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Local man charged with murder

Offering a co-worker a ride home to Iowa Park might have been fatal for Ralph Ysasi, 25, of Wichita Falls.

Tracy Lee Kendall, 20, of Iowa Park has been charged in the May 27 murder of Ysasi, whose body was found early the next morning at Burnett Park.

According to police accounts, Ysasi offered Kendall, a co-worker at Texas Recreation in Wichita Falls, a ride home Friday afternoon. Enroute to Kendall's home, the pair and another person stopped at Burnett Park, about five miles south of Iowa Park on FM 368. According to a witness a fight broke out between Ysasi and Kendall

about 7:30 p.m.. The witness said he was not present when the fight started but broke the fight up. Kendall and the witness then left the park.

A group of young adults stopped at the park around midnight the same night and discovered Ysasi, with multiple stab wounds to the upper body.

Lt. Stan Horton of the Wichita County Sheriff's Dept. said a large folding pocket knife is believed to have been used in the attack.

An autopsy report on the victim is expected back in six to eight weeks, according to Lt. Horton.

Horton said he questioned Kendall

about the murder about 7:45 a.m. Saturday. By 9 Saturday evening Kendall had obtained an attorney and turned himself into Horton. He bonded out of Wichita County Jail later that evening.

Horton picked up Kendall, who was being held at the Iowa Park Police Dept., again last Friday on a violation of probation warrant. Kendall is on probation for burglary of a building, which occurred June 26, 1991 in Wichita Falls.

The murder case is expected to go before the Wichita County Grand Jury as early as June 15.

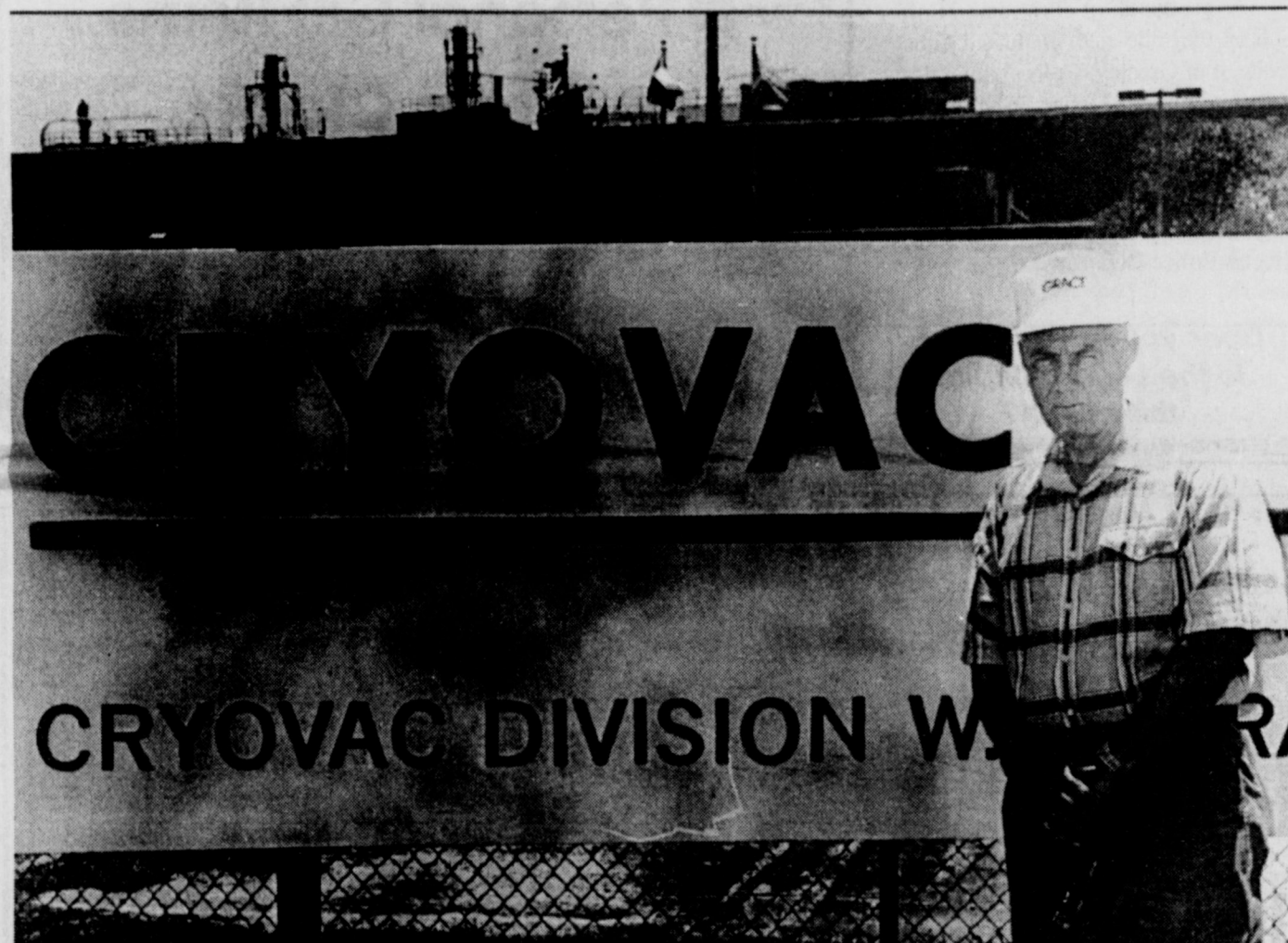
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VERN MIKKELSON

Mikkelson retiring ... again

By MYRNA SMITH

On June 15, Vern Mikkelson will be retired for a second time. His first retirement was from Sheppard Air Force Base Nov. 1, 1974. Now, after 19 years and eight months Mikkelson will be retiring from Cryovac Division of W.R. Grace & Co.

In addition to Mikkelson being the first person the company from South Carolina hired in the state of Texas, you could say that he literally started with the company on the "ground" floor.

Since Mikkelson began service with the Air Force in 1951, he has never had a day that he was unemployed. In fact, he was employed by Cryovac in October 1974, while he was on terminal leave from SAFB.

And, the floor of the building in progress at Cryovac had not been laid, so it was still bare ground. The walls were up, but it was a while before the building was completed and electricity and water was connected so operation could actually start.

Mikkelson retired from SAFB as superintendent of maintenance of electronic devices controlling aircraft.

Cryovac placed him in charge of all electronic functions, from the computers to the processing equipment for making bags for packaging large cuts of fresh beef and red meat, and other packaging for merchandising everything from food to toys.

He was later made supervisor, with from eight to 12 people working

under his supervision.

When he began working for Cryovac there were about 60 people employed, now there are approximately 300.

A native of Minnesota, Mikkelson took his six months basic training at Sheppard AFB, then was sent to Tinker Field in Oklahoma. He knows that was a very good move for him.

He met his future wife, Marcia (Stormy), a Texan, in Oklahoma City. They were married 42 years ago. Since that time they have lived in many places, among them, Washington, D.C., Colorado, Oklahoma, Harlingen and San Antonio, Tx., and Hawaii. She loved living in Hawaii.

Mikkelson said, "In fact, while living in Hawaii I was flying all over Southeast Asia."

He spent some time in Korea and later flew in and out of Vietnam maintaining the electronic equipment that controlled taking off and landing of aircraft, during both the Korean Conflict and later in Vietnam.

When time came to terminate his services to the Air Force, he wanted to come back to Sheppard to do that. They had already decided they wanted to live in Texas and in this area.

They have not been disappointed with their decision. Mikkelson enjoyed every day he worked at Cryovac. "There could not be better people to work for," he said.

"And I could not have had better people working under my supervision.

They were always ready and willing to do any job required of them. All I ever had to do was just suggest something and they were ready to start. I never had a day in all the years I worked for Cryovac that I dreaded to go to my job," Mikkelson continued.

He added, "I always told our girls and others if you don't like what you are doing, quit and do something you do enjoy. Don't spend your life doing something that makes you dread every day that you have to go to work."

The Mikkelsons have two daughters, Dana Davis and Gala Mikkelson-Pinnix, both of Iowa Park, and one granddaughter. The daughters both pursued health care science for their careers.

So how will the retiree spend his time now that he will be unemployed for the first time in all these years?

He doesn't seem too concerned about not having anything to do, because he has enough outside interests to keep him busy.

For 20 years he coached a girl's and women's soft ball team, coaching the women's team to Class B state competition in Abilene in 1987. They quit playing in 1989.

Mikkelson enjoys any kind of woodworking, from helping construct buildings to working with small wood crafts that his wife paints.

He is especially proud of Stormy's talent for painting, not just wood crafts, but she does a beautiful job

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CUBS DOING THEIR PART - Members of Cub Scout Pack 7 made a major contribution Saturday to the Iowa Park Clean & Green project. They planted several dozen donated iris bulbs on the north end of Oscar Park, near the entrance drive railing.

High school teaching staff to be increased

In anticipation of a considerable increase of additional students at the high school this fall, school trustees Monday night approved four new teaching positions.

In addition, two more positions were approved due to growth in two programs.

High school principal Richard

Permits rise near million

Building permits have almost exceeded the million-dollar mark, only five months into the year, according to a report filed by city hall.

May's permits totaled \$134,200, taking the year's sum to \$968,324.

Surprisingly, however, the five-month total is only slightly ahead of the \$920,349 at the same time in 1993. Because of several housing additions either underway or planned, observers had felt 1994 would be well ahead of last year.

The same period's total in 1992 was \$289,755.

Permits issued during May by city hall included:

Joe McNeely, 407 W. Louisa, pigeon pens, \$300;
Phil Welch, 2 Surrey, pool, \$10,000;
Jimmy Wolfe, 1002 Van Horn, roofing, \$950;
Charlie Sells, 701 W. Manes, siding, \$4,800;
W.N. Whitehead, 404 W. Poe, covered porch, \$100;
Wesley Williams, 1197 S.E. Access Road, mobile home, \$5,000;
Buck Voyles, 1021 Foley, roofing, \$2,000;
Susan Wilson, 1314 Westridge, carport/enclosure, \$1,000;
Bernice Ferguson, 405 E. Aldine #7, demolition, no amount;
S.B. Reaves, 311 W. Alameda, roofing, \$600;
Marc Newman, 40 Surrey, storage building, \$1,500;
Jack Reynolds, 1700 Johnson, carport, \$1,250;
Mark Raby, 703 W. Magnolia, storage building, \$1,000;
Gene James, 108 W. Cash, alteration, \$3,000;
Carolyn Sims, 209 W. Poe, roofing/repairs, \$100;
Ivan Wilson, 1400 Mary, roofing, \$2,400;
Steve Lane, 1503 Bentwood, new home, \$93,000;
Jon Frederick, 104 Westview, porch, \$2,400;
Blaine Horton, 102 Westview, carport, \$600;
Marvin Parks, 104 S. Yosemite, garage, \$3,000;
Deana Custis, 117 Wood Circle, patio cover, \$400;
Roy Wright, 606 S. Park, roofing, \$200;
Henry Kiser, 1007 W. Louisa, carport, \$600.

Davis told the board he expects at least 100 more pupils on his campus than were there in May.

He pointed out that there were 103 seniors who were graduated, but the eighth grade had an enrollment of 176. The other 25 are expected to be transfers from the City View district.

Also, he mentioned that he had no idea how many additional students could be expected to move here as additional new housing becomes available.

There were 553 students on the high school's enrollment in May, which was 34 more than the final month of classes in 1993, according to the school's figures.

Davis explained problems which arise when attempting to schedule all the students at the campus, and not have too many in a classroom at the same time.

He said simply dividing the number of classrooms into the number of pupils fails to work.

High school teacher positions approved were one for English and Spanish, one for biology and physical science, one for social studies, and one for math.

In addition, the band and choir programs each were approved for an additional teacher.

Trustees were told approximately 300 students will be enrolled in the high school and junior high band program next year, and an assistant to help directors Greg Miller and Ed Hefli was needed.

Choir director Debi Walters told the board of growth in her classes, as a basis for an assistant. She said she had 76 students when she came to Iowa Park, and expects more than 200 this year. That figure includes 72 in the junior high honors program, she said.

Recently-hired assistant coach Dick Smith will fill the new math position at the high school.

Also concerning personnel, the board approved a proposal to permit two high school teachers, Linda Wickersham and Eldon Patterson, to work half days instead of full days, and to eliminate one teaching position at Kidwell Elementary, due to a decline in enrollment at that campus.

Wickersham teaches English and journalism as well as sponsors the yearbook and newspaper. Patterson teaches geometry and algebra.

Trustees accepted the resignations of three teachers: Lynette Husted, pre-kindergarten; Beverly McClure, fifth grade, and Linda Escue, high school librarian.

Marsha Duffie was approved for employment as the transitional living teacher at the junior high.

Action on the resignations and hiring of the new teacher were the only actions that took place following an executive session that lasted from 10:48 to 11:18 p.m.

The board approved a proposed stipend and reimbursement plan for teachers.

Teachers will receive a stipend for college hours completed toward a master's degree, based on actual cost of tuition and a transcript showing the college hours completed after June 1, 1994.

Teachers who complete inservice training related to their teaching field will be reimbursed the cost of the registration fee, upon presentation of proof of completion, effective June 1.

Also approved was a change in what the district will pay for student and personnel meals, as well as motel

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Arson charges filed against Iowa Parkan

An 18-year-old Iowa Park man was arrested Friday, charged with two January 1st arson fires.

Bowie Farr was taken into custody after being accused of setting fire to unoccupied homes, one just south of the railroad on Bell Road and the other near Punkin' Center.

An additional charge of theft also was filed against Farr in connection with a pickup battery taken about the

same time from a residence west of Burkburnett.

