

**LITTLE LEAGUE**  
All Little League parents are urged to attend a meeting at the City Hall, March 17 at 8 p.m. Children will be registered at that time.

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## Band Takes Sweepstakes In Sweetwater

The Haskell Indian Band did it again this past Saturday. They won Sweepstakes at the Sweetwater Music Festival, receiving a I rating in concert playing and in sightreading. There was also a lot of participation from the students in playing solos and ensembles. They won 36 medals in all. The groups receiving a I were; Arredondo Quartet-Patricia, Vickie Hill, Gail Howard, and Tamara Sorrells, Gideon Quartet-Greg Mary Lou Gonzales, Thomas Long, and Jim Turner. In twirling was: Arredondo ensemble: Patricia Arredondo, Cindy Ivey, and Vickie Bledsoe. Adkins ensemble: Lisa McBroom, Christie McAdams, Jill Adkins, Kim Drinnon, and Lisa Drinnon. The individuals were: Lynn Bragg, Betsy Opitz, Connie Frierson, Debra Morris, Kem Kemp, Terri Therwanger, Kay Campbell, Sarah Cox, Greg Gideon, Mary Lou Gonzales, Rosemary Kimbrough, Jim Turner.

The twirlers were Cindy Ivey, Jill Adkins, Patricia Arredondo, Sarah Cortez, Kim Drinnon, Leesa Drinnon, Christie McAdams, and Lisa McBroom. The individuals receiving II ratings were Craig Childress, Sharon Gray, Karon Gray, Jill Adkins, Patricia Arredondo, Vickie Hill, Sarah Cortez, Brenda Hill, Elizabeth Wilson, Kim Campbell, David Gray, and Karon Gray.

The Band is getting ready for U.I.L. next week. They are getting off to a good start. Mr. Gideon is very proud of the band.

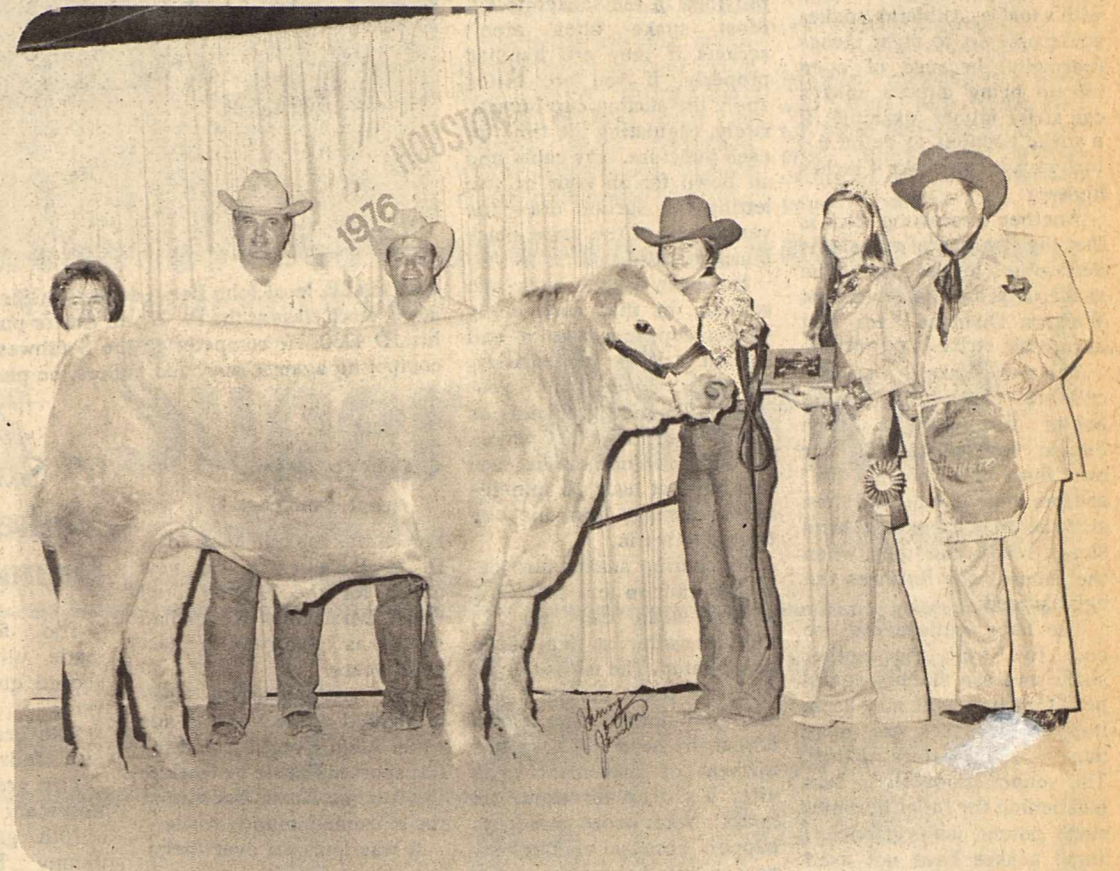
## Rain Cancels Ceremonies

Ground breaking ceremonies were cancelled by the First Assembly of God Church Sunday because of inclement weather.

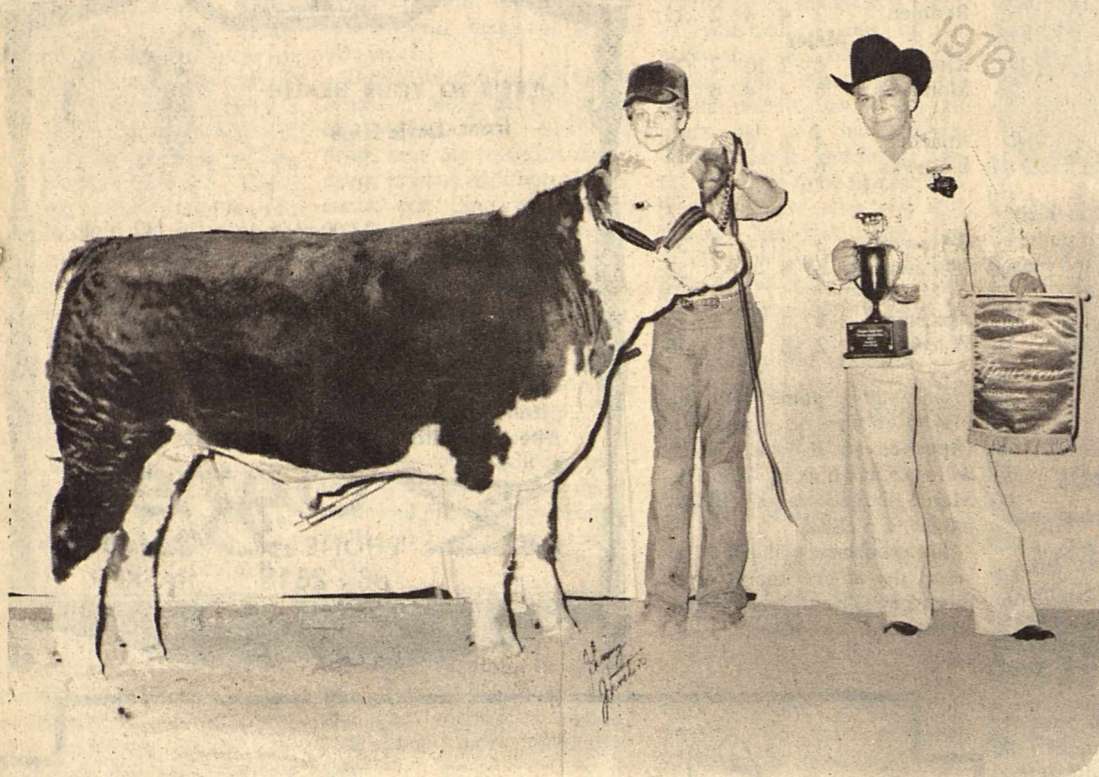
Construction will begin on the church plot, located at 1400 N. Ave. E, March 15 with Zearl Amburn as carpenter and Rev. J. C. Amburn, general contractor, the rest will be donated labor.

