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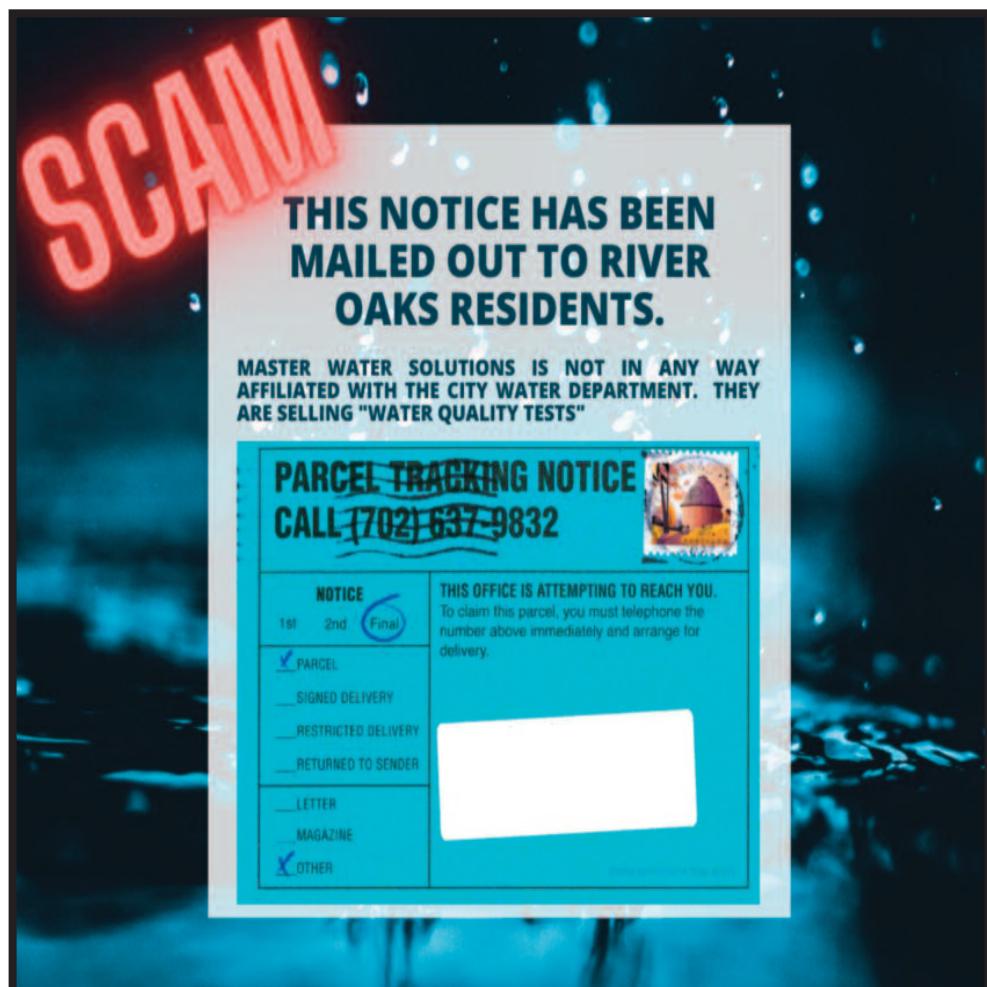
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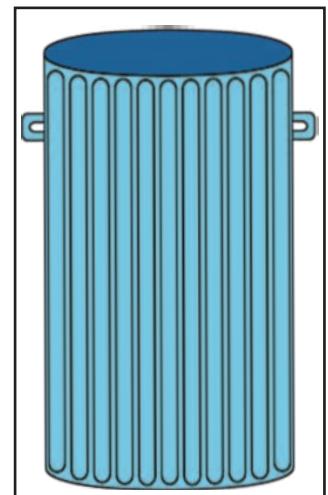
Please use a reputable trimming company, and make sure they measure the trees according to ordinance.

From the City of River Oaks

Trash Collection Policy

The Code Enforcement Department ensures that everyone is following the Ordinances set forth by the Code of Ordinances of the City of River Oaks.

All household garbage must be put in plastic bags or boxes not exceeding 55 pounds in weight. Garbage cans are not allowed at the street. Garbage cans when placed at the street will be disposed of and the costs of the can will not be refunded to the residential customer.