Farr was released after posting \$3,500 on each of the three charges, according to Wichita County Deputy Sheriff David Duke, the county's arson investigator.

Duke said the arrest resulted from a tip received by the Iowa Park Police Department.

The battery reportedly was taken from a pickup owned by another county deputy. Farr and a juvenile allegedly took it when their vehicle broke down one night.

It was recovered, Duke reported. The Bell Road fire was reported only minutes into 1994. The wooden structure was completely destroyed.

Other structures besides the house at Punkin' Center were lost to fire the same night, including a garage and barn.

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Miss Bates honored at pre-nuptial shower

Leisa Noell Bates, bride-elect of Wayne Chitwood, was honored Sunday at a pre-nuptial shower at the RAC.

Hostesses were Gay Williams, Jo Lynn Cockrum, Ruth Welch, Shirley Parkey, Sue McCarthy, Brenda Wiggins, Sheri Heidrich and Sherry Wood.

Guests registered at a round table draped with a ruffled ivory cloth. The couple's engagement announcement and photograph were arranged with silver doilies under the glass table top.

The Precious Moments bride's book was encircled with sprigs of pink silk blossoms and a trio of small ceramic cupids in various poses.

Covered with a white lace cloth over pink, the gift table was appointed with a purple vase containing an arrangement of purple silk flowers and greenery.

Crystal candle holders of varying sizes and shapes, holding purple votive candles and tapers, were arranged on a large mirrored tray to form the centerpiece for the refreshment table. The table was covered with white lace over purple.

A gray ceramic bride and groom rested on a mirrored tile, and square antique cutglass bowls held nuts and ivory bell-shaped mints. A cutglass punch bowl on a crystal tray was surrounded by pink silk flowers and white wedding bells. Teal blue napkins, pink cups, and purple plates were used for serving.

A large cake was decorated with two stemmed miniature champagne glasses. Cascading from the glasses were teal, pink and purple frosting violets that formed large hearts inscribed with names of the couple. Borders of the chosen colors were used.

Approximately 50 guests attended.

Special guests were Susie Bates, the honoree's mother, her grandmothers Beth Bates and Bette Morton, and her sister-in-law, Gidget Bates. Also

the groom-elect's grandmother, Mrs. R. W. Cotton, his aunt, Cindy Cotton, his sister, Terri Chitwood and his sister-in-law, Melanie Chitwood.

The honoree and her mother were presented silk corsages in the chosen bridal colors.

The Bates-Chitwood wedding is calendared for June 18 at First Baptist Church in Iowa Park.

Bride-elect honored with lingerie shower

Leisa Noell Bates, bride-elect of Wayne Chitwood, was honored with a lingerie shower and bachelorette party held recently in Dailas.

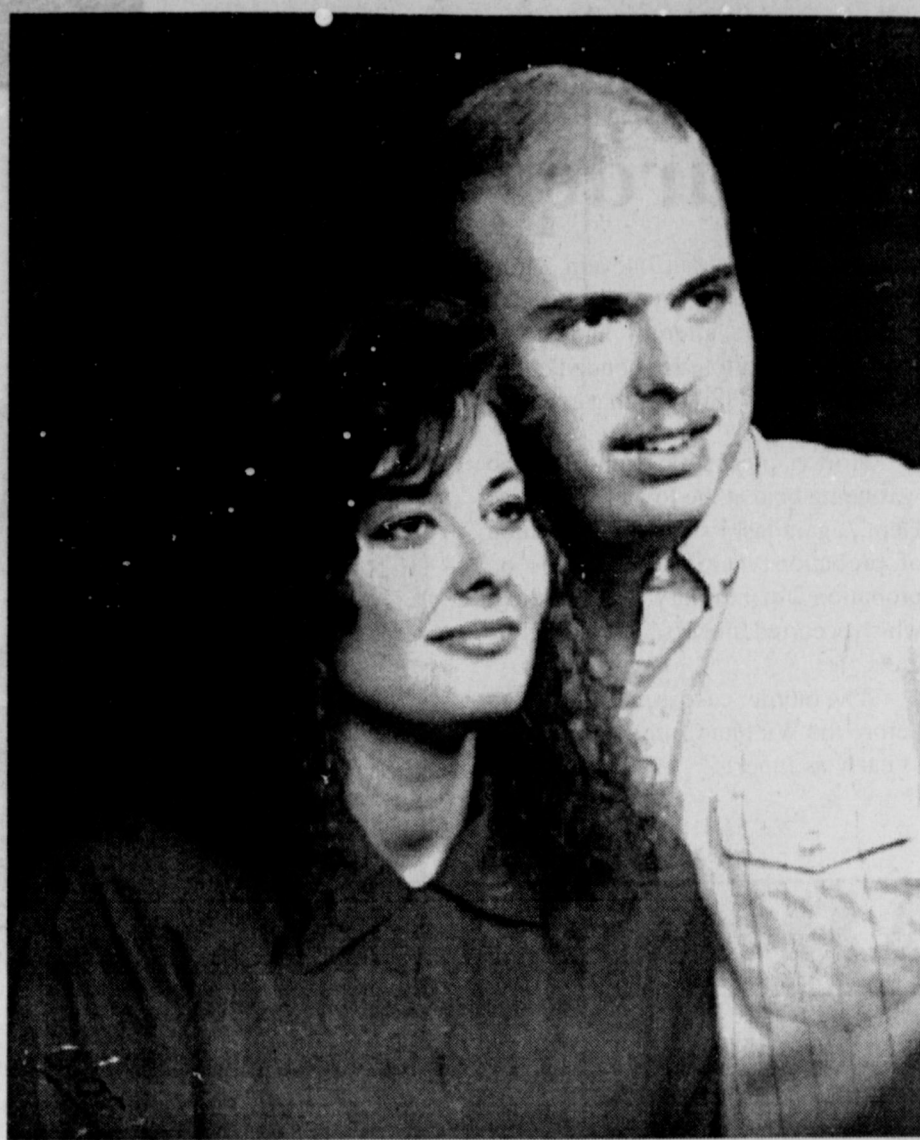
The shower was held in the home of Julie Bates. She was assisted by Jan Parkey, Candace Heidrich and Laura Davis who served as co-hostesses.

Susie Bates, mother of the bride-elect, was a special guest. Others attending were Gay Williams, Lisa Wiggins, Kelly Grider, Stephanie Ward, Sarah Flippo, Randa Falke, and Marcy McCarthy.

The refreshment table was covered with a white cloth, accented with teal, pink and purple streamers draped around the edges. A large cake, frosted in white, was decorated with purple, pink and teal ribbons and packages of candy. "Leisa and Wayne, June 18, 1994," was inscribed on the cake. Heart-shaped multi-colored confetti, purple plates, teal napkins, pink cups, and the crystal punch bowl completed the table setting, and balloons were used to decorate the party rooms.

Following the shower, the group had dinner at a restaurant in the Metroplex where the waiters presented Miss Bates with a special bride's concoction for dessert.

After dinner, the honoree and guests enjoyed some of the city's night spots, and spent the night at a hotel.



Sarah Davis and Richard Byrne

Announce engagement

The engagement and future wedding plans for Sarah Davis and Richard Byrne are announced this week.

Look Who's New

Gilbert

Bobby and Becky Gilbert are the parents of a daughter, Heather LeAnn, born May 31 at Wichita General Hospital. She weighed seven pounds, 15 ounces. The new baby has a brother, Trent.

Grandparents are James and Carolyn Whitaker and Bobby and Pat Gilbert.

Great-grandparents are Alice Burris, Maline Gilbert and Earl and Delma Goforth.

Miss Davis is the daughter of Ed and Terry Davis of Trinidad, Colo. Parents of the future bridegroom are Jim and Suzanne Byrne of Iowa Park.

The couple will exchange vows of matrimony Aug. 28 at First United Methodist Church in Trinidad.

A graduate of Trinidad High School, the bride-elect graduated Aims College in Greeley, Colo., with a degree in Criminal Justice. She is employed at Wichita Falls Police Department.

Byrne is a graduate of Iowa Park High School, and is an officer with the Electra Police Department.

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Pleasant Valley Baptist Church slates Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will begin at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church Monday and continue through Friday. Classes will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. nightly. The church is located at 880 Huntington Lane.

Trail of Treasures is theme of the Bible School and will be for ages pre-school through junior high.

Along with teaching the Bible, there will be sing-songs and crafts. Refreshments will be served.

Family Night will be Sunday, June 19. That night all family members are invited to attend.

Those who attended Vacation Bible School will display their work for their families to see.

Rev. Carl Kent, pastor, said the bus will run if needed. If transportation is needed, call 592-9064.

Helpful Facts

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Cunningham, Damon marry here Saturday

Lakeview Church of God was scene of the Saturday afternoon wedding of April Christine Cunningham and Derek Daniel Damon of Wichita Falls. Willie Howard directed the recitation of double ring vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Randal D. Cunningham of Iowa Park, Sybil Damon of Los Angeles and Dan Damon of San Diego, Calif.

Two candelabra, a mauve lily arrangement, and the unity candle were used as altar decorations. Every other pew was marked with a teal ribbon bow.

Favorite recorded selections of the couple dominated the musical program. Prelude music included "I Swear"--John Michael Montgomery, "So Much In Love"--All for One, "Don't Know Much"--Linda Ronstadt and Aaron Neville, "One Friend"--Dan Seals, "Power of Love"--Celine Dion, "Just for a Moment"--St. Elmo's Fire sound track.

The traditional Wedding March was played during the ceremony by Wyvone Hamilton, pianist. During the ceremony Leslie Wise sang "The Father Says I Do".

"Endless Love" sound track was played during the exchange of rings, "All My Life"--Linda Ronstadt and Aaron Neville was played during the kiss. As the couple lit the unity candle, "Here and Now"--Luther Vandross, was played and "A Whole New World"--theme from Aladdin was played as the couple left the altar.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, who presented her for marriage.

She wore a formal bridal gown of iridescent organza over satin. It was styled with a portrait neckline, large puffed sleeves and a full skirt. Her chapel length veil was attached to flowers on either side of her head. She carried a cascading bouquet of spring flowers.

For something old the bride wore an aurora borealis necklace belonging to her grandmother, Betty Caulfield, of Iowa Park, something borrowed was matching earrings belonging to her bridesmaid, Leslie Wise, something new was the wedding gown and she added a blue garter.

Judy Taylor was maid of honor and Leslie Wise was bridesmaid. Both are of Wichita Falls.

They wore straight line knee length dresses of coral linen designed with jewel necklines. Their bouquets were smaller versions of the bridal bouquet.

Jennifer Taylor, Wichita Falls, was flower girl. She was attired in a dress of small coral and teal floral print fashioned with puffed sleeves, and ruffled skirt.

Dan Damon of San Diego, the groom's father, was best man. Jerry Wise, Wichita Falls, was groomsmen, and James Taylor and Floyd Burke of Wichita Falls were ushers. They wore black tuxedos with teal paisley vests and bow ties.

The bride's parents hosted the reception in the church fellowship hall. Missy Burke secured signatures for the bride's book.

Balloons of silver, teal and coral decorated the hall. Presiding at the bride's four-tiered square cake, trimmed with gumpaste calla lillies, was Carol Miller.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at Lucy Park pavilion, catered by Chick-filet.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to the Dallas-Fort Worth area. For travel the bride wore a coral linen suit with white lace-trimmed tank top. They will make their home in Wichita Falls.

The bride is a graduate of Taft High School in San Antonio and is employed in Wichita Falls by Sam's Club.

Damon graduated Mira Mesa High School in Los Angeles. He is employed by the City of Wichita Falls.



Mrs. Derek Daniel Damon (April Christine Cunningham)

Special guests for the wedding were Ron Cunningham of Lemoore, Calif.; Col. and Mrs. O.D. Cunningham, the bride's grandparents of Waco; Inez Harbour, Coffeyville, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Heilman, Mesa, Ariz., the groom's parents, Sybil Damon of Los Angeles and Dan Damon of San Diego; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Damon, Jamestown, N.Y.,

Arlene Beal, Los Angeles; and Janet Griffin of Placena, Calif., Mr and Mrs. David G. Ray and family, Mary Sue Lanford, Brent Hopkins, of Whitney; Mr. and Mrs D.T. Coleman and family of Grand Prairie; Anthony Blackburn of Indiana, and the bride's

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Caulfield of Iowa Park.

You Can't Be Recycled

Buckle Up

A reminder from this newspaper and the Troopers of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Eastern Star installs officers

Arlena Rohrbaugh and Ray Anderson were installed worthy matron and worthy patron by Iowa Park Chapter No. 42 Order of the Eastern Star Saturday at the Iowa Park Masonic Lodge Hall.

Other officers for the 1994-95 year are Juanita Pendergrass, associate matron; Charles Seets, associate patron; Jo Gilbert, secretary; Kay Mashburn, treasurer; Marie Seets, conductress; Faye Anderson, associate conductress; Sylvia Ritchie, chaplain; Betty Dyer, marshal; Patsy Lane, organist; Nathalia Lee, Adah; Vera Cantwell, Ruth; Janis Latimer, Esther; Ginger Young, Martha; Orene Reid, Electa; Billy Mashburn, warder and Bill Lane, sentinel.

Installing officers were William P. Orr, officer; Dola "Liz" Orr, marshal; Ruby Hamilton, chaplain; Ethel Lynn Travis, organist; Mary Humphries, secretary. Bernice Williams narrated as April Rohrbaugh presented the Bible. Justin and Benjamin Rohrbaugh presented the square and compasses.

Toni Virgin was soloist, accompanied by Danny Long. Daisy Swift and Wanda Brown registered guests.