The building will be made of brick veneer covering the space of 5,265 square feet and seating approximately 200 people.

Plans for the dedication of facilities are made for late July or early August.



**GRAND CHAMPION** Charolais Houston Livestock Show shown by Reida Mullino daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mullino. Standing left to right, Sharon Mullino, George Mullino, Max Stapleton, Reida Mullino, the Texas Charolais Queen and the Charolais Representative.



**GRAND CHAMPION** Polled Hereford steer, Houston Livestock show, shown by Joe Wilfong, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Wilfong of Haskell. Left to right: Joe Wilfong, and the Polled Hereford Steer Representative.

## Cold Weather Hampers Rattlesnake Roundup

On Sunday after approximately 130 snakes had been rounded up awards were given to Mr. Verle Brown of Post for the largest snake, being 59 inches in length and weighing around three pounds, Dean McGee for the smallest snake, and Allen Moeller for the one with the most rattles (16).

The Jaycees' would like to offer their appreciation to the local merchants for their support of the Rattlesnake Roundup. Our thanks goes to the Jaycees' for an informative time, good food, and a better place to live.

You first dip the meat into a mixture of meal, salt and pepper, then you deep fry until crispy and serve with potato salad, pinto beans, and something cold to drink. Sound appetizing? It was if you were a rattlesnake lover attending the 3rd Annual Rattlesnake Roundup this weekend sponsored by the Haskell Jaycees.

The Jaycees had two basic reasons for sponsoring the roundup, one was to thin out the snake population in surrounding areas making it safer for man and beast. The second reason was to inform guests, who could muster up enough courage to attend, about facts and give safety hints when coming across a rattler, presenting the dos and don'ts of rattlesnake hunting. This was accomplished beautifully by Barney Barnett 24 year veteran of Rattlesnake Roundups from Iowa Park, Rusty Easley from Oklahoma, City, Okla., Bill Honeycutt and his son Robert, 15, also from Iowa Park.

There are four varieties of rattlesnakes here in West Texas, the Coontail, the Musada, the Sidewinder, and the Hognose. In case you ever wondered why a snake had thick stripes by his rattles and then they dissolve into a design, such as the diamond on the diamond back, they tell you what variety of rattlesnake it is, the color of the snake tells you the kind of surroundings the snake is in, red clay, red snake. The number of rattles depend on how often he sheds and the snakes shedding depends on how much they eat during the year.

A caution to the children in the area. All snakes will bite. If you come across a snake in the field, don't play with it, go back to the house and get Dad or Mom, they'll know if the snake is dangerous or not.  
Q: What do I do if I come across a rattlesnake?  
A: The only way the snake

## FFA Youths In Houston Junior Livestock Show

Several Haskell County FFA Youths came home with good showings in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo held February 27 through March 7.

Reida Mullino from Rochester received the Grand Champion with her Charolais Steer, she also had 2 first place Herefords along with 9th and 12th place Hereford. Joe Wilfong of Haskell had a Grand Champion Polled Heifer Steer and a 3rd place Hereford. Kimberly Hager of Weinert had a Reserve Champion Simmental and placed 4th with a heifer Hereford. Stanley Hager of Weinert was runner-up in the Texas Angus Jr. State Showmanship and also placed 6th with his heifer Hereford, Rod Townsend from Rochester placed 3rd with a Chianna Steer, and Calvin Wilfong of Haskell placed 3rd and 4th in the Hereford division.

In other livestock divisions Mark Lewis from Rule placed sixth in the lambs light weight, fine wool division. Russ Lewis with his Hampshire Barrow and Kris Kupatt with a Yorkshire Barrow placed 13th.

The Houston Livestock Show is the largest Junior Livestock show in the Country and the young people were seeking for premiums of more than \$445,500 a new record for the Houston Show.

NEW OWNERS  
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. "Gil" Geilhausen purchased the Dairy Cream this week from Trav and Jerry Hadaway.

The Geilhausens have four children, a son Robert 11, daughter, Lorry Kay, 9, and a set of twins, Bruce David and Wayne Allen. They have lived in Haskell for the past two years. Mrs. Geilhausen is the former Lowell Anne Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Haskell. Mr. Geilhausen was employed by Anderson Construction Co.



**RESERVE CHAMPION SIMMENTAL**, Houston Livestock Show (Also Reserve Champion Simmental at San Antonio Livestock Show) shown by Kim Hager the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager, of Weinert. Standing with Kim, left to right, Stanley Hager holding banner, and an official of the Simmental Association holding trophy.

## Cowpokes Get Cold Shoulder In 9th Annual Cattle Drive

Excitement mounted as cowpunchers all around the Haskell area began gathering early Wednesday morning for their 9th annual Cattle Drive. It promised a beautiful day with birds singing their usual "good morning" songs and the trees bursting forth with a variety of colorful blossoms much as could have been the setting for a cattle drive a century before.

Unlike their ancestors, people gathered at the Pace Brothers large wheat field, five miles west of Haskell, in sport short sleeves and other appropriate summer apparel. Everyone seemed to be caught up with the jubilant air of the day from Leiza Morales, the youngest "cowpoke" 6, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Snuffy) Morales with her pony Pussycat, to Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp the oldest members of the gallant team of 48 riders.