From Castleberry ISD

Register for the 2022-2023 School Year

Online registration for the 2022-2023 school year at Castleberry ISD is open. To register a current student, log into **Skyward Family Access** and complete the 2022-2023 online registration process.

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Small Business Workforce Recovery Grant Program

Tarrant County has been working to which will close Aug. 31 at 5 p.m. – or develop a Small Business Workforce sooner if funds are depleted.

Recovery Grant Program which will distribute \$25 million of the federal funds received under ARPA to provide financial assistance to Tarrant County for-profit and non-profit small businesses with workforce recovery, retention, recruitment, training, and development efforts.

To be eligible, impacted small businesses must have had 50 or fewer employees during the First Quarter of 2020 and can apply for grant amounts up to \$27,500 based on eligibility requirements and number of employees.

Detailed information on the grant program is now available at www.tarrant-county.com/recovery.

Tarrant County worked with a consultant, IEM to develop the online application,



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Funding is limited and applications will be processed in the order they are received.

We are encouraging businesses to take this time to read the information, requirements and guidelines for the grant and to assemble, prepare and scan their documentation for upload with their application as soon as the portal opens.

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From StatePoint

5 Tips to Make a Great First Impression



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1. Be on time: To arrive at your destination calm, collected and without breaking a sweat, give yourself more than enough time for travel. Take into account such unforeseen circumstances as traffic, road closures and parking snafus. If you're in an unfamiliar area, consider mapping your route the day before.

2. Prepare for the unexpected: From coffee drips to spaghetti mishaps, unexpected wardrobe malfunctions can happen to anyone and any time. Always be prepared to remove the most common on-the-go stains. Pack a portable stain remover pen. Working like an eraser, it's designed to tackle tough stains without leaving a residue, ensuring your outfit looks as fresh as it did when you put it on in the morning.

3. Pay attention to details: Other small details relating to your overall presentation matter. In addition to a portable stain remover, a small to-go kit in your car, bag or desk drawer can include dental floss, nail polish for touch-ups, an emergency pair of panty hose, lipstick or lip balm, breath mints, hair ties, moisturizer and anything else you need to make on-the-fly adjustments.

4. Dress for the occasion: It's important to dress right for the occasion, particularly in professional contexts. While standing out is often a good thing, following the (often unspoken) dress code will help ensure you're only doing so for the right reasons.

5. Be well-rested: Get a great night's sleep. Not only will you look your best if you show up well-rested, you'll also be thinking more clearly, be more engaged, ask more insightful questions and field your own responses more carefully.

While you only get one shot at a first impression, there's no reason to stress. With a little preparation and attention to detail, you can ensure you're on top of your game, come what may.

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Tarrant County Back to School Roundup Registration

Deadline Tomorrow

Pre-registration is going on now through Friday, July 15 for Tarrant County's Back to School Round Up.

Families must pre-register for the event on Friday, Aug. 5. To qualify and register for free school supplies, families must [register online](#), show proof they live in Tarrant County and meet the 2022 Federal Poverty Guidelines. Listed below are ways to show proof of qualification.

Families will receive an email confirmation that they will present the day of the event to gain admission into the event.

The person who pre-registers is not required to attend Roundup. In fact, the email confirmation can be sent with any person to pick up the school supplies.

Here's what you will need to register:

Families must show three documents along with their completed registration form to qualify for school supplies. A picture ID, proof of Tarrant County residency and proof they meet the 2022 Federal Poverty Guidelines.

Examples of what can be used for Picture ID:

You may use any one of the following:

- Texas state driver's license
- Texas state identification card
- Military identification card
- Foreign consulate-issued identification (i.e. Matricula Consular)
- School, Employer work identification card
- Church ID card

Examples of what can be used for Proof of Tarrant County Residency

You may use any one of the following:

- May, June, or July 2022 utility bill (electricity, water, phone or gas) showing applicant name and current address.

