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MAKIN' HAY - Gared Vernon of Kamay helps load a trailer with coastal bermuda hay this week just north of Kamay. Milder than usual temperatures made the job a little easier.

Council picks streets to be worked this year

The city council Monday night approved a list of streets to be overlayed with slurry material this summer.

The list, described as "doable" both in time and cost by Administrator Mike Price, includes 35 blocks, at an estimated cost of $21,500.

No additional resurfacing of any streets will be scheduled this year, but three streets, including Surrey Circle, North First and West Smith, were discussed as most-needed.

Also approved were all five items on the meeting's agenda. They included:

* Joe Voyles' request for a water tap to serve his home at 824 Burnett Ranch Road;

* A resolution amending the lease agreement with Wichita Falls Celltelco Partnership to continue maintaining its antenna atop the Emerald Street water tower.

The new agreement covers a five-year extension, increasing the monthly fee from $100 to $200. Also involved the company's paying the bill for lighting the Johnson Road water tower.

* A resolution authorizing the city administrator to utilize unbudgeted surplus funds from the water and sewer fund (about $8,500) to make repairs to the 16-inch water transmission line from Wichita Falls.

* An ordinance rezoning the 7.44-acre tract of land on West Smith from General Agricultural to Light Industrial. The land reportedly has been purchased by Bell Processing from Cornerstone Pentecostal Church of God, to be used for offices and truck servicing.

The church reportedly is purchasing land on North Pacific, where it plans to construct a new building.

* Authorized the city administrator to advertise for proposals to

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Police are kept busy

Six persons were taken into custody by Iowa Park police during the past week, all on various charges.

Misty Dianne Cantrell, 21, was picked up at 11:54 p.m. last Wednesday, in the area of Colorado and James.

Cantrell was found to have an outstanding warrant, issued by the Wichita County sheriff's office, for resisting arrest. She was later transported to jail by a deputy sheriff.

At 5:58 p.m. Thursday, Anthony Scott Nelon, 22, was arrested in the 300 block of East Magnolia, and charged with Class C assault family violence.

Nelon was later released after signing a promise to appear in municipal court, according to the police blotter.

Shortly after midnight Friday, Ricky Anton Sidlauskas, 38, was picked up on the Access Road at Victoria after it was determined a warrant for assault had been issued by the Gainesville police.

Sidlauskas was later transported by a county deputy to the jail in Wichita Falls.

During municipal court Tuesday, the judge issued a commitment order to Johnny Wayne Owen, 39, and an Iowa Park officer transported him to the county jail.

Two men, Perry Lee Green, 18, and Steven Wayne Trahan, 20, were taken into custody at Smith and Jackson, both on charges of public intoxication.

The pair remained in the police station holding cell at 11 a.m. Wednesday.

School trustees to meet this evening

Iowa Park school trustees will gather for a special called meeting at 6 p.m. today in the school administration building.

Agenda items include:

* Consider passage of an order authorizing the issuance of bonds;

* Approve/reject budget amendement No. 9; and

* Approve/reject bids for cafeteria food/non food items and set prices for ala carte items.

A portion of the meeting will be closed to discuss Personnel Matters: (a) accept resignations (b) employ new personnel.

NEWS BRIEFS

City-wide garage sale scheduled

The Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce is now accepting listing of residents wishing to participate in the annual Back-To-School City-Wide Garage Sale.

The popular event will be held on Saturday, July 31.

As was the case last year, participants are to pay the Chamber $5 to be included on the map, which is distributed to shoppers.

Participants are to make their participating payment to the Chamber, at the same time they give their sale location.

Deadline to participate will be 12-noon on Tuesday, July 27.

Red Cross honors Iowa Parkan

Iowa Parkan Wayne Williams was recently recognized by the American Red Cross.

He received an impressive certificate in recognition for having donated a total of 20 gallons of blood.

The retired Postal Service employee began donating his blood 52 years ago, at the age of 18. He topped the 20-gallon on June 25.

"I give blood every chance and opportunity I get," Williams commented.

Major water problem averted here Thursday

What could have been a real disaster for the residents of Iowa Park turned out to be an outpouring of community support.

Thursday of last week, at about 4:45 p.m., a construction worker laying fiber optic cable cut into the city's water main 3/4 of a mile east of Iowa Park.

The water line, a 16-inch steel line encased in concrete, was cut clear through and an eight-to-10 inch chunk cut out of it.

By 5:30 p.m. the police were driving the streets asking people to stop watering their yards and gardens.

The Iowa Park Fire Department and Lady's Auxiliary also hit the streets seeking out those watering their yards and grass.

The police department called in two extra officers and Police Chief, Lynn Collins cruised the streets.

Price said, "Everyone they spoke with was understanding and discontinued watering. The response of the citizens, firemen, the auxiliary and city employees was tremendous. Everyone was willing to help."

Just when the police, fire and city crews thought everything was under control, the unthinkable happened. A house fire.

At 8:57 p.m. the fire department was dispatched to Sue McKnight's home at 700 E. Washington.

The fire was reported only minutes after a waterline in the 1200 block of South Wall began spewing water about eight inches out of the ground.

The city's water contractor, Monty Britt, had all of his employees working on the main water leak and could not spare anyone to work on the Wall Street line.

Mike Price, City Administrator, jumped to action and began to do some dirty work.

He located a front end loader at the city's street department and contacted two street department employees, Calvin Fowler and Freddy Smith, and went to work.

Price said," It might have taken us a little longer, but the line was repaired by 11:30. And it was repaired with the line under pressure."

Because the work was done with the line under pressure the residents of Garden Valley were not without water.

While Price, Fowler and Smith were working on the line, residents in the neighborhood began offering to help. Before long a young man was holding a flashlight, another was operating the fire plug to release pressure off of the busted line, and others were doing whatever was needed.

Price said, "It was almost fun, seeing the community pull together and prevent a real problem. Fowler and Smith didn't bat an eye when they were asked to help with the water line. They just went to work and that's not even their area."

At 2:30 Friday afternoon the water plant had recovered to about 95%. Price expected it to be fully recovered by that evening.

According to Price, the busted lines could have been a real disaster had everyone not been quick to take action. With people watering their yards and gardens in the evening hours, in addition to other water usage, the water towers were lowering rapidly. Even with the residents not watering the lawns the leak on Wall was lowering the towers water level fast.

With the heavy water usages the Iowa Park water plant had almost reached its peak for the day and was about to receive water from the Cypress Water Plant in Wichita Falls when the line burst.