Although about 250 cattle had been expected for the day when everyone was present and accounted for, they found 332 head of cattle awaiting to be driven through fields and dirt roads to Haskell.

To the surprise of all, what had started out to be an exhilarating day with warm weather to cap it off soon turned into a blistering, cold and windy day with clouds casting dismal shadows upon the participants. James Powell co-owner of the Haskell Livestock Auction with Pete Burkhalter, which sponsored the drive, explained the situation.

"When we started 'bout 8 o'clock it was 68 degrees by the Haskell National Bank reading," Powell said. "When we returned to town with the cattle by 10:15 this morning to pen them, it was 43 degrees with the wind from the North and about 30 miles an hour in our faces."

Soon half of the cowpunchers, who took the "Texas summer" for granted by shedding their warm comfortable coats and decking out in short sleeves, were looking around hoping to find some relief from the cold. Jerry Kuykendall, foreman at the Haskell Livestock Auction had to borrow Sheriff Garrett's coat. The noon barbecue found Garrett going around trying to retrieve his coat as the cowpunchers hitched their

ponies and the North wind became less tolerable. D. L. Powell, 73, of Seymour, father of James (cont. on page 2)

## Rain Gives Fair Results In Haskell Co.

According to J. C. Yeary at the S.C.S. Office, Haskell County had fair results from the rain this weekend. "The rain came in time to save some of the wheat crops we would have lost," Mr. Yeary explained Tuesday, "and we have enough moisture to start planting in May."

"Agriculturally," he continued, "We had enough moisture to make a fair wheat crop, but will need more moisture for a good wheat crop before harvest time." He added that we did have enough rain to carry us into April.

As far as the cotton crop goes Yeary said it was too soon to tell about it since planting season isn't until late May and a lot could happen before then.

The rainfall for the surrounding area is:

Haskell	1.08
Irby	1.15
Paint Creek	1.00
Rule	1.20
Sagerton	1.00

WEATHER SUMMARY	
March 1-9	
TEMPERATURE	
Hi	90° 1st
Lo	30° 8th
RAINFALL	
Total to Date	1.10
Normal to Date	2.46

## G.E.D. Tests To Be Given In Rule

General Education Development Tests will be given in Rule High School Saturday March 20, 1976 at 8:00 a.m.

Five tests will be given in English, Literature, Social Studies, Science and Mathematics. If a person passes these five tests, the Texas Education Agency will issue a High School Equivalency Diploma. This diploma meets the educational requirement for employment as well as partial requirement for College entrance or job training school.

A fee of \$15 is charged for all five tests and it takes about two hours for each test. A person must be eighteen (or at least 17 years old) and has been out of school one full calendar year. If a person is seventeen when the tests are taken the diploma will not be issued until the person is eighteen.

For additional information call the superintendent office at Rule.

## Haskell School Board Elections

Those running for election to the Haskell City School Board are: Joe Kimbrough, Kenneth Lane, reelection, Bobby Whisenhunt, Donnie High, Frank Markey, Lonnie Hise, Felipe Arredondo.

Those running for election to the Haskell County School Board are: A. R. Hannsz-at large; J. A. Mayfield-Prec. 2, H. E. Bland-Prec. 4. All above are incumbents.

Election for the three vacant seats on the school board will be held Saturday, April 3rd, also.

## Haskell VFD Receives Check

The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department received a check for \$75.00 recently from Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies as an expression of thanks for the Department's work on the property of Mrs. T. L. Ballard, Vet. Hospital, Stamford, Texas.

The money will be used for their loss prevention program. The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies pay volunteer fire departments this amount when the department works at a fire in rural areas, involving property insured by them.

The Insurance Company believes volunteer fire departments have contributed to reduce the amount of loss involved by fire and more important, to prevent fires. It is their hope this money will help the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department in their program.



## Mental Retardation

Editor—This is one of a series of articles about Mental Retardation prepared by Mrs. Eugene Cochran and the Public Education Committee of the Texas Association for Retarded Citizens.

### YOUR HEAD IS YOUR OWN THING, BUT DON'T BLOW YOUR KID'S MIND!

Scientific research indicates a high probability that LSD and SPEED can cause extensive damage to an unborn child, resulting in MENTAL RETARDATION and gross physical damage. The cost to the baby is too great for a few hours of "high". If your "trip" will destroy another's life... is it worth it? Indeed, "Your Head Is Your Own Thing, But Don't Blow Your Kid's Mind!"

The human mind is a sensitive system. It can be damaged irreparably before birth. Some 150,000 infants are born each year who are, or will become, mentally retarded. This means that a child is born every 5 minutes who will never know the joy of an undistorted world. These children and their families add up to about 10% of our entire population.

Mental retardation is a condition which impairs the individual's abilities to learn and to cope with the demands of living. Many instances of mental retardation can be prevented. You owe it to your child to take every precaution to assure that his mind and body will be as beautiful as you would want it to be. The period from conception through early infancy is crucial to the prevention of mental retardation. Every young woman, by the time she reaches child-bearing age, should make herself aware of what constitutes quality prenatal care. The well qualified professional will appreciate your concern, or will be concerned himself to a significant degree and assume the responsibility of informing you. Poor prenatal care can result in the premature birth of your baby. Incidents of mental retardation are much more frequent among premature babies. Go to the doctor as soon as you suspect you are pregnant. Follow his instructions.

There are women who, for a variety of reasons, need special attention and care during pregnancy if they are to have a reasonable chance of giving birth to a healthy baby. Women who have had the following must be especially careful: (1) Exposure to rubella (German measles); (2) History of syphilis or other infectious diseases; (3) Diabetes; (4) Throid problems; (5) RH negative mothers. Exposure to excessive radiation can seriously damage an unborn child, and it doesn't take a nuclear explosion. Frequent

exposure to X-RAY is potentially dangerous for both men and women as well as their baby, who will be the real victim. If you suspect or in fact are pregnant, tell your dentist or any other physician who might have reason to X-ray you.

So-called harmless drugs can destroy the mind of an unborn child. During pregnancy all medicine should be taken under medical supervision.

Infectious diseases of infancy and childhood, such as measles, can cause damage to the nervous system and result in retardation. Vaccinations can prevent many of these diseases.

Don't hazard your child's future... keep drugs out of children's reach... keep all drugs securely sealed... keep drugs in marked, unbreakable containers... know emergency antidotes and call your physician or the police immediately. Carbon monoxide, glue, lead and other toxic agents, if inhaled or ingested by a pregnant woman or by a child, can cause brain damage. Severe brain damage frequently results from lead poisoning which children contract by eating flakes of dried paint and plaster from peeling walls and ceilings around home.

Accidents equal brain damage! More than 17 million children are seriously injured each year, resulting in nearly 400 thousand permanently damaged youngsters. Make your home and automobile safe.