After the ceremony, 76 members and guests were served refreshments in the dining room.

Assisting at the refreshment table were Pat Kofoed, Cathy Whitt, and Dorothy Beard.

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- TXism: "a whole ___ (lots)
- "kick ___ joy juice"
- TXism: "he's ___ spring chicken" (old)
- TXism: "___ hand" (expert cowboy)
- TXism: "a ___ coup" (a lot)
- TX 16-wheeler
- Van Cibus was "The Conquered Russia"
- TX-born Atlanta, GA mayor Jackson
- cowtown slogan: "Foot Wuth ___ Yew!"
- Lincoln who offered troops to Gov. Sam
- TXism: "can't ___ nothing but broken dreams" (poor land)
- TXism: "he's a real ring-tailed ___!"
- salad or emperor
- The Dublin ___ (newspaper)
- ex-Mavericks' coach Aduabot (init.)
- TX Nolan Ryan threw seven of 'em
- TXism: "___ in the towel" (give up)
- TX hero Audie's WWII medal (abbr.)
- in Hudspeth Co. on I-10: Sierra
- Dallas is a ___ of '94 World Cup
- TXism: "I reckon"
- TXism: "you can bat the farm ___"
- TX fried veggie
- Oilers: "Luv ___ Blue"
- TXism: "keep your ___ peeled" (be alert)
- Dallas or Houston
- ex-Cowboy Kevin Martin's new Seattle team
- somebody ___ somebody wrong in TX Thomas hit
- TX Bush lived at 1600 Pennsylvania ___ (abbr.)
- border state: ___ Mexico
- Rangers' injury list (abbr.)
- TXism: "don't ___ your welcome"
- Tarpley's Greek team: ___ Salonica
- electric current (abbr.)
- TX O'Hair led move to ___ prayer in school
- ___ Speedwagon
- Houston Post columnist Lynn
- this TX Oliver wrote play "Who's Happy Now," but he didn't write "Roots"
- Harper of TX-made "Tender Mercies"
- Travis is said to have drawn line in ___ at the Alamo
- what Texans use to slide down New Mexico hills in Taylor Co. on I-20
- TXism: "___ shoulders above the rest" (best)
- TXism: "quick as ___ York minute"
- TX Perot's group: "United ___ Stand"

DOWN

- Gulf offers deep ___ fishing
- TXism: "tame as a ___ dog"
- big issue in TX Bush's '92 defeat
- rare birds in San Antonio Zoo (2 wds.)
- eleven Cowboys
- TXism: "put to ___ (bury)"
- "A Small Town in TX is about ___-con"
- Winters h.s. class
- San Antonio's ___ yards
- TXism: "___ ___ bunkhouse rat"
- some TX fishermen run a ___ line
- Gov. O'Daniel (init.)
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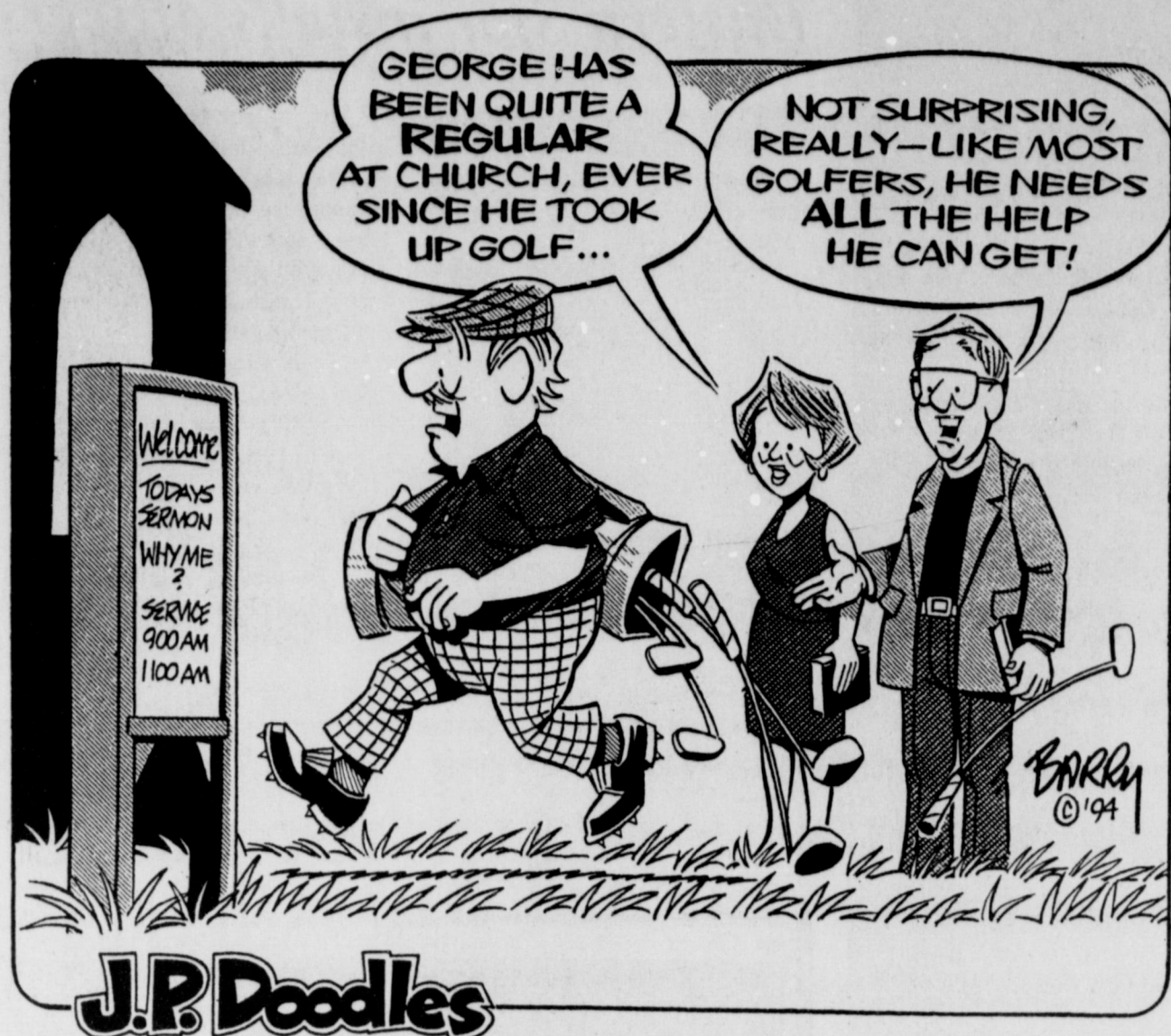
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As I See It... By Bob Hamilton



It takes anywhere from three to six days for the *Leader* to reach subscribers in Austin in the mail.

But it only takes 13 days for my column comments concerning some of the state offices to reach the state capital.

I used this space in our May 19 issue to complain that I wasn't receiving my annual notices of our vehicles' licenses expiring, and had to pay a penalty when renewing them.

And I suggested it was possibly the result of the state comptroller's big push to save money, because I also wasn't receiving the monthly report on city sales tax collections.

Well, I was contacted, first by telephone and then in person, by spokesmen from those two offices on June 1, which was Wednesday of last week.

The call was from Andy Welch, of the comptroller's office in Austin. He just couldn't seem to understand how I could link his boss, John Sharp, with not receiving my license renewal notices.

As to why I wasn't receiving the monthly sales tax reports, Welch said that was my own fault. He told me a

form was included in the January mailing which needed to be marked and return if I wanted to continue receiving it.

"It costs a lot of money to mail those out every month," I was informed.

I admitted I had evidently overlooked the form in the January mailing, so I guessed he was correct.

But I added that not returning the form certainly hadn't stopped receiving the multiple mailings each week about stuff his department was doing, and added I felt most of it was self-serving for Sharp.

It all wound up with my responding that, yes, I wanted to resume receiving the sales tax report, and no, I couldn't care less about all that other junk.

You see, I only use information, such as sales taxes, that relate to Iowa Park. News about the rest of the state is left up to the daily newspapers.

A couple of hours after the telephone call, Don Burnell, regional supervisor of the Vehicle Titles and Registration Division of the Texas Department of Transportation, walked in for a visit.

Burnell had no explanation as to

why I hadn't been receiving notices in the mail about our license tags expiring.

We explored the possibility of having moved and changed our mailing address -- no, not in 24 years -- and the possibility of having traded vehicles so that the information had not been received in Austin -- no, at least not until the day before, when we did trade Dolores' car, but the others had been in our possession more than five years.

His only explanation was that it must be one of those "glitches" in their computer. But he assured me, the department was replacing that old antiquated computer and everything would be better in the future.

I appreciated the contact from both the men, who appeared to be generally concerned about my complaints with the state.

Now, I guess I'll have to do a column on Pres. Clinton's proposed national health care plan. Suppose I might get a similar response?

WORTH QUOTING

Did'ja hear about the Aggie who was approached by two muggers? The Aggie fought back valiantly, but finally, the victim was subdued.

The bandits went thorough his pockets and came up with a total of 57 cents. "You mean to tell me," said one robber, "that you fought like this for a mere 57 cents?"

"Gosh," beamed the Aggie. "Is that all you wanted? I'd have given you that. I thought you were after the \$100 in my neakers."

JAMES ROBERTS
Andrews County News

City council to meet Monday

Housing and electric rates will be the key topics discussed during Monday night's meeting of the city council.

The meeting is to begin at 7 p.m. in council chambers.

A public hearing to consider annexing a 21.118-acre tract of land into the city will be held, according to the meeting agenda.

The land is located north of US 287 and on the west side of FM 368.

Three ordinances to be considered also include housing. One proposes replating of three lots in the Garden Valley subdivision, another would replat two lots in the original townsite, and the third would rezone another

area from general commercial to general residential.

Dale Cox, local representative of TU Electric, is to make a public appearance requesting city approval of four new tariff schedules.

Following his appearance, an ordinance will be considered on adoption of the new tariffs.

Administrator Mike Price will discuss possible changes in two ordinances, one concerning the trash convenience center's operation, and the other relating to animal impound fees.

Also on the meeting's agenda is recognition of the city's Employee of the Month, and swearing in of a new police officer, Daniel Rodriguez.

News Briefs

Bloodmobile to be here Monday

The Red River Red Cross Bloodmobile will be in Iowa Park from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Monday to work with donors.

As usual, the Bloodmobile will be at the Optimist Club Building, at the intersection of West Highway and Magnolia.

Small amount of rain reported

It wasn't as much as was needed, but the .05 of an inch rainfall Iowa Park

received Monday night helped, according to Virgil Woodfin.

USDA food distribution June 16

U.S.D.A. food commodities will be distributed to eligible recipients between 3 and 6 p.m. Thursday, June 16.

Foods to be distributed at First Christian Church are peas, pears, pork and butter.

Iowa Park police report arrests

Two men were arrested within a two-hour period during the early morning hours Sunday for the same offense: driving while license was suspended.

David Ray Meissner, 25, was taken into custody at 1:30 a.m. in the 900 block of South Wall. After being booked at the police station, he was transported to the county jail.

Then, at 3:28 a.m., police took Kenneth Scott Rhodes, 31, into custody at Glenda and Van Horn, for the same offense.

But Rhodes also was found to have two outstanding warrants out for his arrest from the Wichita County Sheriff's Office, for terroristic threat and criminal mischief.

He also was transported to the jail in Wichita Falls.

An early-morning burglary at a residence in the 100 block of West Alameda resulted in the loss of some \$4,800 worth of possessions.

A storage building in the back yard of the residence had been converted into a play room, and it was the equipment in it that was taken.

The list of missing possessions included a stereo, CD player, television, VCR, Nintendo game and some 150 miscellaneous country and western CD discs.

Mikkelson

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painting landscapes. Lately she does acrylic painting more than working with any other medium. She has been painting more T-shirts than anything else, she said.

Mikkelson also is a golfer. At the All-Iowa Park Golf Tournament in 1992 he was the handicap winner, and was second in that category just last week. "I really do have two good sons-in-law," he joked, "they let me beat them at golf."

Two other favorite hobbies are hunting and fishing. He and Stormy go each year to Minnesota during deer hunting season. He still has brothers and sisters there, so he gets to be with his family at that time.

Both Vern and Stormy are involved with work of their church, Trinity Lutheran, in Wichita Falls.

Mikkelson hopes to become more involved now with civic activities. He has been a member of the Iowa Park Electrical Board for several years. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge of San Benito, but has never joined the local lodge because of lack of time.

He also supports his wife in her activities. She has been active in the Iowa Park Garden Club, RAC, and the Clean and Green program, so he has been helpful with the things that take "extra muscle" to get done.

It is doubtful that many days will find Vern Mikkelson with nothing to do.

Helpful Facts

Persons other than the property owner doing work on a residence must be a licensed building contractor, plumber, electrician, or heating and air conditioning contractor with the City of Iowa Park, and carry a performance bond.

The theft was discovered Friday morning.

Police received another theft complaint Thursday morning, from a home owner in the 200 block of South Bond. Two refrigerated air conditioners, with a total value of \$850, were reported missing.

Officers responded to the scene of a reported domestic disturbance in the 200 block of West Jefferson at 2:47 a.m. Wednesday. They arrested Robert Lee Hilbus, 35, on a Class C assault charge.

Ryan Andrew Hofmann, 18, was stopped at 11:01 a.m. Thursday on a traffic check in the 600 block of East Highway. It was determined he had an outstanding local warrant for his arrest, speeding. He was released after

paying his fine, according to the police blotter.

School

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charges, on trips away from the district.

New rates will be \$5 for breakfast, \$6 for lunch and \$7 for dinner for students; \$6, \$8 and \$11 for personnel, and actual cost of motels.

