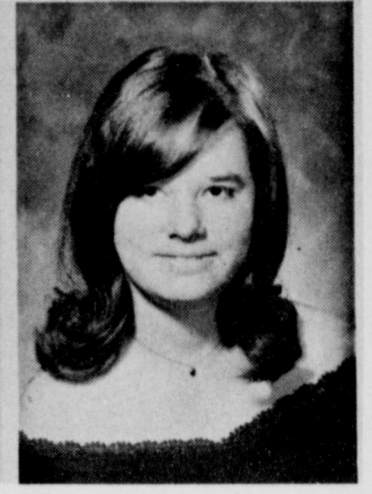
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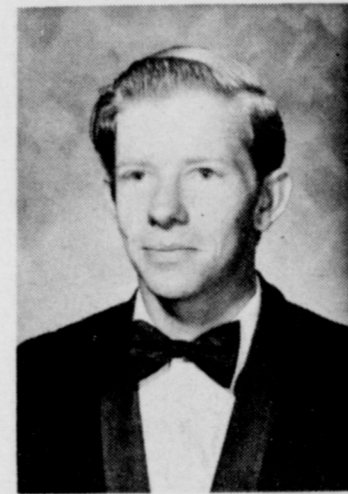
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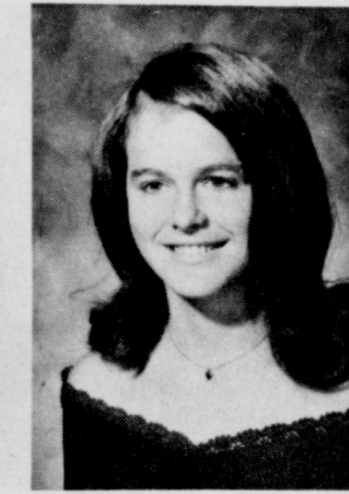
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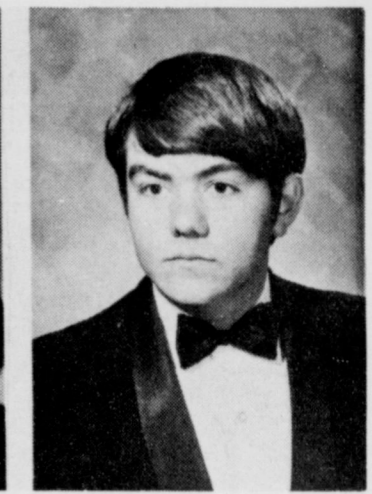
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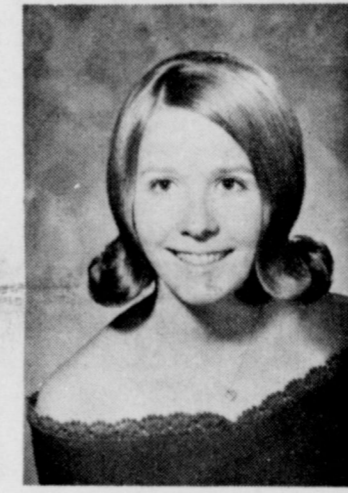
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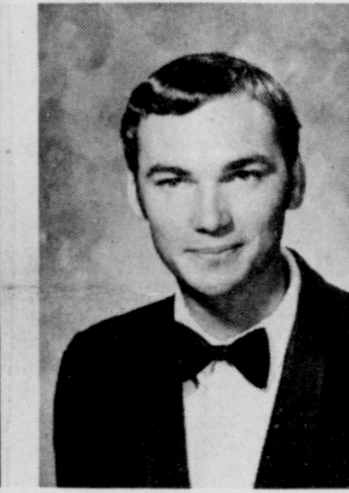
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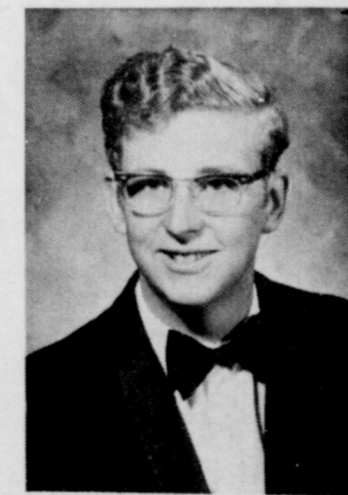
