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## Fun available on July 4th

For those who will not be working on the July 4th holiday, and want to get out from under the air conditioner, two areas are being suggested.

And both have to do with water. Residents who want to set off their fireworks will be allowed to do so at Lake Iowa Park, often referred to as "Middle Lake."

Even though the lake area is inside the city limits, and fireworks are strictly prohibited in the city, the city allows such an activity at that lake each July 4th.

Those setting off their fireworks

there are encouraged, however, to do two things: be extremely careful not to injure anyone or start a grassfire, and to clean up the mess after it's over.

Extra trash containers will be set out at the boat ramp area for the trash, which should first be doused with water.

Setting off fireworks anywhere else in the city is subject to a fine of not less than \$81.50.

Iowa Park's volunteer firemen, as well as all the other fire departments in the area, are hoping extreme caution is used when setting off fireworks this

year, because of the hot, dry weather conditions.

### FUN AT THE POOL

Special activities have been planned for the Iowa Park Bicentennial Swimming Pool, according to Linda Gray, pool manager.

The public is invited to be at the pool from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. for all the planned activities, which includes a picnic.

The fun activities described by Mrs. Gray include tube racing, a diving contest, splash contest, and determining who are the best swimmers.



**HOT TEMPERATURES** have driven the public to the city's swimming pool in near-record numbers recently. While the 113-degree reading reached Monday may have been the highest thus far this year, long range forecasts indicate hotter-than-normal readings can be expected.

## Bullet hits team coach

As a girls' softball coach got down into a catcher's stance Thursday evening, he felt something strike him on the neck.

Leroy Threet Jr. thought maybe someone had thrown a rock, or a large insect had flown into him.

But, when he looked down on the ground from his squat stance, he saw what it was -- a .22 cal. bullet.

Threet and others on the Bell Road field then heard other sounds that they believe could also have been bullets, and they immediately alerted Iowa Park police.

A county sheriff's deputy found a young man in a field east of there, shooting a .22 cal. rifle, and he was taken to the police station.

The 18 year old said he and others often shot guns in that area, but had never had a complaint. He was informed of the danger and agreed to not shoot there anymore.

Threet, who was not injured, did not want to press any charges, and the young man was allowed to return home.

Five arrests were noted during the

past week on the police blotter.

Sgt. Jack McGuinn recognized the driver of a vehicle in the 400 block of West Magnolia at 10 p.m. Friday as being wanted on a Wichita County Sheriff's Office warrant.

Ricky Lee Smith, 36, was taken into custody on the warrant, which was a bond forfeiture for aggravated sexual assault. He was turned over to a deputy an hour later to be transported to the county jail.

Two men were taken into custody at 1:39 a.m. Sunday in the 100 block of East Highway on charges of public intoxication.

Felipe Montelongo Rojas, 53, was released later that morning after posting a \$280 cash bond, and Juan Martinez Rodriguez, 29, was released after signing a personal recognizance bond.

At 4:32 a.m. Sunday, police arrested Ricky Don Anderson, 24, while walking in the area of Emma and Access Road. He was charged with public intoxication, and released at 8:55 a.m.

after posting a \$81.50 cash bond.

When an officer made a traffic stop at 9:28 p.m. Sunday in the 100 block of South Wall, a computer check determined two outstanding local warrants existed for the driver.

Paul Anthony Carter, 27, reportedly was wanted on warrants for having no motor vehicle inspection sticker and operating an unregistered vehicle.

Carter was later released after promising to appear in municipal court.

Two theft reports were filed during the week. One vehicle owner said a stereo amplifier was taken while he was parked Wednesday in the 500 block of West Magnolia, and the other reported \$120 worth of tools were taken Sunday night from a pickup parked in the 100 block of James Drive.

## Trustees take no action after closed session

School trustees took no action Friday night, following their second lengthy executive session in a five-day period.

After opening the called session Friday, the board immediately went behind closed doors to discuss the only item on the meeting agenda, "Discussion of Personnel Assignments."

When the meeting was re-opened to the public, board president Keith Fisher said, "I have a statement to make.



**GOING UP!** Construction on the new water tower just west of Johnson Road began this week, as crews and materials arrived. The tower's erection is expected to be completed in about three weeks, after which the cleaning and painting process will begin. During that time, water lines are to be laid to connect the tower with areas to the north and west, finally correcting the lower water pressure residents have experienced in recent months.

### BUILDING MATERIALS PROHIBITED

## Limits put on convenience center

The city council Monday night approved an ordinance which prohibits building contractors from dumping materials, especially roofing shingles, at the convenience center.

Also approved was a rate schedule sought by TU Electric, designed to allow the utility to be competitive in attracting new businesses to the city.

"The city is no longer in the landfill business," stated Alderman Bud Mercer, explaining that the city had sold its landfill operation to Bell, and the convenience center is provided exclusively for residents to dispose of household and yard debris.

City Administrator Mike Price had alerted the council at an earlier meeting that construction materials, especially that from reroofing work, was filling the large metal dumpster the city is provided by Bell.

Though the agreement between the city and Bell, a limited number of containers will be provided the city over a year's period, and beyond that limit the city must pay a commercial fee.

Contractors have three options to dispose of their materials, it was explained. They can contract with either of the two commercial disposal companies to have containers placed at the work site, or haul the materials to the

landfill owned by the City of Wichita Falls.

Contractors who have purchased a year's dumping permit will be reimbursed on a prorata basis, Price said.

The city sold its landfill site and all related equipment to Bell, because of the exceptionally high cost caused by state and federal mandates governing them.

After Bell took over the landfill, the city established its convenience center by the road leading off Smith Road to the landfill site.

Dale Cox, TU Electric spokesman, first approached the council on his company's competitive rate proposal at the June 13 meeting. Aldermen decided to delay any action for further study.

After hearing a report that most of the municipalities in the area had either approved or were in the process of approving the same proposal, aldermen expressed a desire to also be competitive in attracting new business and industry and voted unanimously to adopt the ordinance.

Also adopted was an amendment to the animal control ordinance, which provides for collection of an overtime charge when the control officer is called out other than regular work hours to impound a pet running loose.

A resolution of the city, to take extra action in trying to help local businesses to bid on projects received council approval. It is result of the "1993 Texas Community Development Program Project."

The council authorized the city administrator to advertise for bids to lay an 18-inch sewer line north from near the treatment plant to West Highway and westward to Magnolia.

Aldermen voted to commit the city's participation in extending water and sewer service to a new housing development north of US 287, but attached a provision that the developer must make a certain amount of progress on the project before any city funds were expended.

Highland Park Subdivision is to be located north of the expressway and west of FM 368. For the city to extend water and a sewer lift station, the city is to expend an estimated \$85,000.

Aldermen decided they wanted to see a certain amount of progress in streets and utilities being completed before those city funds were invested.

The second of three required public hearings on the proposed annexation of the housing development was held during the meeting, with the third and final hearing slated July 11.

The council confirmed Mayor Wayne House's appointments of new electrical board members.

## Cotton production meeting set today

A cotton production meeting will be held today, and cover various aspects of production that should benefit new and old growers alike.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 this morning (Thursday), at the irrigated cotton variety plots on the Dwayne Peirce place, just off FM 368 south of Iowa Park.

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Trisha Vanbeber and Kyle Wells

## Couple selects July date

The engagement and approaching marriage of Trisha Vanbeber and Kyle Wells is being announced this week.

Trisha is the daughter of Don and Sharon Vanbeber of Archer City, and Kyle is the son of Rex and Judy Wells of Iowa Park.

Miss Vanbeber is a graduate of Archer City High School and Midwestern State Univ. She is a CPA,

employed by Wright's Food Co. in Vernon.

Wells is a graduate of Iowa Park High School and Midwestern State Univ. He is employed by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. at the Dundee State Fish Hatchery.

The wedding will take place July 16, at the First United Methodist Church in Archer City.

## Lisa Hodges honored with shower

Lisa Hodges, bride-elect of Mark Anderson, was honored recently at a pre-nuptial shower.

Hosting the courtesies were Loretta Thompson and her daughter, Linda Veach in her home in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Veach made a special floral arrangement for the honoree and matching corsages for the bride-elect and special guests. They were in the chosen bridal colors of hot pink and white.

Punch and assorted cookies were served to the guests.

Special guests were the honoree's mother, Donna Hodges and sister, Jolene Hodges, the prospective groom's mother, Beverly Anderson and his grandmother, Mrs. Johnny Watson.

## Look Who's New

### Robertson

Rowdy and Amy Robertson are the parents of a son, Utah Randolph, born June 20 at Wichita General Hospital. He weighed eight pounds, 13 ounces, and was 21 inches long. He is the couple's first child.

Grandparents are Jerry and Peggy Robertson of Iowa Park and Randall and Katherine Hollenbeck of Chico. Great-grandparents are Lois Robertson and Fred and Mary Toler, all of Iowa Park.

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## Lane new president of art association

Cindy Lane assumed the duties of president, during a meeting of the Iowa Park Arts and Crafts Association, held June 14, at the Recreational Activities Center.

Mrs. Lane, formerly the vice president, was moved up when the president, Margaret Denton, moved out of the area.

For the program, Sheri Kennedy taught members how to make lace and potpourri hangers.

Mrs. Kennedy was also recipient of the door prize, a wooden sunflower wall ornament, donated by Pat Ikey.

During the month of June, Shirley Hicks is displaying some of her crafts at the Tom Burnett Memorial Library.

Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings held at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month, at the RAC.

# Food safety strategies can assist backyard chef

By Barbara Fangmann

There's something about spring and summer seasons that brings out the backyard chef in even those who don't normally like to cook. But cooking out requires extra precaution to prevent foodborne illness.

Grilling carefully also can prevent excessive smoke and charring that may be unhealthy. To keep your cookouts both safe and fun, Barbara Fangmann suggests following these simple tips in proper food preparation and grilling:

- \* Select high quality fresh meat, poultry or seafood products for the best results in outdoor grilling.

- \* Keep meat products at a temperature of 40 degrees Fahrenheit or less until right before grilling.

- \* Thaw frozen meat products in the refrigerator—not at room temperature. At room temperatures, the outer layers of meat may reach a temperature that promotes bacterial growth before the inner layers are thawed.

- \* Keep marinating foods in the refrigerator. Do not use leftover marinade as a sauce on cooked meat.

- \* Always wash your hands before and after working with raw meat or poultry. Handle raw foods and cooked foods separately.

- \* Wash work surfaces and cutting board thoroughly with hot, soapy water before and after preparing meat for grilling.

- To sanitize, clean with a solution of 1-1/2 to 2 teaspoons of bleach per quart of water. Use a different cutting board for meats than for raw fruits and vegetables.