Two City View transfers were approved.

Also approved were several bids received for the purchase of athletic equipment, and appointment of Max Henderson as delegate and Dennis Yeager as alternate to the state board convention in Dallas this fall.

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COOK OF THE WEEK

With the arrival of 100-plus degree temperatures, many Iowa Parkans do most of their cooking outdoors on grills and smokers.

This type of cooking for family meals works equally well for entertaining friends.

The availability of seasonal fruits and vegetables, salads and desserts that can be prepared ahead of time, combine to make relaxed and memorable summer meals.

Onion Corn-on-the-Cob

1 envelope (1/2 cup) dry onion soup mix
1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened
1/2 tsp. salt
6 - 8 ears corn

In small mixing bowl, combine dry onion soup mix, butter and salt; mix well. Spread each ear of corn with 1 tablespoon of mixture. Wrap in foil and bake at 425 degrees or grill over hot coals for 30 to 35 minutes until tender. Serve with additional butter if desired.

Garden Potatoes & Peas

1 lb. small red-skinned potatoes
2 Tbsps. butter or margarine
1 Tbsp. onion, chopped
2 Tbsps. flour
1 1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. dill weed
1/8 tsp. pepper
1 1/2 cup milk
1 1/2 cup fresh (or 10 oz. pkg. frozen) peas, cooked

Cook unpeeled potatoes in boiling water 20 to 25 minutes or until tender. Drain and cool enough to handle. Peel if desired and set aside.

In same saucepan, combine butter and onion and cook until onion is tender. Blend in flour, salt, dill and pepper. Stir in milk, mixing well. Cook

until mixture boils, stirring constantly. Add potatoes and peas and cook until heated through.

Grilled Minute Steaks

3/4 cup cooking oil
1/4 cup soy sauce
3 Tbsps. honey
2 Tbsps. vinegar
2 Tbsps. chopped green onion
1 1/2 tsp. ground ginger
1/8 tsp. garlic powder
6 minute steaks

Combine all ingredients except steaks in plastic bag or shallow non-metallic pan. Add steaks. Let stand 1 to 2 hours.

Grill 4 to 5 inches from hot coals for 5 to 7 minutes on each side, brushing frequently with marinade.

Lemon-Barbecued Chuck Steak

2 - 3 lbs. chuck steak, cut 1 1/2 in. thick
1 cup lemon juice
1 cup cooking oil
1/4 cup chopped onion (or 1 tsp. instant minced onion)
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. grated lemon peel
2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 tsp. prepared mustard
1/8 tsp. pepper

Slash fat edges of meat and place meat in shallow non-metallic dish.

Combine remaining ingredients and pour over steak. Let stand covered 3 hours at room temperature or refrigerated overnight, turning several times. Remove steak from marinade. Grill over hot coals or broil 3 to 4 inches from heat until rare to medium, brushing on marinade during cooking. When done, cut across grain into thin slices.

Shrimp in Garlic Butter

1/2 cup butter or margarine
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 Tbsp. parsley flakes
2 Tbsps. lemon juice
1/4 tsp. salt
1 1/2 - 2 lbs. cleaned, shelled large shrimp

Melt butter in small skillet. Add garlic, parsley, lemon juice and salt.

Thread shrimp on 4 to 6 skewers, baste with garlic butter and place on greased grill, 4 to 6 inches from hot coals. Cook 15 to 20 minutes, turning and brushing occasionally with garlic butter until done.

Zucchini Salad

7 small zucchini, thinly sliced
1 sweet red pepper, sliced into thin strips
1 green pepper, sliced into thin strips
3 stalks celery, thinly sliced
1 small red onion, thinly sliced and separated into rings
1 cup Italian salad dressing
2 Tbsps. sugar
1 Tbsp. dried parsley flakes
1/2 tsp. dried whole basil

Combine first 5 ingredients in a large bowl and stir well.

Combine salad dressing, sugar, parsley and basil, and add to vegetable mixture, tossing gently.

Spicy Squash Casserole

4 yellow squash (1 lb.)
1 med. onion, chopped
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 cup water
1 - 4 oz. can chopped green chiles, undrained
1 - 2 oz. jar chopped pimiento, drained
1 cup (4 oz.) cubed Monterey Jack cheese
2 hard-cooked eggs, sliced
3/4 cup corn chips, crushed

Cut squash into 1/4-inch slices. Combine first 4 ingredients in a saucepan and cook 6 to 8 minutes or until squash is tender. Drain well. Add chiles, pimiento and cheese. Spoon into a lightly greased 1 3/4 quart casserole dish. Place egg slices on top and sprinkle with corn chips.

Bake 20 minutes at 350 degrees, or until casserole is thoroughly heated.

Texas Flank Steak

1 - 2 lb. flank steak
1/2 cup vegetable oil
1/4 cup vinegar
1/2 tsp. sugar
1 envelope onion soup mix
1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce

Place flank steak in a shallow dish. Combine remaining ingredients and pour over steak. Cover and refrigerate 8 hours, turning steak often. Drain steak, reserving marinade.

Grill steak over hot coals 10 to 12 minutes on each side or to desired doneness, basting occasionally with reserved marinade.

Avocado Stuffed Celery

1 medium avocado
1 1/2 tsp. lemon juice
1 - 3 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1/4 tsp. salt
Dash pepper
Celery

Peel and mash avocado. Sprinkle with lemon juice. Blend in cheese, lemon peel, Worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper. Use to fill stalks of celery which have been cut into 2 or 3-inch pieces. Garnish with pimiento if desired.

Helpful Hints

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

Make it a perfect wedding beginning with your invitation!



Valerie Johnson named award winner in Math

Valerie Ann Johnson has been named a United States National Award winner in Mathematics.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students attain. The Academy recognizes less than 10 percent of all American high school students.

Valerie, who will be a freshman next school year, was nominated for the National Award by Kelly Gibson, her Junior High algebra teacher.

Valerie's biography will appear in the United States Achievement Academy official yearbook, published nationally.

Criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.



Valerie Johnson

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GARDENING HINTS

By MARK TERNING, COUNTY AGENT - HORTICULTURE

Landscapes, gardens, and lawns will require special attention as we move into the summer months.

The following garden check list will help you keep track of these important garden activities which occur in the month of June.

PLANTING

* Install flowering annuals for season-long color. (Sun areas) Zinnia, portulaca, lantana, copper plant, marigolds, penta, firebush, celosia (shade areas) coleus, caladiums, begonia, Texas Gold Columbine, impatiens.

* Use containers with flowering plants on decks, patios, and porches for colorful landscape accents.

* Plant containerized nursery stock such as shrubs, trees, and groundcovers.

* Establish warm season lawns such as bermuda, St. Augustine, or buffalo grass from seed, sod, plugs, or hydromulching.

* heavily shaded bare areas should be planted with a shade tolerant groundcover. Check with a local nursery professional for various plant material.

FERTILIZERS

* Apply a 3-1-2 or 4-1-2 ratio lawn fertilizer to warm season lawns. Products such as 21-7-14, 16-4-8, 15-5-10 and 20-5-10 are appropriate. Use fertilizers with slow-release nitrogen for slow, even growth, and reduced clippings.

* Watch out for iron deficiency on oaks, magnolias, and other landscape plants. Yellow leaves with green veins

are deficiency symptoms. Apply an iron fertilizer containing sulfur.

* Use slow-release nitrogen fertilizers such as Osmocote in planting mixes for containers, hanging baskets, or flower boxes.

* Apply one inch of water each week to warm-season lawns.

WEED AND PEST CONTROL

* Fleas and ticks infesting lawn and landscape areas can be controlled with Dursban, Diazinon, or yardex.

* Black spot and powdery mildew on roses should be treated with Funginex on regular intervals.

* Pecan nut casebearer treatment time frame is June 1 to June 5. Homeowners can apply malathion, dursban, or diazinon which is labeled for use on pecan.

* Control broadleaf weeds in warm season lawns with broadleaf weed killer. Grassy weeds can be treated with MSMA. (Do not use on St. Augustine)

* Follow all label directions when using any pesticide or fertilizer.

* Dead areas in St. Augustine or Bermuda turf may be Take All Patch disease. Contact your local county extension agent or a nursery professional for more information.

* Tomato plants with curled, distorted leaves may be infected with a virus. Remove infested plants from the garden.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

How much fiber is enough?

By BARBARA FANGMANN Home Demonstration Agent

Although most health authorities agree that fiber is important in the diet, it is not yet known exactly how much and what types of fiber are needed each day.

Some health organizations have suggested healthy adult Americans increase dietary fiber 20-30 grams per day, roughly twice what most Americans eat now.

They also suggest an upper limit of 35 grams per day to avoid any adverse effect such as bloating, gas, or cramping.

Fiber should come from a variety of food sources including vegetables, fruits, and whole grain products.

If you're not used to eating foods that are high in fiber, increase fiber gradually. Since fiber draws water into the large intestine, be sure to drink plenty of liquids-- eight or more cups a day--including water, juice, milk, and other beverages, soups and so forth, to avoid cramping.

The suggested levels of fiber are not meant for children, the elderly, or people on special diets, due to limited research with these groups.

Because high-fiber foods are usually bulky and low in calories, small children, for example, may find it difficult to eat enough to get the calories they need to grow. However, everyone including small children, should include fruits, and grain products in their daily diet.

Barbara Fangmann, CEA-HE offers ways to obtain at least 20 grams of dietary fiber by eating the following amounts of foods:

* Three servings a day of vegetables such as broccoli spears, corn, baked potato and kidney beans; plus

* Two servings a day of fruit such as pear, apple, banana, figs and orange; plus

* Three servings a day of whole-grain products such as whole wheat bread, hot oatmeal, or other whole grain cereal.

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MINISTER - JEFF RATLIFF

Helpful Hints

The running or roaming at large of any dog, cat or other animal within the city has been declared a nuisance and positively prohibited, and it has been made unlawful and deemed a Class C misdemeanor for the owner or keeper of any dog, cat or other animal to allow the same to run or roam at large within the city.

Helpful Facts

The City of Iowa Park offers a \$250 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person committing arson within the city limits.

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Discipleship Training	5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

Acteens (Girls)	6:30 p.m.
R.A.'s (Boys)	7:00 p.m.
Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.
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RAC NEWS

Teddy Bear Picnic

It's back!! Tomorrow will be the second annual Teddy Bear Picnic at the RAC. Makes plans to bring your lunch and bears and join us for some great fun! Bears may be entered in contest categories for Best Dressed, Largest, Smallest, and Most Original Bear. There will also be stories and coloring contests for the children. Prizes for all contests will be awarded after lunch. All the fun begins at 11:00 a.m.

Growing Up Girls Clinic

Next week the RAC will host a clinic for girls in grades 5 through 7 to encourage better habits for them during this fast changing stage of their lives. Special speakers will visit with the girls each day about issues such as posture, manners, good health habits, hair care, nail care, and skin care. The clinic will be finalized with a coke party to honor the girls and thank the speakers on Friday. The clinic sessions will be held daily at 10:00 a.m. and last approximately 45 minutes each. Cost for the clinic will be \$4.00 for the entire week or \$1.00 per session. For further information, please contact the RAC at 592-4471.

Volleyball Tournament

Plans are underway for a four-man coed tournament to be held at the sand courts on Friday, June 17, and also for the July 4th weekend. Registration fees will be \$40 per team and may be paid in advance at the RAC office (806 N. Third).

Dance Classes

There are still openings for students in tap, jazz, and ballet at the RAC. Classes will be held on Thursday mornings. Class fees will be \$20 per month. For more information or to register, call the RAC at 592-4471.

Bridge Club

With two tables in play this week, Frank Mayfield had the high score with 7300, and Louise Helms came in second high with a score of 4400.

Travel tips for people with arthritis

The thought of traveling for people with arthritis may bring to mind additional pain, inconvenience and frustration. There are however, many ways to make traveling more enjoyable and comfortable, reports the Arthritis Foundation.

"The key to traveling successfully is advanced planning", said Marty Cook, president of the Northwest Texas Chapter.

The first step includes making

realistic and flexible plans that fit your interest and capabilities. Advance planning also includes deciding on type of transportation, hotel accommodations, travel insurance and whether to use a travel agent.

The Foundation offers seven basic tips for saving your joints and energy when traveling:

Begin a trip or outing well rested; set aside time to rest at your destination before beginning activities; pro-

vent stiffness with simple range-of-motion exercises such as ankle circles, shoulder circles, wrist and hand exercises, and leg lifts;

Accept help and special services when needed; ask tour guide how much walking is required; do not let yourself get overtired; plan ways to spend time by yourself in case you are unable to join or keep up with group activities.

In addition the Foundation offers the following luggage and packing tips:

Use lightweight luggage with shoulder straps or wheels; ask porters to carry your luggage whenever possible; use luggage carts when assistance is unavailable; pack lightly, most hotels have laundry facilities;

Take comfortable clothing that

you can get on and remove easily; check weather conditions ahead of time to decide what type of clothing you will need; always travel in low-heeled shoes with good support.

For more information or to request a free copy of the brochure "Travel Tips", contact the Arthritis Foundation-Northwest Texas Chapter, 723-0346 in Wichita Falls.

Early diagnosis crucial for scoliosis

Early diagnosis and treatment for scoliosis in children can help lessen the severity of this dreaded curvature of the spine.

"If we can diagnose scoliosis at the earliest possible age, we can take measures such as bracing to help prevent the curvature from getting worse," said Dr. Wendell Erwin, an orthopedic surgeon at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Although scoliosis is seen in adults, it usually begins to appear in infancy and through adolescence. The disease slowly worsens as the skeleton grows.