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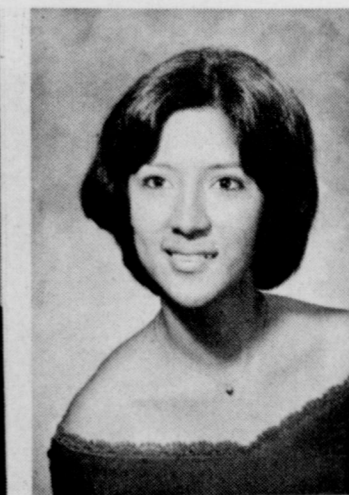
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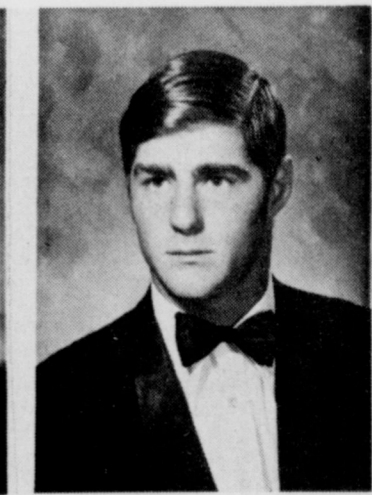
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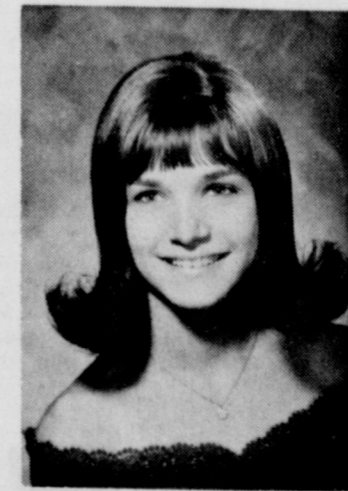
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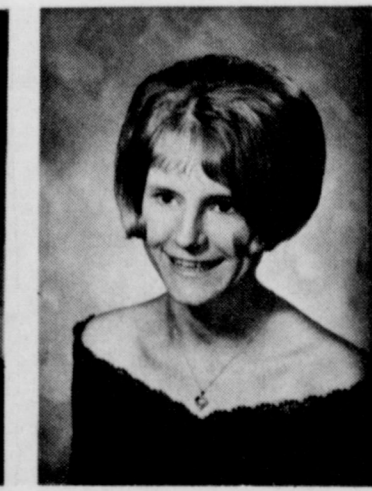
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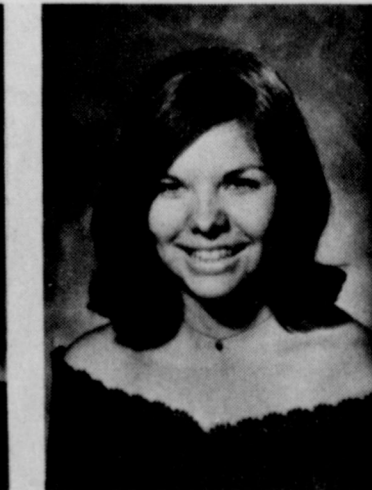
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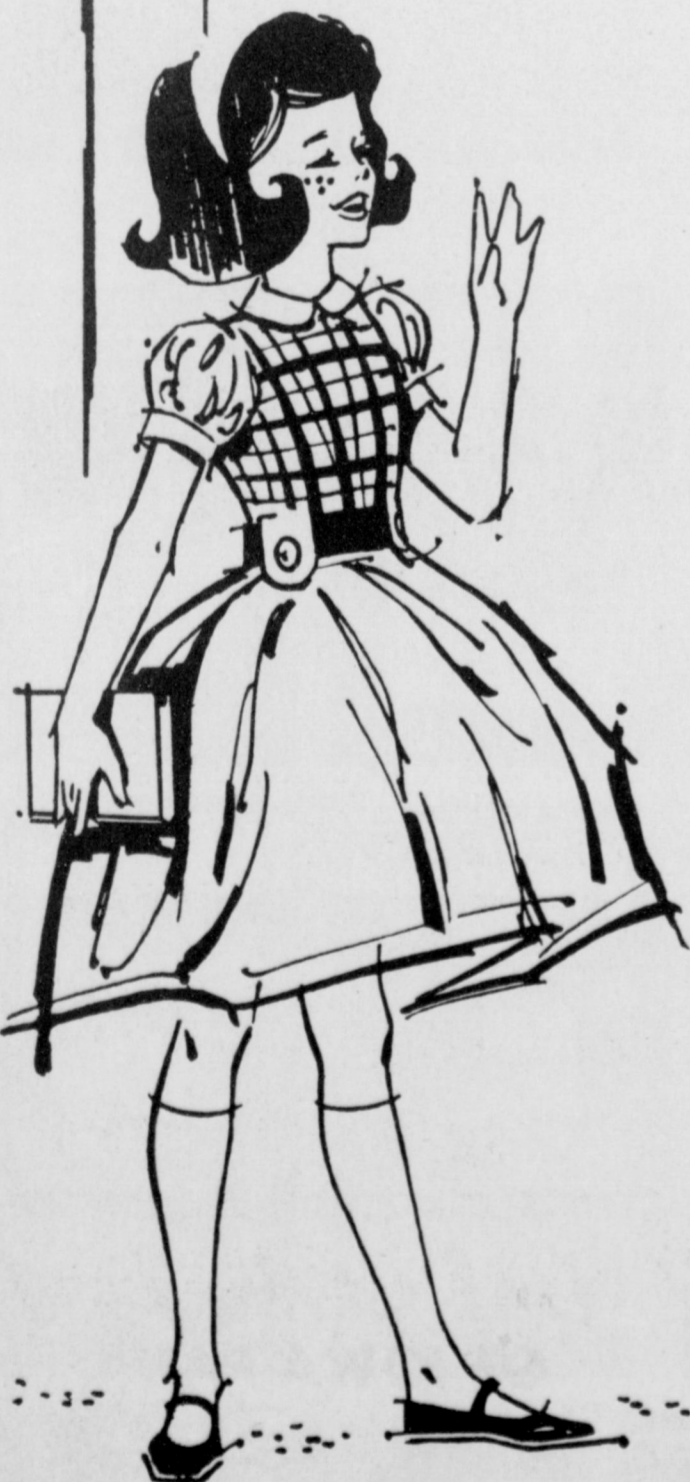
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Mrs. McDonald is honored