- \* After you place the meat on the grill, wash utensils and platters with hot, soapy water before using them again to serve the meat. Cooking kills bacteria, but cooked foods can be recontaminated with unwashed utensils.

- \* Keep serving time after cooking to a maximum of two hours and refrigerate all leftovers immediately at 40 degrees or below.

- \* Chicken, pork, turkey and ground meat products should be cooked until the juice runs clear or the temperature reaches 170 degrees.

- \* Eating raw or rare meat is not recommended especially for persons who have chronic illnesses, are recovering from surgery or have compromised immune systems. Cook meat thoroughly to kill bacteria.

- These additional suggestions will keep food from becoming too heavily smoked or charred:

- \* Choose meats for cookouts that are low in fat to avoid flare ups from dripping fat. Trim excess fat from the meat before grilling.

- \* Avoid marinades or basting sauces that contain a lot of fat.

- \* Cover grill with aluminum foil. Punch holes between the grids to let juice drip out.

- \* If dripping fat causes heavy smoke, move food to another section of the grill, rotate the grill or reduce the heat.

- \* Learn to control the fire. Cook meat until it is done, but without charring it. Remove any charred or burned materials that forms on the food's surface. Do not eat it.

- \* Wrap food such as fish and vegetables in foil to protect them from smoke while grilling.

- \* Reduce grilling time by pre-cooking many foods, including poultry and ribs, by boiling or cooking in the microwave. However, immediately place precooked foods on the grill to complete cooking and give it

that grilled flavor. Partially-cooked foods may develop bacterial growth that causes foodborne illness.

Cookouts are popular family and social activities. Keep them safe by following common sense rules of cleanliness, food safety and healthful cooking.

## Look Who's New

### Guibert

A son, Cory James, was born June 14, at Wichita General Hospital, to Jimmy and Krystal Guibert of Wichita Falls. He weighed seven pounds, 13 ounces, and was 20 and a half inches long. He is the couple's first child. Mrs. Guibert is the former Krystal Reynolds of Iowa Park.

Grandparents are Bubba and Susan House of Iowa Park and Frank and Linda Myers of Phoenix, Ariz.

Great-grandparents are Q.D. and Eva Bordon of Chatanooga, Okla., and Louise Leffingwell of Wichita Falls.

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**Joanna Honeycutt**

Joanna Honeycutt says she loves to cook, and use to make everything, including bread, from scratch. But now, this busy mother of three uses a lot of prepared food mixes, and prefers recipes that are quick and simple to prepare.

Joanna grew up in Iowa Park, and is a 1975 graduate of Iowa Park High School. She attended Midwestern State University for one year, before moving to Georgia. During the five years she lived in Georgia, Joanna attended tech school and received her Licensed Vocational Nursing degree.

Joanna is employed at Wichita Falls State Hospital. She has three children, B.J., 15, Chris, 13, and 11-year-old Lori. The boys are active in Little League baseball, and both are on the All-Star team. Lori is a member of the Girl Scouts.

Joanna just bought a home with enough room for a garden, so she is learning how to prepare the soil in order to grow plants and vegetables. She also likes to read and crochet. She enjoys watching her children play baseball, and is a member of the Little League Auxiliary.

The recipes Joanna is sharing with our readers this week are the ones she uses most often. They are simple to prepare, which fits in with her busy lifestyle.

She says her family likes "Impossible Cheeseburger Pie" so much that she usually makes two at a time.

# COOK OF THE WEEK

## Impossible Cheeseburger Pie

- 1 lb. hamburger
- 1 1/2 cups chopped onion
- Salt, pepper, garlic powder to taste
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 3 eggs
- 3/4 cups baking mix
- 2 tomatoes, sliced
- 1 cup Cheddar cheese, grated

Brown onion and hamburger meat. Drain and add seasonings. Spread in 10"x1 1/2" pie pan. Beat milk, eggs and baking mix until smooth. Pour over meat mixture and bake 25 minutes.

Arrange tomato slices on top and sprinkle with cheese. Bake 5-8 minutes more. Serve with green salad.

## Easy Breakfast Rolls

- 2 Tbsps. butter
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1/2 cup pecans
- 1 pkg. biscuits

Melt butter in 10" pie pan. Drizzle in honey, and sprinkle pecans over the top. Arrange biscuits in pan. Bake as directed. Turn out on large plate.

## Sausage Balls

- 1 - 10 oz. pkg. Cheddar cheese, grated
- 1 lb. hot bulk sausage
- 2 1/2 cups baking mix

Mix well in a large bowl. Roll into approx. 1-inch balls. Bake on cookie sheet at 350 degrees 15 minutes.

## Easy Dinner Rolls

- 1 pkg. brown and serve rolls
- 2 Tbsps. melted butter or margarine
- 1/2 tsp. sesame seeds, poppy seeds, or caraway seeds

Arrange rolls on baking sheet. Brush with melted butter; sprinkle seeds on top, and bake as directed on package.

(Good with Parmesan cheese for Italian foods.)

## Neighbors

### BRUSH POPPERS RODEO

The annual Brush Poppers Regional Ranch Rodeo will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 8-9, at the Tex Rickard Arena in Henrietta. Events will be bronc riding, team sorting, cow milking, double mugging, team branding, and a special cutting horse contest at 8 a.m. that Saturday.

## Happy 13th Birthday "MOOSE"

Love,  
Dad, Mom & Adam



## Denny descendants hold reunion

Descendants of Walter Denny (1805-1885), of Burgin, Ky. gathered for a reunion June 24 and 25 at the Sheraton Inn in Wichita Falls.

Remembrance books were distributed to each family attending, containing comments from various descendants about their Denny grandfathers. They also received a copy of the Deed showing purchase by John Denny (1750-1834) of the original Denny Farm in 1798, four years after Kentucky became the 15th state in the Union. Walter Denny was born on this farm, lived his entire life there, fathered 13 children that lived to adulthood, died there, and is buried there.

Also included were various news items from local history books relating to general merchandise store: owned and operated by six of the sons in Leonard, Van Alstyne, Memphis, Amarillo, Vernon, and Childress, Texas, and Guyton, Okla.

Descendants of six of the 12 sons of Walter Denny attended. They were: Erastus Denny (1843-1913) Barbara Denny, Tennessee; Ray and Lucille Hawthorne, Burgin, Ky.

L.C. Denny (1854-1948) Lee and Martha Reed, Houston; Frank and Billie Peirce, Bryan; Jan Peirce, Georgetown, Tx.; Terry and Sarah Kay Wahl, Baytown, Tx.; George and

Thelma Denny, Wayside, Tx.; Mary Kate McLain, Wayside, Tx.; Denny and Jennifer McLain, Flower Mound, Tx.; Charlie and Frances Denny, Hot Springs Village, Ark.; Margie and Don Ray McDonald of Wichita Falls; Evalyn and Oscar Lochridge, North Richland Hills, Tx.; Grant, Carol and Allen Lochridge, Hurst, Tx.; Karen and Kathryn Lochridge, Clarksville, Ark.; Louie, June and Denny McCarthy, Iowa Park; Billye Faye Neuhardt of Midland, Tx.; Katrina Neuhardt, Arlington, Tx.; C.E. "Bud" and Billie Margaret Thompson, Iowa Park; Kathy and Richard Green, Ponch and Jessica, Iowa Park.

Ben Franklin Denny (1856-1916) Courtney and Len Crisler, Amarillo.

S.L. "Babe" Denny (1859-1936) Arthur Beadle, Poolville Tx./ Gary Beadle, Mineral Wells, Tx.; Alan and Sandy Beadle, N. Little Rock, Ark.; Jane Gauntt, Wichita Falls.

Jacob Nelson Denny (1862-1926) Jack and Anny Denny, Vernon; Helen

Lutz, Vernon; Bette Gray, Carbon, Tx.; Joni Streit, Vernon.

Athan Denny (1864-1964) JoAnn Denny Mansfield, Seattle, Wash.; Mary Louise Denny, Frankfurt, Germany.

In addition to these were Earle L. Denny of Iowa Park and Mary Jo Denny Beadle of Poolville Tx. They were the only grandchildren of Walter Denny attending.

Walter Denny had 56 grandchildren, of which seven are still living. Three of these reside in Iowa Park, But Marie Denny Callon and Elgin Denny were unable to attend.

Fourteen of Mr. Denny's 56 grandchildren were graduates of Iowa Park High School, as were eight of his great-grandchildren; three of his great-grandchildren; and two of his great-great-grandchildren. The most recent graduate was Marcie McCarthy, daughter of Denny and Sue McCarthy.

Plans are underway for a 1996 reunion in Texas, and a Kentucky reunion within the next 12 months.



**SUSAN DAVENPORT** was voted Employee of the Month for June at Heritage Manor. She has been employed here for 8 years. Susan is an LVN on the day shift. We are glad to have her.

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- A&M's gold medalist Matson in '68 (init.)
- TXism: "knee-high \_\_\_ grasshopper"
- Tech's "Bam" Morris won the Doak Walker \_\_\_ in '93
- Bank Texas is largest in the state
- TX flag has 3
- TXism: "critters"
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- TX cosmetics magazine Mary Kay \_\_\_
- Bevo's university
- LBJ's Bird
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- TXism: "that's a fine how do \_\_\_"
- Lubbock High won '92 National
- Cowboys: highest rated sports \_\_\_
- TX fought against it in Civil War
- Austin newspaper: American \_\_\_
- dinnerbell sounds
- TX peak: \_\_\_ Captain
- TXism: "naked \_\_\_ jaybird"
- choir singers
- TX Debbie Reynolds book: "\_\_\_ Knew Then"
- TX oat crop
- "Dallas" star Hagman
- TX Weddington won big case \_\_\_ v. Wade
- LBJ's unconfirmed chief justice choice Fortas
- this Bass paid largest TX divorce settlement (\$200 million)
- Fort Worth science theater
- TX Fulgham book: "All I Really \_\_\_ to Know I Learned in Kindergarten"
- TX Stanley Marsh home: \_\_\_ Hall
- TX Charley Pride hit: "My Eyes Can \_\_\_ You"
- donkey or fool
- "\_\_\_ your age"
- hit by Dallas: Sam the Sham
- in Rains Co. on 69
- TXism: "lots of breathing \_\_\_"
- TXism: "just a \_\_\_ in the bucket"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ Gabriel blows his horn"
- daughter of Gov. Hogg
- Dublin, TX hosts big \_\_\_ Patrick's Day party
- UH Heisman winner Andre in '91 (init.)
- TXism: "a \_\_\_ dog don't get no biscuits"
- TXism: "mortgage on the \_\_\_ (cattle)"
- Dallas WFAA's 10 p.m. newscast
- yours and mine
- TXism: "burned like \_\_\_ empty shuck"
- Viva! El Paso! held in \_\_\_ Kelligan Canyon
- TX Bob Willis hit: "Take \_\_\_ Back"
- TX Prentiss series: "He and \_\_\_"
- Dallas Scofield who compiled a famous reference Bible (init.)
- this Rocket was almost Cowboys 1st draft pick in '91
- this Juan named El Paso
- drunkard
- flume floaters at Six Flags Over TX
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# As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



Just like everything else, an awful lot has changed since I was a boy who had a few firecrackers to celebrate July 4th.