According to Belvin Lytle, Public Works Director, the Iowa Park plant has the ability to process about 1.6 million gallons of water. The state

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FINALLY STOPPED - An unidentified woman was driving northbound on FM 369 Monday, when she reportedly swerved to her right at the Bacon Switch Road intersection to avoid another vehicle. Her car bounced across a deep ditch, and continued through the chainlink fence that borders a cemetery, knocking over an evergreen tree, and finally coming to a halt when it struck a brick and concrete block. She was transported to a hospital at Wichita Falls with possible head and face injuries.

Mrs. James Frank Newsom

Conner, Newsom wed July 6

Pamela Katherine Conner and James Frank Newsom were married July 6, at Chapel on the Bosque in Stephenville. Rev. Wayne Sheffield, Baptist minister of Granbury, officiated the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are James and Mabel (Clapp) Conner of Decatur and Jim and Connie Newsom of Granbury. John and Louise Clapp of Iowa Park are grandparents of the bride.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father, and Buffy McCarley Strange of Buna served as her matron of honor.

Rex Dunn of Hastings, Okla. was best man.

Others participating in the ceremony were Carrie McCartney of Clyde, pianist, who played wedding selections, and vocalist Becky Dalrymple of Stephenville. Lara Clapp of Iowa Park, cousin of the bride, presided over the guest book.

Following the ceremony, a reception at Cafe Triffles in Stephenville was hosted by the bride's parents.

Pamela attended elementary and junior high school in Iowa Park. She moved to Decatur during her freshman year and graduated high school there. She attended Vernon Regional Junior College on a rodeo scholarship, and was on the rodeo team while attending Tarleton State Univ. She is employed as a trainer/manager at Rocking M Ranch in Morgan Mill.

The groom is a graduate of Granbury High School, and is employed as a PRCA rodeo clown and bullfighter.

Following a wedding trip to Disneyworld in Orlando, Fla., the couple will live in Morgan Mill.

Julie Billington and Jason Gilmore

Couple plan August wedding

The engagement and approaching marriage of Julie Billington and Jason Gilmore is being announced this week.

The wedding is planned for Aug. 21, at First United Methodist Church in Iowa Park.

Julie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dyer of Iowa Park and Darrell Billington of Lubbock. Jason's parents are Jim and Vickie Gilmore of Iowa Park.

The couple are graduates of Iowa Park High School, and both are employed at Red River Harley Davision.

Look Who's New

Merrick

A son, Jackson Kenzie was born June 26, to J' Bill and Kenda Merrick of Iowa Park.

The baby weighed eight pounds and was 21 inches long.

Grandparents are Jim Bob and Linda Merrick of Iowa Park and Jaye and Norma Mulkey of Dean.

Great-grandparents are Bill and Geraldine Steger of Iowa Park and Oleane Mulkey of Durant, Ok.

Kidwell supplies pickup dates set

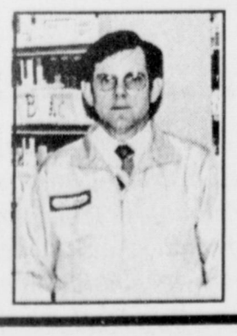
Supply kits for Kidwell Elementary students may be purchased July 23 and 24 at Kidwell Cafeteria.

July 23 hours are 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and July 24 hours are noon to 2 p.m.

The supply kits were approved by Kidwell teachers and purchased by the PTA, which is offering them at a savings. The kits will contain all supplies needed to begin school, with the exception of a lunch box and back pack.

Cost of the kits are Early Childhood, $20.98; Pre-K, $7.39;; Kindergarten, @22.92; First Grade, $24.67; and Second Grade, $19.02.

Anyone wishing to reserve a kit should contact Mary Biddy, 855-4641.



Cook of the Week

Butch Hager

Butch Hager is always looking for a reason to cook. He says, "give me a reason to cook and I'll be there."

He says food brings people together and he likes people.

Hager is just beginning to get involved in the community and says he is looking forward to being an active citizen of Iowa Park and helping when and where his services may be a benefit. He enjoys supporting and helping with fund raisers that will help the community and its residents.

For five years Hager built the sets for the plays put on by the Northside Girls Club and sponsored by the Wichita Falls Junior Senior Forum. While involved in that program he received the Adult Service Award from Northside Girls Club.

He recently furnished the cooker and cooked at the Iowa Park Police Association bar-b-que. He also assisted Pete Ermas and Brent Hrncirck in cooking for the 1998-1999 Iowa Park eighth grade fund-raiser. He has prepared the food for wedding receptions and numerous parties.

Hager designed and built a large smoker that has a unique smoking and heating system.

He explained that the fire box and the smoke stack are both at the same end of the cooker. A plate forces the smoke and heat through the smoker and then back to the smoke stack, causing the entire smoker to be the same temperature from end to end. Hager says because of this system there are no hot spots in the smoker and he doesn't have to rotate the meat.

He can smoke up to 23 briskets at once in the smoker.

Hager has been a resident of Iowa Park nine years, moving here from Byers. He is employed at Landrum Chevrolet as an Auto Technician.

He moved to Iowa Park seeking a better school and more activities for his three sons to be involved in.

His sons, Kelly and Cody are now grown and Kevin is a senior at Iowa Park High School.

Kelly and Kevin still live at home and Harger says Kevin shares the cooking duties and Kelly is the chief bottle washer.

Hager says when he and Kevin get in the kitchen together there is no telling what they might cook up.

Besides cooking Hager enjoys history especially Texas History. He reads any type of material he can find on history, as well as visits museums and watches movies.

The recipes Hager is sharing are all his own creation, either by altering the recipe or just starting from scratch until he has a good recipe. These recepies were designed for cooking on a gas grill.

Note - Temperatures vary from grill to grill, a meat thermometer and a oven thermometer are very important to insure that the meat is cooked properly.

Temperature	Heat Setting
250 to 300 degrees F	Low
325 to 375 Degrees F	Medium
400 to 425 Degrees F	High

Direct heat, cooking directly over flame and lava rock.

Indirect heat, not cooking directly over flame and lava rock.

Tacos

1 lb ground beef
1/3 cup chopped onion
2 Tbls. finely chopped black olives
1 tsp. ground cumin
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. garlic powder
1/8 tsp. pepper
12 taco shells
1/2 cup chopped tomatoes

Topping

Guacamole
Chopped green onions
Grated cheddar cheese
Shredded lettuce

Preheat grill 10 minutes. (If your grill has two burners, cook over one burner only). In a large cast-iron skillet, combine ground beef and onion. Cook and stir at high heat, with hood open, until beef is no longer pink. 10 to 12 minutes. Drain. Stir in olives, cumin, salt, garlic powder and pepper. Place taco shells on upper cooking rack. Cook meat mixture with hood closed for about five minutes longer. Stir in tomatoes. Reduce heat setting to low and serve from grill with toppings.

