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NO INJURIES resulted from this spectacular one-vehicle accident Wednesday morning of last week, with the car's driver, Lenora Pearl Marshall, 32, apparently became faint and crashed into the fenced playground area at Golden Fried Chicken. Because it occurred at 8:20 a.m., no children were using the equipment. Estimated damages to the facilities were set at \$5,000.

Numerous grassfires keep dispatchers busy

The radio dispatchers at the Iowa Park Police Department were kept busy during the past week, taking calls concerning grassfires along with their regular complaints.

The dispatchers received seven fire calls in a period from 9:55 p.m. Wednesday to 9:24 p.m. Friday.

Six were for grassfires, either set by people setting off fireworks or being careless with cigarettes and igniting the extremely dry vegetation.

None of the grassfires were in the area of Lake Iowa Park, which was the only area where the setting off of fireworks was permitted during the July 4th celebration.

The other fire call concerned a vehicle.

In between all the fire calls, dispatchers were receiving calls concerning thefts and burglaries.

The owner of a vehicle that was parked overnight in the 800 block of East Bank reported a CD player and eight discs having been stolen.

A resident in the 700 block of Park Plaza told police Monday that two of four tires that were stored in the driveway had been taken.

And sometime between 9:15 p.m. Tuesday and 3:07 a.m. yesterday, someone was apparently scared

away while attempting to burglarize a vehicle parked in the 1200 block of Emma.

When police responded to that call, they determined that wires to a rear speaker had been cut, apparently in preparation for its removal, but five CDs were missing.

Four arrests were entered in the police blotter during the past week.

A county sheriff's deputy called the department to ask if any warrants were outstanding here for Cody Mac Podzemny, 18.

When the dispatcher checked the computer, the deputy was told there were, and the suspect was delivered to the police department.

Podzemny was wanted for three warrants, two of which were for failure to maintain financial responsibility and one for exhibition of acceleration.

He was released after paying \$156.50 on the fine for exhibition of acceleration, and signed a promise to appear in municipal court on the other two charges, which carry a total fine of \$620.

Jeremy Lynn Erskine, 19, was stopped by an officer on patrol in the 800 block of Johnson at 2:42 a.m. Tuesday, and a computer check determined three warrants were out-

standing against him.

Erskine was held at the police department until municipal court opened, where he was wanted on warrants for speeding over 10 MPH, a \$138 fine, and two charges of minor in possession, \$118.50 each.

He was released by the court after being given an extension for time to pay the fines.

When Erskine was stopped by the patrol officer, riding with him was a juvenile female. She was held at the police station, because of violating the city's curfew ordinance, until being picked up by her parents.

Cody Wayne Williams, 19, was taken into custody at 9:20 a.m. Tuesday because of three warrants issued by the Department of Public Safety in Montague County.

Williams was released after his fines totaling \$679 were paid at 10:36 a.m., according to the police blotter.

The warrants included: speeding, no liability insurance, and violation of promise to appear in court.

Nathaniel Lee Patterson, 23, was taken into custody at 3:02 a.m. yesterday in the 300 block of East Bank, on a charge of public intoxication. He was released at 11:25 a.m. after signing a promise to appear in municipal court.

City plan to provide emergency coverage for football postponed

A late development prevented the city council from adopting a resolution Monday night which would have assured emergency medical services and transportation at all varsity football games played here.

City Administrator Mike Price said he had been contacted by the county health department that it would have to approve the provisions being considered.

School districts were informed that an ambulance and emergency medical personnel are now required at all varsity football games starting this year.

At virtually the same time this was being announced by the University Interscholastic League, the ambulance service in Wichita Falls made it known it would no longer provide that service, on a stand-by basis as in the past.

Neither the city nor the fire department owns an ambulance, but it had been agreed that the Volunteer Fire Department's emergency van and personnel would be at the

The only known equipment that was not in the city's or department's inventory was a guernsey, and the school district had agreed to purchase that.

A guernsey is like a stretcher mounted on legs and wheels, used to transport an injured player after being picked up and placed into an ambulance.

However, Price told the council the county health department had informed him that everything must first be approved by its inspector.

Without that approval, Price told aldermen, volunteer emergency medical personnel could have their credentials withdrawn.

Such credentials are earned by the volunteers, based on training sessions and testing.

School personnel had told Price that the UIL required medical teams to be at the stadium at the start of all varsity football games. Should they be called away after the beginning of

The resolution being considered by the council had previously been agreed upon by school personnel, Price said. It included that the service could be provided at junior varsity games also, if requested.

It would provide that the school district would pay the same fee, \$150 for varsity and \$100 for junior varsity contests, with the funds being deposited in a special account to be used by the VFD.

Price told the council he could not say Monday night when the county health department would make its inspection.

In other business, the council adopted an ordinance completing the annexation of a tract of land, appointed Allen Shewmake to calculate and publish the effective tax rate for 1996, approved the Nortex 9-1-1 Communications District budget for 1996-97, and scheduled another of its budget work sessions to be held next Monday.

After two previously held publication of a residence at 706 South Texowa, action on that requested ordinance was completed.

The appointment of Shewmake to do the effective tax work was an annual action required by state law.

Aldermen decided to continue their study of the 1996-97 budget at 7 p.m. Monday, in council chambers.

During the general discussion period, Alderman Bob Hamilton spoke of his displeasure that the swimming pool had been closed last Thursday, which was the July 4th

Smoking now banned at all school functions

A complete ban on the use of tobacco products for all facilities and property of Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District will be in place this year, according to Supt. Mike Caplinger.

The major change from last year will be the absence of designated smoking areas, and the policy will apply to both students and adults alike.

Designated smoking areas were permissible under the Texas Penal Code (48.01a), however, the change came about with the new Texas Education Code (38.006), Caplinger points out.

Under the new code, all Texas schools must prohibit the use of tobacco products at school-related or school-sanctioned activities, both on and off school property.

The first sign of the policy change will be the absence of a smoking area at Hawk Stadium.

Caplinger said, "It's just one of those things we need to do, so I hope that people will cooperate as we make necessary changes."

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Polish exchange student to sample life in Iowa Park

An Iowa Park family will welcome a new "daughter" in August that will attend Iowa Park High School during the 1996-97 school year.

The student is Agata Lubomska, a Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.) student from Wroclaw, Poland. She will live with the Lisa, Kevin and

Amanda Lusignolo family for the academic year.

As a member of the Lusignolo family, Lubomska will participate in all family activities, from vacations to household chores. While her culture of Poland with her host family and her classmates, she will learn about the U.S. Culture.

Tractor, truck pull slated

The 23rd annual Tractor and Truck Pull sponsored by the Wichita County Young Farmers will be held Friday and Saturday at the Mounted Patrol Arena on FM 369.

Both performances are slated to get underway at 7:30 p.m.

General admission tickets will be on sale at the game for \$8 per person, while some box seats remain on sale at \$12 until Friday afternoon at Pleasant Valley Grocery.

A special event being introduced this year will be held for youngsters four through 12 years of age at 9 a.m.

Saturday. No entry fee will be charged.

The Pedal Tractor Pull-off will utilize special pedal-powered tractors hooked to a realistic sled, just like the adults use, according to coordinators.

Trustees in called meeting

A special called meeting of the Iowa Park School Board will begin at 5 p.m. today in the school administration building.

The first part of the meeting will be held in closed session concerning

P.I.E. is still looking for host families for many students from a variety of countries. If you are interested in hosting an exchange student or know of anyone who would be interested, please contact Wayne Harris, Area Representative at 800-216-4796 or Verna Riley, Regional Coordinator at 800-275-4060.

When the meeting reconvenes in open session, the agenda calls for action, if necessary, on any item discussed in the closed meeting.

Later, a superintendent and board work session on goals and priorities for the 1996-97 school year will be held.

NEWS BRIEFS

Commodity distribution scheduled

USDA food commodities will be distributed to eligible recipients between 3 and 6 p.m. Thursday, July 18, at First Christian Church Fellowship Hall.

The menu this month consists of canned sweet potatoes, rice seasoning and miscellaneous other groceries, according to Frances Park, coordinator.

Does your subscription to the Leader expire this month? Check the list on page 4.

Cook of the Week



Debbie Brandt

This week's recipes are some of the favorites of Debbie (Mrs. George) Brandt, vice principal at Iowa Park Junior High School.

Her recipe for "BBQ Chicken" was given to her by a friend in college. Two others are recipes she has used since the beginning of her married life. "Mrs. Peter's Yellow Pound Cake" is a recipe given to Debbie, when she and George were newlyweds, by an elderly neighbor. "She baked this cake for us every time she knew we were going to have company," Debbie said.

Debbie and George both graduated high school at Coleman. George finished three years ahead of Debbie, and received a degree in Animal Science from TSTU in Waco.

After they married, Debbie and George enrolled at Tarleton State University, where she earned her BA degree, and George got a degree in Agriculture Education.