First, and possibly foremost, I said "a few" firecrackers. Money was hard to come by in those days, and firecrackers, even though you could get a hand full for only a quarter, were a luxury.

Roman candles, bottle rockets and all that kind of stuff hadn't even been heard of by those with whom I ran around. Just plain ole firecrackers was all there were.

And, because they were so hard to come by, one never considered setting off a whole string of them at one time. We saw such activity in the newsreel at the movies, but it wasn't something we ever undertook.

We'd make a string of firecrackers last a couple of hours, setting them off one at a time.

I'm sure there were some injuries

caused by firecrackers exploding before they were thrown, back then. But I don't remember being around whenever it happened.

I'll admit, we did a foolish thing back then. We all wanted to see who's firecracker could make a can go the highest.

But that is not a suggested activity these days. And, for all practical purposes, I can go along with it. I know I certainly wouldn't want one of my grandchildren injured doing something like that.

Without a doubt, the safest, and

probably the most impressive, way to have fun on July 4th is to go watch a professionally-operated fireworks display like they have in Wichita Falls.

I know, I never suggest going to Wichita Falls for anything. But, maybe for something like this, I'll make an exception.

But, just because I did some foolish things when I was a kid, and got by with it, doesn't mean you or your children should try the same thing.

Well, I'll admit it: what I did when I was a kid, playing with fireworks, was plainly foolish! And dangerous!

## Fireworks-fires cause concern for officials

### Hot tips for fireworks safety

Watch for hot, dry weather with scattered wildfires in Texas this Fourth of July.

That's the prediction -- unless Mother nature provides fortuitous rain or Texans do a better job of practicing fireworks safety.

"Weather conditions are an important indicator of how many fires will occur during fireworks season," said Mike Hines, executive director of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection.

"Based on general weather trends for this summer, it looks like we might have a really hot Fourth. That means fire fighters will probably be facing a large number of fireworks fires unless the public makes a special effort to prevent fires caused by fireworks."

Both the National Weather Service and the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission (NRCC) predict generally hot and dry weather across the state through June.

"In general, we do not anticipate substantial rainfall during the month of June," said State Climatologist George Bomar of the NRCC. "For the Fourth of July, we are looking at drier conditions. That means a high fire potential."

Fire service personnel agree that dry weather increases the risk of outdoor fire.

"Because many parts of the state had a lot of rain in May, grass and other vegetation could be really overgrown,"

said Hines. "Dry weather in June means all that vegetation is getting dried out. If someone is careless with fireworks in an area with dry grass and brush, it could be an instant disaster."

In 1992, fire departments reported more than 640 fires caused by fireworks. These fires caused property damage estimated at \$500,000, according to the Texas Fire Incident Reporting System.

More than three-fourths of fireworks fires involve trees, brush and grass. Almost a third occur in the late afternoon and evening, and about three-fourths occur during July.

"Virtually every fire that involves fireworks was caused by carelessness," said Hines. "Simply being more careful with fireworks could save hundreds of thousands of dollars in property damage and expense in putting out these fires."

Leave the fireworks to the experts. Watch a community display, which will be more spectacular and exciting than using "common fireworks."

Use fireworks only in clear areas away from trees, dry brush and homes.

Read and follow the directions exactly. If you don't understand the directions, don't light the firework. Never let children use fireworks.

Keep a bucket of water nearby while setting off fireworks.

Contact your local fire department for more information on how to use fireworks safely.

Be careful with fireworks, and you will reduce your chances of causing a fire or being injured. The Texas Commission on Fire Protection lists these guidelines for using fireworks as safely as possible:

**Buy fireworks only from a licensed vendor.** A fireworks vendor must obtain a license or permit from State Fire Marshal's Office (which is a division of the Texas Commission on Fire Protection).

**Know the law in your community.** Many cities and communities have laws that regulate the possession and use of fireworks. Contact your local fire department, sheriff's office or police department for rules in your community.

**Read and follow the directions exactly.** If you don't understand the instructions on the fireworks, don't take a chance by lighting the firework.

**NOTE:** All fireworks sold in Texas must be clearly labeled that they conform to the standards of the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission and the U.S. Department of Transportation. Federal law says that all fireworks must have easy-to-read cautionary labels and instructions for proper use.

**Use fireworks outdoors only, in a clear area away from houses and other flammable materials.** Stay away from areas with grass, trees, gasoline cans, wooden decks and anything else that can catch fire.

**Keep a bucket of water nearby while setting off fireworks.** Pour the water on any malfunctioning fireworks ("duds") or accidental fires. Immerse minor burns in the cool water.

**Never let children use fireworks.** Always designate a responsible, sober adult to ignite the fireworks.

**Keep everyone a safe distance away from the area where the fireworks are ignited.** Watch children under 15 years old very closely.

**Be sure that the fireworks will not contact or land on any potentially dangerous objects.** Be sure that aerial fireworks, such as rockets and roman candles, won't strike power lines or automobiles.

**Never touch a firework after it has been lit.** If the firework malfunctions, do not try to relight it or pick it up. Carefully cover all used fireworks with water.

**Never experiment with fireworks:**  
Don't take fireworks apart or mix anything with the contents.  
Never make fireworks at home.  
Don't set off fireworks in metal, glass or other types of containers.

**After you have finished lighting fireworks, cool the remains with water.** Collect all used fireworks materials and put them in a metal container. Cover with water again to reduce the chance of an accidental fire.

## Worth Quoting

Every American that receives their local newspaper through the U.S. Postal Service (USPS) can breathe a sigh of relief. The cost of that service will not increase over the next few years.

Some months ago the USPS announced that it would seek a 10.7 percent increase in postal rates. Though widely covered by the national news media as an increase in the cost of a first class stamp from the current 29 cents to 32 cents, there were other parts of the proposed increase not mentioned.

One class of mail -- second class in-county -- was singled out for a tremendous 34 percent increase in rates. That large increase would have hiked subscription rates for mail newspaper subscribers by \$1.50 to \$3 per year.

The justification the USPS used for raising the second class in-county rate by such a large amount was that its figures showed that second class mail volume had dropped over the past five years and delivery costs had increased.

Small weekly newspaper publishers across the nation did not believe the figures of the USPS. They banded together under the guidance of the national Newspaper Association (NNA) to refute those numbers.

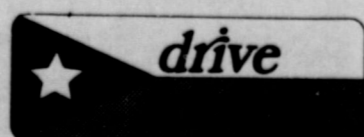
From personal experience many of the publishers knew that their num-

ber of mail subscribers had increased, not fallen, in the past five years. Also, all newspapers that use second class mail do most of the sorting, labeling, bagging and other operations for the USPS.

Using data collected from its membership, NNA proved to the USPS that its numbers were wrong. As a result, the USPS has re-thought the scheduled increases for in-county second class mail and has now recommended that the class of mail have either no increase or a slight decrease in rates.

The entire process is a perfect example of how citizens can influence the massive federal bureaucracy. The real winners in this confrontation between the USPS and NNA are not the small newspapers of this nation, but the people that pay to have those newspapers delivered through the mail. The cost of their hometown news will remain the same.

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# Bates, Chitwood vows pledged June 18 in candlelight ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wayne Chitwood are at home in Wichita Falls after a honeymoon in Cancun, Mexico.

Mrs. Chitwood is the former Leisa Noell Bates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Bates of Iowa Park.

Parents of the groom are Mrs. Stella Cotton of Wichita Falls and Glenn Chitwood Sr., of Mojave, Calif.

The couple pledged vows of matrimony June 18 at 7 o'clock in a candlelight ceremony in First Baptist Church of Iowa Park. Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, directed the couple in their exchange of double ring vows.

Two brass spiral candelabra, each enhanced by large white satin bows and 15 white tapers, were in flanking positions on the upper level of the altar. A brass fan candelabra, with 15 white tapers, centered the altar. It was accented by a starburst arrangement of fresh white roses, pink stargazers and green fern. On either side of the central arrangement were large Boston ferns resting on brass stands.

The unity candle was in a triple brass candelabra placed to the left of the fan shaped candelabra. A large white bow and an arrangement of fresh white roses, pink stargazers and green fern complimented the unity candle. The center candle held the couple's wedding invitation.

Four center pews were marked with tall brass aisle candelabra with white hurricane chimneys, and large white bows. Alternating pews were decorated with teal, fuchsia, hot pink and purple bows.

As guests arrived, they were greeted by Melanie Chitwood, the groom's sister-in-law. She escorted them to the register table. The table was decorated with a lace runner embroidered with seed pearls and iridescent sequins, a framed photograph of the bride and groom as children and a framed photograph of the couple at the groom's senior prom in 1990.

A Precious Moments wedding book, given to the bride by Gay Williams, a family friend, a white plume pen and a family Bible opened to the Book of Ruth, completed the sentimental setting.

Music preceding the ceremony included "Your Song", sung by Bryan Fowler and "Wedding Song", sung by Brandi Catlin. Mary Helen Schell, organist, played favorite melodies during the candlelighting and the traditional "Wedding March". During the ceremony, the vocalists sang "Household of Faith".

The bride's father, with her mother, gave her in marriage.

The fitted bodice of her exquisite satin and Schiffl lace bridal gown was accented with lace, pearls and iridescent sequins. It featured a Sweetheart neckline. Dangling teardrop pearls added interest to the puff sleeves of the gown.

The full skirt was enhanced with lace medallions embroidered with pearls and iridescent sequins. Schiffl lace scallops bordered the edge of the skirt. Her cathedral train repeated the cut-out lace medallion motif with pearls and iridescent sequins.

A band of iridescent sequins and pearls held her fingertip veil of layered bridal tulle. She wore teardrop pearl earrings with iridescent accents to compliment her gown.

For something old the bride wore

a six-pence in her shoe, which a family friend wore in her wedding 30 years ago. Something blue was her lingerie and she wore a diamond bracelet, borrowed from her sister-in-law, Julie Bates. Her gown served as something new and she added to her attire a white satin and lace garter, made by her mother. It was adorned with seed pearls, sequins and three sets of teardrop pearls centered in a white satin bow.