Seasoned Tip Roast

2 Tbls. dried parsley flakes
4 cloves garlic, minced
1 tsp. dried rosemary leaves
1/2 tsp. dried thyme leaves
1/4 tsp. ground pepper
5 lbs. beef sirloin tip roast
Cracked pepper
Hard rolls

In a small bowl, combine and stir together parsley flakes, garlic, rosemary, thyme and ground pepper. Cut about 20 slits in roast, two inches deep and one and a half inches long. Stuff a small amount of mixture into each slit. Tie string around roast in four or five places to pull together the slits so the mixture in slits will not fall out while on the spit. For a stronger flavor, cover and refrigerate for 8 hours.

Remove cooking grid, preheat grill to 325 to 375 degrees F. Center a drip pan on lava rocks using a set of long tongs.

Rub roast with cracked pepper.

Skewer and balance roast on spit. Rotiss at medium (325 to 375) heat until internal temperature is 150 degrees F, about one hour 15 minutes to one and a half hours. Thinly slice and serve with hard rolls.

Bar - B - Que Hamburgers

2 lbs. ground beef
4 ounces minced green onion
6 ounces spicy barbecue
8 thin slices of ham
8 slices American cheese
8 slices Swiss cheese
Salt & pepper
4 ounces granulated garlic
1/2 stick sweet butter

Mix ground meat, onion, and barbecue sauce together, sprinkle on salt and pepper while mixing. Make eight quarter pound, 3/8 inch thick patties. Place patties on cookie sheet covered on top and bottom with foil. Refrigerate prepared patties two hours before cooking.

Preheat grill both sides on high for 10 minutes. Cook meat on high with hood closed until it is seared on one side, then turn. After meat is seared on both sides, open hood. Move meat to one side of grill, Be cautious of flair-ups. Cook meat until there is no pink in center of meat.

Cook ham on other side of grill, when cooked, wrap ham in tin foil and place on top and bottom of buns. Melt butter in a small pan on top of grid, add garlic, keep stirred when butter is melted. Place pan in the corner of grill, to keep from burning butter.

Apply small amount of butter and garlic with basting brush on open side of top and bottom of buns.

Wire brush grid before placing buns on grid. Set open face of buns on grid until lightly toasted. Turn grill to low, turn over buns, set meat on bottom and add American cheese, ham, swiss cheese and bun top. Keep grill on low and close lid to melt cheese. About one minute. Remove from grill and serve with favorite dressing, lettuce and tomatoes.

Ring Bologna German Potato Salad

5 slices of bacon, chopped
1/2 cup chopped onion
2 Tbls. all-purpose flour
4 tsp. sugar
1 tsp. salt
3/4 tsp. celery seed
1/4 tsp. pepper
1 cup distilled water
1/3 cup cider vinegar
2 tsps. Dijon mustard
2 lbs. red potatoes, boiled
1 ring bologna (about 1 lb.)

Ring sausage can be used instead of bologna.

Wash and peel potatoes. Using a pot large enough to hold potatoes, combine potatoes and two teaspoons of salt with enough water to cover potatoes. Cover pot and remove cooking grid, (use one burner only if equipped) Place pot directly on lava rock grate, arrange rock around pot. Cook on high (400 to 450 degrees) until water boils, reduce to low (250 to 300 degrees) for 15 to 20 minutes then set aside when finished.

In 2 quart grill safe casserole dish or pan, combine bacon and onion. Remove cooking grid and place pan directly on lava rock grate, arrange rock around dish or pan. Cook on Medium - High heat with hood open until bacon is brown and onions are tender, stirring frequently. Stir in flour, sugar, salt, celery seed and pepper. Add water, vinegar and mustard. Cook and stir with hood open until mixture is bubbly, five to seven minutes.

Remove from grill and set aside.

Spread lava rock evenly across grate with long handled tongs. Replace cooking grid. Close hood and heat grill on high for 10 minutes. Slice potatoes, stir into sauce, cover and place onto grid. Score bologna or sausage, at 1 - inch intervals and place besides potatoes on grid.

Cook on High with hood closed for five to six minutes, turning bologna or sausage over at least once.

Reduce heat to medium and place meat in with potatoes. Recover and bake using indirect heat set on medium heat with hood closed until sauce bubbly, 20 to 30 minutes.

Earns OBU scholarship

Bryan Lyons, a recent graduate of Iowa Park High School, has been recognized as a Distinguished Scholar by Oklahoma Baptist Univ.

He will receive a $2,000 scholarship, renewable each year with a four-year value of $8,000.

The scholarship recognizes students with excellent academic achievement and community involvement.

As I See It...

By Bob Hamilton

What the heck is going on with the weather?

Following an extremely mild winter, we observed spring-like weather almost completely through June.

I call June's weather spring-like, because we didn't have a 100-degree day until the final week, as I recall. In years past, we've reached the century mark at least a couple of times in May.

Okay, it warmed up to about normal the first few days of July, just as expected.

And then, Saturday through Monday, the early-morning temperature was more what we get in early April.

Dolores and I enjoy drinking our first cups of coffee while sitting out on our patio. That's always before sun rise.

Well, I had to go back into the house and put on a shirt those three mornings! My body told me it wasn't cool, but downright chilly!

The question is, will we have normal temperatures during August and September? My gosh, do you realize that the high school football teams will begin two-a-day workouts less than three weeks from now?

And the first day of classes in Iowa park schools are only four weeks away, starting Aug. 12.

Now I'm worrying about how much fire wood I need to stock up on for the winter. Will it be more of a normal temperature season, or what?

One thing's for sure . . . you can't take weather in this area for granted that it will be normal. Not anymore, anyway.

May good for business

May was a good month for businesses in Iowa Park, according to a report from the state comptroller's office.

The city received a sales tax rebate check for $24,997.51, which was a 33.40-percent increase over July of 1998.

July's sales tax rebate includes local sales taxes collected in May and reported to the comptroller's office in June.

Thus far this year, Iowa Park is 14.80-percent above 1998, having received a total of $184,786.07. This time last year it was $160,951.08, according to the report.

All the other three cities in the county also are experiencing gains for the year: Wichita Falls 1.35; Burkburnett 2.67, and Electra a whopping 63.86 percent.

Holliday continues to have less sales taxes collected, and was down 31.79 percent for the month and 30.42 percent for the year, the comptroller reported.

Card of Thanks

On behalf of the City Council and staff of the City of Iowa Park, we would like to thank the many individuals who assisted us in dealing with the water outage last Thursday night.