The Brandts moved to Iowa Park when their first daughter, Amber, was three months old. George taught horticulture and agriculture at Iowa Park High School and Debbie taught at Kidwell Elementary.

After teaching four years, Debbie took two years off when their second daughter, Ashley, was born. During that time, she attended classes at Midwestern State University and earned her masters degree. She also served as president of Kidwell PTA, and did substitute teaching. When she returned to the classroom, Debbie taught seven more years at Kidwell, then moved to junior high where she has been vice principal the last two years. George is now teaching junior high science.

Their daughter Amber is 16 years old now and will be a junior at high school this fall. She plays in the band and jazz band, and is a member of FFA, where she is an officer, the Student Council, and 4-H.

Twelve-year-old Ashley will be in the seventh grade. She is involved in athletics, band, Junior FFA, and 4-H.

Debbie and George attend most athletic events, and are members of the FFA and Band Booster Clubs. They are also member of First Baptist Church, where Debbie will be teaching a five-year-old Sunday School class.

The Brandts have a swimming pool at their home. In the summertime, Debbie said she loves to swim or sit by the pool and catch up on her reading. She also enjoys arts and crafts, and likes to go to the local shows.

BBQ Chicken

This recipe was given to me by a college friend.

- 1 chicken or boneless chicken breasts
- 1 med. onion
- 2 Tbsps. fat
- 2 Tbsps. vinegar
- 2 Tbsps. brown sugar
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1 cup catsup
- 3 Tbsps. Worcestershire
- 1/2 Tbsp. mustard
- 1 cup water
- 1/2 cup chopped celery
- Salt to taste

Cut chicken up, roll in flour and brown in hot fat. Remove chicken from pan; drain off most fat.

Brown onion in fat; add remaining ingredients; simmer 30 minutes.

Pour over chicken and bake uncovered 1 hour at 325 - 350 degrees.

Mrs. Peter's Yellow Pound Cake

- 1 butter recipe golden cake mix
- 3/4 cup Wesson oil
- 1 sm. carton sour cream
- Mix and beat well.
- 4 eggs (add one at a time & beat well)
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 tsp. lemon extract
- Bake 45 minutes at 325 degrees.

Glaze:

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 5 Tbsps. orange juice
- 2 Tbsps. margarine
- Boil 1 minute and pour over hot cake.

Cream Cheese Pound Cake

- This is very good with a cup of coffee for a fast breakfast.
- 3 sticks margarine
- 1 - 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
- 3 cups sugar
- 3 cups flour
- 6 eggs
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 tsp. lemon extract

Cream margarine and cream cheese; gradually add sugar. Add eggs alternately with flour and then add flavoring. Bake in well greased deep tube pan 1 hour & 20 minutes at 350 degrees.

Cheese Garlic Biscuits

- We love the cheese garlic biscuits we get at Red Lobster and these are pretty close in taste.
- 2 cups Bisquick
- 2/3 cup milk
- 1/2 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 1/4 cup margarine, melted
- 1/4 tsp. garlic powder

Mix baking mix, milk and cheese until soft dough forms; beat vigorously 30 seconds. Drop dough by spoonfuls onto ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes or until golden brown.

Mix margarine & garlic; brush over warm biscuits before removing from cookie sheet. Serve warm. Yield: 10-12 biscuits.

Caramel Brownies

- 1 German chocolate cake mix
- 1 1/2 sticks margarine
- 1 egg

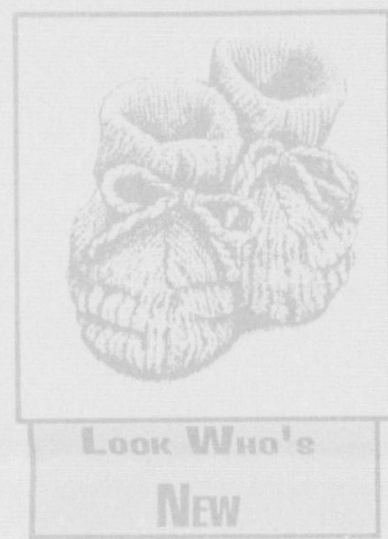
- 1 - 5 oz. can Pet milk
 - 14 oz. pkg. caramels
 - 6 oz. semi-sweet chocolate chips
 - 1 cup pecans (optional)
- Dump dry cake mix, egg and melted margarine into 1/3 cup evaporated milk. Pat 1/2 of cake batter into bottom of 13x9 pan. Bake 8 minutes at 350 degrees and remove from oven. Melt caramels in 1/3 cup evaporated milk. Fold in chocolate chips and pecans. Pour over 1st half of cake mixture. Cover with remaining cake batter. Bake 15-20 minutes longer.

Chicken Spaghetti

This is a recipe from early marriage, when I made casseroles on the weekend to eat during the week while in college and working.

- 1 chicken or 4 large chicken breasts (cooked & boned)
- 1 lb. spaghetti
- 1 can tomato soup
- 2 Tbsps. flour
- 1 large onion
- 1 small can pimento
- 1 cup mushroom soup
- 2 Tbsps. Worcestershire sauce
- 1 tsp. chili powder
- Salt & pepper to taste
- Canned chicken broth or save broth from cooking chicken
- 1 cup grated Cheddar cheese

Boil spaghetti in 5 cups chicken broth. Saute diced onion in butter and add. Add chopped chicken, tomato soup (thickened with 2 Tbsps. flour), pimento, soup, Worcestershire & chili powder. Mix together well. Add grated cheese on top. Bake in 9x12" dish at 350 degrees until it is bubbly.



Williams

A daughter, Heather Danielle, was born July 1 at 3:54 a.m. to David DeWayne and Ardenne Dawn Williams of Iowa Park. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Grandparents are DeWayne and Gay Williams of Iowa Park and Richard and Caroline Driscoll of Wichita Falls.

Great-grandparents are Lois and Fred Campbell of Lake Whitney, Virginia Keller of Nanticoke, Penn., Bonnie and Andy Arrington of Nocona Hills and Theresa Driscoll of Wilkes-Barre, Penn.

Hackers celebrate 25th

Karen and Billy Hacker of Lakeside City celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Wednesday.

Mrs. Hacker is the daughter of J.C. and Helen Huff of Iowa Park. Hacker is the son of Cris Hacker of Knox City, formerly of Kamay.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hacker are 1970 graduates of Iowa Park High

School. They were married July 10, 1971 at Bible Baptist Church in Wichita Falls.

Hacker is office manager for 3-T Exploration and Karen is a homemaker and musician.

They have three children, Matt of Fort Worth, Rebecca of Arlington and Mark of the home.



By JO LYNN COCHRAN

Bridge Results

With two tables in play, Estelcen Newman had the high score of 4340 last Wednesday. Vera Cantwell had the second high of 3500.

John Clapp had the high score of 4540 for the high on Monday, and Ann Guthrie had the second high of 4190. There were two tables in play. There are 10 players registered for next week.

Ice Cream Day

This week is ice cream week at the RAC and we will top off our activities on Friday by making homemade ice cream. If you would like to attend, please call the RAC at 592-4471 to make reservations. Cost for Friday is \$2.00 per person.

Thank You

Thanks to Mike and Joni Freeman for the great watermelon feast they provided us! The kids really enjoyed it.

Splash Week

Next week's activities will be based on a water theme. Plans include water balloon fights, wading pool boat races, water gun fights, water games around games. Parents, please keep this in mind when dressing the kids. Sending a towel would be a great idea... don't forget to put your name on it!

Farewell

We will soon say goodbye to one of our employees at the RAC. Angela Hambright, Assistant Director, will be leaving the RAC to serve her in-

Letters to Editor policy explained

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Class of 1976 plans reunion

The Iowa Park High School Class of '76 will have their 20th reunion July 19 and 20.

Family Night will be Friday, July 19, at Chapparel Baptist Church. A dinner and dance is planned for Saturday night, July 20, at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Wichita Falls.

Those who plan to attend and haven't made their reservations, should do so as soon as possible.

Reservations can be made by contacting Rhonda Shook Baumer at 592-4995, or Tina Dodson Dipprey at 438-2266.



Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kyle of Iowa Park announce the birth of their son, Caleb Gene Kyle. He was born June 27 at 3:40 a.m. at Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth. He weighed 3 pounds 5 ounces and was 16 1/2 inches long.

Caleb has two sisters, Lindsay and Tiffany, and one brother, Ethan.

Grandparents are Marie and Willie Bremer of Iowa Park, Mike and Kathy Owen of Jayton, and the late Gene Ray Kyle. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Forest Harper of Odessa and Mrs. Elizabeth Owen of Lubbock.



LIBRARY NEWS

REMINDERS

Summer Reading "Ready-Set-Read" packets need to be picked up.

Storytime class will be held Friday, from 9-9:30 for children ages 2 and up.

A special storyteller will present a program Tuesday, Aug. 13, at 2:30. Watch for more information in the weeks to come.

Extra materials (water bottles, puzzles, frisbies and pencils) are for sale at the circulation desk.