Careful diagnosis is essential to assure appropriate treatment for those children who may be suffering from handicaps which mask normal intellectual potential and may be incorrectly diagnosed as mental retardation. Early and careful identification of the truly retarded child can often minimize the child's disabilities and improve his functional capacity.

Of the nearly 6 million retarded persons in our nation, a million may have been wrongly diagnosed. The toll in needless heartbreak and wasted human potential is staggering. Check out every decision, regarding the life of your child. Rely on your own good judgement, as well as the professional approach. Ultimately, all must pool resources to provide adequate and proper services for the handicapped individual.

The associations for Retarded Citizens are composed of parents, friends, community leaders, and professionals that

are banded together to shape a new world and a new climate of acceptance for all retarded persons everywhere. A grant made by Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity to the YOUTH-NARC National Association for Retarded Citizens made possible the brochure for PREVENTION, YOUTH-NARC from which much of the above information was derived. Further information may be received from 2709 Ave "E" East, Arlington, Tx. 76011, YOUTH-NARC. The Florida Youths NARC Newsletter included the following poem that says it all... author unknown.

**"WHY DRUG YOUR MIND? WOULD YOU TRADE YOUR MIND FOR MINE?"** There is so much that I could do with a good clear MIND. I could learn and nothing could be impossible for me. I am mentally retarded you see. I was born that way. I cannot go to school and learn as you; all I can do is play—they say. You can go to school and learn, but you would rather play. I am 18 years old and have many worries, cares, and fears. You take drugs to think like me and if you do not stop you will become like me. Since you don't want your clear mind, please give it to me. I know this is impossible for there is no "cure" hope for me. There is hope for you, so please do just one thing for me. Think about me before you take another "TRIP"

### Old Fashion Medicine Caps Still Available

**COLLEGE STATION—**"Old fashioned" medicine caps are still available for people who have difficulty opening the new child-proof caps, Mrs. Vivian Blair, a family life education specialist, says.

"Safety caps are valuable—but arthritic hands and poor eyesight are two conditions which contribute to difficulty in opening them," she noted.

Mrs. Blair, specialist in aging, is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

She explained that exceptions can be made under the Poison Prevention Packaging Act.

"If you or your physician direct that a prescription be filled in a package fitted with a conventional closure, the prescription may be packaged that way.

"But prescriptions may be filled this way only when directed by a physician or when requested by the purchaser," she added.

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### Short Course Sponsored by HHS in March

A farm wiring and safety short course for adult farmers will be held March 15-18 under the sponsorship of the Haskell High School Vocational Agriculture Department, according to Mr. R. K. Sams Superintendent, and Mr. Duane Gilly, Teacher of Vocational Agriculture.

The short course is being sponsored by the Vocational Agriculture Department of Haskell High School.

Mr. Cleve Walkup, Farm Electrification Specialist with the Vocational Agriculture Division of the Texas Education Agency and the Department of Agricultural Engineering at Texas A&M University, will do the instructing in the course. He is headquartered at Texas A&M University.

Mr. Walkup holds a B.S. degree in Industrial Education

and a M. Ed. degree in Agricultural Education.

The short course at Haskell is scheduled to begin March 15 at 6:30 p.m. in the Vocational Agriculture Building. Other meetings in the series of 4 will be held March 16, 17, and 18. During the dates the short course is in progress, Mr. Walkup will be available to assist farmers with individual problems and to provide on-the-farm instruction, according to Duane Gilly.

Anyone interested in attending the short course should write or call the superintendent of schools, Mr. R. K. Sams, or Mr. Duane Gilly. An entry fee of \$8 will be charged. Farm Electric Wiring Short Course certificates are to be presented to each farmer who attends all the training sessions.

Mr. Walkup states that the short course can be adjusted to wishes and interests of the farmers enrolled, but that he expects to cover such subjects as how to ground electrical

equipment for safety, double insulated tools, ground-fault interrupter protective devices, fuses, and circuit breakers, switches, wire sizes and voltage drop, splices and connections on both copper and aluminum wire, and how to calculate the cost of operating electrical equipment. Demonstrations will be given and class enrollees will have the opportunity to perform the skills demonstrated.

Short courses in Farm Electric Wiring, as well as in other areas, are now available to farmers throughout the state under the new cooperative program between the Texas Education Agency and Texas A&M University.

This cooperative program is designed to make the services of specialists available to conduct short courses under the supervision of public schools. Such a program will enable teachers of vocational agriculture to provide improved educational services to farm people.

### Sixth Grade Class Salutes Bicentennial

The sixth-grade students of Mrs. Bob (Debbie) Earles have been working on a Bicentennial project—a skirt! First, Mrs. Earles asked her students to draw a symbol of America on a sheet of paper, then while the material was being cut to make the skirt, others were drawing Liberty Bells, Uncle Sams, and flags for the special project.

Using embroidery paints in tubes, the students drew their designs on the fabric. The result was an amazing array of creative drawing by sixth-graders saluting our great

America. The Bicentennial Skirt designers include: Joe Benavides, Velma De La Cruz, Sharla Drinnon, Tim Escobedo, Connie Flores, Sylvie Garcia, Charles Hertel, Bernie Holder, Johnny Lacey, Kiersta Lane, Paula Langlitz, Margie Liles, Dolly Marshall, Jeff Medford, Dewayne Meier, Bobby Myers, Angie Ozuna, Joe Pena, Mitchell Reynolds, Kevin Strickland, Steve Turnbow, Scott Wallace, Vickie Wallace, Paul Barnett, Tom Barnett, D'Anne Burris, Patsy Butler, Emily Cox, Kim Griffith, Kristie Hannsz, Donna Hill, Cam Kuykendall, Don Kretschmer, Terry Kuykendall, Monty Moeller, Will Pace, Laurie Reynolds, Kendall Strickland, Julie Wallace, Arron Weaver, Ronnie Rea, and Robert Chapman.

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The Soil Conservation Service has announced the reprinting of a widely used SCS publication, "Conquest of the Land Over 7000 Years." The author of the journal, written in 1942, was Dr. Walter Clay Lowdermilk, a pioneer in soil and water conservation.

In 1938, the U. S. Department of Agriculture commissioned Lowdermilk to make a survey of land use in the older European and Asian countries in the interest of conserving our own land resources.

"The land bears a record of what men write on it... a record easy to read by those who understand the simple language," Dr. Lowdermilk wrote.

In his tour of England, Holland, France, Italy, North Africa, and the Near East, Lowdermilk followed agriculture from its beginnings 7,000 years ago to modern times.

He observed fields that had been in cultivation for thousands of years. The publication is a prophetic account of his search for reasons why land that once supported thousands of people now lays in abject waste.