Mrs. M. J. McDonald was honored Saturday night at the annual Women's Dinner given by the Methodist Men. The gesture of respect and esteem took the shape of "This Is Your Life" highlights. J. W. Farmer, president of the Methodist Men, was emcee. He was assisted by Bob McClelland.

Seated on the stage with Mrs. McDonald were Mrs. Emma Gauntt, a member of her Sunday School Class, and the Rev. Don Youngblood, pastor.

The persons who represented different periods, incidents and organizations in her life since arriving in Iowa Park as a bride in 1945 were concealed and from their clues she tried to guess their identity and what aspect they represented.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hines, who met the newlyweds at the bus station in Wichita Falls, were the very first Iowa Park-ans that she met. Mrs. Elgin Denny, who came back into the church after being a member of a Methodist church in another town for several years, joined the local church on the same

day that Mrs. McDonald did. She substituted teaching for Mrs. Jack Ralston in the Iowa Park High School in January 1946, and started teaching regularly the following fall. Gene Owens, one of her first students, represented the group. Taylor George represented the first Sunday School of which she was a member.

Mrs. Chauncey Weiler, who taught with Mrs. McDonald for several years, paid tribute to her as a teacher, and Mrs. W. C. Steele paid tribute to her for the Modern Music Study Club.

Cognizant of her popularity with members of the high school set, Don Harrison stood in for the Hawk football team which she supports so loyally and for the UIL literary events which she has coached. Lee McClelland represented the Hawk band students whom she accompanied on the bus so many times.

Girls still undefeated

The Iowa Park girls softball team will put their undefeated record on the line at 8:30 this evening when they meet Lamar Baptist at Bridwell Park.

Though threatened by the Merchants last week, Iowa Park emerged victor with a 13-12 margin. That made their record 3-0 for the season.

Friday of next week will be their next game, when they take on Sparton Pools.

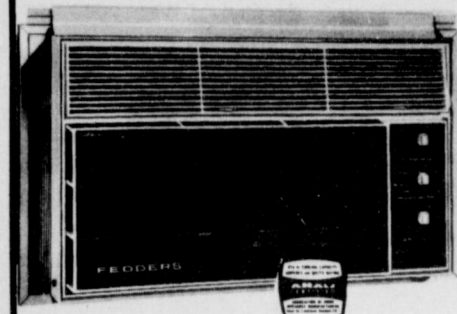
"We'd like to have anybody come who can," said a spokesman of the team, pointing out that most of the fans at the games are from Wichita Falls, since all the games are played at Bridwell Park.



THE BEAUTIFUL STORY of what really can be done through dedication, talent and love is shown in these four accompanying photographs, taken of the Special Education class at work on the Valley View campus. Learning to better read and write is a major part of the training, but learning skills is the other. And these students do both. The three boys of the class have become almost expert in furniture upholstery, building simple, but useful new furniture, and maintaining their equipment. At least five homes in the community are proudly using furniture recovered by the students. Their rewards now only show on their faces and finished products, but financially. One youngster saved his earnings and purchased his own sewing machine, which he can use for years to come. All members contributed their earnings to help finance their own way on an outing to Fort Worth yesterday.



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Emergency loans due to farmers in area

Emergency Loan Funds are available, applications are being taken, and more money has been requested to combat the serious effects of the drought which grips Texas, Lynn Futch, State Director of Farmers Home Administration, said last week.

President Nixon has asked the Congress to add \$65 million to the fund from which FHA finances its nationwide emergency farm loan program, Mr. Futch said.

The Farmers Home Administration has already made 1503 emergency loans totaling \$15 million to farmers and ranch-

ers in Texas to help them overcome the disastrous effects of the drought which has scorched parts of the state since the spring of 1970.

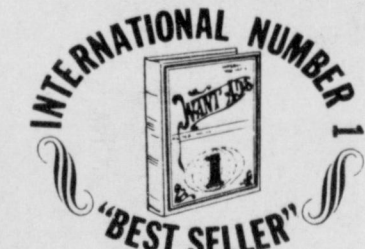
Emergency loans are made to enable farmers and ranchers to continue normal operations which have been disrupted by natural disasters. These loans previously were available in 53 Texas counties, and last month, the Secretary of Agriculture increased the number to 235 counties.

The impact of the drought has centered primarily in Texas and Oklahoma, but Mr. Futch said that emergency loans may be made outside of designated areas to eligible applicants who have suffered severe losses as a result of the drought.

Current interest rates on emergency loans are 4-7/8 percent, repayable as soon as possible consistent with the financial ability of borrowers, Mr. Futch said.

Application for loans should be made at county offices of Farmers Home Administration, usually located in the county seat town in which the farm pro-

perty is located. The county office for Wichita, Archer, and Clay Counties is located at 309 Federal Building, Wichita Falls.



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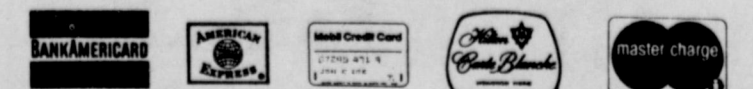
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Council appoints member

City council members appointed Louis Hodge to serve on the council until next year's election at their regular monthly meeting Monday night. Hodge will fill the vacancy created by Don Tiffin who resigned as a result of moving out of the city limits.

A present employe of the Burk Burnett city department approached the council about employment. He stated he had the necessary water and sewer certificates and would be willing to come to work at Holliday for \$600 a month.

Council members agreed they couldn't afford such a salary and were disappointed in the small number of people who have applied for the position. They decided to seek someone who would be willing to enter training for necessary certificates and necessary skills connected with the job of city employe.

Russell Allen stated he would accept employment with the city

if such a training program was provided. Members approved the hiring of Allen setting his salary at \$400 a month. They also agreed to increase the present city employe's salary from \$410 to \$425 a month.

Bob Shirley, a security guard in Wichita Falls and resident of Holliday, inquired about the position of city marshal. He told the council he would be willing to work in that position on a full time basis for \$225 a month. Members agreed to check with local businessmen and the county to see if they could help pay such a salary if Shirley were hired.

Pete Williams, fire chief, told the council he had found a radio which could be used in the city fire truck and it would cost \$225 including installation. The council approved the purchase of it. Also, Homer Fields was appointed the city's fire marshal by council members.

Two representatives from the Joe E. Ward Engineers organi-

zation presented the council with figures to replace old water lines and also a program of long range planning. This planning includes various studies to provide the city with necessary data in making future plans. The council agreed to look into the possibility of such a program which must receive approval from the state governor's office.

B. W. Stone asked the council for permission to tap the city water line and run a two-inch line to a site nearly one-half mile off the Seymour Highway where he plans to build a new home.

Stone told the council he would lay the line and turn it over to the city if they would furnish the meter and meter box. Members approved his request.

After comparing bids accepted for extension of Holliday's town line in the south part of

sewage line in the south part of town members agreed to let Allen Ditching Service of Wichita

Falls do the job. The extension, which will serve several Holliday families, will cost \$1861.90.

Final item on the agenda was what to charge riding club members who have been purchasing barrels of water for their horses. Members agreed to charge them \$.10 a barrel.

School board meets

In a recent meeting of Holliday School board members voted to hire all of its teachers with the exception of Cody West for the 1971-72 school year.

They also agreed to set the tax rate at \$1.50 per \$100 value for the upcoming school year. A motion was passed to supplement the budget for 1970-71 in the 650 series by \$500.