NEW VIDEOS (Donated)

Alien 3
Wall Street
The Color of Money
Bull Durham
Penny Serenade
Home Alone
Shakiest Gun in the West

NEW ADULT BOOKS

Nurses by Marcia Rose
The Fourth Estate by Jeffrey Archer
Ruins by Kevin Anderson
Blood Sport by James Stewart
Mischiefs by Amanda Quick

The Memoirs of Elizabeth Frankenstein by Roszak
The X Files by Anderson
The Heiress by Deveraux

Mystique by Quick

Rose by Smith
The Key to Susanna by Norman

NEW CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Why Christmas Trees Aren't Perfect by Richard H. Schneider
Scuba Diving by Norman Barrett
The Butterfly Alphabet by Kjell B. Sandved
The Doggenest Vacation by Richard Lynn Stack

TRIVIA

In the song "Yankee Doodle", why did Yankee Doodle stick a feather in his cap and call it macaroni?

The line refers to the pasta but to the Macaroni Club, a mid-eighteenth-century English social club of dandyish young men who wanted to bring the influences of the Continent to bear on their home country. Thus the line was originally intended to discredit American revolutionaries.



Roberts graduates Tech Magna Cum Laude

Michelle Deanne Roberts, a 1992 graduate of Iowa Park High School, was among the 2,000 students receiving degrees from Texas Tech University during 1996 spring commencement exercises.

She graduated Magna Cum Laude, receiving a B.S. Degree in Multidisciplinary Studies from the College of Education.

Michelle is a member of Kappa Delta sorority. Other organizations and honors at Tech include Student Association, College of Education Senator, Raider Recruiters, President's Ambassadors, President's Hostess, Student Alumni Board, Texas Student Education Association, Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society, Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, Golden Key Honor Society, Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society, Rho Lambda, Order of Omega Greek Honor Society, nominated for "Greek Woman of the Year" in 1995, listed in Who's



Michelle Deanne Roberts

Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, and named to the National Dean's List. Immediately after graduation,

Michelle and her family attended a reception where she was initiated as a member of the Nu Sigma Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, an international honor society in education founded in 1911.

Miss Roberts has accepted a position with the Allen ISD, and now resides in Plano.

She is the daughter of Beth Ellis of Iowa Park and Johnny Roberts of Mount Zion, Illinois. Her grandparents are Bill and Shirley Cobb, Vida Lee and the late Frank Roberts, all of Iowa Park.

Dewar earns master's

An Iowa Parkan, William Gary Dewar, was listed among 269 students at Oklahoma State Univ. who were graduated with a master's degree.

Dewar's degree is in mechanical engineering.

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Issue Focus: Irritable Bowel Syndrome

Irritable bowel syndrome (IBS), also known as spastic colon or spastic colitis, is the most common gastrointestinal disorder. It is a disorder characterized by a typical symptom: abdominal pain which precedes bowel movements and is relieved by the passage of stool. Bloating is typically present and mucus may be passed. Diarrhea may alternate with constipation, or one may be more common. Symptoms may occur within 30 minutes of eating, or one may need to rush to the restroom midway through a meal. One may experience a sense of incomplete passage of stool even though one is finished. The symptoms usually do not occur at night.

Since the illness is predominately one of spasm and the sensation of spasm, the diagnosis is usually made by interview and examination. An inspection of the lining of the lower colon (sigmoidoscopy) is usually required to rule out other possibilities.

The illness is generally life-long but is definitely controllable. The key goal in therapy is to have a soft, effort-free bowel movement each day. This can usually be achieved, and Drs. Dean and Panzer have a lot of experience in achieving excellent relief from these symptoms in their patients.

Interesting Fact

It takes a colon polyp (benign growth) approximately 7 years to become a colon cancer. Recent studies have proven that removing colon polyps prevents colon cancer.

From the Medical Literature

The recent issue of *The New England Journal of Medicine* suggests that fish oil may prevent recurrence of Crohn's disease. Crohn's disease is a type of inflammatory bowel disease, along with ulcerative colitis. These diseases represent an overactive immune system attack on the bowel wall. Various other treatments have been shown to be effective in the control of both diseases.

Medication Tip

Medications such as Zantac, Pepcid, Axid, Tagamet, and antacids are used in prescription doses to treat heartburn (acid reflux). If your symptoms persist, you may have an ulcer or severe esophagus damage requiring treatment. Difficulties in swallowing ("sticking") can be very dangerous and may even represent cancer. This symptom should be discussed with your doctor promptly and requires visual inspection of the esophagus with endoscopy.

Diet Suggestion

Your diet should include at least 25 grams of plant fiber based on an approximate 2000-25000 calorie diet. A serving of baked beans has approximately 18 grams of fiber while a serving of lettuce (typical salad) has less than a gram. The amount of fiber is listed on the food label.

How to Reach Us...

This newsletter is for your general information and is not meant to be a substitute for comprehensive and continuous care under a physician. However, Drs. Dean and Panzer welcome you to become part of their practice. Seek a referral from your family physician or contact them directly at (817) 322-1888 for an appointment.

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24 Dallas "oldies" disc jockey: "___ Carter young geese"
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36 TX lake sight: ___ boat
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39 TXism: "suits me to a ___"
43 "___ awakening"
45 to "rile up"
46 first state forest in Texas: ___ Siecke
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48 a Texas "good-bye"

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1 Houston team
2 famous TX song: "Streets of ___"
3 King Ranch bought Cananero II for ___ purposes
4 TXism: "she ain't ___ a day" (looks young)
9 "Ma's" mate
10 TXism: "a frog in ___ would have more fun"
11 TX Naylor was on TV's "___ dig"
12 what Lubbock's Buddy Holly did
13 TX electronics co.
14 TXism: "don't give a hoot ___ holler"
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As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



My conscience is hurting, and I've gotta right an omission I caused.

No, I haven't been beating any of my neighbors' children or stealing their watermelons.

I left out some information in a major story in last week's issue, and I hadn't mentioned it in years past, either.

I owe the Iowa Park Evening Lions Club an apology, because I didn't give them credit for a major contribution by them to our community.

It has to do with the building in which the Friendly Door senior citizens organization vacated last week, to move into their very own facility.

The Friendly Door has been housed ever since it organized in a building made available by the Evening Lions.

That civic organization purchased the old Koonce-McCullough Hardware Building at the corner of Cash and Wall. They did it for two primary reasons, as I recall.

Along with wanting their own meeting place, they wanted to provide space for the senior citizens to congregate.

The civic organization made it available at a cost one couldn't get anywhere: \$1 per year (but pay your own electric bill).

Obviously, the senior citizens were extremely happy to have a place

they could call their own -- and at a price they could afford.

It didn't hurt that the old building was one in which they had shopped or visited in for most of their lives. Most of the members knew every inch of the building, and could tell you of instances from the past well worth repeating.

I called the structure the Koonce-McCullough Hardware, when long before that it had been the Tanner Hardware.

Anyway, residents should know how much a contribution the Evening Lions Club made to our senior citizens, and how the Friendly Door was able to survive until obtaining a place of their very own.



WORTH QUOTING

Like most West Texans, we have never seen a rain we didn't like.

Thursday's rain was about as good as it gets... no wind, no lightning, no threatening skies, just slow and easy rainfall that went into the parched ground as easy as boiled okra down a hungry gullet.

According to the records out at the airport, rainfall thus far in 1996 here in town totals a whopping 3.3 inches. Last year for the same period, January through June, we had recorded 9.43 inches.

Three inches for six months ain't much but it's better than nothing.

Our old sandy land country can recover from drought conditions faster than most parts in Texas. A little sprinkle here, a little sprinkle there, a heavy dew two mornings in a row, and presto, we've got grasssprigs, tumbleweeds, milkweeds, mesquite, and shinnery looking as green and shiny as new one dollar bills in the hands of a ten-year-old with his first summer job.

You wouldn't think that drought conditions in West Texas are felt on the Gulf Coast but fishermen will tell you differently.

We were talking to an executive with a major company that extracts magnesium from Gulf sea water.

The company takes fresh water from an inlet ten miles up the Brazos river for use in cooling. Because of the drought and low flow in the river, sea water has encroached up the river past the ten mile inlet forcing the company to open a fresh water inlet 40 miles upstream.

Recent rains have not broken the drought conditions here nor statewide. And hopefully, the rains will not stop the flood of drought stories that have sprung up like Jimson weed.

One rancher was lamenting the lack of moisture on his rangelands. "If it doesn't rain, I'm going to have to rob a bank."

To which another rancher replied, "If it don't rain, I may have already robbed four banks."

And then there was the farmer who was killing time in a hardware store. He idly picked up a hammer with a \$1 price tag.

The farmer observed that a buck wasn't much to pay for a hammer. "What do you pay for them whole-sale?"

"Two dollars," answered the merchant.

"Good golly," said the farmer, "you mean you lose a dollar every time you sell a hammer?"

