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## Just A Thought

by Carter

Friday I almost got ran over. That's down right unfriendly. I was just trying to make a right hand turn onto South First from Avenue F when this fellow turning left from First onto Avenue F cut his turn short and made me head for the sidewalk just to get out of his way. As he went by he smiled at me and that bothered me a little too, it was like, I missed you this time but I won't next time.

I understand the sheriff has a new car for his Chief Deputy Tom Paul "Bull" Barnett.

Judge Roberson had a big response to that open meeting held on the subject of re-evaluation some time ago. I'm looking forward to seeing the budget they are getting together that requiring the extra money. I understand it should be out soon.

I have been hearing how interesting these Commissioners Court meetings are, might be worth the time to go to the next one just to see what makes the county government function so "well."

Just got a letter from the National Rifle Association, announcing the 73rd National Rifle and Pistol Championships to be held on August 2 through 27 in Camp Perry, Ohio.

I understand there is going to be a lot of top guns at this meet.

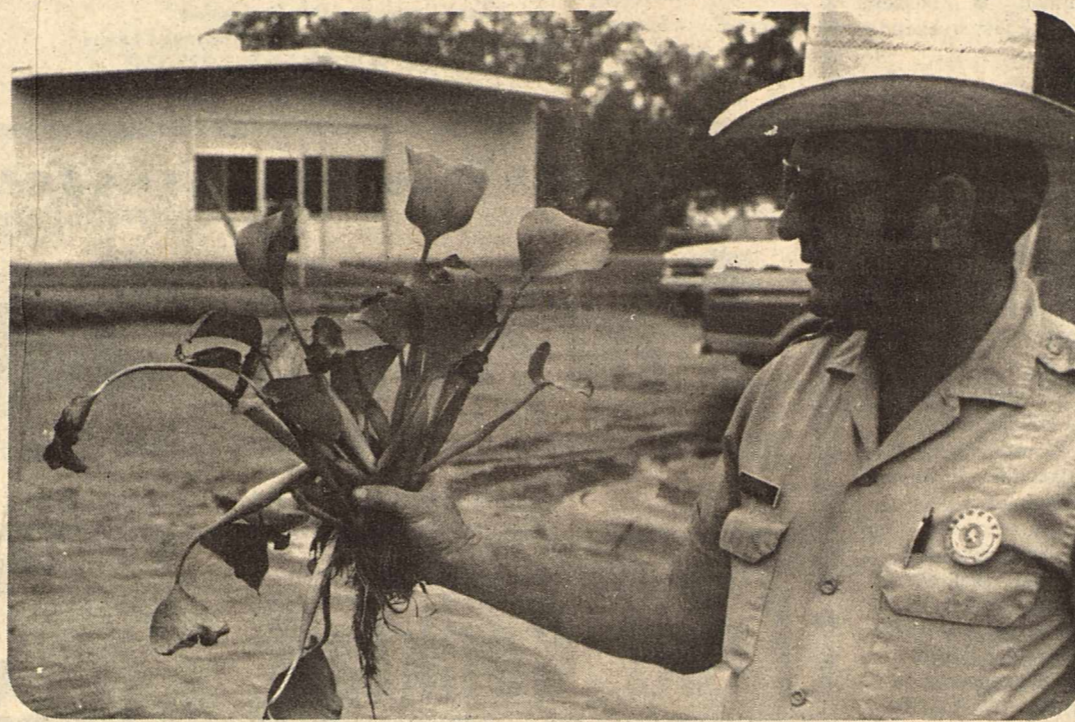
I received a press release the other day from the office of one of our state representatives who is chairman of the House Committee on the blankety, blank (sic). I wonder if any of our government officials are NOT chairman on a committee of something or other. It makes good press material if nothing else.

This press release I mentions 19 lines of type and 16 of those are devoted to praising the members and telling what committees they serve on. Now all this is supposed to announce a meeting they plan to have and from there they give the location and the time, all of which is very interesting but I'm still not sure what they are meeting about. They do mention that the meeting has been very successful in the

past which only means to me that we have a lot of curious people around. Hum! I think I'll go.