Curvature can cause degenerative changes in the joints of the spinal column leading to deformity of the vertebrae. The result can be pain and deformity of the back and problems walking.

Treatment may involve bracing to prevent continued worsening of the curvature. Manipulation of the spine and exercises will not prevent curvature of the spine.

In some cases surgery may be required. A device to straighten the spine, called the Harrington rod, was developed and tested in Houston by a Baylor physician in the 1950s. It has been replaced by new rod systems which allow patients to have the device implanted without the need for a

cast after surgery.

"It is common, particularly in rural areas and among the poor who do not have easy access to medical care, to mistake the first symptoms of scoliosis for another problem," Erwin said.

"If parents think their child has a short leg or poor posture, they may not immediately seek a physician's advice, giving the condition time to worsen."

The majority of scoliosis cases are inherited and cannot be prevented. But, Erwin says, early intervention may prevent disability.



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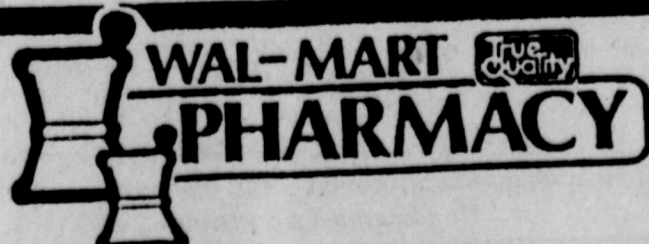
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Lyme Disease

- Lyme disease results from bacteria transmitted to humans from a deer tick.
- In its early stages, the disease is characterized by a circular rash and flu-like symptoms. If left untreated, Lyme disease can become severe, involving heart palpitations and arthritis.
- More than 1,500 cases of Lyme disease are reported annually, and the number is rising.
- The bacteria-infected tick is commonly found in wooded and grassy areas along both coasts, beginning in May and continuing through September.
- To lessen your chances of contracting Lyme disease, avoid tick-infested areas if possible.
- When hiking in the woods, protect extremities with clothing. Pull socks over the bottoms of pants so ticks don't have an entry onto the legs.
- Walk in the middle of paths.
- Check for ticks after every walk.
- To remove a tick, put some gasoline or kerosene on a cotton ball and tape it loosely over the tick for 15-20 minutes. If the tick does not back itself out, use a fine pair of tweezers and grasp the tick and pull it slowly straight out. Use a magnifying glass and make sure you've got the tick's head.
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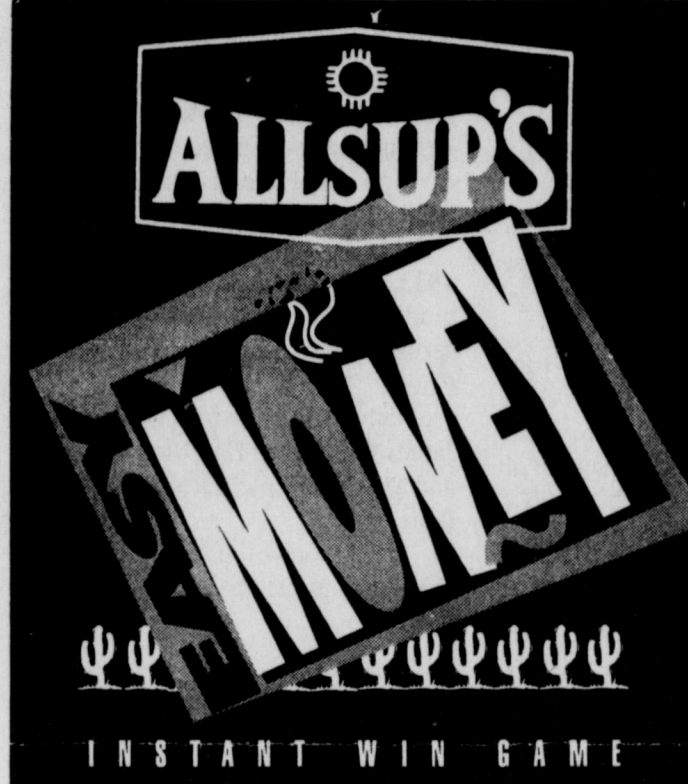
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Obituaries

Elzy Patterson

Services for Elzy Patterson, 89, of Petrolia, were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church of Petrolia.

Rev. David Dunham, pastor, and M.D. "Sonny" Baker officiated. Burial was in Petrolia Cemetery under direction Davis Funeral Home.

Patterson, father of Clyde Patterson of Iowa Park, died Monday in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born Oct. 3, 1904, in Collin County, Patterson and Mary Irene Groves were married Sept. 1, 1927, in Petrolia. She died May 23, 1993.

A retired electrician, Patterson worked for Community Electric in Petrolia and various electrical contractors in Wichita Falls. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Petrolia.

Survivors include another son, Paul Patterson of Graham; one daughter, Reva Nell Baker of Petrolia; one sister, Mary Reedy of Corsicana; 10 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Edd W. Barr

A memorial service for Edd Weaver Barr, 51, will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at Dutton Funeral Home. Burial will be in Holliday Cemetery.

Barr died June 2 at his home in Anchorage, Alaska.

A memorial service was held Wednesday, June 8, in Anchorage for family and friends there who could not attend the Texas services.

Born Aug. 26, 1942, in Ashdown, Ark., he was married to Velma Lee Hambright of Iowa Park. He was preceded in death by his father, Lester W. Barr and a sister, Bessie Conkley.

Barr had retired from the Federal Aviation Administration in Anchorage. He had worked for Sheppard AFB and spent 30 years in the service of the U.S. Government. He and his wife raised their own two sons and several homeless children in Alaska.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Donnie Joe Barr and Joe Lee Barr of Anchorage; one daughter, Shelley Lynne Barr of Texas; his mother, Sadie Barr of Ashdown; one brother, Claude Barr of Arkansas; three sisters, Dee Lyons and Faye Briggs of Texas and Nancy Neimeyer of Arkansas; two grandchildren and two foster grandsons.

Following the service, family and friends will gather at the home of Barr's in-laws, Fred and Hazel Hambright in Iowa Park.



John Franklin Blair

Services for John Franklin Blair, 73, were at 2 p.m. Monday at Northside Baptist Church.

Rev. Earl Correll, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Highland Cemetery under direction of Dutton Funeral Home.

Blair died Saturday in Iowa Park.

Born Jan. 23, 1921, in Throckmorton, he was married to Modena Fae Rogers May 3, 1942, in Haskell.

He moved to Iowa Park from Abilene in 1968. He retired from Glen Weeks Music Co., in 1982. He was a veteran of the Army, having served in World War II. He was a life member of Disabled American Veterans and a member of Northside Baptist Church. His son, Tommy died May 18, 1976.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Karolin Smith of Wichita Falls; one sister, Ruth Jackson of Throckmorton; one brother, Cleveland Blair of LaPorte; three grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and two step-great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Wichita Falls.

Lola Fay Leath

Services for Lola Fay Leath, 95, of Wichita Falls were at 2 p.m. Friday at Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home.

Rev. Howard Chapman, assistant pastor of First Baptist Church, and Rev. Tom Livernois, associate pastor of Liberty Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Rosemont Cemetery.

Miss Leath, aunt of Preston Leath of Iowa Park, died Wednesday at her home.

Born May 29, 1899, in Clay County, she had lived in Wichita Falls since 1923. Her sister, Lila Leath Stone, died in 1983.

Miss Leath was a retired bookkeeper for Fisher Palmer Oil Co. She

had done missionary work for Southern Baptist Convention in Portland, Ore. She was a member of First Baptist Church and taught junior children in Sunday school at the church 70 years.

Other survivors are six nephews, Billy Stone of Decatur, Jimmy of Henrietta, Charlie Lee of Mesquite, Doyle Stone of Wichita Falls, and Glenn of Springtown, and two nieces, Mary Kline of Costa Mesa, Calif., and Francis Thomason of Valley View.

Charley Carter Jennings

Charley Carter Jennings, 61, of Dallas, died Tuesday in a Dallas hospital. He was the brother of Mary Arrington of Iowa Park.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Loving Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Morrison Funeral Home in Graham.

Mr. Jennings was born March 10, 1933, in Young County. He was a graduate of Graham High School. He served in the United States Marine Corps.

Other survivors include a brother, James Jennings of East Meadow, N.Y.; and a sister, Mable Harrelson of Mesquite.

Visitation will be from 1-9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

J. C. Bales

Private family services were held for J.C. Bales, 78, who died Sunday in a Wichita Falls hospital. Dutton Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Born June 12, 1915, in Montague County, near Bowie, he was married to Annabelle Thurmond July 1939 in Wichita Falls. She preceded him in death Jan. 4, 1990.

Bales had been a resident of Iowa Park since 1969, moving here from Amarillo. He retired in 1977 from civil service as a painting supervisor. He was a member of Faith Baptist Church and was a Mason. He was a Shriner and worked in civil defense.

Survivors include two daughters, Janice Kight of Iowa Park and Beverly Ann Younger of Tulsa, Okla.; five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Juanita Duncan

Services for Juanita Duncan, 73, of Wichita Falls were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church of Newcastle.

Rev. Tommy Clark, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Newcastle Cemetery under direction of Lunn's Colonial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Duncan died Sunday in a Wichita Falls nursing home.

Born Jan. 30, 1921, in Newcastle, she had been a resident of Wichita Falls six years, moving from Olney. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Newcastle and was a homemaker. Her husband, Raymond Duncan, died Nov. 26, 1975.

Survivors include her mother, Irene Reynolds of Graham; one daughter, Nancy Davis of Kamay; three sisters, Betty Harris, Polly Reynolds and Rita Taylor, all of Newcastle; two brothers, Emory Reynolds of Newcastle and Spain of Padgett; three grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church of Newcastle.

Doris Elaine Love

Services for Doris Elaine Love, 61, were at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Owens & Brumley Funeral Home. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park.

Mrs. Love, mother of Dannie Trichell of Iowa Park, died Wednesday in Wichita Falls.

Born June 29, 1932, in Forest, La., she had lived in Wichita Falls since 1961. She was owner of D&W Auto Parts Store.

Other survivors include her husband, Wadis L.; one daughter, Sharon Copeland of Fort Worth; three stepsons, Leon of Durant, Okla., Jackie and Rickey, both of Wichita Falls; two stepdaughters, Lacquita Lewis of Durant and Mary Ann Howell of Iowa; two brothers, Oscar V. Walker of El Paso and Emmett Walker of Wichita Falls; two sisters, Thelma McDonald of Westfield, Maine, and Delitha Doty of Springfield, Mo.; her mother and stepfather, Jewel and John Borbo of Wichita Falls; five grandchildren; 11 step-grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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STEPHENS & JOHNSON OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the K-M-A Field, 2.5 miles W of Kamay. The KMA WATERFLOOD-SOUTHWEST UNIT Well No. 383, located in the W. H. Spillers Survey #124, A-257 on a 4640 acre unit, tested 21.4 BO/D, no gas, 325 BW/D on pump from perfs 3762'-3860' after frac treatment.

ARCHER COUNTY

JAMES D. LINDEMANN of Holliday, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 4999' depth Archer County Regular Field well 7 miles NE of Archer City. The HOUSE RANCH Well No. 2 is located in the Blk. 25, H. Corzine Survey, A-56 on a 191.17 acre lease.

ROGERS DRILLING CO. of Olney, Tx has reported a PLUG BACK OIL WELL RECOMPLETION in the Archer County Regular Field, 15 miles SW of Archer City. The BOUNDS Well No. 1, located in the BBB&C RR Co. Survey #11, A-54 on a 116 acre lease, tested 15 BO/D, trace of gas, no water, on pump from perfs 4654-60' and 4773-77' after acid treatment.

BAYLOR COUNTY

QUINLAN ENGINEERING of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 2000' depth Baylor County Regular Field well 8 miles SW of Bomarton. The HOBERT 'A' Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 3, Blk. 46, H&TC RR Co. Survey, A-1240 on a 160 acre lease.

CLAY COUNTY

LANE OPERATING CO. of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 6800' depth SE Buffalo Springs [Ellenburger] Field well 3 miles SSW of Buffalo Springs. The EDWARDS Well No. 2 is located in the Blk. 103, Wood C S L Survey, A-705 on a 239 acre lease.

FOARD COUNTY

RYDER SCOTT OIL CO. of Wichita Falls, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 7900' depth Barrett-Sun-Pyro [BSP] Field well 19 miles NW of Crowell. The ALLEN Well No. 1 is located in the Sec. 51, Blk. A, T&NO RR Co. Survey, A-589 on a 320 acre lease.

HARDEMAN COUNTY

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC. of Midland, Tx has reported a NEW OIL WELL COMPLETION in the Independence [Mississippian] Field, 7.5 miles NNE of Quannah. The COOK Well No. 1, located in the Sec. 72, Blk. H, W&NW RR Co. Survey, A-1685 on a 40 acre unit, tested 27 BO/D, 40 MCF/D, no water, flowing on 14/64 choke at 140# from perfs 8757-64' and 8780-84' after acid treatment.

JACK COUNTY

EXORARE ENERGY, INC. of Dallas, Tx has filed for a permit to DRILL a 5400' depth Jack County Regular [Wildcat] Field well 3 miles N of Perrin. The WIMBERLY Well No. 4 is located in the A. Ferguson Survey, A-215 on a 117.8 acre lease.

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TU Electric files late change proposal

TU Electric has proposed a package of new strategic rates company officials represent as being designed to enhance economic development, improve the environment and encourage further energy conservation by large users of electricity.

The proposal was filed Monday with the Public Utilities Commission of Texas and cities in the TU Electric service area.