The bride's cascading bouquet was a floral creation of fresh white roses, fuchsia pink stargazers and accents of white stephanotis. Smilax, tree and leatherleaf greenery added decorative interest to the bouquet.

Jan Parkey of Wichita Falls attended the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Lisa Wiggins of Abilene, Stephanie Ward of Carrizo Springs, Leigh Anne Medlock of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, and Terri Chitwood of Wichita Falls, sister of the groom.

The attendants wore identical floor length gowns of purple chintz, designed with a straight skirt. A portrait neckline and short cap sleeves defined the bodice. The fabric was draped to one side of the waistline and was secured with a row of pearl buttons. They wore drop earrings with purple gemstones and teardrop pearls, which were a gift from the bride, and matching purple shoes.

Their sweetheart bouquets were styled of fresh pink roses, pink stargazers, purple statice, teal net, purple satin leaves, and tree fern.

Morgan Brooking of Wichita Falls served as flower girl. She was attired in an ankle length white satin dress with net overlay, and a large bow for back interest. The puff sleeves were trimmed in the same lace pattern that bordered her skirt. She wore a white satin bow in her hair and dainty short lace gloves.

She carried a white straw basket filled with pink satin rose petals. It was decorated with satin bows and streamers of purple, pink and teal.

Ringbearers were Michael Bates of Corinth and Benjamin Bates of Wichita Falls, nephews of the bride.

Each wore black tux with paisley cummerbund and bow ties. Each carried a handmade white satin pillow filled with lace with seed pearls and iridescent sequin accents.

Candlelighters were Brittany and Bree Ann Taylor, the bride's cousins and Jessica Cockrum. They wore identical floral dresses in the bride's chosen colors.

Glenn Chitwood Jr., of Burkburnett was his brother's best man. Groomsman were Jonathon Golden of Odessa, Bobby Bates of Corinth, Jerry Bates, Wichita Falls, brothers of the bride, Curtis Chitwood and Thomas Wells, both of Wichita Falls and brothers of the groom. Golden, Bobby and Jerry Bates and



Mrs. Travis Wayne Chitwood  
(Miss Leisa Noell Bates)

Thomas Wells also served as ushers.

The groom wore a black tux with tails, black bow tie and cummerbund, and a boutonniere of white roses and tree fern.

The best man, groomsmen and ushers wore black tux with paisley cummerbund and bow tie in purple, pink and teal, with boutonnieres of pink roses, purple statice and tree fern.

Father of the bride wore black tux with black tie and cummerbund and a boutonniere like those of the groomsman.

Mothers and grandmothers of the couple wore corsages of pink roses, purple statice, teal net, purple leaves and tree fern.

The reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. Upon entering the reception area, guests were directed to the registry table. It was covered with an antique ivory cloth, crocheted by the bride's maternal great-great-grandmother Brakebill.

Here, the table featured a portrait of the bride in a gold leaf frame, placed on an easel. Completing the setting was the bride's book and the unity candle.

The bride's table was covered with a white cloth and tiered white lace skirt. White tulle was draped around the upper border and knotted at the corners and center front with loveknots.

Fresh smilax drapes decorated the corners of the table. A Precious Moments bride and groom in their honeymoon vehicle, complete with cans tied to the back, was in front of a crystal punch bowl that contained

and groom, a gift from the maid of honor. The bride and groom were mounted on a white pedestal accented by white tulle, sprays of tiny white pearls, pearl leaves, hearts and white satin roses.

The cake was on a crystal three-tiered fountain surrounded by smilax, fresh white roses and pink stargazers. Purple napkins imprinted with the wedding date, the couple's names and a verse, "This day I will marry my friend, the one I laugh with, live for, dream with, Love". Crystal serving pieces and a Precious Moments cake knife and server engraved with the date and couple's names, completed the setting.

Serving at the bride's table were Julie Bates, sister-in-law of the bride, Laura Davis, and Candace Heidrich.

The groom's table was covered with a white cloth and tiered lace skirt. It was centered by a rectangular chocolate cake frosted in white and decorated with a large rainbow trout.

The cake was surrounded by fresh tree fern and fishing line, and an antique reel, interspersed with lures. A green rod holder, shaped like a fish with "Wishing I was fishing" printed on it was to the right of the cake and in front of the silver coffee service.

A photograph of the groom and his dog, holding one of his larger catches, a trout, was in a wooden frame with fish carvings. This was back of porcelain boy and girl figurines holding fishing poles that were centered on mirror tiles.

A divided crystal dish held chocolate and white mints. Another dish held gummy fish. A large silver punch bowl, silver serving pieces and crystal plates and cups completed the table setting.

Serving at the groom's table were Stacy Wells, sister of the groom, Randa Falke and Jolynn Cockrum. They were assisted by Gay Williams.

The bride chose for her traveling attire a hot pink linen straight line dress with a slit in the skirt front. The groom wore a matching hot pink striped skirt.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Billie Flo Uzzell and

Pam Tullis of Odessa, Liz Taylor of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ward, Carrizo Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Seton and Kelly of Clearlake, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coffey, Mrs. Rex Sever, Audra and Mason, all of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Thom Lambert of Southlake.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Iowa Park High School. She is attending Midwestern State University Nursing School and is a member and officer of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority. She is currently employed at Pathology Associates in Wichita Falls.

Chitwood is a 1990 graduate of Iowa Park High School and attended Tarleton State University. He is employed with Horton Construction at Sheppard Air Force Base.

## Arbor Day Foundation offers free guide book

A pocket guide for identifying trees, "What Tree Is That?," is available free of charge from the National Arbor Day Foundation.

The 72-page guide will help you identify 135 different trees found in the eastern and central United States.

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Dozens of drawings illustrate the trees' leaves or needles and their acorns, berries, seed pods, cones, etc. "What Tree Is That?" is organized to make it easy to identify trees in a simple step-by-step fashion.

"Helping people enjoy and appreciate trees is central to the educational mission of the Arbor Day Foundation," John Rosenow, the Foundation's president, said. "Being able to identify trees is important to knowing how to care for them and how to plant the right tree in the right place."

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HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Secret grand jury testimony from a 1993 investigation into U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison's term as state treasurer has been published in the weekly *Dallas Observer*, and the newspaper attributed the disclosure to Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle.

The article in the *Observer*, written by Miriam Rozen, said that "... Earle granted (her) unfettered access to the Hutchison files" and that an office clerk helped her make photocopies of the secret transcripts.

Earle denied that, saying, "I have not released any grand jury information to any of the major newspapers, and I certainly would not do so to the *Dallas Observer*."

The report recounted allegations that as treasurer, Hutchison used state employees and office equipment for non-official purposes, and included testimony that former Hutchison aide David Criss asked for \$250,000 in exchange for his silence.

State District Judge David Perkins of Austin told the *Houston Post* he was not sure what he was going to do about the disclosure.

A Tarrant County grand jury in February found Hutchison not guilty of ethics violations brought by the Travis County grand jury.

**Governor's Speech Draws Fire**  
Gov. Ann Richards' speech on self-reliance to a group of high

school girls drew criticism from Republicans who accused her of bashing males.

Speaking to the Girls State conference in Austin, Richards encouraged attendees to seek their purpose in life independently rather than surrender life choices to a "Prince Charming" who might be a toad in disguise, or, in her words, an overweight beer guzzler with a wandering eye.

George W. Bush, Republican nominee for governor, said, "... Our leaders should be building up the family, not tearing it down."

In response to Bush, Richards said, "The interesting thing is that I have been making virtually the same speeches for more than three years. No one seemed to object until there was some politics involved."

Penna Dexter of Plano, a spokeswoman for Concerned Women for America, also said Richards' comments were "negative with regard to families."

But Kristy Grayson, 17, of San Angelo, told the *Dallas Morning News* that she did not hear anything Richards said that was offensive to men or women.

"She specifically told us that she had the most admiration for any women who tries to have a career and still raise a family," Grayson said.

**Richards Proposes Curfew**  
The governor also proposed a statewide evening curfew for young people, similar to those already in place at Austin, Dallas and Houston.

Speaking last week to a group of at-risk students at an Austin high school, Richards said, "I'll do anything I can to encourage local communities to implement curfews and, if I have to, I'll support legislation to do that."

Richards said that according to a report by the Austin police, juvenile arrests for violent crime have dropped 19 percent since the city's curfew went into effect.

Bush said he is against a statewide curfew, saying "local

control is essential."

**Ballpark Financing Hit**

Meanwhile, the governor took a swipe at Bush over the way his baseball team's new ballpark was financed.

Chuck McDonald, a spokesman for Richards' re-election campaign, said that \$141 million of the Texas Ranger's Ballpark at Arlington came from a sales tax increase and city bond guarantees. McDonald pointed out that the GOP platform opposes public money to fund private enterprise projects.

Bush spokesman Reggie Bashur said Richards' campaign was engaging in "a political shell game." He said the governor signed legislation needed to move the project forward.

Bush is managing partner of the Rangers.

**Greytok Seeks Clinton Records**  
Marta Greytok, GOP candidate for land commissioner, said she has filed a lawsuit against President Clinton, seeking documents about Clinton's ties to Democratic Land Commissioner Garry Mauro. Mauro ran Clinton's Texas campaign in 1992.

Greytok said White House officials hadn't responded to her request for the records under the federal Freedom of Information Act.

Mauro's campaign manager, Andres Gonzalez, said, "This is a feeble stunt by our opponent to generate publicity for herself and to jump-start a campaign that has never gotten off the ground."

**Decision: Race Not a Factor**  
An Austin jury has said race was not a factor in a 1992

decision by the Texas Department of Public Safety to deny an officer's promotion to the Texas Rangers.

Michael Dexter Scott, a sergeant investigator in the DPS criminal intelligence division in Houston, contended that he was denied promotion to the Texas Rangers because he was black.

In its June 21 proceedings, the jury also found that the DPS method of interviewing did not hold back promotions from minorities.

**Deadbeat Lawyers Peeve Parker**

State Sen. Carl Parker, a lawyer himself, said he is considering introducing legislation that would keep tax-shirking lawyers from getting their licenses.

Last month, Comptroller John Sharp estimated that 3,400 of the 39,000 lawyers in the state have not been paying a \$200 annual state professional occupational tax and about 2,300 of them have never paid the tax since it went into effect in 1992.

Parker, D-Port Arthur, told reporters, "I wouldn't want a lawyer who didn't obey the law to represent me."

About \$1.3 million in back taxes is owed by the deadbeat lawyers, according to the comptroller's office.

**KKK Member List Protected**

The Texas Supreme Court said last week the state cannot force Texas Ku Klux Klan leader Michael Lowe to divulge the secret list of his group's members.

In a decision reached without hearing oral arguments, the court

said the state was wrong to jail Lowe, Knights of the KKK grand dragon, for refusing to surrender membership lists.