I have received several press releases announcing the appointment of people to chairmanship of their local committee. They all read as follows "These encouraging words came from Mr. or Mrs. .... as he or she accepted the chairmanship of the 1976 ....."

Now do you know the odds on two people saying exactly the same thing? They're astronomical.



THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND WILDLIFE Law enforcement officers are trying to locate all "Water Hyacinths" growing in Texas. This plant destroys water ways and recreational areas and it is illegal to import, sell, transport or possess. Jack Young requests that anyone possessing or knowing the whereabouts of any of these plants call him at 864-3057, no charges are being filed at this time, it is their main interest to get them collected as soon as possible and prevent their spreading. (Staff Photo)

## Mohawks In Waco

The Haskell Mohawks came home from Sweetwater winners last week, putting them in the state playoffs in Waco this week.

Opposing Idalou, The Tri County League Champions and won the first two games played.

The first game was played on Monday, July 26 with the Mohawks coming out on top with a score of 5 to 1. Nathan Frierson was the winning pitcher striking out fourteen batters.

The second game was played on Tuesday night the 27th with the Mohawks whipping Idalou with a score of 9 to 3. Racking up ten strike outs and scoring two runs himself, Jerry Thundinson was the winning pitcher. The most effective player was James Norman.

The wins at Sweetwater places Haskell in the State Playoffs in Waco on Tuesday, August 3, will match Haskell against the undecided champions of District four, which includes cities such as Denton, Euless, Dallas, Fort Worth, Benbrook and Midlothian.

The first playoff game was played at 3:30 Tuesday, August 3, at the JC-Kiwanis Field, North 65th and Tennyson in Waco.

This will decide the state championship of the Teenage Boys Baseball league.

## Commissioners Court Met July 27

With all members present, The Honorable Commissioners Court met in Special Session in their regular meeting place, at which time the following proceedings were had:

Minutes of July 12, 1976 were read and approved.

Motion by Perry and seconded by Turnbow to pay all approved bills. All ayes.

Item #11 of June 22, 1976 Commissioners Court minutes to read July 15, 1976 instead of July 1, 1976.

Bill Wilson Motor Company not able to deliver truck on bid accepted July 12, 1976.

Motion by Perry and seconded by Byrd to deliver to County Superintendent all available and permanent school funds to be divided among the schools in Haskell County.

Bids for Sheriff's car opened and examined. The bids submitted were as follows. Bill Wilson Motor Company \$4,298.66, Medford Buick-Pontiac Co. \$4,574.00. Motion by Perry and seconded by Turnbow to accept the low bid from Bill Wilson Motor Company. Bid recorded in Vol. 12 Commissioners Court Minutes.

Motion by Turnbow and seconded by Perry to approve delinquent tax roll as presented by Jimmy Owens, County T/A. All ayes.

Motion by Edwards and seconded by Byrd to authorize the expenditure of funds by Jimmy Owens County Tax Assessor Collector, for the purpose of taking the necessary action to collect delinquent taxes for Haskell County. All ayes.

Motion made and carried to adjourn until August 9, 1976.

### WEATHER SUMMARY

July 1976	
TEMPERATURE	
Hi .....	98° .....
Lo .....	65° .....
RAINFALL	
July Total .....	2.88
July Normal .....	2.38
Normal to Date .....	14.53
Total to Date .....	9.61

## Sayles-Centerpoint Reunion Held

The 9th annual Sayles-Centerpoint school reunion was held at the corral building in Haskell August 1st.

A party was held Saturday night for ex-students, teachers, and patrons of the two schools formerly located a few miles southwest of Haskell.

Refreshments of punch, cookies, and cake were served by Avis Pennington and Emma Bland.

The group assembled at 9:30 a.m. Sunday and were registered by Mrs. Dessie Mae Jeter and Bill Pennington.

The morning was spent visiting, recalling past exper-

iences and events. The invocation was given by Lorell Kirby of Anson, formerly of Sayles. The delicious luncheon was catered by the Haskell Steak House.

Alvis Bird, President called the meeting to order at 1 o'clock for a program and short business meeting.

Doris Hannsz, ex-student of Sayles and program chairman, presented Rex Felker, ex-student of Sayles. He related several humorous events and was also emcee for the program "This is Your Life" honoring Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Harris of the Sayles community.