"Yep," said the store owner, "but it sure beats farming."

-- Local ranchers swear it can happen. A Texas Ranger tells about a cow thief who turned himself in after stealing two heifers and losing \$80 on the deal.

-- And a guy coming home from Ruidosa swears he saw two trees fighting over a dog.

-- Or consider the banker who made a bet with three farmers that it would never rain again -- and two of them have already paid off.

-- Over in Borden county, they had to take down a barbed wire fence just to get a breeze.

-- And Roy McQueen over at Snyder, reporting on the drought

turning Lake Thomas into a mud puddle, claims that when the flood came that floated Noah's ark, Scurry county got a quarter inch of rain.

Humor in troubling times is what makes West Texans unique.

JAMES ROBERTS
Andrews County News

This prolonged dry weather is causing big problems for us homestyle vegetarians.

All of us, of course, like good crisp vegetables fresh from the garden. But when they're burned to a crisp, that puts a different perspective on things. It sort of lends new meaning to the word.

When we bite down on a good vegetable salad, we want it to crunch. But we don't want it to crumble.

This drought seems to be a little different than most of them. The soil is dry but we don't see any big cracks in the ground like we have had during other droughts.

Our onions, as we've told you before, didn't get much bigger around than a quarter. Our white potatoes didn't get much bigger than good-sized marbles, but our red potatoes, which were planted at the same time, matured almost a month later and they did pretty well.

Our Celebrity and Carnival tomatoes produced real well for the month of June, then they just quit. There are no little green ones on the vine, or anything. The vines seem to be dying, even though we're watering them regularly.

About the only things doing any good in the garden now are collard greens, which are not very good in the summer, and our bell and sweet banana peppers. I believe the bell peppers are the best we've ever had.

Not everybody likes vegetables, I guess, even when they're fresh from the garden, and I assume that vegetarians in this part of the country are fairly rare.

For you meat eaters, the effects of the drought may not be too noticeable. In fact, I guess it could be of some benefit to you.

As I understand it, health conscious meat eaters are turning more toward lean cuts of beef in their diet.

The way it's beginning to look, if this drought continues much longer, it's all going to be lean.

HARLAN BRIDWELL
Bridgeport Index

My longtime right-hand girl, Vickie Copley, told us this week about her stepmother's sister coming for a visit.

The lady's boss asked her a few days before her vacation started where her sister lived. "She lives in Clovis, New Mexico," was her reply.

"Well, you should have applied for your passport much earlier than this," was his serious advice.

If you find this hard to believe, how about "The rest of the story," as Paul Harvey would put it: The lady's

boss was a former college professor, and geography was one of his main fields.

Tom Brokaw said he had checked it out, and yes, New Mexico had been a state since 1912.

We understand that natives of Hawaii get very tired of hearing visitors from the "mainland" make statements like "When I get back to the states, I'm going to do so-and-so." Yes, Tom, we also checked, and Hawaii was granted statehood on August 21, 1959.

Along about this same time, Carol likes to tell about one time she was visiting our daughter Laura while she was in the Dallas area. Laura showed her the metropol's newest showplace mall. That pretty well used up a day, right there.

At one of the mall stores where Carol found something she couldn't do without, she was writing a personal check for her purchase. Noting that her check was on a Friona bank, the clerk told her she was sorry, but she could not accept a check from out-of-state.

Carol spent several minutes trying to convince the clerk that Friona was, indeed, a part of Texas -- although most of the Panhandle isn't usually given "parity" by those downstate.

The clerk finally summoned her store manager, who initialed the check, allowing the clerk to accept it for the purchase. "But I could tell as I left that neither one of them was exactly sure that Friona was in 'their' state."

They told us in journalism school to always write our stories toward a "seventh grade mentality," as that would be the average scholastic achievement of our readers.

If we wrote our articles for the people mentioned above, that would be about six grades too high.

BILL ELLIS

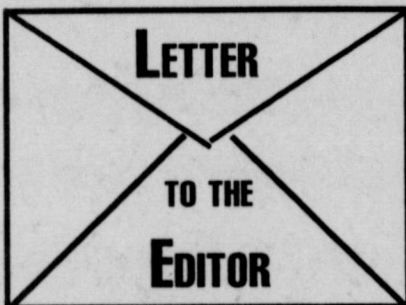
Friona Star

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holiday. He pointed out that the city jointly operates the facility with the school district, and asked that such a closure on a holiday in the future should not be permitted.

Comments of other council members indicated their agreement.



Likes medical protection

DEAREST MR. HAMILTON,

This letter is regarding the matter of medical protection for all high school varsity contests. I greatly appreciate whomever involved in helping this plan to come into effect. I am entering my senior year at the high school. And we work tremendously hard in athletics. Especially lifting weights to prepare for our games. If by any chance of any player injuring their self, they could feel safe because they would be in good hands. I've got a pretty good chance at starting at point guard on the Basketball team and starting Right fielder on the Baseball team and I'm the kid that works hard at it even though I am much undersized to be playing physical sports at the Varsity level. I can feel safe thanks to the person(s) involved in this matter.

Your Friend,
Archie Stewart
Grade 12

Editor's note: Archie, as the matter now stands, the medical team is to be present at the varsity football games, not all varsity sports, with their emergency equipment. However, you can rest assured that our Volunteer Fire Department personnel are ready to respond at any time someone needs their assistance, as they've done in the past.

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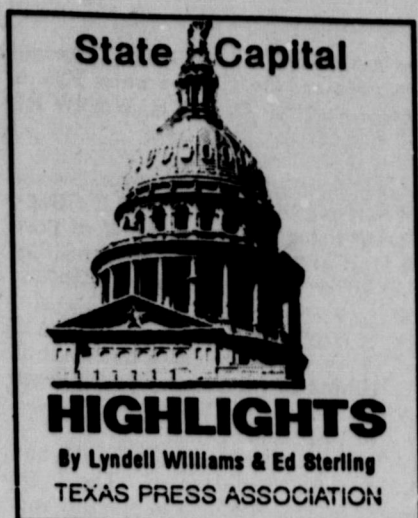
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State Capital
HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling
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AUSTIN — Attorney General Dan Morales said last week no college or university in Texas should consider race as a factor in admitting students, granting scholarships or giving financial aid.

Morales issued the statement after the U.S. Supreme Court refused to hear a reverse-discrimination case against the University of Texas (Hopwood v. UT Law School) that had been heard in the spring by the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans. The court's ruling applies only to Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

Commenting on the issue, UT President Robert Berdahl told the *Austin American-Statesman*, "If anybody believes we can sustain the number (of minorities) without taking race into account, I think they are naive. We can't. And I think that's a loss for the university and a loss for the state."

Berdahl predicted the university will lose "an awful lot of the top minority talent from Texas, who will go out of state" where affirmative action practices continue and minority scholarships will be available.

Clinton Authorizes Drought Aid
President Clinton last week authorized the U.S. Department of Agriculture to sell up to 15 million bushels of grain from reserves in order to make drought disaster assistance payments to farmers in

drought-stricken West Texas and parts of the Southwest.

Though Texans had sought the release of the entire 45 million bushels of feed grain in the emergency reserve, U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison said she was satisfied with the authorization.

"Relief is on the way for Texas farmers and ranchers who have been hit hard by the drought. This will provide direct assistance for those most affected by drought conditions," she said.

The drought has cost Texas farmers and ranchers an estimated \$2.4 billion, making it the second worst natural disaster to hit the state this century, the Associated Press reported.

Report: Dissolve School Boards
A new report by the non-profit research organization, Education Commission for the States, suggests that states dissolve school boards, requiring new elections and sending tax money directly to schools.

The report, "Bending Without Breaking," says that for education to radically improve, the system governing schools must radically change.

Gov. George W. Bush signed the report's foreword but does not necessarily endorse it. Last week, at an Education Commission for the States conference in San Antonio, Bush told reporters he had not read the report, but said he endorsed only the parts of the report that agree with the changes in Texas, such as the establishment charter schools and less power in central education agencies.

Texas Education Commissioner Mike Moses, who also attended the conference, said that sending tax money directly to the schools could cause as many problems as it cures, the *Dallas Morning News* reported.

Moses said that if schools were granted such autonomy, there are questions about who would sit on the committees controlling the money and who would hold them accountable.

"Are we going to open up 6,300 new bureaucracies?" Moses asked, and suggested that it might cost schools more if they were to individually negotiate contracts for services, such as food service, bus transportation and copy machine repairs.

Rail Merger Plan Draws Fire
Texas officials and others last week urged the Federal Surface Transportation Board to reject a plan merging the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads.

"It's going to hurt Texas. It's going to hurt our ability to compete," Texas Railroad Commissioner Barry Williamson told the three-member board.

"In Texas, this railroad (merger) is about as welcome as the drought we're experiencing," U.S. Rep. Lloyd Doggett, D-Austin, said.

Union Pacific and Southern Pacific own nearly all of the rail lines from Interstate 35, east.