Another item receiving the approval of members was the purchase of three horns as recommended by band director Ted Paddock. The hiring of Miss Suzanne Lawler as home-making teacher for the 1971-72 school year was approved.

Members agreed to look for new annual sponsor and pay them \$300 in addition to their regular salary. Also getting approval of the board was that a teacher reaching the age of 65 must automatically resign. They could write a letter of application to teach the next school year to be reviewed by the school board. This proposal will be put into effect at the end of the 1971-72 school year.

Table tennis championship open to all

Holliday's Open Table Tennis Championships will be held Saturday (June 5) with competition getting underway at 10 a.m. The tournament site is at Holliday's Fennell Trucking & Dozer Company, located on the Seymour Highway in the city limits.

Trophies will be awarded to the top three players in the singles division and the doubles championship team will also receive an award.

Players throughout the area are invited by local table tennis enthusiasts to compete in the action which is being held to promote interest in the sport here.

Each player will be required to pay a \$1 entry fee which entitles him to participate in the singles and doubles events. Those planning to participate are asked to call 586-1354 or 692-1082 for further information.

Cooking school

A cooking school will be held June 7-8 in the Homemaking Department of the Holliday High School at 2 p.m. each day. The school will be conducted by Mrs. Sheryl Mahaney, home economist for Texas Electric Service Co. in Wichita Falls.

Door prizes and drawings will be held each day. The public is invited to attend the interesting and informative school.



REP. CHARLES FINNELL

Fennell holds chair briefly

State Representative Charles Fennell of Holliday worked in the chair of the House of Representatives Monday to assist House Speaker Gus F. Mutscher. With the Legislature facing a deadline of May 31 for the completion of legislative business, the House is working long hours in order to give bills still pending a full hearing.

Representative Fennell served as "Mr. Speaker" during the afternoon session in order to give Speaker Mutscher some time away from the podium to confer with other Members concerning the wind up of the legislative session. "I have always considered

Rep. Fennell an outstanding House Member who fulfills his responsibilities to his constituents in full measure," Mutscher said.

The three-term lawmaker is serving as Vice Chairman of the House Committee on Aeronautics. He is also a member of the vital House Congressional and Legislative Districts Committee, known as the Redistricting Committee. His other committee assignments include the House Committees on Agriculture; Constitutional Amendments; and Oil, Gas and Mining.

Graduation to be held in school gym June 4

Twenty-five seniors will be presented diplomas at Holliday's 1971 Graduation Services to be held at 8 p.m. Friday (June 4) in the old gymnasium.

Among those speaking will be class Valedictorian Tandy Williams and Salutatorian Pat O'Neal. Also to be honored are Sharon Marushia, Mona Szenasi and Vicki Ross who finished in the top five percent of their graduating class, along with Coy Sanders who claimed

honors as the high ranking boy of his senior class. Graduates include Liz Allen, Renee Borland, Connie Belcher, Janet Coe, Carla Fischer, Rhonda Gibson, Calvin Glover, Karla Henke, Judy Hillen, Rodney Hodgkins, Ronnie Hodgkins, Larry Holt, Mike King, Jo Carol Lynch, Sharon Marushia, Shirley McKay, Vickie Ross, Coy Sanders, Mona Szenasi, Rickey Walker, Tandy Williams, Ann Wood, Dena Woods, Bob O'Neal and Pat O'Neal.

Mrs. Trammell to retire

Hazel (Mrs. George) Trammell will terminate 40 years of teaching when she retires June 4. For the past 16 years she has taught in Wichita Falls, four years at Sheppard AFB and 12 years at Austin Elementary where she taught social studies.

A graduate of Kansas State College at Hays, Kansas where she received a BS degree, she

taught 15 years in Kansas, Colorado and South Dakota.

She and Mr. Trammell taught for three years among the Sioux Indians in South Dakota and one year at Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas.

The couple moved to Iowa Park in 1952 and he became an instructor at Sheppard AFB. For several years Mrs. Trammell did not teach. During that period she was secretary of the Methodist Church for two years.

She has done graduate work at Abilene Christian College, North Texas State University and the University of Texas at Austin.

She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma, National Educators Society, Texas State Teachers Association, City Teachers Association in Wichita Falls, Childhood Education, an international organization for elementary teachers.

She is on the administrative board of the First United Methodist Church and secretary of her Sunday School class.

Mr. Trammell retired recently from teaching at Sheppard AFB and is currently teaching at Draughon's Business College.

They have one daughter, Mrs. C. R. Ryan of Austin.



MRS. GEORGE TRAMMELL

Figures indicate school largest industry here

It has been said that the Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is the largest industry in the community, and facts and figures presented by trustee T. C. Berry at the Noon Lions Club meeting Tuesday made it clear it is.

Payroll for the system is approximately \$90,000 each month for the 182 persons employed by the system. Salaries for the teachers alone in April was \$76,000.

Berry, who is the senior member of the board in length of service, gave the Lions a detailed breakdown on the school system from the viewpoint of numbers of students and teachers, the year's budget which is

estimated at almost \$1.5 million, and some projections of building needs.

Revenue expected this school year would be: \$456,025 from local taxes; \$883,934 from state; \$100,000 from the federal "impact" program; and \$2,500 transfer tuition.

The assessed value of the district, since the annexation of the Valley View district, is \$27,4-million. The tax rate is \$1.75, of which \$1.42 goes into the local fund and 33 cents for debt retirement.

Berry said the cost per student education for a year now figures at approximately \$670, which is considerably higher than the estimated \$300 per student when he first went on the board.

Much of the reason for the increase, Berry says, is the constant request from parents for additional courses, activities and facilities.

He said the high school building would be very crowded next year, unless the additional vocational courses relieve the classrooms as much as is hoped. He pointed out that the graduating Eighth Grade was at least 60 pupils larger than the graduating Senior class, and the building was overcrowded already this year.

"We went so long and didn't spend any money, that's the reason we're in trouble now," said Berry. "We waited too long to build the high school."