A major crisis was averted largely due to the help of some of the City's off-duty police officers, many members of the Volunteer Fire Department and their wives, and members of the Street Department who were working outside their normal environment.

A tremendous thanks to the men who assisted us with the water leak at Garden and Wall while our assigned water maintenance crew handled the larger leak east of town; these citizens' efforts made our tasks much easier.

Finally, words cannot express the courteous attitude our citizens showed when asked to curtail all outside watering. This truly is the "Town of Friendly Living" and Iowa Parkans are willing to go out of their way to be of service to the community. Again, thank you for your help.

Mike Price
City Administrator

Weather Report for

June

High Temperature	95
Low Temperature	60
Average High Temp.	91.3
Average Low Temp.	62.1
Average Temperature	71.7
Clear Days	20
Cloudy Days	10
Precipitation	1.19

Dates of precipitation: 6th, .27; 21st, 50; 22nd, .26; 29th, .16

REAL WHOPPER - Iowa Parkan Don Vines won bragging rights for the largest fish ever caughe in a lake on the Casa Nuevo ranch in Temple. The 35.5-inch channel cat weighed 14 pounds. Vines was attending the Frank New family reunion, along with his wife, Wanda, and grandson, Adam. Other locals attending were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stovall.

Streets

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conduct auditing services for the city.

Also, at the outset of the meeting, Mayor Tim Hunter administered the oath of office to the city's newest police officer, Billy McNeely. He formerly was a radio dispatcher here, and became a certified officer about a year ago at Electra.

The list of slurry projects for this summer includes:

* three blocks of Yucca Drive from Wagonwheel west to end of pavement;
* one block of Dosia, from Lanelle to end of cul-de-sac;
* two blocks on Alameda, from Texows to Penn;
* one block on Yosemite, from Texas to Clara;
* three blocks on Park, from Wall to Victoria;
* two blocks on Saratoga, from Old Highway to Cash;
* two blocks on Penn, from Bank to Alameda;
* two blocks on Alcott, from Bank to Alameda;
* two blocks on Seneca, from Old Highway to Cash;
* seven blocks on Lafayette, from Wall to Hawthorne;
* two blocks on Hawthorne, from Jefferson to Lafayette;
* two blocks on Alcott, from Jefferson to Lafayette;
* one block on Texowa, from Jefferson to Ruby;
* two blocks on Jefferson, from Alcott to Hawthorne; and,
* three blocks on Garden Drive, from Wall to James.

Water

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establishes the maximum capacity each water plant is allowed to process in a 24-hour period.

This summer because of the adequate rainfall the city had only taken water once or twice a week until the first of last week, when they began taking water daily.

During the summer months the city takes an avarage of 400 to 600 thousand gallons daily from the Cypress plant.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Didn't enjoy day at lake

Dear Editor,

After the recent 4th of July weekend, I find it hard to look forward to another one.

The Iowa Park Lake was designated as the place to shoot fireworks, with a stand to benefit the Officers Association of the Iowa Park Police Department. My family and I were looking forward to being able to shoot fireworks in a safe, "alcohol free" place. Boy, were we wrong! I quickly realized that it was a "social gathering" for local law enforcement, and a place where a person could be injured in a hurry. There was absolutely no supervision on the shooting of the fireworks.

My wife, my two 6 yr. olds, and myself, were sitting on the fishing pier, trying to shoot our fireworks. There were a lot of nice automobiles, and more important, many little ones all around. People were shooting fireworks over people's heads and all around the cars.

For this to have been a police sponsored event, it sure was a disappointment. Maybe, next year, if they will move the food booth around to where the fireworks are being set off, the officers could see a little more. They might be able to catch those (several of them) drinking in our "Alcohol Free" City Park.

Name withheld by request

Bill will clean the air

Dear Mr. Hamilton:

My last letter to you about environmental issues in Texas, in particular our state's air quality was sent several months ago. I am very pleased to be able to tell you about the progress that's been made since then.

I hope you've noticed that the recent legislation that restructures the electric industry in Texas also creates the opportunity to improve air quality by enabling reductions in power plant emissions. TXU strongly believes everybody wins with this legislation because everybody wins with clean air.

The legislation will result in an across the board reduction of 50 percent in nitrogen oxide emissions and a 25 percent reduction in sulfur dioxide emissions from older power plants across the state. The older or so-called "grandfathered," power plants will become much cleaner. These are significant reductions and will be of enormous help, particularly in reducing ozone. However, by themselves they will not solve urban air quality issues. Region VI of the Environmental Protection Agency has modified the air quality rating for Dallas/Ft. Worth from "moderate to "severe." The region's air quality has improved, but not enough to meet the EPA targets to avoid reclassification. Increased air emissions from our growing economy, including more cars and trucks, more homes and more industry, make air quality improvements more difficult.

In the fall of last year, TXU made the unprecedented move of volunteering to seek permits for all of our older power plants. Furthermore, responding to our customers' requests for renewable energy, we contracted to purchase enough electricity from the Big Spring Wind Farm to power 7,300 homes a year. This project is a strong first step toward bringing "green" power to our customers and is a significant contribution toward new requirements to more than triple Texas' current renewable energy capacity. These initiatives will lead to decreased emissions and cleaner air.

At TXU, we pride ourselves on our commitment to the environment and that is why our company has been one of the industry leaders to improve air quality in Texas. We are dedicated to working with you and other leaders to find additional solutions.

Sincerely,
David Biegler

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

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

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

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

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Obituaries

Floyd A. Marten
1923-1999

Floyd A. Marten, 76, of Burkburnett died July 6, in a Dallas hospital.

Services were Friday at First United Methodist Church of Burkburnett with Rev. Keith Schweitzer, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church of Burkburnett, officiating. Burial was in Burkburnett Cemetery.

Mr. Marten was born June 10, 1923, in Clara. He and Rhee Geisert were married Oct. 2, 1942. She died in 1994. He and Ann Ney were married Jan. 17, 1998.