But the Texas Railroad Commission and other Texas officials would be content if the board approves the merger on the condition that Union Pacific and Southern Pacific sell some of their parallel lines to competing railroad companies, such as Consolidated Rail Corp., the *Austin American-Statesman* reported.

Texas, Mexico to Fight TB
Because U.S. and Mexican communities along the Rio Grande have unusually high rates of tuberculosis, Texas authorities and their counterparts from the Mexican state of Coahuila are taking action.

Texas Commissioner of Health Dr. David Smith and officials from Saltillo, Mexico signed an agreement last week to fight the spread of the disease.

Officials from both states will coordinate and share information

on TB cases and contacts, work together to diagnose and place TB patients in treatment and increase access to needed prescription drugs.

"As my border colleagues and I know all too well, disease respects no borders," Smith said.

Other Capital Highlights

■ The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals has ruled that trial judges, on rare occasions, can decide that juries have made a wrong decision about the facts and can overrule their decisions. To that effect, last week, the court sent 11 cases back to lower courts to review questions of fact raised by convicted criminals.

■ A report by the Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council says 37 percent of people given probation for crimes in 1991, then tracked by the state for three years, ended up sentenced to prison. The study tracked 3,772 people sentenced to community corrections. Those convicted of drug and property offenses had the highest rate of repeat criminal behavior.

GTech Contract Extended

GTech Corp. has been awarded a five-year contract extension to operate the Texas Lottery, the maximum extension allowed under the corporation's current contract with the Texas Lottery Commission.

Under the contract extension, GTech agreed to reduce its sales commission from 3.944 cents per \$1 ticket down to an average of 3.4 cents over the term of the contract, and to install 6,000 new on-line lotto terminals in retail stores across Texas.

The lottery has had ticket sales of more than \$8.3 billion in its first three years.

Junior High students among delegates touring abroad

Two Iowa Park Junior High students, James Collins and Laura Seebo, are midway through an educational tour of New Zealand and Australia.

The pair are among a delegation of junior high students of this area selected by the People to People Student Ambassador Program.

The student ambassadors will spend about 3 weeks learning about the governments, economy and cultures of New Zealand and Australia. Activities the delegates will take part in will include briefings at embassies and ministries, discussions with industry and trade officials, site visits to the headquarters of international organizations and meetings with youth clubs.

Delegates will receive an overview of the culture heritage of each country during visits to major historical sites and performances of ethnic music and dance.

During their overseas experience, students will have home stay visits with host families. The host families will include the students in everyday activities, enabling the student ambassadors to gain a first-hand under-

standing of the ways people live and work in other cultures.

Student ambassadors are selected on the basis of recommendations, including school references and personal interviews with members of a screening committee in their community.

Delegates prepare for the project by attending orientation meetings and studying background material on the countries and organizations they will visit.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank L & L Machine for sponsoring the Mariners baseball team (8-year-olds) in the Frederick tournament. We placed second in the tournament.

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WICHITA COUNTY

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CODA ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Wichita County [Special] Field, 2 miles NE of Electra. The B. A. BYWATERS Well No. 213, located in the SP RR Co. Survey #1, A-280 on a 292.5 acre lease, tested 5 BO/D, trace of gas, 337 BW/D on pump from perfs 988-96', 1440-46', 1514-18', 1928-34' & 1992-04' after acid and frac treatment.
SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIM-SHAW, ET AL Well No. 14, in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1898'.
SWANNER PROPERTIES of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in the Wichita County Regular Field, 7 miles SE of Electra. The GRIM-SHAW, ET AL Well No. 15, in the Sec. 13, H&GN RR Co. Survey, A-146, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 1860'.

ARCHER COUNTY

BYTEX OIL CO. of Levelland, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 11 miles NE of Megargel. The C. L. ABERCROMBIE Well No. 19-A, located in the V. O. Covington Survey #2, A-1281 on a 69.50 acre lease, tested 15 BO/D, 1 MCF/D, 22 BW/D on pump from perfs 1320'-1331' after frac treatment.
BRIDWELL OIL COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a PLUG BACK OIL WELL RECOMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 5 miles NW of Archer City. The OIL INVESTMENT COMPANY "B" Well No. 41, located in the John Richards Survey on a 498 acre lease, tested 15 BO/D, 1 MCF/D, 25 BW/D on pump from perfs 1108'-1111' after acid treatment.
GASOCO, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1750' depth Archer County Regular Field well 10 miles W of Archer City. The PRIDEAUX-PERRYMAN UNIT Well No. 1-S is located in the Blk. 16, Harris Club Ranch S/D on a 2 acre unit.
RYDER SCOTT OIL COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4999' depth Trans-Continental [Vogts. 4500] Field well 0.91 miles SW of Scotland. The SCHENK Well No. 1 is located in the Lot 17, Blk. 3, Clark & Plumb S/D on a 91.21 acre lease.

3-T EXPLORATION, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 6250' depth Wildcat well 1 mile SE of Scotland. The PEYSON UNIT Well No. 1 is located in the Lot 25, Blk. 3, Clark & Plumb S/D on a 40 acre unit.
CHARDONNAY OPERATING, INC. of Olney, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 10 miles W of Archer City. The PRIDEAUX WEST Well No. 6 is located in the Blk. 21, Harris S/D of Club Ranch, A-74 on a 188 acre lease.
CHARDONNAY OPERATING, INC. of Olney, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 10 miles W of Archer City. The PRIDEAUX WEST Well No. 7 is located in the Blk. 21, Harris S/D of Club Ranch, A-74 on a 188 acre lease.
LEWIS OPERATING COMPANY of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1400' depth Archer County Regular Field well 4.5 miles SE of Holliday. The ANDERSON "C" Well No. 8 is located in the Sec. 38, Blk. 5, A.T.N.C.L. S/D on a 320 acre lease.

CLAY COUNTY

JOE B. HOOD of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1400' depth Clay County Regular Field well 6.5 miles W of Petrolia. The HARRISON & ALLEN Well No. 1 is located in the Jane Duncan Survey #37, A-111 on a 100 acre lease.

CLARK OPERATING, INC. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the South Thornberry [Permian] Field, 5.5 miles W of Petrolia. The ALLEN Well No. 4, located in the J. Duncan Survey, A-111 on a 100 acre lease, tested 3.8 BO/D, 3 MCF/D, 4 BW/D on pump from perfs 931'-942'.

ROBERT WAGGONER of Wichita Falls, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 1999' depth Clay County Regular Field well 6 miles NW of Petrolia. The MCINNES Well No. 37 is located in the Blk. 58, Byers Bros. S/D on a 331 acre lease.

STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Vera [Strawn 3600] Field, 2 miles S of Halsell. The V. G. HOWARD "B" Well No. 10-H, located in the Blk. 45, T. J. Belcher S/D on a 172 acre lease, tested 46.1 BO/D, 9 MCF/D, 61 BW/D on pump from perfs 3662'-3675' after acid and frac treatment.

HARDEMAN COUNTY

ENSERCH EXPLORATION, INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to WORKOVER [sidetrack & directionally drill] a 8700' depth Full Interest [Chappel] Field well 6.5 miles N of Quanah. The BOTTOMS "11" Well No. 1-ST-1 is located in the Sec. 11, C&M RR Co. Survey, A-552 on a 40 acre unit.

H & S PRODUCTION, INC. of Farmers Branch, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 9000' depth Wildcat well 4 miles NE of Quanah. The HANNERS Well No. 3 is located in the Sec. 100, Blk. H, W&NW RR Co. Survey, A-1749 on a 70 acre lease.

E. G. OPERATING of Austin, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 9000' depth Wildcat well 10 miles SE of Quanah. The MEDICINE MOUNDS "51" Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 51, Blk. H, W&NW RR Co. Survey, A-509 on a 160 acre lease.

ENSERCH EXPLORATION, INC. of Dallas, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 8700' depth Wildcat well 6 miles SSE of Chillicothe. The DOCKERY UNIT "52" Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 52, Blk. 16, H&TC RR Co. Survey on a 40 acre unit.

ENSERCH EXPLORATION, INC. of Dallas, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in a Wildcat well, 12.5 miles S of Quanah. The LONG "398" "A" Well No. 5, in the Sec. 398, BLK. A, H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-1597, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 8231'.

RATLIFF OPERATING CORP. of Amarillo, TX has filed for a permit to DRILL a 8700' depth North Conley [Mississippian] Field well 6 miles ESE of Quanah. The ROGERS Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 79, Blk. H, W&NW RR Co. Survey, A-458 on a 162.53 acre lease.

JACK COUNTY

G. E. TAYLOR of Bridgeport, TX has reported a OIL WELL COMPLETION ADDED in the SW Post Oak [Marble Falls] Field, 4 miles W of Post Oak. The DUFFY Well No. 1, located in the Matt Miller Survey, A-418 on a 125 acre lease, tested 3 BO/D, 20 MCF/D, trace of water, on pump from perfs 5495'-5504' & 5570-76' after acid and frac treatment.