MRS. FRED TOLER makes real sure she doesn't get any closer than necessary for the signing ceremony were (from the left) Clemon Montgomery, TAP coordinator for the Texas Department of Agriculture; State Rep. Charles Jungmichel of La Grange; Governor Smith; State Senator Charles Herring of Austin; and Commissioner White. Rep. Jungmichel and Senator Herring were sponsors of the bill in the legislature.



GOVERNOR Preston Smith last week signed into law a bill giving Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White the duties of regulating the use of the famous TAP (Texas Agricultural Products) symbol. Present for the signing ceremony were (from the left) Clemon Montgomery, TAP coordinator for the Texas Department of Agriculture; State Rep. Charles Jungmichel of La Grange; Governor Smith; State Senator Charles Herring of Austin; and Commissioner White. Rep. Jungmichel and Senator Herring were sponsors of the bill in the legislature.

Decision on crop planting problem to area farmers

By B. T. Haws County Agents

With the drought continuing, the possibility of having drastically reduced yields on all dryland crops is still with us. It confronts farmers with many decisions on what to plant, whether to fertilize or not, or should replanting be made to name a few.

Late planting of grain sorghum may still be made here in the Rolling Plains. The use of earlier maturing hybrids and reduced seeding rates are tools producers can use to combat the situation. However, late plantings can increase the chances of damage to grain sorghum from a shortage of moisture at the boot to bloom stage (45-60 days after planting) when moisture use is most critical. Other possible damage to late

plantings are heat damage to head formation and various disease and insect problems. Frequent checking of the fields is a must and especially for the sorghum midge during the blooming period.

With the added hazards of late planting, whether it be grain sorghum or cotton, farmers who planted at the normal time may get greater yields with reduced stands (2 to 3 plants/foot) than they could by replanting.

Improved germinations and more uniform stands may be obtained by the injection of water into the seed furrow at planting time. If some subsoil moisture is available, the injection of 40-60 gallons of water per acre can give the emerging plants enough moisture to become established under drought conditions.



TREASURE HUNTING--Holliday's Bob Shirley displays his findings located with his electronic metal detector.

Treasure hunting keeps family busy on weekend

Treasure hunting has become a way of life with members of the Bob Shirley family in Holliday. The 38-year old Shirley, his wife, Jimmie and their four children spend practically every weekend searching for 'hidden treasures' with his electronic metal detector.

The family got interested in this type of activity nearly two years ago after seeing items found by a friend with a metal detector. "We call it treasure hunting but what appears more appropriate is an outing for the entire family with each taking part," stated Shirley.

However, he has found enough old coins and other metal ob-

jects to nearly cover the original cost of the detector itself. Their findings include rings, several silver dollars, a 50-cent piece valued at \$50, a World War I bayonet, and antique letter opener and old silverware. They have also located valuable bottles as the metal detector picked up their caps which were either on, near or in them.

Shirley, a 15-year veteran of Army service, explained his detector was capable of picking up metal objects six feet underground. "You develop a touch and feel of how the machine reacts to different metals," he added. The detector has a

sounding mechanism which gets louder the closer it gets to its finding. "You can determine how big your finding is so you can dig without damaging it," he said.

An incident which almost turned the Shirleys toward another hobby occurred on the Ft. Hood Army Reservation. "On one particular outing my wife located an object which we started to dig up and when we reached it, the shape and sight looked exactly like a land mine. We were both scared and my wife ran away," he explained. Further investigation found the object to be the top or bottom of a rusted out barrel.

"The children enjoy helping us look and the picnic lunch," stated Mrs. Shirley. "However, they seem to share disappointment when we end a search and haven't found that shipment of gold buried by captain 'what's-his-name,'" she concluded.

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Baptists slate sermon in song

"Fruits of the Spirit" will be the theme of the sermon in song which will be presented by the sanctuary choir of the First Baptist Church Sunday evening. Glenn Schell will be the director.

Soloists will be Mrs. Kenneth Flowers, Mrs. Joe Singer, Miss Cindy Hill and Glenn Schell. Other special features will be selections by a women's trio, a high school girls trio, and a mixed quartet. The choir will present six selections.

The topic of the Rev. Kenneth Flowers' sermon Sunday at 11 a.m. will be "Christian Citizenship" (Romans 13)

Business holds open house

Park Pharmacy held Open House Saturday and Sunday to give the people of the Iowa Park and community a special invitation to view their completed remodeling.

The remodeling entailed removing the fountain, laying carpet, painting the interior, installing new fixtures and face lifting the exterior. In addition to the pharmacy, the store has a gift selection and Hallmark Thoughtfulness Shop, wedding invitations, and the Poppytrail line of Metlox pottery.

OBITUARIES

Albert Parker May

Funeral service for Albert Parker (Bud) May, 57, who died Sunday morning at Park Manor Nursing Home following a long illness, was Tuesday morning in Tanner Funeral Home chapel.

The Rev. Don Youngblood, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery. Nephews were pallbearers.

The son of the late Albert May and Beulah Parker May, pioneer ranch couple, he was born Sept. 11, 1913 in Iowa Park. He was associated with the John B. Barbour Trucking Co. for a number of years and later owned and operated his own service station.

He was a sports enthusiast and a loyal Hawk football fan. He was a 25 year member of the Iowa Park Masonic Lodge.

He was married to Mary Virginia Bailey at Duncan, Okla. Jan. 3, 1937.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, both of Iowa Park; two sons, Gary and Terry of Irving; four sisters, Mrs. Ray Nowlin of Lewisville, Mrs. J. D. Chastain of Denton, Mrs. Lavere Thompson of Iowa Park, and Mrs. Louise Squier of Hereford; one brother, Floyd of Iowa Park; and one grandson.

Pallbearers were James, Albert and Bob Chastain, Larry and Mark Thompson and David Uhren.

J. D. Hall Jr.

Funeral services were pending at press time for J. D. Hall Jr., 41, who died Wednesday morning in M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston, where he has been a patient since Dec. 31.

Mr. Hall, first cousin of Bob Birk of Iowa Park, is the son of the late Dr. J. D. and Mrs. Hall of Wichita Falls.