He served in the Army Signal Corps in Europe and North Africa from 1942-1945. His unit preceeded combat troops into enemy areas to set up communications. He had lived in Burkburnett all of his life and was a member of Grace Lutheran Church of Burkburnett. He was a farmer and rancher and had worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company as a service manager and supervisor for 38 years before retiring. He was Man of the Year in Burkburnett in 1959. He a 30 year member of the Rotary Club and served as president, vice president and secretary. He was past president of North Texas Girl Scout Council. He was a past chairman of the annual Boomtown RCA rodeo 12 years and past chairman and board member of the Wichita County Livestock Association. He was past president and member of the Burkburnett ISD School Board 15 years and was past president of the Burkburnett FFA Booster Club. He was conservation Farmer of the year in 1990. He was a longtime volunteer at the North Texas Rehab Center, and a charter member of the Rehab Auction Committee, serving 31 years. As a charter member of the Texas Ranch Round-up Steering Committee he served as "Wagon Boss" for the grounds during all events for 18 years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Kurt of Burkburnett and Rodney B. Ney Jr. of Grayling, Mich.; two daughters, Tracey Wasinger of Iowa Park and Ronda Ann Wetherbee of Wichita Falls; three brothers, Edward of Smithville, Harry of Wichita Falls and Bill of Lake Arrowhead; a sister, Frances Ladd of Burkburnett; 13 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Memorials may be made to the North Texas Rehab Center.

Darrell E. Norseworthy
1912 - 1999

Darrell E. Norseworthy, 87, of Nocona died Saturday, in a Nocona hospital.

Services were Tuesday at Jerry Woods Funeral Home with Rev. Lamoin Champ officiating. Graveside services were at Crestview Memorial Park.

Mr. Norseworthy was born March 8, 1912, in Cleburne. He and Tessie Lee Hathaway were married March 11, 1934, in Oklahoma. He was a service station operator and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Larry of Iowa Park and Harold of Allen; a daughter, Margaret Ruckman of Austin; a brother, Roy H. of Dallas; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Johnnie E. Matthews
1926-1999

Johnnie Edwin Matthews, 73, of Iowa Park died Thursday, in Wichita Falls.

Graveside services were Saturday in Highland Cemetery with Dr. Greg Ammons, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Mr. Matthews was born June 1, 1926, in Wichita Falls. He and Billie Yarbrough were married May 23, 1944, in Wichita Falls. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge No. 635 AF & Am of Wichita Falls and a member of the First Baptist Church. He worked for International Harvester as a mechanic, retiring in 1985. He had lived in Iowa Park 45 years.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Larry and Danny, both of Iowa Park, and Jerry of Possom Kingdom; 11 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Blanche L. Gales
1919-1999

Blanche L. Gales, 80, of Wichita Falls died Sunday in a Wichita Falls nursing home.

Services were Tuesday at Owens& Brumley Funeral Home with Rev. Bobby Christmas, pastor of Allendale Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Gales was born May 12, 1919, in Charlie. Her husband, Clifford, died in 1971. She retired from the dietary department of Wichita General Hospital. She was a member of Jefferson Street Baptist Church and a lifetime resident of Wichita Falls. A daughter, Rose Bookout, died in June 1999.

Survivors include two sons, Wilbert of Arlington and Delbert of Iowa Park; a daughter, Corliss Wyatt of Wichita Falls; a brother, Truman Solis of Prescott, Ariz.; nine grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Card of Thanks

Thank you to all my doctors, nurses and the staff at 11th Street Regional Hospital. A special thank you to Faith Baptist for their prayers, and for all the prayers offered for me. Thanks to all my family and friends. God bless you all.

Cornelia Todd

Card of Thanks

The Family of Nancy Young would like to thank everyone who said a prayer for us, visited us, sent cards, flowers, plants, and food. Words are not enough to express how much we appreciated all of this.

We would like to send a special thank you to the SAFB Hospital Emergency Room and Special Care Unit and to Dutton Funeral Home. Their wonderful care will not be forgotten.

Sincerely,
Kenneth, Richard, Teresa, Donald, Ronald and Chandra Young.

Card of Thanks

On behalf of myself and my family, we would like to thank the EMT's and everyone who stopped to help the night of July 4th when I had my accident on the Old Iowa Park Rd. Your prayers, arms of support and kind words meant so much in what was a scary situation for us. Thank you again and may God bless you.

Miss Katrina Perkins

Cemetery association sets quarterly meeting

The quarterly meeting of Highland Cemetery Association will be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the cemetery office.

Proposals to update the constitution and by-laws will be presented at this meeting.

Charles Caffey, a member of the association, is remaking the cemetery map boards that hang in the office. Donald Hill and Jim Medlinger, also members of the association, will be building new map cases to hold the renewed lot maps. Wood for the cases was donated by State National Bank.

A new lawnmower has been purchased, and the old one will be used for backup.

The Cemetery Association has long-term plans for additional landscaping, paving and beautification, with donations being used to help fund these projects.

Card of Thanks

Dear friends and patients, I'm back from surgery at Kell West again. For now "it's get strong and back to work!"

Thanks so much for all the cards and flowers, all the kind thoughts and prayers. It's great to live in an area where we can know and care about each other.

Thanks so much,
E. F. Watson, M.D.

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MACHINE-PITCH CHAMPS were the Cardinals with a 16-3-1 record. Team members were (front row) Benjamin Coyle, Michael Chelette, Cody Smith, Benjamin Bates, (second row) Ryan Swartz, Clayton Worley, Chancey Rose, Hance Loyd, and Dillon Gould. Coaches were Richard Smith and Joey Bates and team mother was Becky Coyle. Not pictured are Andrew Allen and Stafford Dyer.

RAC NEWS BY JO LYNN WALKER

Bridge Results

June 7 - Two tables in play. Mary Lou Alderman had the high score of 4920. Dorothy Ward was second with 4610.

June 14 - Two tables in play. Louise Clapp had the high score of 5010, and Faye Anderson had 4400 for second.

June 21 - Two tables in play. Betty Dyer had the high score of 4170, and John Clapp was second high with 4110.

July 12 - Two tables in play. Mary Lou Alderman had the high score of 6590 and Billie Dowell was second with 5380.

Free Program

The RAC will be sponsoring a free program for junior high age students on July 19 and 21 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The program is entitled "Expect Respect," and is presented by First Step of Wichita Falls. The purpose of this program is geared towards helping youth to make their schools and lives safer. Some of the topics to be covered at the workshops will be Youth Violence, Gender Empathy, and Conflict Resolution. Topics will be presented through hands on activities, lectures, role play sessions, and vidoes.

We hope that our youth and parents of Iowa Park will take advantage of this new and beneficial program. Attendance at this first presentation will determine whether we will be able to continue this program. If you would like more information, please call the RAC at 592-4471.

Teen Night

The RAC will be co-sponsoring Teen Night at Graham Central Station on Aug. 1. Our organization will receive 75% of all proceeds raised that night. Parent volunteers are needed to chaperone the event. If you would like to volunteer, please call the RAC.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY

DISTRICT SIX CHAMPS - the Iowa Park Girls All-Star Junior League Softball team hold that title after beating Graham last week in two out of three games. The team will advance to play in a White Settlement tournament, which will begin July 23. All-Star team members are, from left, Kriston McLaughlin, Mindy Reaves, Jami Williams, Kayla Green, Mindy Justus, Amy Philmon, Heidi Little, Whitney Cole, Nicole Baker, Krystal King and Sarah Fisher. Coaches are Greg McLaughlin and Ricky Ricks.