The answer to his quest was soil erosion. He tells why erosion acted as a catalyst in the desecration and destruction of many advancing civilizations.

"One of the most important findings on this survey of the use of land through 7,000 years," Lowdermilk said in summation, "is that tillers of soil have encountered their greatest problem throughout the ages in trying to establish a permanent agriculture on sloping lands."

The publication, AIB-99, "Conquest of the Land Over 7,000 Years," is available from your local Soil Conservation Service office.

And speaking of soil erosion, Haskell County experienced another of those

famous West Texas "rain" storms last Thursday. It is estimated from visual observations over some 60 miles of travel, that approximately 8300 acres of valuable land was damaged during the 8 to 10 hour blow. I calculated from visual observations made, that approximately 250 acres of winter small grains were damaged beyond recovery.

Many producers were out Friday despite the cold biting winds, doing emergency tillage operations.

Without moisture conditions becoming more favorable, it is expected that wind erosion damage will continue in about the same amounts with each "blow". Texas has 68 counties that report wind erosion conditions monthly. The total for January and February was well over a million acres damaged, and approximately 135,000 acres of crops or cover destroyed.

Do whatever you can to prevent further damage to your land and crops. And may the God of Heaven see fit to bless us with a good rain, and soon.

J. C. Yeary, Jr.  
District Conservationist

**Hospital Notes**

**Admissions**  
MEDICAL: Ethel Bird, Haskell; Julie Long, Haskell; Garth Garrett, Haskell; Juanita Rodella, Haskell; Wanda Watson, Haskell; Alan Hutchens, Munday; Peggy Chapman, Haskell; Willie A. Petrich, Haskell; Dimple Nehring, Haskell; Martina Marin, Haskell; G. W. Roberts, Haskell; Thomas B. McMeans, Rule; Keith R. Hansz, Haskell.

**Dismissed**  
Ethel Bird, Junie Long, Garth Garrett, Juanita Rodella, Wanda Watson, Alan Hutchens.

your national parks  
**Right Around Home**  
By BEN MOFFETT

**LIFE WASN'T EASY FOR THE PEOPLE OF GRAN QUIVIRA**

The Four Horsemen rode across the Chupadera Mesa in central New Mexico 300 years ago, bringing to an end a way of life, a people and a language.

War, famine, pestilence and death were the villains in this stirring human drama set in the dusty, sun-baked villages of Gran Quivira, Abo and Quarai.

When the last act opened in the 1600's, these Pueblo villages were struggling against raids from mounted Apaches.

By 1666, the misfortune of these Piro-speaking people was compounded by drought. As a result, in 1668, 450 Gran Quivira villagers died of

starvation. The drought may have contributed to a widespread epidemic in 1671 that brought still more death. The epidemic and increased Apache raiding finally led to the abandonment of the three pueblos sometime between 1672 and 1676—almost exactly 300 years ago this Bicentennial year.

Many of the residents of Gran Quivira moved to the closely-related, pueblo of Socorro on the Rio Grande. Soon all the Pueblos south of Albuquerque, including the survivors from Gran Quivira, were driven south to the vicinity of El Paso during the Pueblo Rebellion of 1680. Their descendants lost their identity and by the late 1700s, the Piro language became extinct.

The memory of the people of Gran Quivira, Abo and Quarai is preserved in the ruins of the villages located in this still remote section of New Mexico. Gran Quivira is a national monument, administered by the National Park Service. Abo and Quarai are state monuments. Impressive ruins remain at all three sites. Gran Quivira can be reached via NM-14, 26 miles south of Mountainair, N.M. Mountainair is located on east-west US-60. Dirt roads also allow access from the south. Abo and Quarai are located just west and south of Mountainair. There are picnic tables at Gran Quivira and a trip to the monument offers clean air and serenity in a grassland area surrounded by pinon pine and juniper.

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But the significance of a visit lies in the archaic remains of the Indian civilization and Franciscan missions.

Occupation dates from 800 A.D. The village was occupied for eight centuries prior to the arrival of the Spanish

and for 75 years thereafter.

The logical starting point for a Gran Quivira visit is the visitor center where there are artifacts and an audio-visual orientation program.

There are 19 acres of ruins to walk and the most impressive structure is the mission of San Buenaventura. The church, constructed sometime after 1659, is 140 feet in length and the walls are five to six feet thick.

A smaller mission, dwellings and kiva will help you understand more about the people who lived at Gran Quivira.

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Miss Bourland is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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## Around Town

by Lois and Lisa

This column seems to get shorter each week and we apologize. We do remind you to call 864-2686 or come by the Free Press and tell us about your visits or visitors. Our out of town subscribers are always interested in what's going on in their home town.

Wednesday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart was his son Mr. Billy Don Stewart of Mission Vie Jo, Calif.

Mrs. Lacy Barry, Cody and Casey of Bowie spent the weekend in Haskell.

Nettie McCollum has returned from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Margarita Jordon in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Foreman, Odessa and Charley Redwine flew to Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas and spent the weekend with Major and Mrs. James Lundy, Chad and Jennifer.

Mrs. J. M. Comedy of Cleman spent Sat. night in Haskell.

Lisa Stocks and Randy Shaw attended the production of "Godspel", in VRJC Auditorium Sat. night, presented by the Theatre Ensemble and

Music Department of the College. Adam Sanchez of Haskell is a member of the cast. Attending the performance on Friday night were Adam's parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sanchez, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sanchez, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stocks, Rusty and Cody of Snyder spent the weekend with Mrs. A. E. Stocks.

### Weinert FHA Attend Area Meeting

Saturday, March 6, representatives of the Weinert Future Homemakers of America attended the 1976 Area IV meeting at the Tarleton State University Auditorium in Stephenville.

Approximately 1,100 members and advisors registered. "FHA—America the Beautiful" was the theme of the meeting.

The business of the association was conducted at the House of Delegates session Saturday morning. Linda Yates, chapter president, attended this session.

Mr. Steve Stroope, Minister of Youth, First Baptist Church, Abilene was speaker of the morning session. "Three Important Things in Life", which had a touch of humor, was his speech for the day. Installation of the new 1976-77 area officers climaxed the afternoon session.

Members from Weinert attending were Linda Yates, Lisa Dutton, Reda Campbell, Deb Robertson, Tammy Herricks, Cindy Walker, Twyla Turnbow, Micheal Adams, and Walter Patton. Mrs. Bettye McBroom, advisor, and her husband, Waymond, accompanied the FHA members to Stephenville.

Mrs. Erma Liles of Weinert, President of the Chapter, presided at a short business meeting. She read the prayer that George Washington used at Valley Forge.