The trial court had ordered Lowe to release membership lists, but the high court said the "rights to form, discuss and express unpopular views" were protected fundamental rights.

**Speaker Pete Laney Saluted**

More than 2,000 constituents and friends from every part of Texas crowded into Plainview's Ollie Liner Center last week to pay tribute to House Speaker Pete Laney.

The mostly boots and jeans crowd included former Gov. Preston Smith, Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, Secretary of State Ron Kirk, 77 legislators and former House Speakers Billy Clayton and Gib Lewis. All praised Laney for integrity, fairness and leadership ability.

"Pete Laney brings common sense, the knowledge of working

with people in both parties and getting the job done," said Bullock. "He's tight-fisted with a buck, yet he has a vision that helps every school in Texas."

The catered dinner — beans, cornbread and barbecue — was free to everyone who attended.

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# GARDENING HINTS

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

Summers in Texoma usually bring searing heat, dry winds, and little to no rainfall.

This combination of stress factors can take a toll on our landscapes, lawns and gardens. Following a few simple guidelines can help save you money and water and your plants as we combat the heat of summers.

### Lawn Irrigation:

\* Established warm-season lawns (Bermuda and St. Augustine) will require an inch of water every five to six days. Most sprinklers attached to the garden hose will need to run for four hours in one area to accomplish this.

\* Water in the early morning when evaporative water loss is at a minimum. Avoid watering during the heat of the afternoon.

\* Avoid watering lightly every other day. Remember that deep watering (one inch every five to six days) promotes stronger and more drought-tolerant turfgrass.

\* During a drought period, raise the mowing height of your lawn mower one setting. This will encourage a deeper root system in your lawn.

\* Use hose-end sprinklers which emit large droplets of water close to the ground.

\* Avoid using sprinklers which spray a fine mist high into the air and waste water.

\* Use a 3-1-2 or 4-1-2 ratio fertilizer which contains slow-release nitrogen every six weeks on warm-season lawns. These fertilizers are also appropriate for trees and shrubs in the landscape. Follow all label rates and directions when using fertilizers.

### Tree Irrigation:

\* The feeding root-system of a tree is located within the top 18 inches of the soil and at the dripline of the plant. The dripline is the area directly below the outermost reaches of the branches.

\* Apply water just inside and a little beyond the dripline, not at the trunk.

\* Simply lay a slow-running hose or sprinkler on the ground and move it around the dripline as each area becomes saturated to a depth of eight to 10 inches.

\* In the absence of rain, most established trees will benefit from a monthly watering. Remember, normal lawn watering is not a substitute for thorough tree watering.

Marginal lawn burn (burn or death

of the leaf edges) is a sign of moisture stress. This occurs when there is a prolonged period of insufficient water in the leaf tissue.

### Other Tips for Saving Water:

\* Use several inches of mulch around shrubs in your landscape beds. Mulch conserves moisture, reduces weed control, and moderates soil temperature.

\* Use drip-irrigation or soaker hoses in landscape beds. Water applied by these instruments has little chance of waste by evaporation or runoff.

\* Any newly-planted trees or shrubs will require more frequent watering until becoming established.

\* Select and plant only those plants which are proven performers for your region. Complete plant recommendation lists are available at your local county extension office.

### Helpful Hints

It is unlawful for any person to keep a swine within the city.

# Wildlife habitat enhancement through brush management

By BRAD K. TEPLICEK  
SCS-Iowa Park

Brush is an important habitat component for many wildlife species in this part of the state, as well as in other parts of Texas. Personnel at the Soil Conservation Service will assist landowners and operators in planning a brush management program that will be beneficial to wildlife species.

Total brush removal will harm more wildlife species than it will benefit, but excessive brush reduces other valuable habitat components such as forbs and grasses.

Brush also competes for moisture that would nurture nesting habitat and winter food. Properly designed brush patterns coupled with proper grazing management of livestock will provide excellent habitat for many wildlife species.

Brush management should be planned and applied in a manner that will retain proper amounts of food and cover plants for desirable wildlife indigenous to the area.

As a general rule, the leaving of 10-50 percent of the area or acres of trees and associated brush is normally satisfactory to retain habitat elements

for wildlife associated with the area.

Brush control should be done in a manner to provide for travel lanes, escape cover, loafing areas and browse plants. By controlling brush in the above manner, a condition known as an edge effect will be developed. This edge effect greatly increases and improves the wildlife habitat.

Selectivity should always be used in removing the less desirable plants and leaving those plants which contribute to food and cover for wildlife.

In areas where extensive brush is being removed, an individual might consider planting wildlife plants consisting of annual food crops and/or shrubs and trees to improve the habitat for wildlife.

All brush retained for wildlife should be in such a way that it will compliment rather than interfere with the primary land use.

For further information or assistance in planning a brush management program, contact your local Soil Conservation Service Field Office at

402 N. Wall Street in Iowa Park, or feel free to call 817-592-4176.

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- Try not to take medicine in front of children, and never take liquid medicine directly from the bottle. Children imitate adult behaviors.
- Get rid of old medicines periodically by flushing them down the drain, rinsing the containers with water, and then discarding them.
- Dispose of hazardous household products in accordance with local ordinances. Always call your local recycling center for instructions on how to properly discard hazardous household chemicals.
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# Obituaries

## Munson Welch

Services for Munson Welch, 81, of Crowell were at 11 a.m. Monday at First United Methodist Church.

Leslie Thomas, and Rev. Jim Currie officiated. Burial was in Crowell Cemetery under direction of Womack-Manard Funeral Home.

Welch, father of Philip Welch of Iowa Park, died Friday in a Quanh hospital.

Born July 14, 1912, in Collin County, he was married to Lillie Mae Lett Jan. 18, 1936, in Crowell.

Welch was a longtime resident of Crowell. He was a member of First United Methodist Church where he served on the board of trustees. He was a charter member of the Methodist Men's Sunday school class, where he served as secretary. He served as president of Foard County Hospital Board 25 years. He was a farmer, rancher and owner and operator of Welch Butane Co.

Other survivors include his wife, another son, Miles of Arlington; one brother, James of Alto, N.M.; two sisters, Lucille Huffstutler of Edinberg and Frances Lee of Graham, and four grandchildren.

## Faye Collins

Faye Collins, 77, died Sunday in her home at Abilene. She was the mother of Shirley Alsup of Iowa Park.

Services were held Wednesday morning at Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home with Rev. Bob Green and Rev. Curtis Hayes officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park.

Mrs. Collins was born in Winfield, Ark. She attended schools in Megargel, Texas. She and George Collins were married July 24, 1933, in Walters, Okla. They moved to Abilene in 1953 from Megargel. She was a lunchroom supervisor for the Abilene Independent School District 20 years before retiring in 1979. She was a member of Grace United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, C.J. "Buster" of El Paso; three daughters, Shirley Alsup of Iowa Park, June Michaud of Abilene, and Jane Casselman of Port St. Lucie, Fla.; a stepson, Gene of Marble Falls; two sisters, Dorothy Richmond of Olney, and Tennie Thompson of Burkburnett; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

## Edna K. Wilkinson

Services for Edna K. Wilkinson, 84, were at 10 a.m. Monday at Devol, Okla., First Baptist Church.

Rev. Ward Hudson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Randlett, Okla., Cemetery.

Mrs. Wilkinson, mother of Kenneth Wilkinson of Iowa Park, died Friday.

Born June 22, 1910, in Honey Grove, she was married to James Virgil Wilkinson Oct. 8, 1927, in Wichita Falls. He died May 23, 1976.

Mrs. Wilkinson was a member of First Baptist Church. Her son, Jimmy Dean, died Jan. 30, 1938.

Others surviving are three sons, Glen of Bastrop, Gene of Dellard, Okla., Jerry of Hearne; four daughters, Gladys Davis of Mesquite, Sue Bowles, Walters, Okla., Margie Howell of Devol, and Virgie Mullins of Randlett; two brothers, Milton Marshall of Era, and Charles Marshall of Fremont, Calif.; three sisters, Gladys McCammon of Albuquerque, N.M., Ruth Dickerson of Muenster, and Jo Ann Tolson of Silverville, Tenn.; 21 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to Devol Baptist Church or the Randlett Cemetery.

## Jewel O'Dell Price

Services for Jewel O'Dell Price, 79, of Penwell, were Monday at 2 p.m. at Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home in Odessa.

Rev. Ernest Easley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Rhodes Cemetery in Penwell.

Mrs. Price, sister of Floyd Browning and Jarvis Wolf both of Iowa Park, died Saturday at her home in Penwell.

Born May 5, 1915 in Lohn, she was married to Herman J. Price April 28, 1939 in Electra. She had lived in Burkburnett 41 years before moving to Penwell in 1989. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church of Odessa.

Other survivors are her husband; one son, Arthur J. of Penwell; one daughter, Covie C. McIlroy of Wichita Falls; three grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Southwest, Odessa, Tx.

## THE WEEKLY OIL AND GAS REPORT

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RRC DISTRICT 9 - WICHITA FALLS

### WICHITA COUNTY

ATAPCO of Houston, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 4 miles W of Burkburnett. The H. REILLY Well No. 136-A, located in the L. C. Dennison Survey, A-55 on a 2100 acre lease, tested 9 BO/D, no gas, 35 BW/D on pump from perfs 1509-15' after frac treatment.

CODA ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2.5 miles NE of Electra. The W. P. & J. F. BICKLEY Well No. 136, located in the J. F. Torrey Survey, A-313 on a 332.75 acre lease, tested 15 BO/D, trace of gas, 220 BW/D on pump from perfs 996'-1004', 1020-27', 1274-93', 1662-72' and 1831-40' after acid and frac treatment.

CODA ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2.5 miles NE of Electra. The W. P. & J. F. BICKLEY Well No. 137, located in the C&M RR Co. Survey, A-594 on a 332.75 acre lease, tested 14 BO/D, trace of gas, 185 BW/D on pump from perfs 884'-891', 1026-36', 1266-75' and 1510-25' after acid and frac treatment.

CODA ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 2.5 miles NE of Electra. The W. P. & J. F. BICKLEY Well No. 138, located in the SP RR Co. Survey, A-280 on a 332.75 acre lease, tested 12 BO/D, trace of gas, 235 BW/D on pump from perfs 984'-1004', 1180-98', 1270-76', 1518-25' and 1810-18' after acid and frac treatment.

K. F. OPERATING CO. of Holliday, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Wichita County Regular Field well 4 miles SE of Electra. The DOUGLAS Well No. 29 is located in the Sec. 24, L. M. Collins Survey, A-399 on a 89 acre lease.