MILES PRODUCTION COMPANY of Bridgeport, TX has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Lost Valley [Caddo] Field, 5 miles NE of Jermyn. The RUTH PEEK "A" Well No. 6, located in the James W. Williams Survey, A-877 on a 311 acre lease, tested 49 BO/D, 33 MCF/D, no water, on pump from perfs 4624-34' and 4637-41' after acid treatment.

MITCHELL ENERGY CORPORATION of The Woodlands, TX has reported a DRY HOLE in a Wildcat well, 3.5 miles W of Jermyn. The J. R. CLAYTON Well No. 9, in the TE&L Co. Survey #3332, A-821, was plugged and abandoned at a depth of 5140'.

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Obituaries

James "Jim" Jenkins

Services for James "Jim" Jenkins, 64, were held Wednesday afternoon at Dutton Funeral Home with Rev. Larry Washburn, pastor of Pacific Avenue Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

He died Monday in an Oklahoma City hospital.

Mr. Jenkins was born Nov. 24, 1931, in South Carolina. He and Hester Jane Sisk were married April 15, 1977, in Vernon. He was a self-employed contractor, retiring in 1992. He was a veteran of the Army, and was a member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. He moved to Iowa Park 15 years ago from Wichita Falls. A son, Steve, died in 1980.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Dean Troutman of Florida; five daughters, India Chaplain of Florida, Carlotta Decharme and Angela Womack, both of Nocona, Sandra Jenkins of California and Teresa Jenkins of Wichita Falls; a step-daughter, Annette Searcy of Wichita Falls; a sister, Inez Cason of Bowie; a brother, T.L. of Wichita Falls; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Vivian Lilly

Services for Vivian Lilly, 86, were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Dutton Funeral Home.

Rev. Duffy Terry, pastor of Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Mrs. Lilly died Wednesday in her Iowa Park home.

Born July 30, 1909, in Athens, she had lived in Iowa Park 16 years, moving from Burkburnett. She was

a homemaker. She had worked as a cashier and clerk at Sheppard Air Force Base, and worked in nursing 20 years.

She attended Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God and was a member of the Friendly Door Senior Citizens Center.

Survivors include two brothers, Joseph W. Shaffer of Dublin, and Thomas Reagan Shaffer of Comanche.

Gladys May Crim

Graveside services for Gladys May Crim, 85, were at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Elmwood Cemetery in Bowie.

Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church of Iowa Park, officiated. Arrangements were under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mrs. Crim died Saturday in her Iowa Park home.

Born Oct. 9, 1910, in Montague County, she was married to Sidney Weldon Crim Aug. 24, 1938, in Gainesville. He died Dec. 22, 1993.

Mrs. Crim was a former school teacher. She also was owner and operator of Hobgift and Diet Shop in Bowie 30 years. She moved to Iowa Park from Bowie in 1989. She was a member of Faith Baptist Church in Iowa Park.

Survivors include a daughter, Sue Jones of Iowa Park; one sister, Eva Murphree of Houston; two brothers, Clyde Fincher of San Benito and Sug Fincher of Quanah; one granddaughter and three great-grandchildren.

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Lunch--Beef tips, brown gravy over rice, stir fried vegetables, whole wheat roll, lemon bisque, milk.

FRIDAY, July 19

Lunch--Oven fried chicken, baked beans, carrot coleslaw, hot roll, buttermilk pie, milk.

Helpful Facts

Regular meetings of the Iowa Park city council is at 7 p.m. on second and fourth Mondays, in council chambers at 103 N. Wall. All meetings are open to the public.

Cemetery Assoc. slates quarterly meeting

The Highland Cemetery Association will hold its quarterly meeting at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at the Iowa Park RAC, with a board meeting to precede at 2:00.

Items to be discussed include a chicken spaghetti fund-raiser held in

the spring and the association's recent Memorial Day observance.

Also discussed will be cemetery expansion. Volunteers are being sought for road work, welding and other jobs necessary for expansion.

A tractor with a mower has been purchased to keep the new areas mowed and a golf cart was purchased for office use.

The association board is asking that plot owners limit watering to one hour, twice a week. Individuals must

furnish their own water hoses, sprinklers and timers.

Pat Aulds has donated a sound system to the cemetery in memory of Keith Aulds, and Dutton Funeral Home will donate compact discs to compliment the system.

The Iowa Park Genealogical and Historical Society is in the process of recording the information on all of the monuments in the cemetery, which will be added to burial information on the computer.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

The Social Security trust funds are solvent for more than three decades into the future, according to the 1996 annual board of trustees report.

The 1996 report reflects little change from the board of trustees reports for the past two years.

Commissioner Chater has noted, however, that contrary to what many people believe, Social Security would not be "broke" in 2029.

"While there are long-range financing problems for Social Security," Commissioner Chater said, "there is also ample time to discuss alternatives and to find a resolution that has the full support of the American people."

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Final All-Star team eliminated

The only All-Star team left with a chance to advance to the Sectional Round of the playoffs in Little League competition was eliminated Tuesday night in Burkburnett.

The 10-year-old team, coached by H.V. Scholl and Robbie Bosley, fell to the Wichita Falls Blues 9-7 for their second loss of the Area Tournament.

The Hawks had beaten the Blues 5-0 last Thursday to remain unbeaten but couldn't repeat the performance as the Blues knocked the Hawks from the unbeaten ranks with a 6-3 win on Monday night before eliminating Iowa Park on Tuesday.

Members of the Hawks included, Nash McFann, Jeremy Fulfer, Kyle Hayley, Glenn Bess, Corey Bosley, Dakota Patterson, T.J. Metz, Brian Love, Wade Havins, Michael Fulkerson, Grant Miller and David Owens.

The Hawks opened the Tournament with an 8-7 win over Sheppard Air Force Base last Monday. Metz and Bosley did the pitching for Iowa Park while Fulfer, Fulkerson, Bosley and Patterson all contributed at the plate.

In game two on Thursday, Bosley allowed only two hits and struck out

14 in a 5-0 whitewash of the Wichita Falls Blues. Leaders at the plate for Iowa Park were Fulfer, Love, McFann and Bosley.

The Hawks made it three in a row on Saturday with an 8-4 win over Wichita Falls II, with Love and Fulfer combining for the win on the mound. Fulfer, Bosley, Bess, Patterson and Havins led Iowa Park at the plate.

On Monday, the Hawks led 3-0 over the Blues in what would have been the final game of the Tournament had Iowa Park held on, but WF came back to tie the game at 3-3 in the fourth and then went ahead with three more runs in the fifth to take the 6-3 win. Five of the six runs scored by the Blues were unearned as the Hawks defense made some costly mistakes that eventually cost them.

The same mistakes that knocked the Hawks out of the winners bracket on Monday came back to haunt them on Tuesday in a 9-7 loss to the Blues in the finals.

According to coaches, a combination of walks, errors and too many mistakes cost the Hawks a spot in the Sectional Tournament this week.

All other teams from Iowa Park were eliminated earlier in the Area Round of competition.

What drunk driving can do to a family

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following essay was written by 13-year-old Brittany Taylor, of Iowa Park, for an assignment in her summer school computer class. She is the daughter of Tami Wuhrspoon.

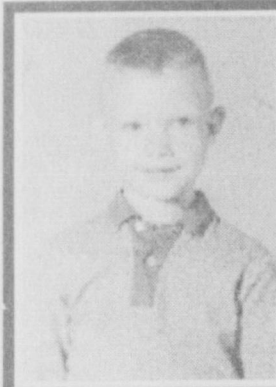
Every year thousands of people are killed by drunk drivers and most people think it could never happen to them or anyone in their family. That is the way I thought also until a few weeks ago when it did happen to me.

On May 10 a day like many others my mom, Tami, had went to work at the florist to get things ready for the up-coming holiday. Jack, my step dad, was at work but as soon as he was done he was going to go to the shop to help my mom. He came home about five o'clock to check on my sister and to take me to my friend's. As he dropped me off I never said good-bye or I Love You not knowing that would be the last time I saw him. Then he went on to help my mom after also taking my sister to a friend's house. Soon after my mom's best friend, Cathy Duncan, and her husband, Todd Duncan, came to the shop. Todd had come to see if Jack wanted to go shopping to buy the two of them mother's day presents. Jack and Todd left to go to the mall and Cathy stayed to help my mom. Jack and Todd went to the mall and then decided to go to the races. They left the races around 11:15 and went to eat before coming home not knowing that was the last hour of their lives. Soon after they were coming home around 12:05 down Iowa Park road, talking, never thinking to watch for cars behind them. Then a Plymouth Neon going at 120 mph, slammed into the back of Todd's truck. Jack was thrown from the truck as soon as it was hit. After rolling three times Todd was also thrown out. Soon after the police arrived they found both of them with massive chest and neck injuries. After doing all they could they were pronounced dead, Todd at 12:45 and Jack at 12:55. Tami and Cathy went to the hospital, praying the whole way that everything would be o.k., but when they arrived things were not very good.