Doris (Felker) Hannsz gave some of the history of the couple Mrs. Ethel (Bland) Bird, life long friend and neighbor for many years, related several humorous events. Others on the program giving special events were Otis Johnson, who grew up on a farm next to the couple and worked on the farm for them as a boy, Buck Bland, who is presently a neighbor and has known the couple all of his life, Frances Bird, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, and Ralph Johnson of Fort Worth, former neighbor and friend.

Corsages were presented Mr. and Mrs. Harris by a niece Doris Ann Taylor of Abilene. A gift was presented to them from the Homecoming Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris moved to the Sayles Community at an early age and attended school at Sayles. After their marriage they continued to live on the farm and their children also went to school at Sayles.

They were outstanding in community and all civic affairs. Mr. Harris was a trustee of the school for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Harris still live on the family farm and still drive into Haskell several times a week.

Their children Christine Griffith of Seymour and Col. and Mrs. Jack Harris of Universal City and one granddaughter were present for the school reunion.

A Memorial service was held for the 9 ex-students, teachers, and patrons whose names were added in our precious book of memories. The memorial prayer was by Ralph Johnson, ex-student of Sayles.

A short business meeting concluded the reunion. New officers elected were Doris (Felker) Hannsz, President; Emma (Wiseman) Bland, Vice President; and Avis (Bird) Pennington, secretary and treasurer.

We will have this reunion the first weekend in August next year. Please make your plans now to be here.

## Indians Take Second Place

The Haskell Indians played five games during the District Four Tournament, of the Texas Teen Age Baseball League, in a double elimination playoff.

The first game played on Monday July 26 was lost to the Sweetwater team with a score of 7 to 1, the losing pitcher was Cris Love. The following night the Indians played Cisco with Russel May pitching. The Indians took this game 10 to 4, Archie Crim and Kyle Markey both hit home runs. In the second game of the double header the Indians beat Sweetwater 6 to 4 with John Menchaca pitching and Archie Crim connecting with another home run.

During the final day of play on July 28 the Indians opposed Brownwood in another double header winning the first game 7 to 3, Cris Love was the winning pitcher and Archie Crim connected with another home run. The Indians lost the second game to Brownwood 7 to 1, the losing pitcher was Russell May.

Haskell came home with the second place trophy in the District Four Championship. Manager James Davis praised the boys for their outstanding effort.

## Haskell Man Charged With Assault

The City Police were summoned to the Colonial Food Store on Avenue E at 11:25 p.m. Thursday where they arrested Donnie Hise of Haskell for assault on Fernando Diaz.

Justice of the Peace Hubert Bledsoe reported that he arraigned Hise on Thursday night and ordered him to appear in District court Friday morning at 10 a.m., at which time charges were filed and bail was set at \$4,000.00. He was taken to jail until bail could be posted.

Diaz was treated at the Haskell Memorial Hospital for cuts and bruises and released.

## Lions Corner

This week's Lions Club meeting featured a film produced in Florida, explaining the benefits arrived through the donation of eyes to the Eye Bank.

The program consisted of a brief talk by Mr. Chan Hughes of Munday, district president of the Eye Bank in this area, followed by the very impressive film.

Cards were made available to members who were interested and the meeting was adjourned until next Tuesday.



DISTRICT FOUR RUNNER-UPS...Top row left to right: Robert Phariss, Kyle Markey, Paul Reynolds, Archie Crim, James Davis, manager, Cris Love, Jesse Billington, Kelvin Marshall, bottom row: Rudy Amaro, David Tidwell, Frank Jordan, John Menchaca, Nati Escobedo and Russell May.



THE WINDS CAME...and then came the rain...High winds left this damaged building in its wake Monday afternoon, however along with the wind there followed some rain of varied amounts throughout Haskell County. Reports ranged from a sprinkle to a down pour depending where you happened to be. On checking with Pete Beecher of NCTMWA he reported that there was no noticeable rain in an area that would effect the Miller Creek Lake. (Staff Photo)

# Sagerton News

Summer vacation is swiftly coming to an end for those who have children. Many families are taking this slack time in the farm work for trips.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. DeBusk and children returned Saturday from a trip to the Texas Coast.