The program centered around the theme, "Woman Becoming." The Personal Growth and Service Committee was in charge of the program. Two guests, Mrs. Larry Thompson and Mrs. Waymon Smith of Munday reviewed Joyce Landorf's book, "Fragrance of Beauty". Music featuring a Bicentennial theme, was presented by the Ladies Quartet from Goree. Members of the group are Mmes. Parnell Skelton, Gerald Myers, Sandy Lambeth and George Cotton. Their accompanist on the piano was Mrs. Charles Casey.

Refreshments were served to twenty-one members and their guests.

The next meeting will be at the Community Center in Haskell on April 3rd at which time five new members will be initiated.



SENIOR REPRESENTATIVES in the District III 4-H Heritage Food Show this Saturday in Vernon, Texas will be; Standing: Karon Gray, Haskell 4-H Club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray; Kim and Kay Campbell, Haskell 4-H Club, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Duward Campbell; and Joanne Cloud, Rule 4-H Club, daughter of Mrs. Joe W. Cloud. These girls won first place in their divisions at the recent Haskell County Food Show.

### Missionary Society Meets

The Christian Missionary Society met Monday March 8, with Mary Jane Young with ten members present.

Judy Lanier, the president, conducted the business meeting. The minutes were read and approved and a financial report given.

Eula Faye Crawford gave an inspirational devotion on "Called to be Saints." She said it is difficult but possible. She stressed that it is the Christ like characteristics in us that shows us to be saints, not our works.

Artie May Burgett brought the lesson on "Paul the Cholerick" from Transformed Temperaments by Tim La Haye. She said Paul was the best example of a Bible Character. In his early life he was cruel, strong-willed, dynamic, practical, controversial, and highly motivated. These are all characteristics of a choleric temperament. However, when Paul was filled with the Holy Spirit, he became a transformed choleric. She said that Galatians 5:22-23 reveals the characteristics of a Spirit-filled choleric, and all are found in the life of Paul after his conversion. These characteristics are love, peace, gentleness, meekness, faith and humility. Paul's life is a classic example of Jesus' words: "He that findeth his life shall lose it; and he that loses his life for my sake shall find it."

The meeting closed with repeating the missionary prayer.

The hostess served delicious refreshments.

### Haskell Co. H. D. Club Holds Lecture

On March 3, 1976 our Haskell Co. Home Demonstration Club from Josselet, L.O.C., Paint Creek, and Weinert, met in the Haskell County Extension office at 2 p.m. for a program on Estate planning.

Their guest Mr. Norman Brints gave the group a lecture on the importance of a will, the wise planning of wills, trusts, Insurance and Savings plans.

The talk was to make them aware of certain aspects of Estate planning that the group had not thought of before.

At 3:30 p.m. the Weinert H. D. Club met in the extension office for a business meeting made up of six members. Plans were made for their Rally Day Program. After the Day program. After the lecture and meeting refreshments were served by the club members.

### Baptist Choir Serves Dinner March 13

The Senior Choir of the Independent Baptist Church will be sponsoring a dinner Sat. Mar. 13 from 11:30 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. in the evening. The menu will include: Barbecue Chicken, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, and Dessert. Plates will be \$1.50.

If you are unable to come to the church you can phone your order in by calling 864-3537.

### agri-facts

Pat Hale

Ever see a 15-million dollar cattle truck? It looks as though that's where things are headed with the announcement by major air carriers that 747's are going to be converted to livestock haulers for international markets. Officials say live cattle transportation to countries outside North America is already 80 percent by air with both the volume and the percentage expected to increase during the coming years. For the animals themselves it's all first class. Interiors are redesigned and structured to resemble a barn with separate pens or stalls. Special temperature control and ventilation systems are being designed and separate studies are underway to determine other ways to increase animal comfort. No one has yet decided whether to include in-flight movies but it sounds as if they may not be far away.

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**Haskell Bicentennial Happenings**

By Rozie Parker

Several Haskell High School speech students presented a program to Progressive Study Club last week which was decidedly patriotic.

John Cox was the narrator and those on the program were Bennita Jackson: "A Past To Remember, A Future To Hold", Brenda Hill: "A Pledge of Allegiance", Linda Hilliard: "I Am The Nation", Suzanne Frierson: "Can We Wave The Flag Too Much?", and John Cox: "Victory For Patriotism".

Bobby Isbell presented two poems he had written. One of them, "A Salute To Johnny Freedom", was quite lengthy, going historically from the voyage of the Mayflower to World War II, and is too long to reprint here. But I hope Bobby will be asked to present it again, perhaps by another club or group in the county.

His second poem is entitled "This Old Country".

We can all read the stories about "when THIS OLD

COUNTRY was young", When other countries talked about the new world and not with forked tongue;

Through the ceaseless ages its brave men have fought and won;

So THIS OLD COUNTRY's deeds have been done.

And now that their fighting is over—and Old Glory has been raised,

THIS OLD COUNTRY can give to history all those dreadful days;

In these days of unreliable, foreboding, and gloomy news, It seems that THIS OLD COUNTRY has got the blues;

With its morale dropping very low, And it's been hard to make THIS OLD COUNTRY go!

Yet, it has endured perilous times, Let us not forget THIS OLD COUNTRY has many years

Before it has passed its prime. THIS OLD COUNTRY has

always helped many others



REPRESENTING HASKELL COUNTY in the District III 4-H Heritage Food Show this Saturday in the Junior Division will be Standing: Sonja Tidrow, Haskell 4-H club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Tidrow; Tauniya White, Paint Creek 4-H, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby White; Linda Fischer, Paint Creek 4-H Club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fischer and Sheila Moeller, Haskell 4-H Club daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moeller. The Food Show will be held in Vernon. These girls won first place in their divisions at the recent Haskell County Food Show.

out of trouble. FOR INSTANCE When they've had earthquakes, they get money, men and machines to clear their rubble— THIS OLD COUNTRY is a God-fearing Nation. THIS OLD COUNTRY—God's great and beautiful creation!

Bobby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Isbell. At a recent meeting of the Haskell City-County Bicentennial Committee it was announced that posters have been placed in the schools encouraging students to participate in the week-long celebration being planned June 28 through July 4 in Haskell. They are asked to enter poems, notebooks, short stories, sketches or paintings in competition for awards in the Youth Division of the Arts and Crafts Show to be held. We hope the whole county is going to celebrate that week. On July 3, 1776, John

Adams wrote to his wife Abigail expressing his jubilation over the passage of the Declaration of Independence. He wrote: "It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward for evermore!" I'm for that!

**Engagement Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wester of Rotan announce the engagement of their children, Charlotte Joe and James Garry. A wedding is being planned for May 29th. Charlotte and Garry are both students at WTC in Snyder. Jack D. Wester, late grandfather of the prospective groom was pastor at the Pinkerton Baptist Church for a number of years.