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- Mail sent to applicant showing applicant name and current address, with a postmark from either May, June, July 2022

- Letter from landlord or apartment management company, on company letterhead, indicating proof of residency during May, June, or July 2022

Examples of what can be used for Proof of Income

Families applying for free school supplies must meet 2022 Federal Income HHS Poverty Guidelines. You may present any of the following:

- Paycheck stubs from May, June, or July 2022
- Letter dated in May, June, or July 2022 on agency or company letterhead from an employer, welfare office, caseworker, or Social Security Administration Office indicating annual income and signed by an agent of the company or agency. Letter must include contact phone number for verification
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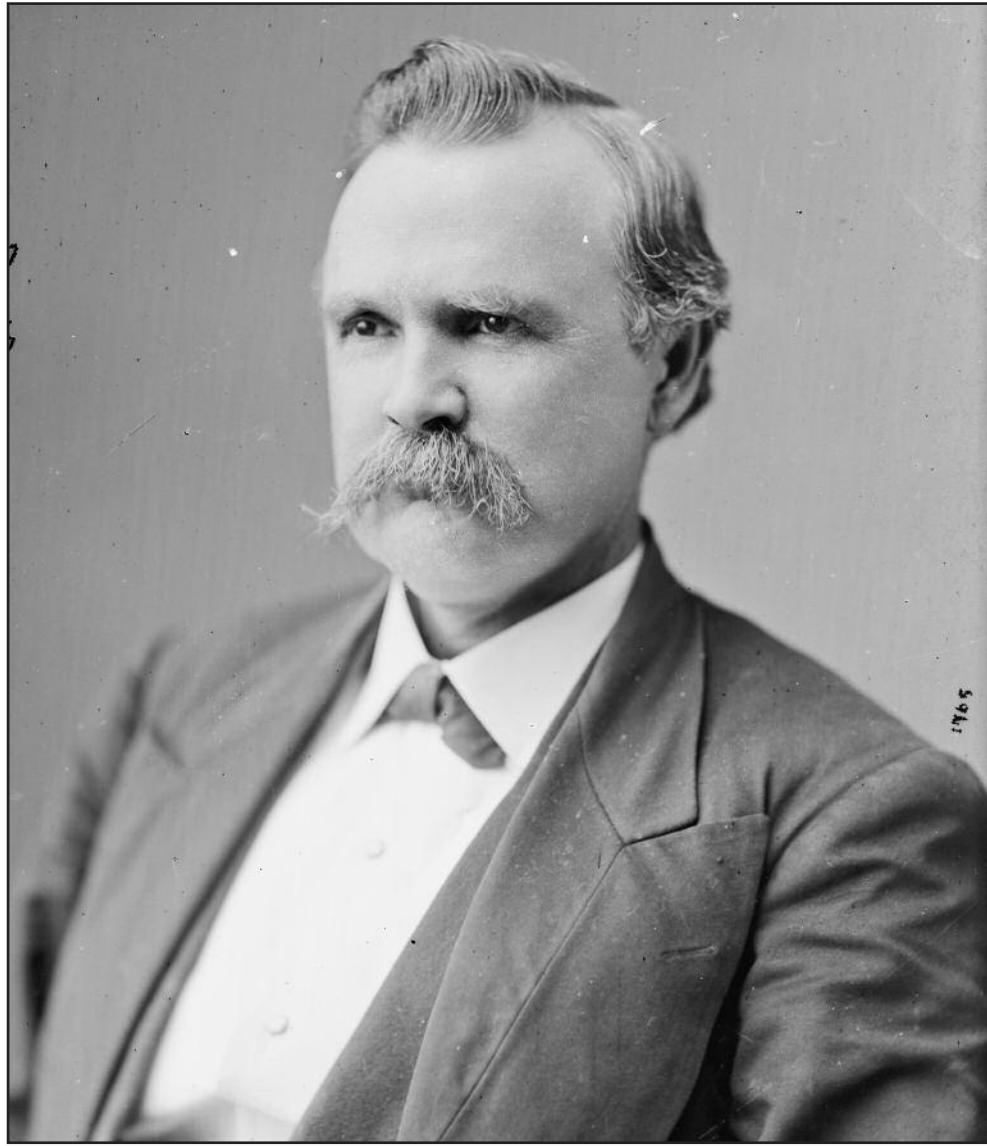
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Texas Lawyer and Legislator, Roger Q. Mills *by Dr. Ken Bridges*



Roger Mills was an early Texas lawyer and legislator. He fought in the Civil War and served for nearly three decades in Congress and the U.S. Senate from the 1870s through the 1890s. Though respected for his dedication and work ethic, his political stands damaged his political career.