The Community Teens, accompanied by their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane, and the DeBusks went to Six Flags this week for a day of fun.

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stegemoeller held a reunion at the Slaton Club House in Slaton Saturday. Attending from this vicinity were: C. E. Stegemoeller, Mrs. August Balzer, Mrs. Will Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller,

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller and sons, Clyde, Carl, Clifford and Calvin, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stegemoeller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Hearne and daughter of Rochester, Sherry Ann Townsend of Rochester. The reunion is held every two years, and the next one will be in our vicinity in 1978.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison of Lewisville, who had been in Kansas City attending a Santa Fe Railroad Convention, stopped by for Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stegemoeller and family of DeSoto stopped by the F. A. Stegemoeller home Saturday on their way home from Colorado and the reunion in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer and Mr. and Mrs. John Letz of Old Glory were in Abilene last weekend to see their granddaughter, Pam Letz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Letz, play in the Miss Softball of America Tournament. She played third base with the Southside All-Stars, and her team won the tournament so they will play in the State Tournament at Sweetwater on August 12,

13. and 15. Pam is 12.

The Turner family held their reunion at the Sagerton Community Center Saturday and Sunday with sixty-five present. On Sunday morning, they held a devotional service with singing. Otho Bristow of Petersburg, 74, was the oldest present and the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cummings of Amarillo was the youngest. Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Turner of Rochester had the most children present. Six of their children attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer have returned from a trip to Tennessee. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Tullie Herring.

The family of Mrs. Otto Lehrmann enjoyed their annual reunion at Possum Kingdom Lake last weekend.

The sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schronerstedt of Euless have been visiting here with their grandparents, the Fred Schronerstedts.

Becky Baitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baitz, of Austin is visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hertel and Mrs. Emma Raphael in Stamford.

Three of our residents are on sick list. Mrs. George Mullins has been to M. D. Anderson in Houston for treatment. Fred Kupatt is a patient at the Haskell Memorial Hospital with a back injury, and Joe Clark underwent gall bladder surgery at the Stamford Memorial Hospital last week. Our best wishes go to all of them.

Pat Sellers has recently gone to live at the Rice Springs Care Home in Haskell and his mother, Mrs. Allen, is living with Mr. and Mrs. Oris Irving in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Jordan have their grandchildren, Anita and Lee, with them this week. They had Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jordan and Stacey from New Braunfels with them last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tiechelman and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp were vacationing in New Mexico last week.

Mrs. Ladain Anderson of Houston is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, and other relatives. Guests in the Reece Clark home on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Van Laughlin of Rule, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Jill, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weeks of Stamford.

Mrs. M. Y. Benton has returned from visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Yater Benton, Jr. in Fort Worth and her brother, Wesley Marr, who is ill. Before that she had spent some time in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Cook. On Monday Mrs. Elsie Harwell from Eddy, who is visiting Mrs. Sallie Kirschner of Abilene, was a guest in Mrs. Benton's home.

## Calf Scramble Deadline Announced

August 16 is the deadline for entries in this year's Calf Scramble at the West Texas Fair and Rodeo. Dorothy Tedford, fair secretary announced today. Contestants must be between 12 years old and not past their junior year in high school. There will be a calf

scramble each night of the Rodeo when 20 contestants will try to catch 10 calves. The winners win a \$200 gift certificate for the purchase of the calf of their choice. Contestants return the next year and show their animals in competition.

This is the third consecutive year a calf scramble has been held at the West Texas Fair and Rodeo. For more information and applications, call the West Texas Fair office, 677-3538.

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## Hospital Notes

**Admissions**  
MEDICAL: Joel Contreras. Rule: Kate Casey. Rule: Mary Foshee. Knox City: Ollie Lewis, Haskell; Meta Rueffer. Weinert: Lela Medford, Munday; Lee Roberts, Haskell; Zula Hanson, Rochester; Flora New. Rule: Fred Kupatt, Sagerton.  
SURGICAL: Angelita Hill, Haskell; Chayo Carcia, O'Brien; Carolina Abila, Haskell; Scarlet Brazel, Haskell.