If approved, the new rates will be offered to qualifying commercial, industrial and wholesale electric customers as an incentive to attract new businesses and jobs, to retain existing businesses, or to encourage job creation through the expansion of existing businesses.

The package also includes an incentive for qualifying customers who convert to advanced technologies that will conserve energy or improve the environment.

"Every customer of TU Electric will benefit from this package," said TU Electric Iowa Park manager Dale Cox.

"Over the long term, it will help

hold the cost of electricity down by ensuring that fixed costs are spread over a large number of customers. In addition, all residents of the service area will benefit from a cleaner environment and the conservation of energy resources."

The package consists of two competitive rates for qualifying commercial, industrial and whole customers; an Economic Development Service rider to help attract new businesses to the area, and an Environmental Technology Service rider to

encourage conversion by customers to more efficient and environmentally beneficial technologies.

"Approval of the strategic rate package will be a vital step in keeping this part of Texas competitive in today's business environment," Cox said. "We hope it will be approved quickly so TU Electric customers can begin to benefit from it."

The utility company serves more than 2.2 million customers in 88 counties of North Central, West, and East Texas.

State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling
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AUSTIN — State and federal costs of Medicaid health insurance are projected to triple from 1990 to 1995, from \$3.3 billion to \$9.7 billion, making it the fastest growing part of the state budget.

Spending on Medicaid, which provides care for about 2.3 million indigent and uninsured Texans over age 65, has increased at twice the rate of spending on prisons and four times the rate of spending on public schools, according to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, who last week called a meeting of the Senate Committee on Health and Human Services.

In 1993, the state spent 10.4 percent (\$2.5 billion) of the general fund on Medicaid, state Medicaid director DeAnn Friedholm told the committee.

Federal funding cuts for Texas Medicaid soon will add to the state's financial burden. Friedholm said cuts are expected to take away from \$160 to \$225 million each year from the program, beginning in 1995. In order to receive the federal funding, the state must comply with federal Medicaid mandates, more and more of which are unfunded. Those unfunded federal mandates have grown from 42 percent in 1988 to 72 percent in 1994, she said.

Also driving up spending on Medicaid, according to Friedholm and Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, is that Medicaid patients often resort to high-cost emergency room treatment for non-emergency services because doctors refuse to treat them.

Medicaid reimburses doctors at about 47 percent of the rate paid by private-sector health insurance.

Texas to File Suit Over Illegals

Attorney General Dan Morales is aiming to get compensation from the federal government for money Texas has been spending on free health care and education for the state's estimated 500,000 illegal immigrants.

Morales said he plans to file a lawsuit against the U.S. government "soon" — timing the action to pressure Congress in hopes of recouping some of the costs of caring for illegal immigrants.

An immigration reform proposal before Congress includes \$350 million earmarked by President Clinton to compensate states for the cost of keeping illegal immigrants in prison.

Moncrief: Toughen Stalking Law
Texas' anti-stalking law wasn't enough to prevent the May 12 shooting death of 15-year-old Eric Krause of Austin.

Krause's family reported to Austin police each time the boy was followed or threatened by Dennis Ray Queen, 28, the man who was arrested and charged with the shooting. The same week he allegedly shot Krause, Queen, on a \$200 deposit bond, was released from jail on stalking charges.

The case has prompted state Sen. Mike Moncrief, D-Fort Worth, author of the 1993 anti-stalking law, and Austin police Sgt. Dusty Hesskew to propose toughening the statute in the biennial legislative session which convenes in January. "The law we passed on anti-stalking is not perfect. Our statute is working the way it was designed to work," Moncrief said.

According to the *Austin American Statesman*, Moncrief has proposed removing the provision in the current law that requires a previous report of stalking before police can make an arrest.

Moncrief also suggested notifying victims when a stalker is released on bond, violates bond or is scheduled to be released from prison, and, revising the law to allow judges to set higher bond.

Hesskew recommended making stalking a victim under 17 years of age an automatic third-degree felony. Under the current law, a first stalking offense is a Class A misdemeanor; a second offense is a third-degree felony.

Teresa Doggett May Quit Race

Teresa Doggett, the GOP nominee for state comptroller, said last week she is considering dropping out of the race because of turmoil in the state Republican Party.

In a telephone interview with *The Dallas Morning News*, Doggett expressed frustration over the internal squabble among the moderates and conservatives in the party.

"I did talk to some people about dropping out of the race," Doggett said. But, she added, "I'm just not a quitter. That's not my style."

Doggett, who is running against incumbent John Sharp, said she believes the battle over the party leadership has shifted attention from her campaign.

"The party is just going crazy right now," said the 43-year-old Doggett, the only black candidate running for statewide office.

Karen Hughes, executive director of the state Republican Party, said she was unaware that Doggett is frustrated about the battle for the party chairmanship or that she is considering withdrawing.

The new chairman will be elected June 10-11 at the state GOP convention in Fort Worth.

Judge Upholds Brady Law

A federal judge in San Antonio last week upheld the Brady law, rejecting a South Texas sheriff's contention that the new handgun law violates the constitutional protection of states' rights.

U.S. District Judge Ed Prado ruled that the Brady law's provisions do not "commandeer state legislators" and "only places minimal duties upon chief law enforcement officers."

'Unconstitutional State Tax'

Lawyers for property-rich districts said the five options in the law amount to a statewide property tax.

"It's an unconstitutional state (property) tax because it is imposed by the state and the state collects it," said lawyer Bob Luna, who represents property-rich districts.

Justice Lloyd Doggett said Luna was making basically the same argument the court rejected five years ago in a 9-0 decision.

Last week's hearing marked the fourth time since 1989 that the Supreme Court has reviewed the 10-year-old case. In three previous rulings, the court overturned finance laws and ordered lawmakers back to work.

A lower court has upheld most parts of the 1993 law, and the Supreme Court is considering appeals of that decision.

State District Judge Scott McCown approved the law in December, supplementing it with an order to the Legislature to take action to help low-wealth districts with construction costs.

Prison Expansion OK'd

A court-appointed special master says the state prison system's expansion should not be held back by an inmate's legal claims that the construction project unjustly displaces a softball field.

W. David Arnold indicates in his recommendation that recreational needs at Amarillo's Clements unit will be met because the softball field is being replaced with basketball and volleyball courts.

Last month, U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice of Tyler ordered Arnold to investigate the effect of the construction at Amarillo and other locations on the recreational needs of inmates.

Interstate Link Study

The Texas Transportation Commission has approved a feasibility study of adding a Rio Grande Valley link to a proposed new interstate highway.

As currently envisioned, Interstate 69, the proposed four-lane highway across the central United States, would run from Indianapolis, through Memphis to Shreveport, La. to Houston and then to Laredo.

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Brown only Hawk named as first team All-District

District 4-AAA coaches apparently recognized the team concept of Iowa Park's 1994 Hawk baseball squad. Only one player on the Area championship club was named to the All-District first team.

Brent Brown was an unanimous choice of the conference coaches as a first-team selection to the outfield position.

Brown also was a second-team pick as a pitcher, along with Charley Bradberry at first base, Tony Lozipone at shortstop, and Clint Scobee at catcher.

All the Hawks recognized are seniors except Scobee, who is a junior.

The Hawks were runner-up to the Vernon Lions for the District title. But they then knocked off Denver City 6-0 in Bi-District and Sanford Fritch 11-0 for the Area title, before falling 9-0 in the Regional Semi-final to Alpine.

Their season ended with a record of 18-9.

Voting on the All-District team is done by conference coaches, but a coach cannot vote on his own players.

FIRST-TEAM ALL DISTRICT

Pitchers: Mark Allen, Vernon, and Bradley Thetford, Graham.
First Base: Blake Bolton, Vernon; Lance Pollard, Henrietta.

Second Base: Wade Bryant, Henrietta.
Third Base: Brett Belf, Graham.
Shortstop: Adam Bowen, Breckenridge (Unanimous).

Outfield: Brent Brown, Iowa Park (Unanimous); David Smith, Vernon (Unanimous); Dustin Dunnam, Graham; Brandon Bates, Graham.

Catcher: Trent Kelly, Graham.
DH: Jason Smith, Graham.

Utility: Darin Walker, Henrietta.
Newcomer of the Year: Philip Bell, Vernon.

Most Valuable Player: Mark Allen, Vernon.

SECOND TEAM

Pitchers: Brent Brown, Iowa Park; Jason Young, Iowa Park; Blake Bolton, Vernon.

First Base: Charley Bradberry, Iowa Park; Jason Smith, Graham.

Second Base: Justin Hutchins, Vernon.
Third Base: David Hayden, Breckenridge.

Shortstop: Tony Lozipone, Iowa Park; Ryan Dollar, Graham; Jeremy Cox, Vernon.

Outfield: Justin Campbell, Henrietta; Bobby Alvarez, Breckenridge; John Belcher, Henrietta.

Catcher: Clint Scobee, Iowa Park; Philip Bell, Vernon; Shae Garrett, Bowie.

DH: Nathan Johnson, Henrietta.



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Dozens of \$9 reserved seats, all in one section, for the June 18 Oil Bowl all star football game remain on sale at the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce, K&K, Scobee's and Iowa Park Leader. Iowa Park's Brent Brown will be playing on the Texas team.

Holiday honor roll

Holliday Middle School students listed on the sixth six weeks honor roll include,

Sixth grade--Laura Beaver, Tanya Lindemann, Brian Maenza, Jenny Matus, Dana Patrick, Joshua Rollins, Melanic Sears, Margaret Struck, Joel Wallace, Hillary Ashley, Jessica Briggs, Corie Collier, Claire Day, Brittney Hall,

Amber Jones, Rachel Kobs, Jason Marek, Rebecca McBride, Dustin Navarro, Sergio Rangel, Summer Rathman, Rolinda Rathman, Jamie Rodgers, Cody Sanders, Courtney Smith, Jenny Thomas, Lindsay Tomlinson, Amanda Tucker, Melissa Watson, Kenny Weaver, Carrie Yancey.

Seventh grade--Bo Bekendam, Jennifer Berend, Robin Cartwright, Mendi Matus, Leah McCoy, Dustin Wallace, Keith Wineinger, Angela Barber, Candice Bolton, Lindsey Collins, John Cook, Jeremy Crouch, Damon Crutcher, Jessica Kocks,

Tabitha Kocks, Eric Laudermilk, Josh Luig, Lacey Mahler, Justin Parrott, David Rodriguez, Ryan Schlabs, Laura Schmitt, Clyde Sullivan, Roxann Wells, Josh Wonder, Libby Zuber.

Eighth grade--Brandie Allgood, Chad Brackeen, Whitney Burnam, Shane Calhoun, Chad Coffee, Collin Crane, Becky Cunningham, Heath Drimmel, Robert Haney, Ryan Koetter, Casey Lindemann, Stacey O'Brien, Sarah Plank, Lance Scarbrough, Jonny Skipworth, Dana Vardeman, Deidra Veitenheimer, Wade Weathersbee.



CHEERLEADERS RECOGNIZED - The 1994-95 Iowa Park Junior High cheerleaders were nominated for the "top team" award when they recently attended the National Cheerleader Association's summer camp in Wichita Falls. Members include Hannah Atchley, Teri Goin, Vanessa Hebel, Jami Martin, Kayla Stevens, Melissa Threet and Lacy Wells. Carolyn Richter is their sponsor.

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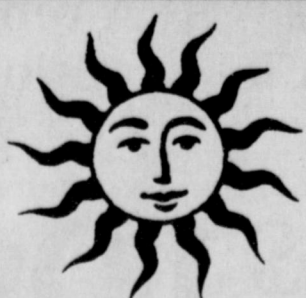
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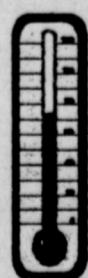
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Our best coping mechanism is laughter. Growing up in Junction, Texas on the edge of the Hill Country, I've heard the stories that circulate the local cafes, feed stores, race tracks, and rodeo arenas. Where ever Texans gather someone has a joke. The laughter those jokes bring helps us deal with life in a state where extremes of climate are the norm.

Now I'm collecting drought humor to preserve this special aspect of Texan character and culture. I'm asking your readers to help by sharing with me their own drought jokes or funny real-life anecdotes. All contributors and localities will be acknowledged. Please send your stories to:

Dr. Rana K. Williamson
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Thanks so much and keep praying for rain.
Sincerely,
Rana K. Williamson

Worth Quoting

A news story in the Gainesville, Texas Daily Register reported that Alan Ritchey, Inc. has announced ceasing operations of its General Commodities Transportation Division in Texas.

The company will lay off 85 drivers and 17 support people, according to the story.

Reasons for the cutback included a workers compensation rate that is 350 percent higher than other states, extremely high ad valorem taxes, regulation by the Texas Railroad Commission, high settlements on personal injury accidents, and ridiculous EPA regulations.

"There's not any major interstate trucking companies located in Texas," Mr. Ritchey was quoted as saying, "because it's prohibitive for them to operate."

"They're making money in other states at the expense of Texas," Ritchey said.

I have a difficult time understanding politicians who claim to be interested in jobs for their constituents, when they make it almost impossible for companies that could supply those jobs to operate in Texas. But it happens all the time. And I don't know why.
HARLAN BRIDWELL
Bridgeport Index

Lozipone unseats Bennett as All-Iowa Park champion

Carmen Lozipone loosened Earl Bennett's hold on the annual All-Iowa Park Golf Tournament Friday at River Creek Golf Course.

Lozipone, who admitted he had shot his "career best", turned in a scratch 72 to edge out Jack Phillips' 73.

This year's handicap winner, as figured with the Callaway System, was Rick Hanson. He had a gross 87 which netted a 69.