Roger Quarles Mills was born in Todd County, Kentucky, just on the Tennessee state line, in 1832. Not long after statehood and the end of the Mexican War, the family moved to Texas in 1849. Mills was interested in law, but as there were no law schools in Texas at the time, he apprenticed himself to an attorney and studied it himself. In 1852, barely 20 years old, he was admitted to the bar, becoming the youngest attorney in the state at the time.

Mills settled in Corsicana, built a respected practice, and got involved in local politics. In 1859, he was elected to the state legislature. Texas seceded from the Union in February 1861, as his term ended. He quickly enlisted in the Confederate Army, serving as a private. He soon saw action at the Battle of Wilson's Creek in August 1861 in Missouri as Confederate forces tried unsuccessfully to pull that state out of the Union. In October, the 10th Texas Infantry Regiment was organized, and Mills was promoted to colonel as he helped organize the new regiment, also called "Wilson's Guards."

The first major action that the 10th Texas saw was at the Battle of Arkansas Post on the Mississippi River in January 1863.

Confederate forces were overwhelmed, and most of the 10th Texas was captured and held prisoner until an exchange a few months later. The 10th was combined with the 6th Texas Infantry and the 15th Texas Cavalry, with Gen. James Deshler in command. At the battle of Chickamauga in October, Deshler was killed, and Mills assumed command.

For the rest of the war, Mills led the 10th Texas as Confederate defenses in eastern Tennessee and northern Georgia faltered. By 1865, Mills led his troops into North Carolina with what remained of the Confederate Army. His forces surrendered near Durham, North Carolina, in late April, more than two weeks after Gen. Robert E. Lee's surrender at Appomattox.

After the war, he returned to Corsicana. In 1872, he was elected as a Democrat to Congress. In Congress, he became known for his work ethic. He rose to become chairman of the influential Ways and Means Committee, which crafted the federal budget, and later the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. As the economy depended on exports of cattle, cotton, and grains, foreign trade was especially important; but there were still many defenders of high protectionist tariffs. Mills attempted to push through a bill that reduced the overseas tariff but instead only got a watered-down tariff reduction bill, the Mills Bill of 1888, which passed the Democratic House of Representatives easily but was shot down by the Republican Senate.

One of his most notable political battles came in 1891 after the Democrats reclaimed the U.S. House of Representatives in the mid-term elections. Mills ran for Speaker of the House. He quickly gathered commitments from 120 fellow Democrats. However, backroom deals peeled away several supporters; and the election went on ballot after ballot. As with his stubborn nature he had shown through much of his career, he refused to back down and make compromises. On the thirtieth ballot, he lost to Rep. Charles Crisp of Georgia by a margin of 119 to 105.

In spite of the loss, in 1891, the Oklahoma Territory named the new Roger Mills County, which borders the Texas Panhandle, after him. In March 1892, the state legislature elected Mills to the U. S. Senate, succeeding Sen. Horace Chilton. Increasingly, silver coinage was a popular issue among farmers across the South and Midwest as farmers were desperate to reverse the tide of collapsing crop prices. They saw monetary inflation as the solution to ending their debt problems. However, eastern bankers opposed silver coinage as it cut into their profits from loans, and eastern factory workers opposed it as it ate into their wages. Loyal to President Grover Cleveland, Mills backed a partial repeal of the 1890 Sherman Silver Purchase Act which sought to add more inflationary silver into the nation's money supply.

Upset at the action, the Texas legislature declined to re-elect him in 1898. When his term ended in March 1899, Mills returned to Texas and resumed his law practice. He died in Corsicana in September 1911 at age 79.

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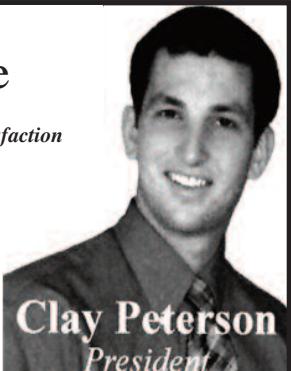
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AM - Sunny and hot; high near 101. S/SE wind 5-10mph, with gusts as high as 20mph.

PM - Mostly clear; low around 77. S/SE wind 5-10mph, with gusts as high as 20mph.



Saturday, July 16:

AM - Sunny and hot; high near 100. S wind 5-10mph.

PM - Mostly clear; low around 78.



Sunday, July 17:

AM - Sunny and hot; high near 101.

PM - Mostly clear; low around 78.

Extended Forecast Click Here