**Dismissed**  
Janice O'Neal, Alene Bredthauer, Elsie Norman, Florence Alexander, Effie White, Imogene Bell, Aldruck Fojtik.

Emelda Navarro, Ethel Neathery, Paul Navarro, Robert Gray, Bonnie Lou Bruce, Pearl Ivy, Shirley Pritchard.

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Pat Hale



Farmers may be leaving 860 million dollars out in the field. That's the amazing figure some scientists have come up with during a special study on energy alternatives. First some basics... all oil products come from cellulose materials... plants, especially plant stalks are largely cellulose... a lot of stalks are left in the field. Testing the fuel efficiency of this farm residue was General Motors engineer, F. L. Green. In a test already completed, General Motors used a mixture of 10 percent cornstalks for boiler fuel. They say the result was positive enough that mixtures of as high as 80 percent cornstalks are feasible for fueling the boilers. Economic determinations made on the basis of the current value of coal indicate that high cellulose farm residue could be worth 20 dollars a ton. Estimates of the amount available each year range as high as 450 million tons.

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WHITE SWAN <b>Saltine Crackers</b> 1 LB BOX      39¢	<b>SPARKLING FRESH PRODUCE</b>	CENTER CUT <b>PORK CHOPS</b> LB      \$1.29
ORCHIDS 8 ROLL PKG <b>Bathroom Tissue</b> \$1.05	<b>RUSSET 10 LB BAG Potatoes</b> 79¢	<b>Orange Juice</b> TEXSUN 6 OZ      5 FOR \$1.
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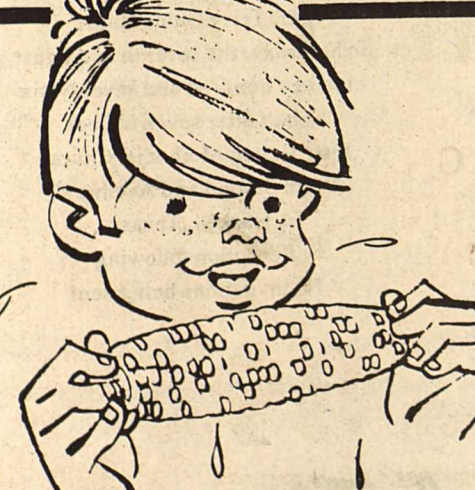
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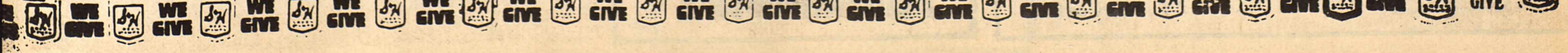
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Listerine Antiseptic 7-Oz. Bottle **69¢**

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## SINGING ALL THE WAY

By Roxie Parker

While it has been widely proven during the last few years that "Johnny can't read", and it didn't take a Philadelphia lawyer to recognize the fact, it is heartening to know that there are children in Haskell County who can and do read. To see for yourself, just visit the County library any one of these summer afternoons.

Mrs. Elsie McGee, genial librarian, and her aide, Willie Erwin, keep busy providing registration leaflets and checking books in and out for young readers in the Texas Reading Club.

"This program, which began in the summer of 1968, is the most important thing we've done since I began working in the library," Mrs. McGee declares.

This year more than 100 children have enrolled in the club since the first of June; an attractive booklet is signed by the child as he registers and there is space for ten book titles to be recorded after he reads them. The booklet has pages of pictures and puzzles. A variety in the booklet content allows the child to choose a different one each time he completes the reading of ten books.

Children are eligible to join the program after they have finished the First Grade and choose books on their individual level. Many have already read 30 and 40 books. When I visited Friday afternoon Diana Jarred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jarred, and Lori McGee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben McGee, were checking out several books each. Both will be in the Third Grade this fall and both of

materials. The club kitchen was redone to make an attractive children's room with small table and chairs where books may be read or where they may browse through picture books.

Circulation among adult readers has increased markedly since the library was moved into its new home. "And I can't say enough about the assistance we have received from the Abilene Public Library," Mrs. McGee said. "For several years we have been the recipient of many books from their Extension Service. Then three years ago we became a part of the Inter-Library Loan program; a patron may come in and ask me to get a certain book. I give the request to the Abilene Public Library and they send it soon as it is available."