He was the assistant administrator of Harris Hospital in Fort Worth, and is survived by his wife and three children.

Services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ethel May Kuykendall

Funeral service for Mrs. Ethel May Kuykendall, 65, of San Antonio was held May 19 at the Oakwood Cemetery near Sommerset. The Rev. Fantley B. Hall, pastor of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of San Antonio, officiated.

Born July 2, 1905 at Okeene, Okla., Mrs. Kuykendall died May 16 following a long illness. She and her late husband lived in the O'Dell Community for several years during the early 1920's.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Lee C. Turner of Iowa Park and Mrs. Reynolds Bailey of San Antonio; three sons, Roy and Alton of San Antonio and Brian of Premont; one brother, Phil H. Tetley of San Antonio; and eight grandchildren.

B.F. Evans

B. F. Evans, 76, of Wellington, father of Mrs. J. A. Estes of Wichita Falls, a former resident of Iowa Park, died Sunday in an Amarillo hospital following a long illness.

Service was held Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Wellington.

Other survivors are his wife, Carrie; two daughters, Mrs. Forrest Ezzell of Amarillo and Mrs. J. C. Roberts of Thalia; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pecan tree control time

The time for controlling the pecan nut casebearer in Wichita County has been set as May 31, June 1 and 2. This is a later date than last year.

These dates were determined by observing pecan nut casebearer moth emergence from pupae collections. The optimum time for spraying to control the pecan nut casebearer is when the larvae first hatch from the eggs and begin to feed. Larvae feed on buds several days before tunneling into small nutlets and insecticides are most effective when applied to kill the larvae prior to the time tunneling into nutlets begins. The date for applying insecticide applications varies from place to place.

Information based on the situation as it exists in the orchard where control measures will be applied is the most reliable. The application of insecticide should be made after small greenish white to brown eggs are found on the end of the nutlets and when the first nutlets are found to have an entrance hole at the base.

The insecticides that can be used for control of casebearers are Malathion, Guthion, Thiodan and Toxaphene. Use these materials according to directions given on the label of the container.

If egg laying continues for four or five days after the first application, a second application should be applied 7 to 10 days later.

Further information concerning the pecan nut casebearer and its control is available at your County Agricultural Agent's office.

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PERSONALS

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We wish to express sincere thanks to our many friends for their prayers and acts of kindness during the illness and death of our husband and father, C. A. Eckstine. We are grateful for the many contributions made to the American Cancer Society and charitable organizations in his name. We deeply appreciate the love and kindness shown us.
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J. P. Eckstine & family

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF SYLVESTER TOLES, DECEASED NO. 12,341

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATRIX
Notice is hereby given that on April 30, 1971, letters of administration as Administratrix upon the Estate of Sylvester Toles, deceased, were issued to Artie Blue, who resides in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas, and whose post office address is 1306 Harding Street, Wichita Falls, Texas, by the honorable County Judge of the County Court of Wichita County, Texas, Cause No. 12,341 pending upon the probate docket of said Court.

All persons having claims against said Estate being administered I hereby require to present the same within the time prescribed by law.

SECTION 1. That the following described territory be and the same is hereby annexed to the City of Iowa Park, Texas, and the boundary limits of the City of Iowa Park, be, and the same are hereby extended to include the following described territory within the City limits of the City of Iowa Park, Texas, and the same shall hereafter be included within the territorial limits of said City, and the inhabitants thereof shall hereafter be entitled to all rights and privileges of other citizens of the City of Iowa Park, Texas, and shall be bound by the acts, ordinances, resolutions and regulations of said City; that the territory to be so annexed is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

(Here follows the legal description of the tract known as "Bogan Acres" including the Bill Kenney lot)

50,9816 acres of land; LESS AND EXCEPT HOWEVER a tract of land heretofore sold and conveyed to and presently vested in Glenn Scott with Field Notes as follows:

(Here follows the legal description of the exception)

SECTION 2. That it is not the intention of the City of Iowa Park, to annex any territory not legally subject to being annexed by said City, and should any portion of the above described territory not be subject to legal annexation by the City of Iowa Park, Texas, such fact will not prevent the City from annexing such territory which is above described and is subject to legal annexation by the City, and it is the intention of the City of Iowa Park to annex only such territory as may be legally annexed within the limits of the above described area.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall be effective as of the date of its adoption.

PASSED by the City Council on First Reading on the 24th day of May, A.D. 1971.

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LEGAL NOTICE

(A public hearing is to be held at City Council meeting June 14, 1971 at 7:30 PM at which time this ordinance will be set for final reading.)
ORDINANCE NO. 166

An ordinance annexing the hereinafter described territory to the City of Iowa Park, Texas, and extending the boundary limits of said city so as to include said hereinafter described property within said City limits; and granting to all the inhabitants and owners of said property all of the rights and privileges of other citizens and binding all inhabitants by all the acts, ordinances and regulations of said City; providing a severability clause; and providing for the effective date of said ordinance.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Iowa Park, Texas:

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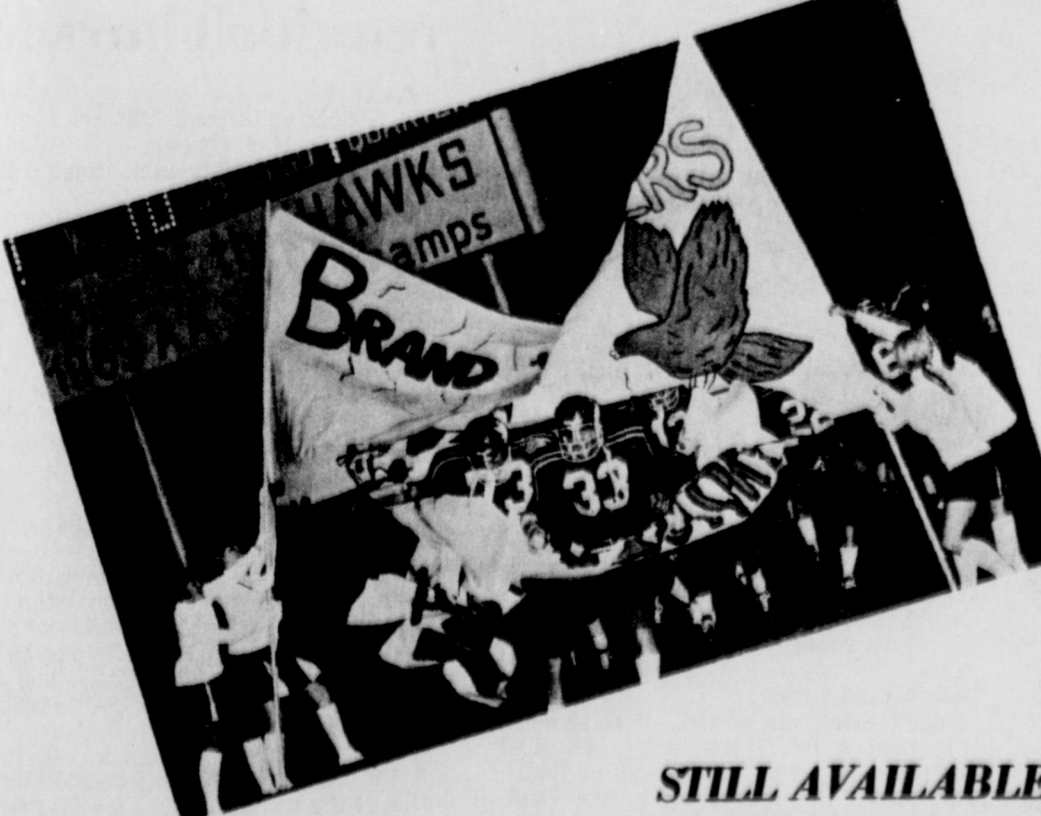
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As I See It . . .

By BOB HAMILTON

Traditionally, I take this opportunity for a brief message to members of the high school graduation class. As always in this column, this is my opinion. But I've often found it reflects the thinking of many adults in the community.

Seniors, we welcome you to the world of adulthood. Some of you are ready, others aren't. But, ready or not, you're here and I hope you make the best of it. I can't remember a graduation speech ever, when challenges were not flung to members of the class that the world was in the worst mess ever and its problems must be solved by you new ones coming into it.

Well, I guess they are right, in a way. Each year things become more complicated and appear to be worsening. But each year our graduates are better equipped to cope with what is facing them, and we continue on, progressing.

There should be no fear among you, in assuming your roles as citizens with the rest of us. There should only be anticipation.

Meet the challenges of adulthood with the same vigor with which you've met the challenges of education. Don't falter as some before you have, and seek the easier ways of life than society demands. One has nothing to gain in taking this avenue, and everything to lose.

I believe I join with every member of our community in saying that I'm proud of you, each and every one. Through your school years you've contributed greatly to our community, and I hope, . . . rather, I know, . . . you will continue.

As expected, I've drawn some criticism for my coverage of the City View school situation. Mainly the reporting of the meeting the other night held by about 90 citizens of the district.

Had the school board met Tuesday night, as originally planned, for its regular meeting, and I had reported them just as

accurately, I imagine the other side would have hopped on my back.

But that's the way it's going to be. I'm going to continue covering meetings of elected officials, and public meetings of citizens, because it is my obligation as a news man.

I have no doubt that 99 percent of the problems in the City View school area is lack of communications. No one is making any attempt to cover proceedings of board meetings, and they should be. Now they are going to be.

Next regular meeting of the board will be June 22, according to announcement of the school's officials.

LETTERS to the EDITOR

Dear Sir:

I am attempting to get word to all Ex-Prisoners of War in order to form a North Texas chapter and to make our organization more binding and with a greater representation.

I would appreciate it very much if you would publish a small article in your newspaper asking all ex-Prisoners of War to get in touch with me and I will set up further arrangements for meetings. But first I must have their names and addresses. Any article you might wish to publish would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
William A. Stone
1128 Rosemary
Wichita Falls, Texas 76305
tele: 723-1536

LETTERS to the EDITOR

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for letting us go to the Iowa Park Leader. Thank you for the time that you spent with us. Thank you for the tape. I have been trying to read the code but I can't. We went to a lot of places. We walked a long way. It was about 1:30 when we got back. If you can write back soon?

Your friend,
Johnna Frederick

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for letting us come. And also for showing us the dark room. And for showing us the track people on the newspaper. And for giving us the piece of tape.

Your friend,
Doug Wing

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for the tape. And thank you for letting us go. And thank you for showing us the mashen. And thank you for showing us the names in the paper. And thank you for showing me the paper. And thank you for taking the time off.

Love,
Tena Posey

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I thank you for the tape. I liked where the machine typed it self and when Kathy typed. I liked the dark room. Thank you again for everything and you took a great time on us.

Your friend,
Karen Roberts

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for letting us see how the pictures are put in the newspaper. Thank you for the tape you gave us. We had a good time.

Your friend
Shawn Elliss

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I thank you for giving us a piece of tape. It was preeety the dark room wasn't so bad.

I thank you for showing us around. I thank you again.
Your friend,
Bobby Blair

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I want to thank you for the tape and showing us around the offic and showing the pictures.

Love,
Clay Skelton

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I like you, it was nice of you to show us how to make the leader, you are nice, I hope I come back, we had fun.
Your friend,
Steven Fuller

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I want to thank you for letting us come, and letting us look at your things. And we hope we can go again when we are still in shool. And if shool is out we could go ther once a week. And I thank you for the tape. Thank you very very much.

Your friend,
Sheila Ann Farr,

Mr. Hamilton

Thank you for letting us come over. I hop I can come back sometime. And Thank you for the tap to. What I liked the best was the mach-ines.

Your friend,
Sam Swift

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I thank you for showing us how news papers are made.

I liked the machine that blows up pictures and the one that makes the long tape.

I thank you for the peses of tape.
Your friend,
Gary Haswell

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for letting us come and see your building.