DISTRICT 6 CHAMPS is the title earned by Iowa Park nine-and-ten-year old All Star softball team when they won the section tournament in Graham. The team lost to Graham in the first game, 17-8, but rallied back in games two and three, defeating Graham 28-24 and 8-7 in respective games. The team will begin play in a sectional tourney beginning Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Graham. Coached by Jason Young, Cory Thompson and A.D. Hambright, the team members are Jessica Hambright, Heather Hardy, Ashley Zachary, Courtney Sikes, Neata Glasgow, Casey Beardan, Bethany Dillard, Kendra Shrader, Catherine Conklin, Hayli Thompson and Sidnee Lawson.

Heat wins tourney

The Iowa Park Heat defeated the Altus Mudcats last week to earn the Sectional Championship of the Red River Baseball Association Pony League.

The Regional Tournament will begin this week in Graham.

The Heat, which is comprised of area players who are 15 and 16 years old, finished their season with a 33-9 record.

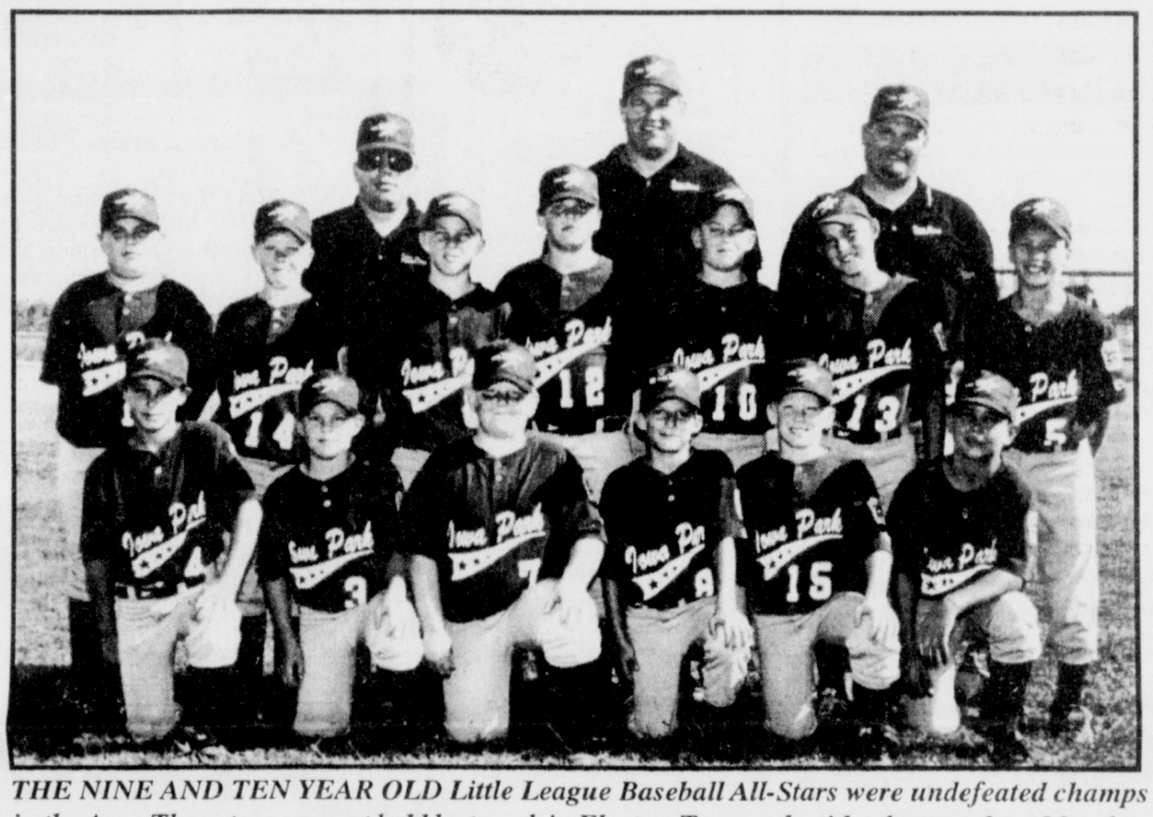
Two attend camp

This past week, two Hawk football players traveled to Houston to attend the Ken Hatfield Football Camp held at Rice University.

Shane Dunn, a senior and Kyle Young, a sophomore were among 175 campers from all over the State to attend the four day camp.

Coach Hatfield and his entire coaching staff participated in the camp which worked on both offensive and defensive techniques.

Dunn, an offensive and defensive lineman for the Hawks, worked with the offensive and defensive line coaches while Young, a tight end and linebacker, also worked with the two coaches in those areas.



THE NINE AND TEN YEAR OLD Little League Baseball All-Stars were undefeated champs in the Area Three tournament held last week in Electra. To earn the title, the team beat Munday, 22-1; Seymour, 33-3; and Electra 13-0. They will begin District play at 6 p.m. Monday in Iowa Park against Olney. All-Stars are (front row) Christopher Hollis, Jeff Catlin, Ryan McLaughlin, Troy Williams, Chris Wise, Cody Hicks; (back row) Cass Coyle, Dusty Ross, Andy Garcia, Tabor Morris, D.J. Moss, Billy Freeman, Blake Whisnand. Coaches are George Coyle and Thomas Ross, and Curtis Williams is manager.

THE IOWA PARK HEAT members are (from left) manager Pat Kennedy, Jereme Wilson, Tommy Johnson, Landon Enloe, Christ Simmons, Andy Simpson, Mason Adams, Nick Kennedy, Greg Saville, Austin Smith, David Offield, Coach Craig Johnson, Bryan Swenson, Blane Boswell, and Coach Robert Wilson. Not pictured is Stephen Cruz.