The days to come we know would be hard to face since we had lost two good men. The loss of Jack and Todd touched many people's heart and caused many to think about life more because anybody's life can be cut short in just

a few seconds. That Tuesday at the funeral over two thousand people came and that made us truly believe that they were loved and cared for by so many people, that they were in heaven so that we all can see them again. Jack had a wife, Tami, two sons, two daughters, two brothers, and a grandson that was only four days old the day of the wreck. Jack lived a good life the only thing he had to miss out on was watching his son graduate from college the next day and his other son was to graduate the coming week and also go play in the Green Belt Bowl in Childress, which Jack had been waiting to see. Todd had a wife, Cathy, two sons, one daughter, a sister, and his mother and father. Todd coached his son's baseball team, and also had been accepted to the police academy a week before. Even though we will miss them very much we know they are in a better place and someday we will see them again. I forgive the man that hit them and pray that God will help him for one day he will get the punishment he deserves when he has to face God. Drinking and driving can get you in a world of trouble and you never know it could be you who hits an innocent, good hearted person, such as Jack and Todd and you would have to live with it the rest of your life. Also I pray that no person would have to lose someone they love because they decided to drink and be crazy even though they look really stupid and do not realize they could take there own life or someone else. I hope that some people learn something from this. Also always remember to tell your family how much you love them because life is too short to put it off to another day.

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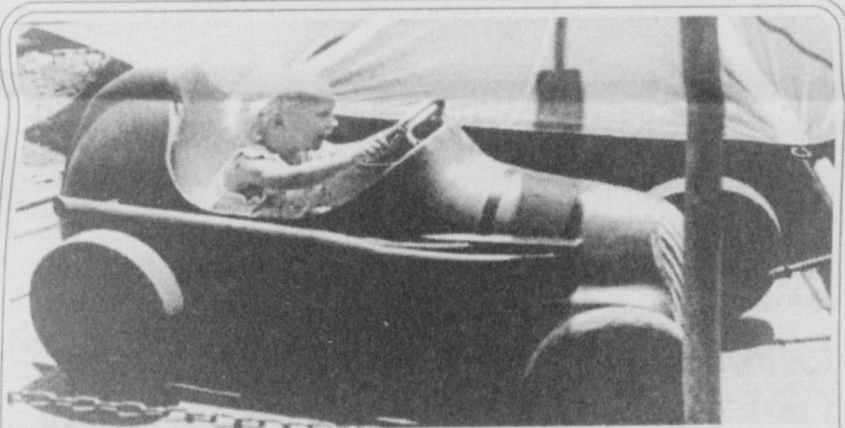
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Cattle raisers learn to cope with crisis

Cattle raisers suffering from severe drought, high feed prices and poor cattle market conditions gained insight on dealing with these and other industry issues at the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association board of directors meeting held recently in Corpus Christi.

Ranchers received some hope for drought relief from climatologist Evelyn Browning-Garriss. She predicted that, although the current climate resembles the disastrous weather of the 1930s, the drought would break in North and East Texas and Oklahoma late this summer. She also said a particularly active hurricane season is likely, and that could help bring moisture to South and West Texas.

Richard Lamm, former Colorado governor who is active in the immigration-reform movement, also spoke at the general session. He stressed that immigration will determine whether or not the United States is able to stabilize its population. "We cannot have a livable state or a livable nation without controlling immigration," he said. "Immigration made sense when we were an empty continent with an agricultural economy. . . . As conditions change, so should our policy change," he added.

Cattle raisers' checkoff dollars are funding innovative marketing programs to help beef recapture its share of the meat market, John Huston of the National Cattlemen's Beef Association said. He said NCBA is working with food companies to develop beef meals that will meet consumers' growing demand for fast, easy-to-prepare meals.

He also showed the audience new checkoff-funded "Beef. It's What's For Dinner" television advertisements that emphasize beef's quality and convenience. Huston explained that checkoff money is used strictly for beef marketing programs and that NCBA member-

ship dues fund programs related to association policy and legislative issues.

Members of TSCRA's Marketing, Animal Health, Legislative and Tax, Wildlife, Natural Resources and labor committees met to discuss pertinent industry issues.

Dr. Ron Gill told the Animal Health Committee that the key to successful forage management during drought is to cull and destock early enough so that adequate forage will be provided for the remaining cow herd.

"To economically maintain cows, they must be able to maintain body condition on standing forage," he said. "When the only option seems to be buying hay, sell cows. Even though cow values are extremely low, the best long-term economic scenario appears to be to liquidate."

Also in the Animal Health Committee, Dr. Dick Sherron of Beaumont, discussed the Texas Animal Health Commission's efforts to eradicate brucellosis.

He said that Texas is down to 31 infected herds, and he attributed that decline to increased vaccinations. He encouraged ranchers to continue to vaccinate their heifers against brucellosis. However, he stressed that they should use the newly-approved RB-51 vaccine so they can avoid titer problems associated with the Strain 19 vaccine.

Lou Obodyke, an attorney specializing in labor laws, advised ranchers attending the Labor Committee meeting on how to downsize their workforces with minimal risk. He encouraged them to be aware of pay and benefit regulations, to carefully document all decisions and to give workers as much prior notice as possible regarding possible terminations. He also warned them that employees are more likely to file false work-

ers compensation claims in the face of impending layoffs.

In the Legislative and Tax Committee meeting, Ken Hoagland with Texans for Lawsuit Reform, and Robert Howden of the National Federation of Independent Businesses, discussed efforts to reform the Texas civil justice system. Hoagland explained that Texas' current tort system deters businesses from locating in the state and stressed that Texas "cannot have healthy commerce without a healthy civil justice system." Howden encouraged the audience to write and call their congressional representatives to urge them to support tort reform.

Packer concentration was the main topic of the Marketing Committee meeting. Attorney Ed Small discussed a lawsuit between IBP Inc. and the Texas Attorney General's office over IBP's purchase of Vernon Calhoun

Packing, a cow-slaughter plant in Palestine. The committee voted to support legislation that would improve competition in the marketplace. They also voted to complete a study on the effects of concentration in the meat-packing industry on cattle prices.

Charles Gordon IV, an attorney specializing in agricultural legal issues, discussed hunting lease liability protection in the Wildlife Committee meeting. He stressed that as the costs of hunting leases have escalated, so has the need for comprehensive lease agreements.

"The potential multi-million dollar judgement in a hunting lease accident can be catastrophic to a rancher. Therefore, your hunting lease operations deserve a business-like approach in order to maximize your profits while at the same time minimizing your liability exposure," he said.

Benefit dance slated Saturday

An afternoon of family activities, followed by dance has been slated for Saturday to benefit the family of Todd Duncan.

The Wichita Falls Fraternal Order of the Eagles #4128 is sponsoring the events which will be held at their lodge at 5396 Seymour Highway. Wichita Falls Police Sergeant John Cummings is coordinating the event.

The benefit will begin at 4 p.m. Saturday with a horseshoe tournament, pool tournament and other ac-

tivities for children. Hot Dogs and hamburgers will also be served.

A dance, deejayed by Wichita County Sheriff Deputy Claude Morrow of Iowa Park, will begin at 9 p.m. Admission to the dance will be \$5 per person.

Raffles and auctions will be held all evening. All proceeds will go to the Duncan family.

Duncan, an Identification Technician at the Wichita Falls Police Department, was killed in a car acci-

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1204 S. Wall	40's	3-BR home with 1.5 baths, 2 living areas, and fireplace.
810 Van Horn	50's	Immaculate 3-BR home features 2 living areas, storm windows and doors, shaded yard with storage buildings.
601 E. Texas	60's	New construction 3-BR includes energy efficient features and low maintenance exterior.
702 W. Texas		3-BR home features large den that overlooks covered patio and back yard; includes a sewing/utility room, good storage. Call today!
900 W. Cornelia		Beautifully remodeled and updated home has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, family room, 1-car garage, and lovely yard.
707 E. Texas	70's	New construction in Indian Springs, this beautiful 3-BR, 2-BA home has fireplace, raised ceilings, and open floor plan.
1701 Johnson Rd. N	80's	New Construction in beautiful Park Place subdivision features separated master with lovely bath, formal dining and security system.
540 Burnett Road	\$89,500	Attractive 3-BR home has large rooms, walk-in closets, great floor plan and sits on one (1) acre of land. \$99,500 with 10 acres.
1758 Van Horn Rd.	\$102,900	Lovely 3-BR home on three (3) acres has ample storage, security system, and reinforced storm shelter.
205 Melanie	\$128,500 REDUCED	Impressive 4-BR home in Pleasant Valley Estates has spacious rooms, ample storage, 2 fireplaces, and horse barn on 3.71 acres.
4504 FM 367 West	\$151,500	Spacious home on approx. 40 acres includes 4 bedrooms, office, storm cellar, barns and pens.
1716 Texowa	\$299,000	Gorgeous home has over 3,000 square feet of living space, 50'X100' shop w/offices and 14 acres of land.
700 Johnson Rd. S		Farm Approximately 348 acres of fenced and cross-fenced land; includes historic home and numerous barns and buildings.
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FM 368 North		Lots 130'X200' lot in Hillside Terrace.
1034 Crescent, W.F.		105'X210' lot; city utilities available