LANDRUM WEST, INC. of Burkburnett, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County Regular Field, 3 miles SW of Burkburnett. The J. E. ROLLER 'A' Well No. 6L, located in the Block 3, C&RR Co. Survey, A-50 on a 72 acre lease, tested 3 BO/D, no gas, no water, on pump from perfs 424-26' after frac treatment.

### ARCHER COUNTY

CRUTCHER OIL PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 10 miles SE of Archer City. The MCKINNEY Well No. 1, located in the Blk. 84, Jefferson C S L Survey, A-240 on a 46.83 acre lease, tested 20 BO/D, MCF/D, no water, on pump from perfs 1108-14'.

DENMAN-FRIESEN CO. of Lufkin, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 5700' depth S. Vogtsberger [Conglomerate] Field well 6 miles NW of Scotland. The CAMPBELL EAST Well No. 1 is located in the E. W. Simmons Survey #6, A-1271 on a 125 acre lease.

HAYDEN FARMER of Olney, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 5500' depth S. Burns-Jones [Mississippian] Field well 5 miles SW of Windthorst. The MCMURTRY 'B' Well No. 3 is located in the T E & L Co. Survey #1842, A-460 on a 40 acre lease.

JAMES B. MYERS of Olney, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1500' depth Archer County Regular Field well 2.50 miles SE of Megargel. The NEIMEYER Well No. 4-A is located in the T E & L Co. Survey #2415, A-1592 on a 120 acre lease.

### Card of Thanks

The family of Leota Weseman wishes to thank each one who said a prayer, sent a card, flowers, food, or called to enquire about our dear "Lotie."

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JOE B. HOOD of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1100' depth Archer County Regular Field well 10 miles SE of Archer City. The CANAN RANCH Well No. 15 is located in the Wm. Spavin Survey, A-371 on a 355 acre lease.

JOE B. HOOD of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1100' depth Archer County Regular Field well 10 miles SE of Archer City. The CANAN RANCH Well No. 16 is located in the Wm. Spavin Survey, A-371 on a 355 acre lease.

OLTEX PRODUCTION COMPANY of Olney, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 6 miles E of Megargel. The N. D. GOLDSMITH Well No. 25, located in the Block 5, J. L. Anderson S/D on a 70 acre lease, tested 1.5 BO/D, no gas, 20 BW/D on pump from perfs 1340-49' after frac treatment.

SHL OPERATING of Lubbock, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1155' depth Archer County Regular Field well 4 miles SE of Archer City. The PACE-EDGE Well No. 11 is located in the Sarah J. Williams Survey, A-785 on a 100 acre lease.

TALON PRODUCTION INC. of Wichita Falls, Tx has reported a DRY HOLE in the Archer County Regular Field, 12 miles NW of Archer City. The AMINEX-PARISH Well No. 1, in the Block 32, A. T. N. C. L. S/D, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1650'.

### BAYLOR COUNTY

BETTIS BOYLE & STOVALL of Graham, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Betty Lou [Miss-Chappel Lime] Field, 8 miles SE of Seymour. The FARR Well No. 1, located in the T&NO RR Co. Survey #227, A-370 on a 40 acre unit, tested 77 BO/D, 1 MCF/D, 19 BW/D on pump from perfs 5463-80' after acid treatment.

### CLAY COUNTY


RUWCO OIL AND GAS CORPORATION of Austin, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Joy [Mississippian Lime] Field, 2 miles W of Joy. The GOAD Well No. 1, located in the Sec. 20, Hiram Williams Survey, A-704 on a 180 acre lease, tested 70 BO/D, 42 MCF/D, no water, flowing on 8/64 choke at 385# from open hole 5937-63' after acid treatment.

### CLAY COUNTY

LANE OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 7000' depth Buffalo Springs Field well 4 miles SW of Vashti. The STARK-WATKINS UNIT Well No. 1 is located in the Blk. 56, Freestone C S L Survey, A-144 on a 40 acre unit.

### WISE COUNTY

MITCHELL ENERGY CORPORATION of The Woodlands, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 8000' depth Pruitt [Viola Lime] Field well 3.50 miles NNW of Rhome. The ADELE CLOUGH GAS UNIT NO. 1 Well No. 10 is located in the Blk. 61, Smith C S L Survey, A-744 on a 352 acre unit.



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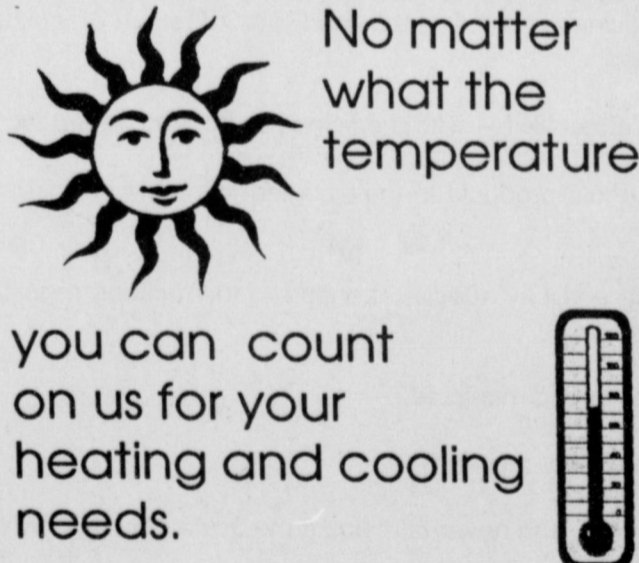
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Chad Davis

### Davis national award winner

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Chad Davis has been named a U.S. National Award winner in Mathematics.

Chad, who attends Iowa Park Junior High School was nominated for this national award by Mrs. Kelly Gibson, IPJH algebra teacher. His picture will appear in the U.S. Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

He is a member of the Student Council and the Junior National Honor Society.

Chad is the son of Terry and Amber Davis. Roy and Christin Reid of Wichita Falls and Kenneth and Earlene Davis of Iowa Park are his grandparents.

### Kamay firemen have busy week

Kamay volunteer firemen logged in a busy week, mostly fighting grass fires.

Tuesday of last week, the department assisted Electra in fighting a grass fire. The next day firemen extinguished an electrical pole fire in Valley View.

A grass fire south of Kamay called them out again on Friday. Sunday, the department was called out twice to assist Electra and Punkin Center units in fighting lightning-ignited grass fires on the Waggoner Estate.

During the department's monthly meeting Monday night, Kenny Naylor was elected assistant chief, and members discussed plans to fight anticipated grass fires over July 4 weekend.

### Iowa Parkans graduate MSU

Twenty-two students from Iowa Park completed degree requirements during the spring of 1994 at Midwestern State University.

Honor requirements are a grade point average of 3.9-4.0 for summa cum laude; 3.70-3.89 for magna cum laude and 3.5-3.69 for cum laude.

Bruce Lee Palmer graduated magna cum laude and Andrea Cay Blackwell graduated cum laude.

Other students who graduated this spring are Lisa Diane Ammons, Kevin Alton Armstrong, Betty Jane G. Carroll, Taffi Mathews Crawford, Ernest Edward Ferguson Jr., Janice Spears Fusclier, Maryjane Tiffany Gray,

And Laura Dawn Helwig, Lisa Gayle Hodges, Catherine M. V. Hoffman, Jeffrey Allan Huff, Ann E. Parkey Johnson, David Zack Johnson, Matthew Alan Jones, Cynthia Kay King, Toni M. McMurtry, Patricia Ann Reed, Melinda June Solomon, Theresa Ann Williams, Kami Dawn Wynn.

### CUB SCOUT NEWS

Webelo Camp will be July 6 at Camp Perkins. They will be leaving from the RAC at 11 a.m.

Don't forget to bring your Physical Form with you. Eat lunch or bring a sack lunch.

Wear a green shirt and don't forget your camping gear. Have a great time and enjoy your camping trip!

#### Helpful Hints

The owner of any deceased animal shall be responsible for the removal of the animal from public rights-of-way, recreation areas or private property.

### Iowa Park hosting all-star tournament

For the second consecutive year, Iowa Park will host the 13 year old Junior League All-Star Tournament, at the Senior League field next week.

Burkburnett will play Sheppard AFB at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, with the winner taking on Iowa Park Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

The loser of the July 5 game will play the loser of the July 6 game at 7:30 p.m. July 7.

On July 8, the July 6 and July 7 winners will play at 7:30 p.m., and if a second game is required, it will be played July 9.

### SPORTS Shorts



Stan Owen, who was an assistant football coach of the Hawks in the early 1960s, was recently named principal of Burkburnett High School. He is the brother of Dan Owen, who recently retired as superintendent of Holliday schools.

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701 S. Victoria 3-Br house had inside fire; approx. 1 acre. 20's  
309 E. Magnolia 3-BR with exterior steel siding; large lot. IN CONTRACT  
304 E. Bank  
9118 Hwy 258, Kamay 2-BR with family room, large lot, rural setting.  
4307 McCutchen, W.F. Small 2-BR in Faith Village; great back yard. 30's  
1005 W. Louisa 3-BR brick, new interior paint, carpet, countertop. 40's  
1002 Van Horn SOLD  
507 E. Benton Hwy. 79 in Petrolia, 3 BR, 1.62 acres.  
106 W. Magnolia IN CONTRACT  
708 S. Park IN CONTRACT  
718 W. Alameda 3 Br, nice lot, appliances remain.  
209 E. Garden Total electric 3-BR with good storage, covered patio. 60's  
1316 Emma 4-BR, 2 bath, 2-car garage, corner lot - must see. IN CONTRACT  
600 W. Coleman 70's  
714 W. Manes SOLD  
1851 S. Bell Rd. IN CONTRACT  
80's  
9920 FM 1180, Kamay Spacious home on 17.66 acres, horse barn, arena. 100's  
1758 Van Horn Road 3-BR home on 3 acres built in 1988; isolated master  
1504 Bentwood IN CONTRACT  
1607 Wagon Wheel IN CONTRACT  
3320 Bohner Rd., BK Large home in the country; many extras; land avail. Land  
1.73 Acres NE corner 3rd Street & 287 Serv. Rd.  
10.00 Acres South Peterson Rd. - good location.  
32.01 Acres Peterson & 287 Expressway  
79.12 Acres Johnson Road  
Commercial  
1.54 Acres Old Iowa Park Hwy & Magnolia  
Lots  
619 W. Clara Two lots.  
700 W. Clara 80X140 residential lot.  
500 Blk Smith 7 lots, approx. 1.9 acres; will sell separately.  
1808 Johnson Rd. 82.5 X 223.6 residential lot.  
600 Blk. W. Alameda 7 lots.  
**NEW LISTINGS**  
**1410 W. HIGHWAY**  
Three bedroom home on large corner lot has two living areas, formal dining, fenced yard, storm cellar, and pool.