**Masons and Wives To Be Entertained**

The Eastern Star will entertain the Masons and especially their wives on Tuesday, March 16 at 7:30 p.m. Dominoes will be played and refreshments will be served. All Masons and their wives are cordially invited.

**Matrons Club Holds Meeting**

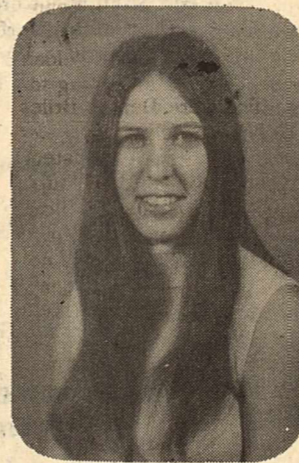
The Matrons Club in Weinert held their regular meeting concerning "Our Texas Heritage and Conservation" March 4, 1976 at the Community Center in Weinert.

Mrs. Vern Derr, president, called the club meeting to order and Mrs. D. L. Moody, Secretary, read the minutes. Members voted to have the Youth Choir from the Marble Falls First Baptist Church, Friday, April 9th. Those in the community are invited to participate in a supper beginning at 6:00 p.m. by bringing sandwiches and ice-cream for the choir and themselves. Come and enjoy a community get-together and then at 7:00 p.m. go to the Weinert School Building to hear the Marble Falls Youth choir put on a Patriotic Program. For the children at Weinert, Uncle Sam from Abilene will be at the school all day Tuesday, April 6.

After the business meeting a special program was presented by Mrs. R. J. Rainey and Mrs. R. W. Raynes. Mrs. Rainey called on Mrs. Buck Turnbow to talk about "Texas Indians" and Mrs. Marvin Phemister to give us the "Heritage of Texas Farming." A sing-song of Texas songs were sung finishing with "Texas Our Texas". Mrs. Raynes called on Mrs. Henry Smith to give facts about "The Bicentennial and Agriculture." The Conservation Pledge was given and the song "This Land is Our Land" was sung by the group. Refreshments were served to the 10 members by Mrs. D. L. Moody and Mrs. Marvin Phemister.

The March 18 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Mayfield. Mrs. W. D. Sims of Snyder will be the guest speaker on the subject, "Progress through Chemotherapy."

**Engagement Announced**



LYNETTE MEIR

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Meir of Old Glory are announcing the engagement of their daughter Lynette, to Robert Tribbey of Rule. Tribbey is the son of Mrs. Florence Tribbey and the late Mr. Roy Tribbey. The bride elect is a senior at Old Glory High School and Robert is a senior at Rule High School. The couple plan a late summer wedding.

Enrollment in Texas public schools during the 1974-75 academic year totaled 2,917,451 students in grades kindergarten through 12. The seventh grade led the list with 248,669 students.

**Leisure Lodge News**

Mrs. Carrie Edwards brought the Tuesday devotion in the place of Mrs. Amburn, who is ill. Visiting Mrs. Edwards this was her grandson, Bob Cole of Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Rowland of Throckmorton visited his mother, Mrs. Hester Rowland on Wed. Mrs. Ivy Massie spent Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wheatley. She also visited with her sisters-in-laws, Mrs. Cortez Hill and Mrs. Floy Mapes.

Mrs. Sandra LeFevre and daughter, Melissa Kay of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Nolan Lees, and Mrs. Bill Lees of Rule visited Mrs. Minnie Brady over the week end.

Visiting AIT, Ardell Beason and husband, Tolbert, over the week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pittman and children from Earth.

Bill Wright from Baird visited his father, Mr. J. A. Wright this week.

Mrs. Bessie King from Knox City visited her husband, Mr. Erwin King.

Mrs. James Shaw was honored on her birthday, March 2, with a luncheon, in the home of her sisters' Mrs. H. E. James and Ms. Mildred Mancill. Attending were a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Merrell Mancill from Big Springs, Mrs. Mancill's mother, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and a sister, Mrs. Jim Parrish from Moran, a sister, Mrs. Mary Holden.

Mr. Charlie Chaney from Stamford visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chaney on Friday.

It was a privilege for us to have Evangelist, Dr. David Ray from Abilene, Norman Burgess, Amarillo, Ted Burgess, and Pastor Dudley Bragg from Haskell bring the devotional on Friday.

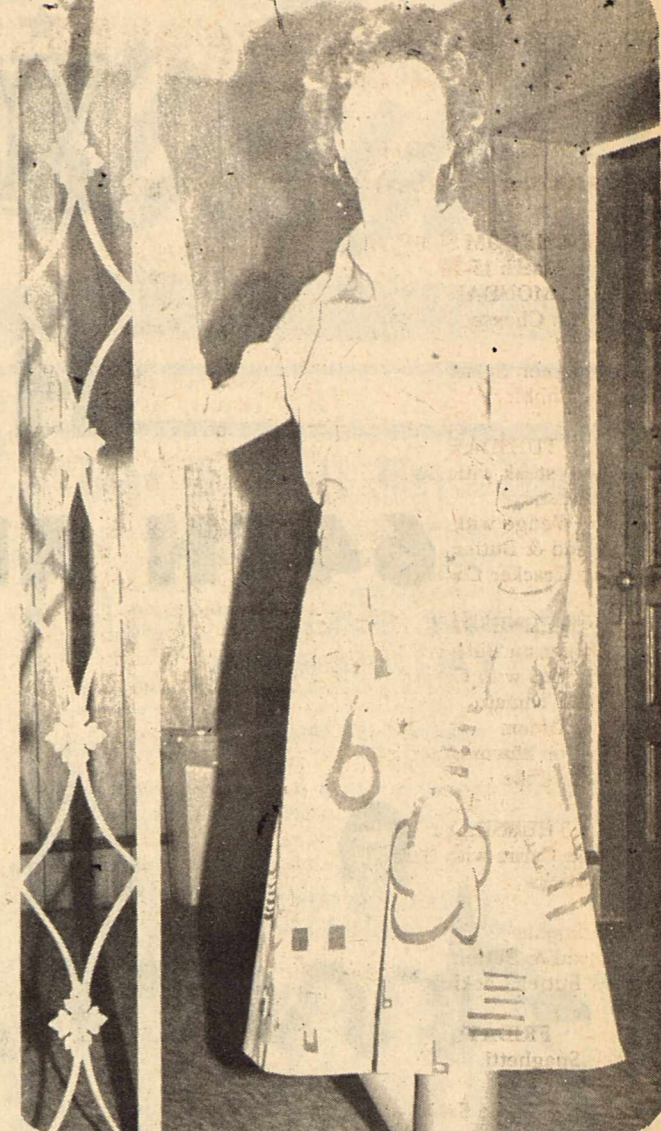
We extend our sympathy to G. V. N. Nicky Cobb in the loss of his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Cobb.