The Classifieds

NEWLY REMODELED, 2 BR, 2 bath, big kitchen and guest room with 3/4 bath. Beautiful yard! Large trees. $45,000.
LARGE COMMERCIAL lot. 2,000 ft. building. Double garage, triple carport. Shop, storage.
DEEDED LO SOLD
8 LOTS, 600 Block West Magnolia.
8 LOTS, North of Methodist Church
57 ACRES fc LEASED

Hunter Real Estate
108 E. Cash 592-4661

PRICE REDUCED
715 W. Manes
Move-in condition. Updated 4 BR, 2 BA home on large corner lot. Detached garage + storage/greenhouse. $80,500.
Ann & Denny Bishop Realtor Group
Kerri Bryant, Realtor 691-7355

Homes for Sale

OWNER FINANCE - 3-2-2 Beautiful brick home in Indian Springs. Privacy fence - landscaped. $94,900. Call Plannah, 733-0754 or 322-9200.
7-15-4tp

For Rent

2 BEDROOM house. Available Aug. 1. Stove, refrigerator furnished, washer/dryer connections. $325 plus utilities. 592-4960.
7-15-tfc

FURNISHED upstairs garage apartment. Carpeted & air. Water bill included. Parking at door. 592-4714.
7-15-tfc

Real Estate

FOR SALE - Lots 21 and 22 in Garden of Inspiration at Crestview Memorial Park, Wichita Falls. Total price $2,650. Contact George Watson, Box 785, McLean, TX 79057 or call 806-779-2139.
7-15-2tp

Misc. for Sale

GARAGE SALE - Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 8:30 - 4, 411 W. Louisa. Household items pots & pans, silverware, towels, large ladies size clothes, boys' clothes, toys. Still adding. . .
7-15-1tp

FOUR FAMILY Garage Sale - 175 Southgate Garden, Friday, Saturday, 7-noon. Washers, dryers, livingroom furniture, beds, clothes, dishes, toys, too much to mention.
7-15-1tc

GARAGE SALE - Friday & Saturday, 8-?, 801 Park Plaza. Kenwood stereo and speakers, kitchen tables, dishwasher, oven, clothes, housewares and lots of misc.
7-15-1tc

1987 24 FT. TIOGA Arrow motor home. Low mileage, excellent condition, reduced price. 855-5365.
7-15-2tp

1985 PONTIAC Fiero. New tires. $1,400 obo. Dani Goin, 592-0218.
7-15-1tp

FULL-SIZE MATTRESS set, $25. 592-9674.
7-15-1tp

CANNING JARS, 592-5882.
7-15-1tp

OAK BOOKCASE headboard with full-size bedframe, 9-drawer dresser & mirror, $100. Brass headboard with full -size bedframe, $40. White, 6-drawer dresser w/mirror, $35. 2 white lamp tables $25. White desk w/chair $65. 592-4782, 701 Rebecca.
7-15-1tp

Business

EIBEN Home Repair and Remodeling. Additions, roofing, painting, sheetrock, doors, carports, patio covers, and more. Small jobs welcome. Reasonable rates. Licensed and bonded. 592-2053.
10-24-tfc

DALE'S HOME REPAIRS Water and storm damage service (including trees). Pay for experience, not on the job training. 20 years experience in all building trades. Free estimates or advice. 592-9455.
7-30-tfc

UPHOLSTERY - auto, boat, home & commercial. 438-2243.
5-28-tfc

ROOFING - IOWA PARK for 27 years. Jimmy Wolfe Roofing, 855-5657.
6-18-tfc

GIFTS, new and used clothing. Open afternoons. 302 S. Colorado. 592-5012.
3-4-tfc

MARY KAY Cosmetics - Norma Young, Independent Sales Director. 692-1454, 495-3480.
10-24-tfc

CARPET & TILE installation. 592-4844, ask for Mike Salvi.
8-20-tfc

SEWING - HEMMING - Applique. Call Stacia, 592-5227.
7-1-27tp

G&G MOBILE HOME Service. Need mobile home moved or leveled? Call for free estimate. Licensed - Bonded-Insured. 592-5057.
7-8-4tp

Help Wanted

DRIVER NEEDED - minimum wage, part-time. Approximately 20-30 hours per week. Call 592-2104 or 733-5732 or 733-2665. Taking applications thru July.
7-15-2tp

DELIVERY DRIVERS - Now accepting applications for delivery drivers, all shifts. Must be 18 years of age, carry liability insurance, and have a good driving record. Apply in person only, Pizza Hut, 412 W. Park.
7-15-2tc

DEMONSTRATOR needed - part-time, weekend work. $8 per hour. Call 1-800-580-3367.
7-15-1tc

Domestics

HOUSEKEEPING. Honest and reliable. References available. Call 592-1061.
7-1-4tc

NEED A BABYSITTER? Call Dani, 592-0218.
7-15-1tp

Yard Work

REASONABLE lawn and garden service. 592-0489.
5-2-tfc

DALE'S TREE/YARD Service. Trees trimmed or removed. Shrubs shaped or removed. Mowing, top soil, hauling of any kind. 592-9455.
2-11-tfc

SHOOK'S LAWN Service, reasonable rates. Call Ricky after 5:30 p.m. 592-9068.
6-24-6tp

HOMETOWN Lawn Care & Hauling. Mowing, edging, leaf mulching, tree trimming & removal. Kris 592-0051.
7-15-8tp

Notice

LOST: Montana Silversmith watch. Left at girls senior field. Reward offered. 592-9435.
7-15-1tp

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Lee M. Cracknell and Sara Mackey, owners of Lot 7, Block G of the Country Hills Estates and the south five feet (5') of Lot 67 of Block 3 in the Park Place Addition, also known as 1613 Douglas in Iowa Park, Wichita County, Texas, are in violation of Section 9-33 of the City's Code of Ordinances and have until August 2, 1999 to abate the nuisance at which time the City will do so and attach a lien to the property for services rendered.
7-15-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE
The City of Iowa Park, Texas is accepting sealed proposals for auditing and accounting services for the City until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, August 3, 1999. Firms interested in submitting proposals should contact Janice Newman, City Secretary, City of Iowa Park, P.O. Box 190, Iowa Park, Texas 76367, (940) 592-2131. The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.
7-15-2tc

Legal Notice

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Boren N Morrow Air Conditioning, Heating and Construction was incorporated effective July 1, 1999 and will thereafter do business as Boren N Morrow Air Conditioning, Heating and Construction, Inc.
/s/ Scott Boren
Scott Boren, President
7-8-4tc

NOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WICHITA
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 78TH Judicial District Court of Wichita County, Texas, by the Clerk of the Court on the 2ND day of JUNE, 1999, in the following numbered and styled suit and to me directed and delivered, I, as Sheriff of Wichita County, did on JUNE 24, 1999, levy upon and will, on the first Tuesday in AUGUST, 1999, the same being the 3RD day of such month at the South door of the Wichita County Courthouse, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., beginning at 10:00 a.m. proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in the following suits in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of the defendants in each respective suit, to wit:
Suit No.: **39,796-B**
Style: **IOWA PARK INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. LANE HOWARD**
Judgment: **$290.00**
Property: Lots 17, 18, 19, and 20, Block 74, Original Townsite Iowa Park, Wichita County, Texas, as more particularly described in a deed recorded in Volume 1480 at Page 874 of the Deed Records of Wichita County, Texas;
All the property sold will be subject to the owner's right of redemption. The redemption period is two years for homestead and agricultural use property and six months for all other property. Purchasers shall receive a Sheriff's Deed that is without warranty. Bidders should satisfy themselves concerning title and location of the property and improvements on the property prior to sale.
Signed June 24, 1999.
THOMAS J. CALLAHAN, Sheriff
Wichita County, Texas
By: Larry W. Proffitt, Lt.
7-8-3tc