Bennett, who explained he had

played fewer than half a dozen rounds this season, still had a respectable 75. But so did Wendall House, and he was declared third place scratch winner, as determined by a card playoff. Their scores on the handicap holes finally broke the tie.

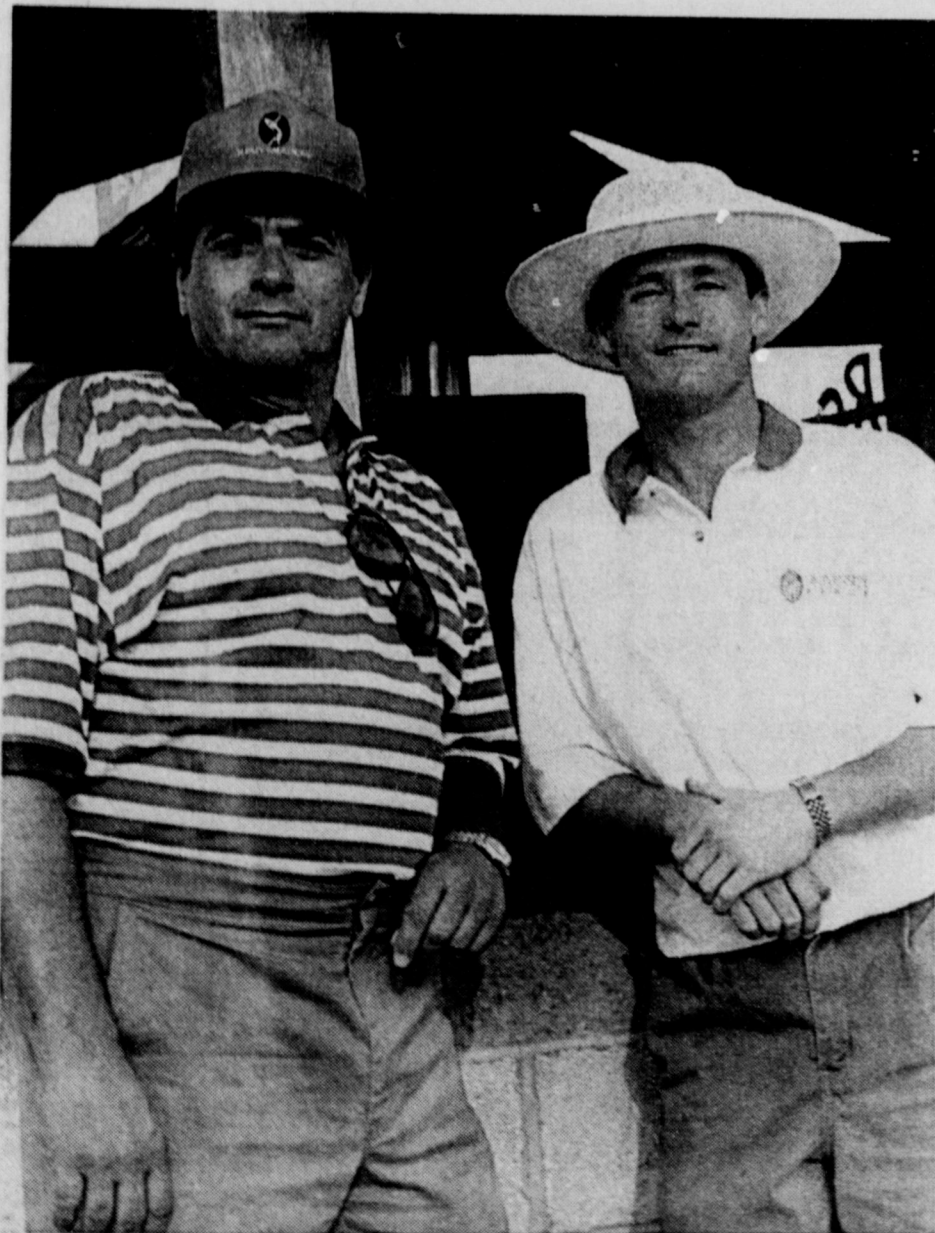
Vern Mikkelson, who was the 1992 handicap winner, came in second in that category, even though he also had a net 69. Mikkelson shot a cool 105 scratch, and the handicap

holes also broke that tie.

Third place among handicap scorers went to Robert Harper, whose scratch 90 converted to a net 70.

COMPLETE RESULTS

	Gross	Net
Carmen Lozipone	72	70
Jack Phillips	73	71
Wendall House	75	73
Earl Bennett	75	72
Randy Alsop	76	73
Gilbert Ladesma	77	74
Chuck King	78	75
Don Russell	79	75
Mark Ladesma	79	76
Robert Palmer	79	76
Joe Patterson	79	76
Daryl Beals	80	71
Matt McKnight	80	71
Phil Welch	81	71
Bobby Davenport	81	72
Dennis Dillard	83	73
Sam McLroy	84	75
Barry Spruiell	85	71
Joe Langdon	86	74
Rick Hanson	87	69
Ray Featherston	87	73
Karla Hopper	87	75
Bob Hamilton	87	75
Diane Hanson	88	76
Joe Hughes	89	71
Robert Harper	90	70
Leo Howland	90	73
Jimmy Duggins	91	74
Robert McLroy	92	75
Mike McGee	92	75
Wayne House	92	75
Connie Patterson	93	76
Mike Isbell	94	74
Herman Mahler	95	71
Mike Wade	95	74
Charles Friday	95	74
Pat Spruiell	96	72
Brad Teplicek	100	72
Miles Welch	102	78
Houston Darnell	104	73
Vern Mikkelson	105	69
Joni Lively	107	71
Donald Allen	108	72
Dolores Hamilton	113	73



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Take a look at this one - 3 BD, 1 1/2 bath, like new carpet, ceiling fans, great colors, neat patio room, 2 storage buildings and more. \$53,500.

NEW LISTING - 1804 JOHNSON ROAD
Spectacular new home construction. Approx. 1818 sq. ft. of living, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, \$104,500.

NEW LISTING - 1322 SUNSET
2 living areas, formal dining, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 storage buildings, 2 patios, nice home. \$45,000.

NEW LISTING
Very well-maintained mobile home, corner lot, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 3 storage buildings, fenced. \$27,500.

PRICE REDUCED - 601 N. BEVERLY - W.F.
2 or 3 BR, large living area, formal dining, super nice cabinets in kitchen, large corner lot. \$27,000.

PRICE REDUCED-2994 HORSESHOE BEND
3 BR-3BA, dining - breakfast area & breakfast bar. Ldry. room, living w/fireplace, study, TV room. Storage, pier. \$119,500. Will look at trade in Iowa Park.

1892 HISTORICAL BUILDING - DOWNTOWN
2-story. Great for any business. \$25,000. Call Today!

TIME SHARE CONDO
In Christi, Colo. \$8,000. 3 weeks/year Call for info.

LAND! LAND! LAND! LAND!
LAND!
NEW LISTING - 25 ACRES
Hacker Road...10 minutes from Iowa Park.
NEED AN OFFICE?
This beautiful southwest style building has 2,590 sq. ft., beautiful entrance, 3 offices & huge area for storage. Conveniently located. Call Julie.

NEW LISTING - 1503 OLD ELECTRA ROAD
Behind Cryovac. Approx. 2,286 sq. ft. 3 BR, 2 full baths, great room, office, formal dining, formal living, fireplace. Sits on two acres. Extremely nice \$107,500.

NEW LISTING - 710 W. COLEMAN
3-2-2, covered patio, walk-in above ground pool, IN CONTRACT
central H/A with humidifier. Call Winnie.

NEW LISTING - 7 LOTS
between Texoma & Victoria. Lots 3&4, \$2,000 ea. Lots 5 & 6, \$2,500 ea. Lots 10, 11, & 12, sold as one parcel, \$7,500. Description in office.
509 W. ALAMEDA
3 or 4 BR home. 2 full baths, very neat and clean, carpeted. 2 storage buildings. \$40,500. Call Winnie.
310 W. PARK
1 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 living area, very neat, very clean. Will look at all offers. \$11,500.
1113 POLK
Steel siding, central H/A, 3 BR, 1 ba., 2 living, 2 fir-places, built-in china cabinets, hardwood floors under carpet, double garage w/ G.D.O., sm. workshop. Call Julie.
405 W. HARRISON - ELECTRA
Super buy! Completely refinished inside and out. Setting room entrance, large living, large dining, 2 BR, 2 bath, large den, family room or 3rd BR. Central heat & air, garage. Must see.
1412 TANBARK (CITY VIEW)
Living room, fireplace, kitchen, 2 BR, 1 bath, 2 storage buildings, fenced yard, beautiful trees. A special price - Must see!

LOTS! LOTS! LOTS! LOTS!
LOTS!
NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD!
Price Reduced Again!
Only \$11,000 for 2 1/2 acres on FM Rd. 367. Fantastic new home building site in Iowa Park school district. Call Julie.
Four lots located on 619 W. Washington, \$6,500. (Will consider owner finance.)
Vacant lot, \$2,200. 200 W. Garden.
1208 W. Highway - 80X130 - \$10,750.
COMMERCIAL LISTING
1 acre on Loop 11, backs to golf course. High traffic. Reduced to \$27,500.
COMMERCIAL ACREAGE.
10 acres w/Seymour Hwy. frontage. Paramount location next door to Channel 6. All or part. \$40,000. Call Julie.
GOOD LOCATION - GREAT BUILDING
Approx. 6,000 sq. ft. Any form of business. \$127,500.

MISC. FOR SALE

1310 MARY DRIVE, Thursday, Friday, 9-5, no early sales. Baby swing, monitor, bath, books, maternity clothing, newborn thru boys 16, Little Tykes and Playskool toys, Nintendo, meat slicer, juicer (never used!) Stair Stepper, treadmill, Justin roper boots, fullsize bed, dresser, misc. 6-9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - 1605 Quail Valley. Crib and matching bedding set, changing table, car seat, high chair and toys. Adult and children's clothing, Nintendo and games. Wicker furniture, cedar chest and more. Saturday only 8:00 - 4:00. 6-9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Large office desk, like new/2 chairs, new shirts, new materials, curtains, men's new pajamas, children's toys, other things. Friday & Saturday morning, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. 508 W. Texas. 6-9-1tp

YARD SALE - Saturday, 8-7, 1708 Quail Valley Drive, last house on left. Stereo, cordless phone, work boots, baseball cards, stereo speakers, wash stand, nice clothes, much more. 6-9-1tp

BAZAAR - First Assembly of God, 200 S. Yosemite, Saturday, 9 a.m. Little bit of everything. Hot dogs and cold drinks will also be sold for lunch. 6-9-1tc

GARAGE SALE - 709 W. Coleman, 8 a.m. Saturday. Girl's clothes 6x-12, metal storage building - new, still in box, comforters, desk, misc. 6-9-1tp

BACKYARDSALE - Saturday, 8-7. Larger-size ladies' clothing & some men's clothing. Also lots of miscellaneous items. Real bargains - come see! 605 W. Texas. 6-9-1tp

3-FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Corner of James Drive and FM 368, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 8-6. 6-9-1tp

LARGE 3-FAMILY garage sale, Friday, Saturday. Lots to choose from. 713 South Wall. 6-9-1tc

GARAGE SALE - Saturday only, 301 Southgate. 6-9-1tp

GARAGESALE - 7 a.m. - noon, Saturday only, 803 Park Plaza. 6-9-1tp

MISC. FOR SALE

GARAGE SALE - 1601 Karen, Saturday only, 8-7 Dryers, toys, toys, large evaporative water cooler, etc. 6-9-1tc

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, 7-4, 3626 Business 287. Toys, clothes, bikes, little of everything - even the kitchen sink. 6-9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - Saturday only, 8:00 - 4:00, 702 E. Lafayette. Three family sale. Some furniture, lots of extras. Cash only. No early sales. 6-9-1tp

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - Pickup tool box, tools, light fixtures, Home Interior, antique adding machine, dinette set, baby and toddler clothes, car seat. No early sales. 806 Vogel, Saturday only, 8-5. 6-9-1tp

GARAGE SALE - 708 W. Louisa, Saturday, 8-3. 6-9-1tp

MAGIC CHEF 36" gas stove, good condition. \$150 or best offer. 592-2962 or 592-9416. 6-9-1tp

SALE - Baby bed, play pen, toys, high chairs, jeans, dishes, grill, lots of good stuff. 421 N. Wall. 6-9-1tp

VELVET SOFA and 2 chairs; recliner; lamp tables, dining table and chairs. 592-5880. 6-9-1tc

1990 OLDS BROUGHAM Royal 88 - loaded, good condition, one owner. 592-5880. 6-9-1tc

DALMATION PUPPIES - 1 male, 1 female. AKC registered, shots started, 12 weeks old. Parents on premises. \$100. 592-2236. 6-9-1tp

TWO LAWNMOWERS for sale. Excellent shape. 592-4402. 6-9-2tp

METAL OFFICE DESK & chair, like new, \$125; antique piano, \$375. 592-4911. 6-9-1tc

HOME-OWNED 1982 Dodge Diplomat. Runs, but needs work. \$500. New tires. 592-0441. 5-12-tfc

2 SETS of boy's comforters, shams, skirts, & drapes for 3 windows. Black w/ neon colors, \$60. 3-fold breakfast table, gray, \$15. 592-9508. 6-7-1tp

MISC. FOR SALE

ADORABLE AKC registered Boxers. 2 females - 9 weeks. Fawn, black mask, white markings. Tails docked; dewclaws removed; deworming and shots started. Parents on premises. \$150. 592-2057. 6-9-1tp

SWIMMING POOL, above ground, 24' round, complete w/ filter. Up and working to be seen. \$1,000. Call 592-9392. 6-9-1tp