I think that it was very interesting, and that michean that used the tape I liked it to.

And thank you for the tape, and for letting us see your black room, andtalling us that word blow up you said that when you were making the pictures bigger that's what you called it.

Will I please write me.
Thank you.

Will I geuss I will have to cut the line off.

Love,
Renee Diane Williams

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I learned a lot about the Iowa Park Leader, here's what I learned: that the holes in the was called a code and the machine reads the code and type it on paper and that you have to put the pictures in to chemichles before you put it in the paper and other things. Well thank you for letting us come.

Love,
Diane Walls

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

It so surprizing how the machine that used a code worked. Thank you for the pink paper. I was wonder how they put pictures in newspapers, and how newspapers are made.

Your friend,
Kit Brown

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thanks a lot for showing us around. Thanks for showing us the machines. Thanks for showing us the camera. Thanks for giving us the tape.

Your friend,
David Morton

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I enjoyed my tour of the Leader office. I always thout that all papers were made by a printing press.

Thank you for the tape. The way it makes code is very interesting.

Yours Truly,
Michael Sharpe

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I can't thank you so much for letting us go into the dark room and showing us the picthers how you made them. And thank you for the tape. It was so fun seeing the typewriter. I learned a lot.

Your friend,
Dee Ann Ashton

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I'm glad you could show us all of the things becuse you are the Iowa Park Leader manager and you are verrey nice and you were verrey nice to take us I show us the pink long paper and thank you for showing, Mrs. Swift, and, Mrs. Ashton, and Mrs. Padgett, and thank you for telling the class about the things you are going to put in the newspaper.

Your friend,
Tom Jones

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

I can't thank you enough. It is to much I learned a lot. I just can't tell it. It was great!!!! I'll never forget that. Thank you for letting us in the Dark Room and for letting us have the tape. It was so good. I liked the pictures. Thank you for letting us in. I really thank you for taking your time.

Your friend,
Rita Terral

Dear Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you for letting us come to the Iowa Park Leader and showing us around. You were very good to us. You were very nice to give us the tape. And thank you for showing us the Iowa Park Leader. I hope I get to come back agen.

Your friend,
Timmy Hughes

MESQUITE MUSINGS

By Ruby L. Robertson

Now and then we include in this space quotes from our rancher friend, I. O. De-Bank, a fictional character, but all in fun. However many of our rancher/farmer friends are not having much fun now and could use a few kind words.

When a man has to keep a pile of gravel near his house and go out now and then to throw a few shovelfuls on the roof so the kids will not forget what falling rain sounds like; times are getting rough.

Man can deal with tornados or hail storms which strike suddenly and unexpected; leaving a path of destruction but still leaving hope to rebuild, but a drouth comes slowly and remains long, striking from all sides, growing slowly like a malignancy. After a time what was hope for relief gives way to despair then hopelessness leaving tragedy behind long after the drouth is broken.

Our friends in agriculture are hit financially, physically, emotionally and spiritually and it may be that the broken spirit is the worse part. In some way the money and livestock will be replaced. The hard work of hauling water, pulling cattle from almost dry tanks and feeding stock which should be grazing lush grass, can only be endured by an exceptionally strong man with an iron will. With his family and friends solidly behind him, a man can easier live through the day by day agony of seeing his livestock suffer and his crops dwindle away. Only those who have a strong faith in God and can feel His presence in this suffering can survive spiritually.

The public owes so much to these men who produce food for the rest of us. Not only for their work in that area but for the many tasks they do as good neighbors. Seldom does the town dweller consider the vast amount of real estate taxes the land-owners contribute to the local governments, and schools, in addition to his other contributions.

Like Job of old, ranchers and farmers are undergoing severe trials during this dusty, dismal drouth, but unlike Job's friends who sat around and said "I told you so"; let us all extend a hand of friendship and breathe a prayer for our rancher friends.

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Volunteer Fire Department to attend the annual fireman's school at Texas A&M July 19-24.

Also approved was the preparation and printing of a supplement to the city's newspapers which will make a full report on the city's operation and condition to residents. This will be published sometime in June.

A request for extension of sewer and water lines to the Ayers station and restaurant on Johnson Road, at city expense, was denied. Council recalled its policy that such extensions are limited to the original townsite, and new additions must pay the toll.

Area artists take honors

Three area artists were major winners in last Saturday's Clay County Art Association Sidewalk Art Show, held in Henrietta. Jack Stevens' bronze sculpture entry was judged one of the top three best of show, and Jimmy Henson's painting was best of show in the junior division. He is from Holliday.

Stevens also received a first place for an ink on velour entry, and another ink drawing was given a third place ribbon.

Irma Barton, another Holliday entry, was awarded a second place ribbon for a water color entry, and a third place for an acrylic entry. Young Henson had another entry which took a first place ribbon.

The annual show attracted entries from a wide area, according to show officials.

Early student reunion Thursday

All students who attended the Iowa Park High School up through 1925 are reminded of the school reunion next Thursday at the Bradford cafeteria. Registration will start at 10 a.m.

Some of the former students who have been in charge of arrangements are Mmes. O. E. Lochridge, J. Louis Quick, Otis Gay, Emma Gauntt, Gladys Thompson, N. E. McKinney; Miss Dostia Smith and Miss Mary Butcher.

Hawk stars accept bids

Two of Iowa Park's Hawk football team all-stars have accepted invitations to play in senior all-star games this summer.

Fullback Steve Watson will play in the Texas Coaching Clinic Classic and end Greg Ancell will play in the Greenbelt Bowl at Clarendon.

Watson is also expected to receive a bid to play in the Oil Bowl at Wichita Falls, if the committee follows its procedure of selecting as it did last year when Gary Frazier was selected. He also had played in the Coaches Clinic game.

Memorial rites Sunday

Memorial Day service will be conducted at the Highland Cemetery Sunday at 3 p.m., according to Mrs. D. O. James, president of the Highland Cemetery.

The Rev. A. M. Dorsett, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will deliver the Memorial Day message, and special music will be provided by a group from the Iowa Park High School A Cappella choir.