Welcome To:  
**TEXOMA REALTY, INC.**  
OFFICE: 592-9622 723-7471  
IOWA PARK WICHITA FALLS  
Iowa Park North 3rd St. - 4 vacant lots. \$15,000.  
Wichita Falls 4902 Cypress - Beautiful 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, single car garage. \$63,000.  
1113 Alma - \$59,000, Unique home, 2BR, 2 extra rooms (could be bedrooms) 2 sun rooms, living, dining, kitchen. Great potential  
3810 Seymour Rd. - Vacant lot. \$20,000.  
Lakes Kemp - 1140 S.F. cabin, waterfront lot. \$18,500.  
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Buying or Selling - you are important to us!  
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Sarah Barker Cindy Witherspoon  
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We hold the Key to your new home  
**RESIDENTIAL**  
ALDINE COURT 86,900 New construction. Buyer can choose colors.  
902 VAN HORN 40,900 3-1 1/2-1, extra clean, Priced to sell.  
1508 KAREN 59,500 3-2-2, well-maintained home - extra clean.  
FOLEY 65,000 Above ground pool and corner lot enhances this possible 4 bedroom. Extra clean, 3-1 1/2-1. CONTRACT PENDING  
1313 BLUE JAY 47,000  
FM 369 65,000  
664 BELL RD. SOUTH 53,500 2-1 1/2-2, country-like living.  
1310 N. FOURTH \$52,000 SOLD  
1013 FOLEY 63,000 SOLD  
1408 LONGVIEW 42,500 City View area. 3-1-1  
1324 EDGEHILL TRAIL 44,500 3-1 1/2-1, super decor, move-in ready.  
1004 W. CORNELIA 44,500 3-1 1/2-2, super nice home  
606 W. MANES 82,500 SOLD  
ALDINE COURT 2 new constructions. Plans in office. Call for info.  
1003 WELLINGTON 59,000 3-1-1, shop, nice suburban property. PRICE REDUCED  
1017 W. CORNELIA \$44,0500 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, fireplace. \$44,000 current VA appraisal. CONTRACT PENDING  
1312 EDGEHILL TRAIL Low 50's  
1500 N. VICTORIA 4+bedroom SOLD

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Darrell Jolly 592-4926  
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NEW LISTING - 1209 S. WALL 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 2 living areas, single car caport, storage building, cyclone fence. \$29,500.  
NEW LISTING - 706 W. REBECCA Extremely nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath home. Formal IN CONTRACT. Built-ins, super yard. \$64,500.  
NEW LISTING - 1308 MOCKINGBIRD Take a look at this one - 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath, like new IN CONTRACT. neat patio room, 2 storage buildings and more. \$53,500.  
NEW LISTING - 1804 JOHNSON ROAD Spectacular new home construction. Approx. 1818 sq. ft. of living, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, \$104,500.  
NEW LISTING - 211 W. LAFAYETTE Very well-maintained mobile home, corner lot, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 3 storage buildings, fenced. \$27,500.  
PRICE REDUCED - 601 N. BEVERLY - W.F. 2 or 3 BR, large living area, formal dining, super nice cabinets in kitchen, large corner lot. \$27,000.  
PRICE REDUCED-2994 HORSESHOE BEND 3 BR-3BA, dining - breakfast area & breakfast bar. Ldr. room, living w/fireplace, study, TV room. Storage, pier. \$119,500.  
1892 HISTORICAL BUILDING - DOWNTOWN 2-story. Great for any business. \$25,000. Call Today!  
TIME SHARE CONDO In Christi, Colo. \$8,000. 3 weeks/year Call for info.  
NEW LISTING - 710 W. COLEMAN 3-2-2, covered patio, washer, stove, ground pool. IN CONTRACT. New central H/A with humidifier. Call Winnie.  
LAND! LAND! LAND! LAND!  
NEW LISTING - 25 ACRES Hacker Road... 10 minutes from Iowa Park. NEED AN OFFICE? This beautiful southwest style building has 2,590 sq. ft., beautiful entrance. 3 offices & huge area for storage. Conveniently located. Call Julie.  
NEW LISTING - 5 LOTS between Texoma & Victoria. Lots 3&4, \$2,000 ea. Lots 10, 11, & 12, sold as one parcel, \$7,500. 2 LOTS SOLD  
PRICE REDUCED - 1503 OLD ELECTRA RD Behind Cryovac. Approx. 2,286 sq. ft. 3 BR, 2 full baths, great room, office, formal dining, formal living, fireplace. Sits on two acres. Extremely nice. \$97,500.  
NEW LISTING - 705 W. SMITH 4 BR mobile home, 2 full baths. Nice additions to back. Freshly painted, lots of room. 3.24 acres. Call Winnie.  
NEW LISTING - LAKE KICKAPOO 130 Northside Lake. Super buy, living, 2 BR, dining, bath, double deck, on water front. Fruit trees, must see.  
509 W. ALAMEDA 3 or 4 BR home. 2 full baths, very neat and clean, carpeted. 2 storage buildings. \$40,500. Call Winnie.  
310 W. PARK 1 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 living area, very neat, very clean. Will look at all offers. \$11,500.  
1113 POLK Steel siding, central H/A, 2 BR, 1 ba., 2 living, 2 fir-places, built-in china cabinets, hardwood floors under carpet, double garage w/ G.D.O., sm. workshop. Call Julie.  
405 W. HARRISON - ELECTRA Super buy! Completely refinished inside and out. Setting room entrance, large living, large dining, 2 BR, 2 bath, large den, family room or 3rd BR. Central heat & air, garage. Must see.  
1412 TANBARK (CITY VIEW) Living room, fireplace, kitchen, 2 BR, 1 bath, 2 storage buildings, fenced yard, beautiful trees. A special price - Must see!

**MISC. FOR SALE**

**GARAGE SALE - 919 Foley.** Large refrigerator, dining table & 4 chairs, computer desk, rowing machine, lots of misc. Free lemonade w/purchase. Friday and Saturday, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. only. 6-30-1tp

**GARAGE SALE - 209 E. Garden, 8:00 - 12:00, Thursday.** Girbaud clothes, work shirts sizes small - 4x LS and SL, stereo, water skis, and more. 592-9613. 6-30-1tp

**MULTI-FAMILY Yard Sale - Saturday, July 2, 7:00 a.m. - 12 noon, 106 Hope Lane.** Honda MX50 motorcycle, chainsaw, TVs, books, household items, gas grill, clothes, lots of misc. 6-30-1tp

**102 WEST VIEW, Friday, 8-3.** Clothes (gymnastics, school, office), toys, books, lots of misc. 6-30-1tp

**L-SHAPE COUCH, \$350;** kingsize waterbed, new mattress & heater, \$150; Jenny Lynn crib, \$45; Omega computer, monitor, 2 disk drive and software, \$550. Call Keith, 592-4531. 6-30-1tp

**ALL BOY Garage Sale - clothes,** infant to size 3, stuffed animals, microwave or TV cart, Casio keyboard. Friday, 8-4, 306 Kathleen. 6-30-1tp

**1985 VIRAGO YAMAHA 1000,** \$2500 obo. Like new, garage kept. 592-4047. 6-30-1tp

**METAL OFFICE DESK & chair,** like new, \$125; antique piano, \$375. 592-4911. 6-9-tfc

**DOMESTICS**

**REGISTERED Child care,** Monday - Friday. All ages. 592-2825. 6-9-4tc

**BABYSITTING in my home.** Toddlers on up. 592-2557. 6-23-2tc

**QUALITY CHILD CARE -** opening for 18 mo. - 7, also after school care available. Dana, 592-2046. 6-30-2tp

**WILL DO IRONING.** Non-smoker. Reasonable rates. 592-5344. 6-2-tfc

**HELP WANTED**

**FULL & PART-TIME positions** available. Evening work. Need own transportation. 696-1045. 11-11-tfc

**HELP WANTED - must be** experienced in restaurant service. Must apply in person - do not call. 1:30-5:00 p.m., City Cafe, 114 West Cash.



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**LAWN CARE SERVICE -** Cutting, trimming, edging. Jerry, 692-2620. 6-16-4tp

**DALE'S YARD SERVICE -** Mowing, edging, garden work. Seniors rates. 592-9455. 6-23-tfc

**BUSINESS**

**EIBEN Home Repair and** remodeling. Additions, roofing, painting, sheetrock, doors, carpentry, patio covers, and more. Small jobs welcome. Reasonable rates. Licensed and bonded. 592-2053. 2-1-tfc

**REMODELING, additions, or** new constructions. Bath and kitchen remodels a specialty. Roofing, insulation and storm windows. Free estimates, references, discount for senior citizens. Jack or David Kerr, 5056 Old Electra Rd., 592-5710. 2-1-tfc

**GARY WILLIAMS, contractor.** Remodeling and renovating. Painting, carpentry, cabinets, formica work. Free estimates. 592-2480. 5-13-tfc

**TELEPHONE JACKS, Instal-** lation or repair. Affordable rates. Free Estimates. Jerry Reed, 592-2243. 2-11-tfc

**LAWN MOWER & weedeater** repair. Overhauls, blades sharpened and balanced. Also edgers and riding mowers. Yard work. Real reasonable. 592-5402. 12-9-tfc

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**PET SHOP - Fish - Bird** supplies. Books to trade. Call or come by. Check us out. Park Hobby Shop, 702 E. Hwy. 592-5242. 3-4-tfc

**BIOGIME SKIN CARE - all** natural products. Cruelty free. 817-696-1234. 5-13-tfc

**GROOMING - Call or drop** by anytime. Park Hobby Shop, 702 E. Hwy. 592-5242. 6-3-tfc

**MARY KAY Cosmetics -** Norma Young, Independent Sales Director. 692-1454, 495-3480. 1-13-tfc

**MARY KAY COSMETICS -** Call B.J. Gibson, Independent Beauty Consultant, 592-9395. 7-22-tfc

**ACCEPTING PIANO stu-** dents. Dave Bridgers, 592-4230. 2-17-tfc

**COPIES MADE at Parkway** True Value, 25¢ each. 2-1-tfc

**SCISSORS & knives** sharpened, \$3. 592-2650. 6-16-tfc

**FACSIMILE capability.** Glenna Via Insurance. 2-1-tfc

**\$1000 REWARD**

For information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons involved in theft, vandalism, arson, fishing or hunting on any of our properties in Wichita, Archer, Wilbarger, Clay, Wise or any other county in which we may have equipment located. Tom Swanson Oil Co., TS&T Drilling Inc. Ph. 817-495-3971.