KINGSIZE MATTRESS and boxsprings with frame. Call 592-5138 after 5:30. \$50.00. 6-9-1tp

DOMESTICS

LOVING MOTHER has openings for toddlers and preschoolers. Small group. Call Cheryl Reed, 592-9369

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

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

YARD WORK

DALE'S TREE/YARD Service Tree trim or removal, lawn mowing, hedge trimming, licensed and bonded. Seniors' rates. 592-9455. 3-31-tfc

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LAWN CUTTING - Call John, 592-0403. 6-9-3tp

HELP WANTED

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

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

MAJOR TELEPHONE Co. Now hiring. Technicians, installers, acct./serv. reps, operators. No experience necessary. For information, call 1-219-736-4715, ext. F-8197. 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. - 7 days. Fee. 6-2-2tp

BUSINESS

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

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

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

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BUSINESS

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

TANNING SALON - \$30 for 30 days. 104 W. Ruby. Special packages available. Private location. For more information, call 592-4539. 5-12-4tp

REDUCE: Burn off fat while you sleep. Take OPAL tablets and E-Vap Diuretic available Wal-Mart Pharmacy. 5-26-2tp

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

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

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

BAHAMA CRUISE! 5 days/4 nights. Underbooked! Must sell! \$279 couple. Limited tickets. (407)767-8100 ext. 7605, Mon-Sat., 9 a.m. - 10 p.m. 6-2-4tp

NOTICE

FOUND - Small black male dog. Looks like Manchester, weighs 2-4 lbs. Will give away to good home if not claimed. 592-9301. 6-9-nc

RUSSIAN HIGH SCHOOL exchange student, boys 16, needs host family. Likes karate, photography and computers. Arriving in August. For more information call 1-800-SIBLING. 6-9-1tp

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is accepting bids on food service equipment. 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 9:00 a.m. Thursday, June 30, 1994. Bids will be opened at the Administration Building on Thursday, June 30, 1994 at 9:00 a.m. 6-9-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Iowa Park Consolidated Independent School District is accepting bids on food and non-food items (excluding bread, milk and ice cream) and frozen food storage for the food service department for August-December, 1994. 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 9:00 a.m., Monday, June 27, 1994. Bids will be opened at the Administration Building, Monday, June 27, 1994 at 9:00 a.m. 6-2-2tc

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Texas Department of Transportation in cooperation with Archer County will conduct a public meeting on June 22, 1994 from 7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M. at the Holliday High School Auditorium, which is located at 751 College, Holliday, Texas. The purpose of the public meeting is to discuss the need for and suggested alternatives for the improvement of the roadway facility on FM 440 (Ford Rd.) from US 82, at East Avenue in Holliday to FM 1954. The total length of FM 440 (Ford Rd.) new farm to market road project is approximately 3.3 miles. Mr. Ralph Self, Jr., Area Engineer with the Texas Department of Transportation in Wichita Falls, will be in charge of the meeting. Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids or services such as interpreters for persons who are deaf or hearing impaired, readers, large print or braille, are requested to contact Jerry Young at (817) 720-7741 two (2) weeks prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. The meeting will be informal, and all interested citizens are invited to attend and express their views. 5/19 - 6/9 - 2tc

Man Caught With Classified Information

Claims information regularly published

Neighbors today were surprised to learn Melvin Kline, a seemingly quiet, well-mannered man was making extra money with classified information. When questioned earlier this morning, Kline professed surprise that everyone wasn't using the classified section to earn extra income and get rid of unwanted items. "It's common," he said. Recent studies tend to bear Kline out. Consumer Data Service reported that over 85% of the public read the newspaper and over 80% of those read the classifieds. Kline claimed widespread use was being made of the classified information. "But you have to act quickly," he remarked.

"If I have something to sell, I can be in the paper by tomorrow. I do that a lot now," he confessed. "With classified, whether I'm buying or selling, I can reach a large market instantly. And it's easy... just pick up the phone."

When asked if price mattered at all, Kline stated he was in possession of Consumer Data Service documents that indicated newspaper readership increases as income increases. "The more money they make, the more they read the paper," he said, "and I can prove it."

Asked for a last comment, Kline replied "No matter what you're looking for, a new job, a great car, merchandise, or even a home, take a long look at the classified section."



Local confesses he profited from classified information in newspaper

"Sure, I've made some money from classified information, but so can anyone who reads the paper."

The information's all there." Response Analysis Corp. studies indicate the public does exactly that, with 98% preferring the newspaper over radio and 68% preferring the newspaper instead of TV.

Kline was last seen in the company of an unidentified man carrying two outboard motors.

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LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS, THAT: the City of Iowa Park, Texas proposes to institute annexation proceedings to enlarge and extend the boundary limits of said city to include the following described territory, to-wit: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block 10, Tarrant County School; Thence North 191 feet, along the East block line of said Block 10, Tarrant County School Land and also the center line of F.M. Highway 368, to a point in the center of computer course Number 57 to Number 58, City of Iowa Park Ordinance Number 165, said point being in the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 287; Thence North 191 feet, along the East block line of said Block 10, Tarrant County School Land; Thence West 900 feet; Thence North 30 feet; Thence West 117.95 feet; Thence South 967.45 feet to an 1/2 inch reinforcing rod set in the North right-of-way of U.S. Highway 287, a point between computer points Numbers 53 and 54, City of Iowa Park Ordinance Number 165; Thence North 89 degrees, 56 minutes, 21 seconds East 17.87 feet along existing North right-of-way of U.S. Highway 287 to computer point Number 54, a highway monument; Thence North 85 degrees, 41 minutes, 19 seconds, East 653.34 feet along the North right-of-way to a highway monument; Thence South 89 degrees, 54 minutes, 22 seconds, East 259.22 feet along the North right-of-way to a highway monument; Thence North 60 degrees, 58 minutes, 22 seconds, East 56.31 feet along the North right-of-way of U.S. Highway 287, to a 1/2 inch reinforcing rod; Thence North 89 degrees, 45 minutes, 05 seconds, East 40 feet to the Place of Beginning and containing 21.118 acres of land, more or less. A public hearing will be held by and before the City Council of the City of Iowa Park, Texas on the 27th day of June, 1994 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall of the City of Iowa Park, Texas for all persons interested in the above proposed annexation. At said time and place all such persons shall have the right to appear and be heard. Of all said matters and things, all persons interested in the things and matter herein mentioned, will take notice. 6-9-2tc

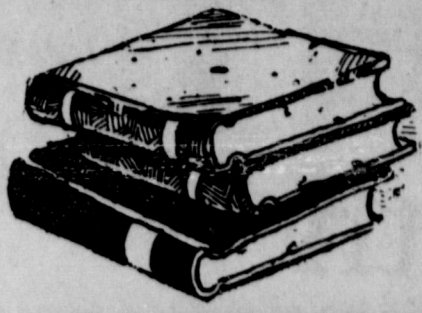
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LIBRARY NEWS

"FAMILIAR FACES AND EARAWAY PLACES"

Our "School's Out" and Summer Reading registration party with Gerald Edmundson was really well received by everyone attending. It was hard to count the number of children and adults attending, because there were so many. So, we estimated somewhere near 130 children and 30 adults.

I had received 110 hot dogs in donations and we purchased an additional 60. When all was done we had 22 hot dogs left. WOW what a huge success. Thanks to everyone who helped make this morning a huge success.

Edmundson shared with the children how Reading is Magic. It can turn your life into whatever direction you wish it to go. As he performed some of his magic tricks he shared with the children where the trick originated (China, Japan, India, etc.).

Tuesday's "Down to Earth" class had the privilege of hearing McGruff the Crime Dog share his views on the importance of reading and obeying parents and others who are in command. The children were very attentive as he gave his program. We welcomed five new members to our class of 61 readers, of which 37 were present for our first class.

Thursday (today) we will meet Joe Clement and his Robot from the Highway Patrol office during the "Gone Beyond" reading group from 9:15-10:15. Our "Adventure's Unlimited" reading group will share time with Officer Laura Perkins and Chief of Police Ray Smock from 10:30-11:30.

SUMMER READING T-SHIRTS

Reminder that the orders must be turned in by June 14, pre-paid, with your checks made payable to Boomtown Screenprinting (\$8).

If you would like to see what the design for this year's shirt looks like we have two children's shirts hanging on the bulletin board. Please take time to come and check them out.

THANK YOU

To Scobee's for donating the packets of ketchup, mustard and pickle relishes; B&R Thriftway for the donations of hot dogs, chips and beverages, also a special Thank You to John Chapman for cooking the hot dogs for us.

We truly appreciate the library friends who so willingly give donations and their time to help with the programs. With your help we can extend additional programs to our area children.

NEW ADULT BOOKS

The Alamo and the Texas War of Independence by Albert Nofi
Black, White, Other by Lise Funderburg

The Chamber by John Grisham
County Courthouse book by Elizabeth Bentley
The Day After Tomorrow By Allan Folsom

A Dream Is a Wish Your Heart Makes by Annette Funicello
Friendship Gifts of Good Taste by Leisure Arts

National Geographic Guide to National Parks in U.S.

Perfect Justice by William Bernhardt
Philadelphia by Christopher Davis
The Skylark's Song by Harriet Segal
Sword of San Jacinto by Marshall DeBruhl

Texas by Robert Rafferty
Texas Cherokees by Dianna Everett

DONATIONS

The Amity Study Club has recently purchased books in honor of speakers they had during the year. They

are as follows:

Drugs & Crime by Jeffrey Shulman in honor of Paige Miller.

Friendship Gifts of Good Taste by Leisure Arts in honor of Margaret Denton.

A Guide to the Indian Tribes of Oklahoma by Muriel Wright in honor of Jack Stevens

Gardening of the South in honor of Steve Hammond

National Geographic Guide to the National Parks in U.S. in honor of Dr. Larry Stutte.

Spike by Dave Sargent in honor of Lynette Husted

The Pagemaster by David Kerschner in honor of Amy Brown

Backyard Bird Songs (cassette) in honor of Wanda Hunter

MEMORIALS

The Library has purchased a reference book in memory of John Raglin. The book is titled "the County Courthouse Book, and has been placed in the Genealogy section of the library.

Friendly Door MENU

THURSDAY, June 9

Lunch--Smothered chicken over rice, carrots, zucchini, hot rolls, cantaloupe.

FRIDAY, June 10

Lunch--Meat loaf, creole, sauce, corn, spinach, white or wheat bread, banana pudding.

MONDAY, June 13

Lunch--Pork chopette, brown gravy over browned potatoes, broccoli with cheese sauce, hot rolls, pudding.

TUESDAY, June 14

Lunch--Beef stew, fried okra, pear, grated cheese, cornbread, sugar cookies.

WEDNESDAY, June 15

Lunch--Salisbury steak, black eyed peas, mustard greens, cornbread, peach half.

THURSDAY, June 16

Lunch--Spanish rice with beef, pinto beans, fried okra, white or wheat bread, Jello.

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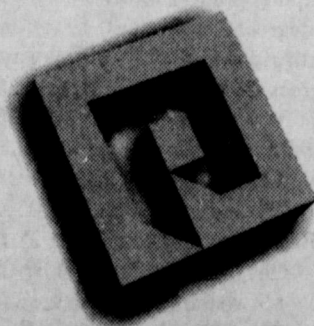
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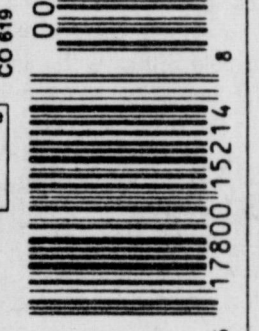
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8 oz. Parade Tomato Sauce	15¢	Asst. 1 roll Zee Paper Towels.....	50¢
1 gallon Reg./Lemon Parade Bleach	60¢	Asst. 12 oz. Minute Maid Orange Juice ..	90¢
14 oz. asst. Twin Pet Dog Food	18¢	8 oz. Fisher Boy Fish Sticks	90¢
27 oz. Asst. Hunt's Spaghetti Sauce	71¢	64 oz. Reg./H.S. Tropicana Orange Juice ...	\$130
48 oz. Cranapple or Parade Cranberry Juice ...	\$117	10 oz. Cheddar or Colby Kraft Half Moon Cheese	\$120
100 count Better Valu Tea Bags	71¢	24 oz. Dinty Moore Beef Stew	\$150
5 oz. chicken Hormel Vienna Sausage	30¢	32 oz. Reg./Bleach Trend Detergent	88¢
3 oz. Hormel Potted Meat	22¢	32 oz. Garden Club Salad Dressing	82¢
TEXAS CANTELOUPES OUR COST PLUS 10% AT THE REGISTER	45¢ EA.	LEAN & TENDER BONELESS CHUCK ROAST OUR COST PLUS 10% AT THE REGISTER	\$108 LB.

Snack Size Red Delicious Apples	ea. 8¢	Lean & Tender Pork Butt Roast	lb. \$118
Snack Size - California Valencia Oranges	ea. 8¢	Cook's Smoked Half Picnic	lb. 80¢
Snack Size D'Anjou Pears	ea. 8¢	Lena & Tender Boneless Top Sirloin	lb. \$200
Snack Size Fresh Limes	ea. 8¢	16 oz. Ham & Cheese or Oscar Mayer Chopped Ham ..	\$180
Fresh Broccoli	ea. 62¢	16 oz. Thorn Apple Valley Cooked Ham or Turkey Breast	\$260
Extra Large Tomatoes	lb. 49¢	Decker Chicken Fried Beef Patties lb.	90¢
Yellow Onions	lb. 22¢	12 oz. Thorn Apple Valley Meat Franks	54¢