**ACU Holds 58th Annual Lectureship**

Several employees from the Haskell County A.S.C.S. Office attended a training conference for employees and administrators in San Antonio, they were: Mr. Glenn Brzowski County Executive Director, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Reid County Administrator from Rochester, Mr. Roy R. Clark of Sagerton, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fischer of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fly of Rochester, and Mrs. Carolyn Pippin of Haskell.

The Conference was held in the San Antonio Convention center March 1, 2, and 3rd with over 1,000 in attendance. Special speakers included Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz and Administrator Kenneth Frick on subjects such as "Foreign Agriculture," and "The Wheat Outlook."

Members of the Conference attended a special Banquet on Monday night in the convention center with Comedian Justin Wilson as their guest.



MRS. DEBBIE EARLES, Teacher of the 6th grade class models a Bicentennial Skirt designed and made by her 6th grade students at the Haskell Elementary School.

**Foursquare Church Starts Youth Program**

The Haskell Foursquare Church will be sponsoring a Recreation Night beginning Tuesday, March 16, at 7:00 p.m. under the direction of their Youth Minister, Dan Kardokus.

Mr. Kardokus is planning baseball, and volleyball to begin the recreation night and will add more activities as the group grows. At the end of

each recreation night there will be a short devotional, Tuesday the guest speaker will be Rev. Richard Dikerson, Wichita Valley Youth Director for the Foursquare churches. Those ranging from 10 years old and older are invited to participate in the program.

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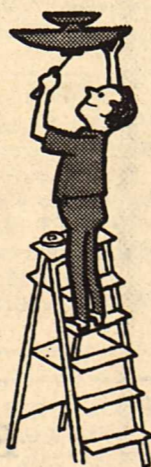
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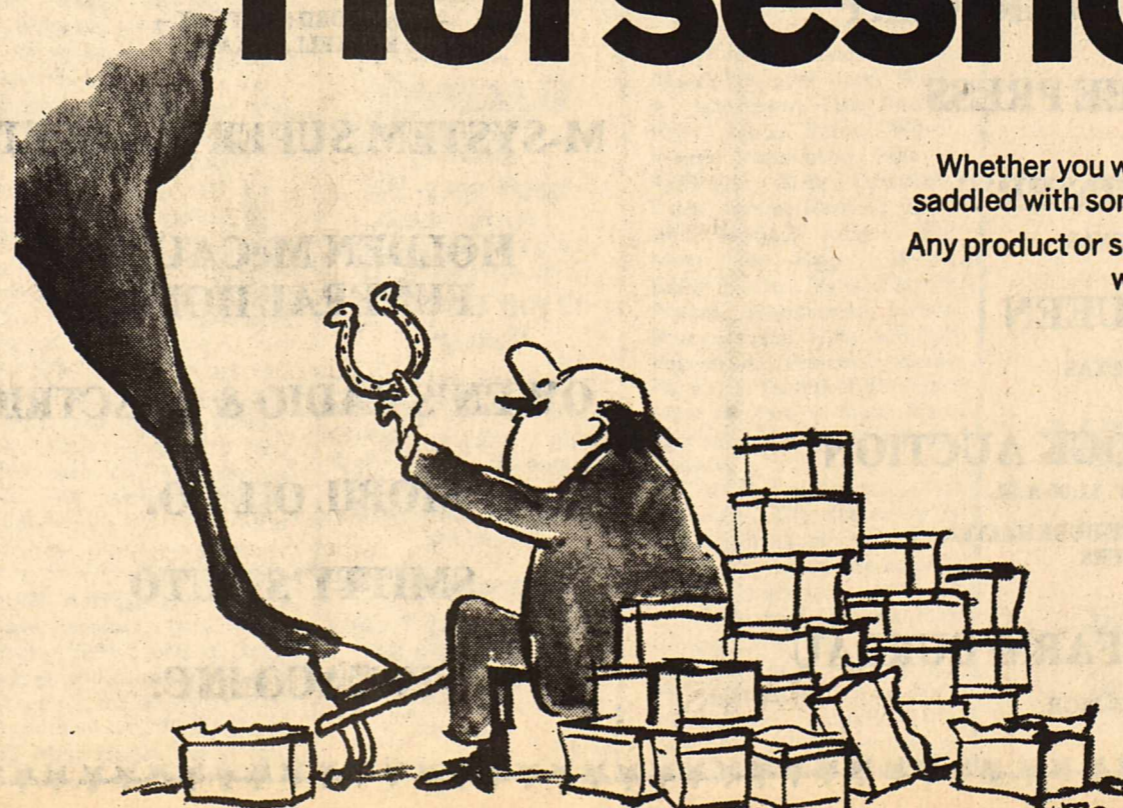
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**JUNIOR TROOP 465** Front row 1 to r: Vickie Wallace, Sylvia Garcia, Kim Griffith, Kiersta Lane, D'Anne Burris. Back row 1 to r: Beverly Campbell, Emily Cox, Leaders Mrs. Robert Earles and Mrs. Dale Burris, Cam Klose, Sharla Drinnon. Not pictured: Sherri and Terri Adams, and Margie Liles.



**JUNIOR TROOP 464** Front Row 1 to r: April Turner, Susie Blankenship, Tina Morris, Shannon Lane; back row, 1 to r Melinda Blakley, Connie Amaro, Alica Bennett, Leader Mrs. James Lanier, Rinette Vincent. Not pictured, Marla Gonzales, Michelle Nanny.



**BROWNIE TROOP 467** Back row, Leaders Mrs. Robert Geilhausen and Mrs. Charles Thornhill. Middle row, Kim Lanier, Regina Kuykendall, Debbie Lively, Missy Briscoe, Emily Thornhill, Kimla Strickland. Front row, Rachel Pimentel, Lorry Geilhausen, Michel Stout, Jennifer Friedel, Denise Burris. Not Pictured Holli High.

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- A Girl Scout obeys orders.
- A Girl Scout is cheerful.
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**BROWNIE TROOP 470** Back row Leaders, Mrs. Bobby Whisenhunt, Mrs. Jackie Sonnamaker, Mrs. Thurman Howeth, Jr. Middle row: Kelly Weaver, Cami Madina, Kelli Whisenhunt, Denise Ootton, Jill Jennings. Front row: Tamala Randle, Pamela Weise, Sandra Morales, Stephanie Browning. Not pictured, Kelly Wallace, Denise Young, Bette Villarreal.

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