**NOTICE**

**LOST - Female cat, spayed &** declawed. "Torti" (Calico), 11-13 lbs. Purple collar with rhinestones, answers to Maggie. Tag has phone 512/484-3067. Please call 592-4837. 6-30-1tp

**NOTICE**

**FREE to good home - 10-month-** old part Chow, part German Shepherd. Likes kids. 592-4047. 6-30-1tp  
**FREE PUPPIES - Shepherd/** Blue Heeler mix. 5 females, 11-weeks-old. 592-9563. 6-30-1tp

**NOTICE TO LOCAL PERSONS NEEDING EMPLOYMENT**

The City of Iowa Park has been awarded a grant from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs under the Texas Community Development Program to make substantial sewer system improvements. The purpose of this advertisement is to notify local residents in need of employment that the city may have a future need to hire additional employees to help construct the project. Should you be interested, please come by the city hall to complete an employment application. For additional information, please contact the Equal Opportunity Officer noted below:

Mike Price, City Administrator  
City of Iowa Park  
P.O. Box 190  
Iowa Park, Texas 76367  
817/592-2131

6-30-1tc

**NOTICE TO LOCAL CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS**

The City of Iowa Park has been awarded a grant from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs under the Texas Community Development Program to make substantial sewer system improvements. The purpose of this advertisement is to notify local construction contractors of the project. All purchases over \$15,000 must be in compliance with the state competitive bidding law. If you are interested in placing a bid on the project when the city is ready to receive bids or if you desire additional information, please contact the Equal Opportunity Officer noted below:

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**NOTICE TO LOCAL CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL VENDORS**

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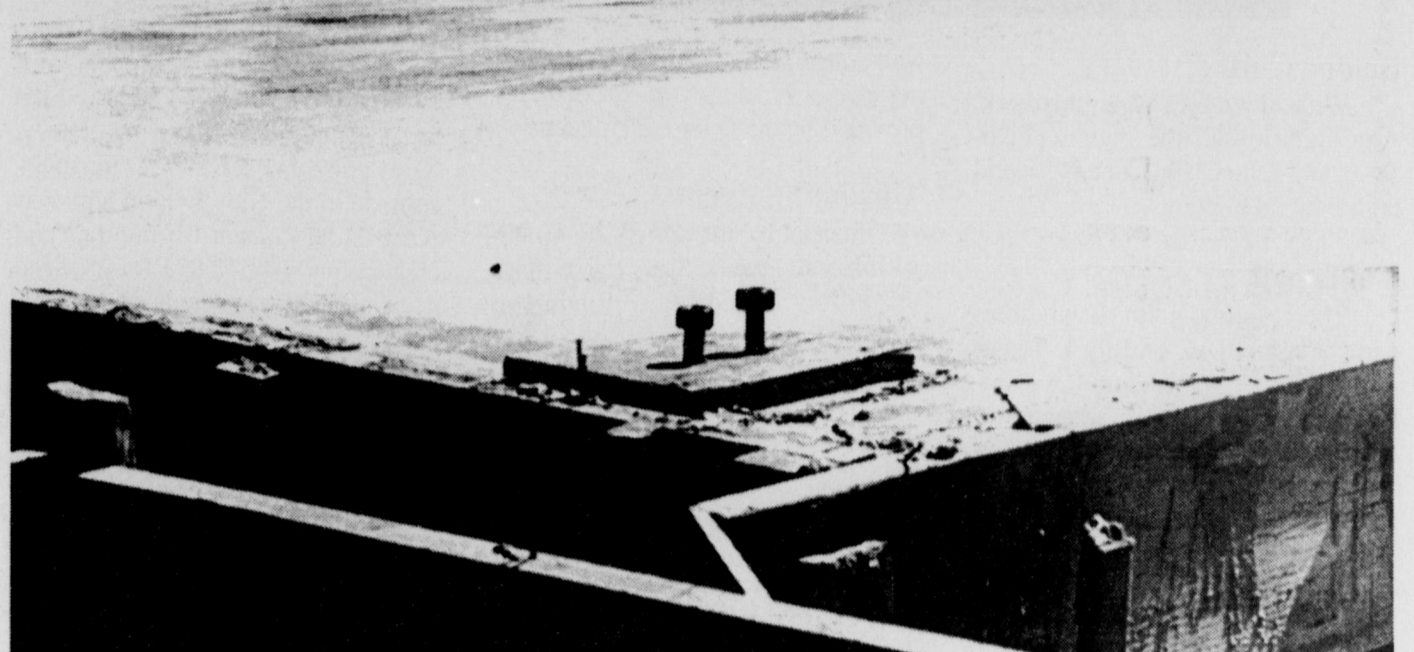
**CORRECTION NOTICE**

**CITY OF IOWA PARK**  
TCDP CONTRACT NO. 703371  
**OBJECTIONS TO STATE RELEASE OF FUNDS**

Project Title: Sewer System Improvements  
Purpose of Project: The purpose of the project is to replace an undersized sewer trunk line.  
Location of Project: A target area located in the southern portion of Iowa Park, Texas.  
Estimated Cost of Project: \$110,000 (TCDP) & \$59,350 (Local Funds)  
The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs will accept an objection to its approval of the release of fund and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other certifying officer of the Contractor approved by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs; or (b) that the Contractor's Environmental Review record for the project indicated omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR 58), and may be addressed to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, Texas Community Development Program, P.O. Box 13941, Austin, Texas 78711.  
Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be received by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs. No objection received after July 8, 1994 will be considered by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.  
6-30-1tc

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS, THAT:** the City of Iowa Park, Texas proposes to institute annexation proceedings to enlarge and extend the boundary limits of said city to include the following described territory, to-wit: **Beginning** at the Southeast corner of Block 10, Tarrant County School, Thence North 191 feet, along the East block line said block 10, Tarrant County School Land and also the center line of F.M. Highway 368, to a point in the center of computer course Number 57 to Number 58, City of Iowa Park Ordinance No. 165, said point being in the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 287 and the beginning point of this description. Thence North 861.17 feet along the center line of F.M. Highway 368, and the East line of said Block 10, Tarrant County School Land. Thence West 900 feet; Thence North 30 feet; Thence West 117.95 feet. Thence South 967.45 feet to a 1/2 inch reinforcing rod set in the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 287, a point between computer points Numbers 53 and 54, City of Iowa Park Ordinance Number 165. Thence North 89 degrees, 56 minutes, 21 seconds East 17.87 feet along the existing North right-of-way of U.S. Highway 287 to computer point Number 54; a highway monument. Thence North 85 degrees, 41 minutes, 19 seconds, East 653.34 feet along the North right-of-way to a highway monument. Thence South 89 degrees, 54 minutes, 22 seconds, East 259.22 feet along the North right-of-way to a highway monument. Thence North 60 degrees, 45 minutes, 05 seconds, East 40 feet to the **Place of Beginning** and containing 21.118 acres of land more or less.  
A public hearing will be held by and before the City Council of the City of Iowa Park, Texas on the 11th day of July, 1994 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall of the City of Iowa Park, Texas for all persons interested in the above proposed annexation. At said time and place all such persons shall have the right to appear and be heard. Of all said matters and things, all persons interested in the things and matter herein mentioned, will take notice.  
6-30-2tc



*CONSTRUCTION IS UNDERWAY on the new gymnasium being built by the Iowa Park Optimist Club, on the south side of the Recreational Activities Center. Concrete for half the floor was poured last week, and the other half will follow this week, according to a spokesman for the organization.*

**EXPRESS YOURSELF**  
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IOWA  
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**RAC NEWS**  
by Jo Lynn Cockrum

**Bridge Club**

With three tables in play this week, Ann Guthrie had the high score of 5840, and John Clapp came in second high with 3830 points.

**Volleyball**

There will be a 4th of July tournament at the RAC on July 1. Teams will be either 4 men or 4 women. Registration per team is \$40 and may be paid in advance at the RAC office or at the sand courts on Friday. Registration time is at 7:30 p.m., with play scheduled to begin at 8:00. For further information call the RAC at 592-4471.

**Dance Classes**

There are openings for students in tap, jazz, and ballet at the RAC on Tuesday afternoons. Classes are instructed by Michelle Church. Monthly fees for RAC members are \$20 per month. If you would like to register your child, please call the RAC office.

**Did You Know?**

Did you know that we have a game room/library at the RAC? For kids who would like to spend a little extra time at the RAC we have gathered up quite a collection of children's books, games, and puzzles. Students are welcome to enjoy them in Room 1 of the RAC during regular business hours (8-6 Monday thru Thursday and 8-4 Friday). Anyone who would like to donate more games or books is encouraged to contact the RAC.

**C&W Dance**

The monthly country & western dance at the RAC will be held next Thursday, July 7. The dance is from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. and everyone is

welcome to attend. Admission is \$3.00 per persons. Entertainment will be provided by the Over the Hill Gang.

**Upcoming Events**

Special events during the month of July will include Story Patch Players on July 14 and t-shirt painting on July 15. Each will be at a cost of \$1.50 per person. The Story Patch Players will perform at 2:30 p.m. and t-shirts will be done at 10:00 a.m. and at 1:00 p.m. For further details, watch this column.

**Helpful Hints**

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

**Welfare expenditures told**

The state spent a total of \$72,114, 322 last year for major welfare programs in Wichita County, and a total of \$629, 637, 699 for major welfare programs in Region IX counties, according to David Maberry, Regional Administrator of the Texas Department of Human Services.

"Medical assistance had the biggest impact, with \$11,200,400 spent for families and children and \$8,848,100 for the aged and disabled for hospitals, physicians, laboratory, X-ray and other services. Medical assistance in the Nine Region area was 123,018, 114, spent for families and children and 84,672,873 for the aged and disabled for hospitals, physicians, laboratory, X-ray and other services.

"Also, \$892,109 was spent for families and children, and \$2,647,775 for the aged and disabled in Wichita County for prescribed medicines. In Region 9 the amount spent for families and children was \$8,372, 199, and for the aged and disabled \$23,054,580 for aged and disabled prescribed medicines.

"Disproportionate-share hospital

payments totaled \$14,421,868 and in Region Nine the amount for these services totaled \$88,814,302. Nursing home costs of approximately \$14,949,276 were paid for aged and disabled residents in Wichita County, while Region 9 services cost was \$123,804,090. Community Care for Aged and Disabled spent \$3,582,995, in the county and \$28,659,896 were spent in the nine county area" Maberry said.

Food stamps worth \$12,689,287 were issued in Wichita County and \$114,809,069 in the nine counties for the fiscal year which ended Aug. 31, while Aide to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) totaled \$2,882,512, with a total of \$25, 432,576 in the nine counties. Food stamps are funded entirely by the federal government, while the department determines eligibility of applicants and issues the food coupons.

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