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YARD SALE - Friday, 8 - ? All proceeds go to help send 10 area youths from Lakeview Church of God to the National Teen Talent in Indianapolis, Indiana. 714 W. Louisa. 7-11-1tp

4-FAMILY Back yard sale. 306 W. Lafayette, Fri. - Sat., 8:00 - 8:00. New stuff added Saturday. 7-11-1tp

MISC. FOR SALE

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, 710 W. Aldine Court. Microwave, love seat, chair & ottoman, antique dresser and wardrobe, toys, clothes, sports cards, etc. 8:30 - til. No early sales. 7-11-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Girls 0-4 size clothes & toys. 708 South Park, 8-5, Saturday. 7-11-1tp

MISC. FOR SALE

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, 8-1 only. Boys, girls & adult clothing, toys, cake decorating supplies, lawnmower & lots more. No early sales. 304 West Alameda. 7-11-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Thursday, 8 a.m., 611 W. Coleman. Home Interior, girls & boys clothing, Dearborn heaters, bicycle, Tandy computer, youth compound bow. 7-11-1tp

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The Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is accepting bids on bread, milk, and ice cream for the 1996-97 school year. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Iowa Park Administration Building, 413 East Cash, Iowa Park, Texas, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Bids are to be returned to Robert Palmer, P.O. Box 898, Iowa Park, Texas 76367 no later than 2:00 p.m., Monday, August 5, 1996. Bids will be opened at the Administration Building on Monday, August 5, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. 7-11-2tc



PRESTIGIOUS AWARD - Karl Klement Ford-Mercury in Decatur has received the Chairman's Award from Ford Motor Co. for the sixth time. Presenting the award to dealership owners Karl and Kim Klement (second from right and second from left) were Ford officials, from left, Richardo Strunz, regional operations manager; Les Brown, regional sales manager and Brent Christiansen, zone manager. The dealership also won the 1995 North American Customer Excellence Award for quality in Customer Satisfaction.

PUBLIC AUCTION
Saturday, July 13
9:00 a.m.
603 East Washington - Iowa Park
Selling for Iowa Park C.I.S.D.

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BACK-TO-SCHOOL SALE Saturday, 7:00 - til ?, 511 W. Texas. Girl's size 5 to 6x, boys 6 & 7, young men's jeans, shirts & sweaters, women's sizes 14-20 - some designer dresses, 2 flip chairs, toys, and lots of other things. 7-11-1tp

YARD SALE - 307 Valley Dr., 7:00 a.m. - ? Saturday. Twin bedspread and accessories, phones, buglight, lots of misc. Too much to list. Good bargains. Follow signs. 7-11-1tp

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NEW LISTING - 1908 ELIZABETH, W.F. - Older home. **IN CONTRACT** Call Winnie.

2020 OLD BURK RD, W.F. - Two bedroom mobile home. Has centr heat. (14X52) Sits on 1.12 acres. city water, sewer, and gas. Has old house that could be used as a storage building. Price reduced to \$19,900. Call Darrell.

NEW LISITNG 3634 KARLA, W.F. - Recently remodeled, new carpet in June 96, freshly painted, like new cabinets. Large laundry room, over 700 square feet in garage with workshop and flooring in the attic for storage. Call Winnie. \$63,500.

103 VALLEY DRIVE - New constructi **IN CONTRACT**eparated master suite, cut Berber carpet, jewel white pain, loads of extras, over the yard to the ocean Darrell. \$78,500.

1505 RITA LANE - Approximately 1,778 sq. ft. of living area. Over 600 sq. ft. in the garage. Huge living area, has fireplace in dining area. Huge kitchen with range/oven, built-in mixer, and dishwasher. Privacy fence put up in June of 95. Carpet approx. two years old. Freshly painted. \$76,500. Call Darrell.

2504 9TH, W.F. - Large two story home with basement. 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, two central H/A units. Some renovations have been done. Could be commercial. \$75,000. Call Julie.

2506 9TH ST., W.F. - Near **SOLD** Feb., '96.

3096 S. BELL ROAD - Looking for that little ranchette! 1st home - 2,556 sq. ft.; 2nd home - 1053 sq. ft.; 1st barn - 5,532 sq. ft. with office, kitchen, 3/4 bath; 2nd barn - 5,000 sq. ft. with squeeze chute and loading dock. 3rd horse barn 2,953 sq. ft. with office and eleven stalls. Sits on 156.67 acres. \$325,000. Call Darrell.

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GARDEN VALLEY - 25 Lots available. Restrictions. No mobile homes. Will build to suit.
1208 W. HIGHWAY - Great location to build new home.
508 W. CORNELIA - Lot - street not complete. \$9,500.
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2408 MCKINNEY RD., WICHITA FALLS - East of W.F. Commercial. 3.96 acres.
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Tips for weight control

If you need a forklift rather than a fork to eat all the food on your plate, it is probably time to practice portion control. The key to weight control might very well be on the plate in front of you.

"Many frustrated dieters cannot understand why they are not losing or maintaining their weight when they eat healthy foods," says Sue Thompson, a registered dietitian at The Methodist Hospital's Institute for Preventive Medicine in Houston. They are simply eating too much of a good thing--people have forgotten that the amount of healthy food they consume counts too."

It is no wonder that our judgment about appropriate serving sizes is skewed. One only needs to look at some favorite food stops to see the problem. Consider the signs reading, "All You Can Eat Buffets" for \$3.99; 32-ounce Big Gulps and grocery stores that sell muffins resembling miniature birthday cakes.

Consumers are used to finding big food on their plates and they are the ones to blame for this increasing phenomena.

"There is the perception in America that bigger is better. And as we requested more for our money, restaurants and grocery stores met the demand," says Thompson. "However, there are some simple ways to keep our daily portion in control."

Thompson offers these tips:
Learn to visualize reasonable servings.

Scale down your mental images of reasonable helpings. Portions served on airplanes are closer to what we should be eating. A single serving of meat is the size of a cassette tape or a deck of cards.

An ounce of cheese or peanut butter resembles a large marble or a pair of dice. A half cup of cooked pasta, rice or mashed potatoes should be no larger than a tennis ball. French fries, potato chips, nuts and M&M's one small fistful is plenty.

One large bagel is roughly 6.8 ounces and equals 5-6 bread servings. The American Dietetic Association recommends 2 ounces as the standard size of a bagel. Muffins are also exploding in size. When bakeries and grocery stores are selling 14 oz. muffins, they no longer constitute a calorie conscious choice. The American Dietetic Association recommends that the weight of a muffin should be 3-4 oz. and resemble the size of a baseball.

Leaving Food

Get used to leaving food on your plate. Order half-orders when in restaurants, or take half home with you.

Fighting the Temptation at Home

People often make portion determinations based on plate sizes. Use smaller serving surfaces, such as a salad plate. Snacks pre-packaged for children make perfect single servings.

"Let go of the notion that you must finish everything on your plate before leaving the table," says Thompson. "Pay attention to how much you are eating. Everything in moderation truly applies to life-long weight management."

Stark graduates

Michael Vance Stark received a Bachelor of Science degree during spring commencement exercises May 11 at Tarleton State Univ.

The graduate of Iowa Park High School, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Stark, majored in Agricultural Services and Development.

Bass resigns at Stinnett

John Bass, who was among the three finalists for Iowa Park school superintendent, has resigned his post as superintendent of Plemons-Stinnett-Phillips Consolidated Independent School District.

Bass, according to the *Stinnett Post*, has accepted a position with the Regional Educational Service Center in Amarillo as director of instructional service.

He and Dr. John Mark Henry of Collinsville were interviewed a second time along with Mike Caplinger, when the Iowa Park school board was selecting a successor to Glen

Mitchell, who resigned at the end of the school year.

Bass had been an assistant football coach under former Head Hawk Len Williams at Mart, and had been invited to remain in that capacity when Williams accepted the athletic director and head coach post here.

A native of the Panhandle community of Stratford, Bass' father was a superintendent 22 years.

He remained at Mart following Williams' departure and became principal and superintendent, holding that position four years there and the past two years at Stinnett.

Monday, Ellis recognized at Tech

Two students from Iowa Park were recognized for academic achievement during the spring semester at Texas Tech Univ.

Freshman D'Lynn Kathleen Monday was named to the President's List, for maintaining a 4.0 (A) grade point average. She is as yet undecided for a major and is enrolled in Arts and Sciences.

Don Clayton Ellis, a sophomore

majoring in Business Economics, maintained a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9, qualifying him for the Dean's List.

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