Iowa Park High School
Division of Career and Technology Education

(Public Notification of Nondiscrimination in Career and Technology Education Programs)

1. Iowa Park High School offers career and technology education programs in Diversified Career Preparation, Cosmetology, Agricultural Science, Auto Tech, Home Economics, Office Technology and Horticultural Sciences. Admission to these programs is based on interest and aptitude, age appropriateness, class space availability.

2. It is the policy of Iowa Park High School not to discriminate on the basis of color, race, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

3. It is the policy of Iowa Park High School not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or age in its employment practices as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

4. Iowa Park High School will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.

5. For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Mike Caplinger, at P.O. Box 898, Iowa Park, Texas, 940-592-4193, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Mike Caplinger, at P.O. Box 898, Iowa Park, Texas, 940-592-4193.
7-15-1tc

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MARY B. HALE, DECEASED:
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of Mary B. Hale, Deceased, shall present the same within the time prescribed by law. Letters Testamentary were issued on July 8, 1999, to Catherine Porter as Independent Executrix of such estate in Cause No. 24,072-F, in the County Court at Law No. 2, Wichita County, Texas. The address to which claims may be presented is in care of said Independent Executrix's attorney, Marvin H. Brown, Brown, Prothro & Williamson, 807 8th Street, Suite 700, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301.

/s/ Catherine Porter
Catherine Porter, Independent Executrix
of the Estate of Mary B. Hale, Deceased
7-15-1tp

OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, 2 - 4 p.m. #13 Park Place

New Listing
1705 Quail Valley

Looking for space? It's here! Fabulous 4-3-2 suburban home on 5 acres. 2 living areas, 2 extra rooms for office or hobby room. Must See!

705 W. Coleman
4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2-car garage. Over 1,600 sq. ft. 2 story, beautiful neighborhood. Walking distance to Kidwell Elementary. Call Tami. Owner will look at any offer. $6,000 below tax appraisal!

301 W, Park
Property would be a great commercial site. Sits on corner lot across from Norwest Bank. Has separate 3 car garage that's also in need of repairs. Owner will look at any offer. Drastically reduced to $18,000.

506 W. MAGNOLIA
Victorian cottage home would be a good starter home. BEAUTIFULLY [redacted] In Contract [redacted] n Burnett Memorial Library.

1310 WESTRIDGE
Very well-kept and clean 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home. Newly painted inside and out. A/C and heating, dishwasher under a year old. Absolutely move-in condition!

#13 PARK PLACE
Beautiful 3 bedroom home in Park Place subdivision. Open floor plan with split master bedroom and bath. Fabulous black marble fireplace in living room. Must see!

1213 EMMA
3 bedroom, 2 bath, home in wonderful neighborhood. Has alley access, vinyl siding and outbuildings. In the $50's. Call Tami.

201 GLENDA
2 Bedroom, 1 1/2 bath fixer-upper. Corner lot with large back yard. Needs minor repairs. Central H/A and hot water heater are fairly new.

1011 LINCOLN
3 bedroom, 2 bath, with fabulous shop out back. Approx. sq. ft. of house is 1,637. One block from Kidwell Elementary School. $62,500.

102 W. CHESTNUT
Rental investment possibility. 3 bedroom mobile home on one lot, ready for occupancy, other lot could have another mobile moved in. Has all utilities in place.

Suburban

11110 LONGLEY ROAD
21 Acres [redacted] In Contract [redacted]. Stock tank with

4331 FM 368 SOUTH
Old 77 Ranch Home. Sits on 6 acres. Over 2,200 sq. ft. 3-2-1. Has barrn with corrals and pens.

3027 FM 368 SOUTH
One mile West of Texoma Fertilizer Plant
Suburban home on 10 acres. 4-3-2, approx. 3,400 sq. ft. Large family room, gameroom or 2nd living area. Many built-ins. Beautiful kitchen with lots of cabinets and breakfast bar. Also has metal insulated workshop and cattle pens. Owner is agent.

1573 RIFLE RANGE RD
10 Acres, suburban home. Five bedroom, 3 baths, 2-car garage. Completely remodeled and updated. Workshop in back. Must See inside.

12.5 ACRES SUBURBAN LAND
Excellent for new construction. Secluded and private on paved road. Five miles out of city limits.

PRIME COMMERCIAL LOCATION!
WEST HIGHWAY 287
20 acres commercial (Old Barbour Trucking Pipe Yard). all utilities available. Call Peggy for more information.

Peggy Morgan
Home: 691-0478

MAJOR LEAGUE ALL-STARS advance to district play in Electra this week after winning the Area Little League Tournament held in Seymour. The team advanced by defeating Electra, 10-0; and Seymour, 10-1 and 8-5. All Star team members are (front row) Marc Blagg, Sam Raines, Matt Gaitan, Dustin Sargent, Brady Rusk, Grant Gibson, Drew Fulfer; (top row) Justin Swenson, Zac McAlister, Daniel Fain, Blake Beals, Lance Morton, Chris Trevino and Jeremy Williams. Coaches are Daryl Beals, Mike Swenson and Randy Gibson.

THE CELTICS took first place in the Iowa Park Girls Softball minor league fast pitch division. Pictured are (front row) Sarah Boggus, Roxie Marin, Catherine Conklin, Neta Glasgo, Jessica Hambright, Alissa Zachary; (back row) Megan Boggus, Monica Munoz, Nikkie Wood, Kendra Shrader, Hollie Brookshire, Amanda Hambright. Coaches were Kerry Shrader and A.D. Hambright.

SPORTS Shorts

Jerry McWilliams, who was the head line coach of the Hawks when Iowa Park earned back-to-back state football championships in 1969-70, announced his retirement this month.

"Jerry Mac", as he was known by most of his adult friends, transferred in 1972 to Andrews along with Coach Tommy Watkins and others of his staff. McWilliams has been in administration since 1976. Also retiring with him was his wife, Kay. Their three children are: Jay, a coach at Eden; Kim, teacher at an Andrews elementary; and Chris, a coach at Center Point.

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