The coordinator from Abilene, Mrs. Alice Specht, visits periodically and assists in selections. I have requested many books myself over the past two years and have really enjoyed being able to read the latest and/or the best!

A wonderful service that perhaps many people do not know about is the provision of books printed in large type and picture books that are available for residents of Haskell's convalescent homes. Rice Springs Home has also requested and received films to be shown to its residents.

Leisure Lodge does not have a projector to show films; isn't there a philanthropist among us (or several who would pool their dollars) to buy a projector for them? Then they too could avail themselves of this service.

In 1955 when Mrs. McGee began working in the library it was only open two afternoons a week and was located in the courthouse. From there it was moved in 1967 to a County building across from the Free Press office, and was located there when the Magazine Club donated the present building.

At present the library hours are 1-5 p.m. daily except Thursday when it is open 1-7 p.m. and Saturday from 9

a.m.-5 p.m. In addition to Willie Erwin, Mrs. McGee had assistance from Mrs. K. H. Thornton who worked at cataloging books, and from Mrs. Audree McCallum who substituted for Mrs. McGee at vacation time and during other absences. "We had many people who volunteered help during our move and in getting set up in our new facilities."

Miss Erwin's salary has been paid by the West Texas Council of Governments; she has worked three summers and after school and on Saturdays. A 1976 graduate of Haskell High School, she will be leaving in August to enter East Texas State University in Commerce, planning to major in Library Science.

An annual report is sent to the Texas Public Library; at the end of 1975 the local library's circulation was 14,672 volumes. There were 1,184 books added to the library during last year. There have been as many as 219 people using the facilities in one week.

The Haskell County Library Board consists of Raja Hasen, chairman; Edith Wheatley, Waller Overton, E. G. Lewis of Rule, and Mrs. John Nichols, Rochester. Mrs. Wallace Cox, Jr. is publicity chairman. Mrs. Joe Cloud of Rule is president of "Friends of the Library."

In August, 1975, Haskell County commissioners voted for the library to apply for membership to the Texas Library System. In order to qualify the library must maintain a certain annual budget and have at least 10,000 volumes.

Many books have been donated but the goal has not yet been reached. If you have not yet donated books from your own collection, or would like to contribute money to buy books, contact Mrs. McGee or one of the board members. Books given as memorials make such a useful and lasting contribution.

Mrs. McGee characterizes her work as most rewarding, citing "my love for children, my respect for every person who wishes to use the library, and a lot of hard work."

When I was growing up in the country without neighbors living too near, books were my constant companions. I could escape my circumstances anytime I chose just by retreating to a quiet place with "A Lantern in Her Hand" or "Little Women". I could be transported out West or down South, or over to Merry Old England at the turn of a page. The minute I opened a book I was oblivious to all that went on around me! Through the years this has continued to hold true.

My home and my church are important; but I have to tell you that the library isn't too far behind!

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Mrs. McGee characterizes her work as most rewarding, citing "my love for children, my respect for every person who wishes to use the library, and a lot of hard work."

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## Leisure Lodge News

The Adult III S.S. Dept. of the First Baptist Church gave their monthly birthday party, Monday July 26. Chairman was Kathryn Schwartz. Each one gathered in the dining room for a time of fellowship. Ice cream sandwiches were served, along with plate favors of Bible markers, and a small bible. After fellowship everyone gathered in the living room for devotion time. Freddie Ballard led the singing. Rev. Hubert Seg, a retired Baptist minister brought the devotion. Everyone enjoyed the afternoon. Having birthdays this month were Norma Baker, Della Lou Cox, Nancy Howard, Erwin King and Haney Stanfield.

Adelia Rhoads and Dean Rhoads from Chickash, Okla. visited their great aunt, Elsie Mitchell this past week.

Laverne Sturdy and children, Jason and Wendy from Irving visited their grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Moon.

We welcome John E. Long from Waco to our home. One of our residents, Mrs. W. O. Lewis has been in the Haskell Memorial Hospital for several days. Visiting Mrs. Lewis in the hospital and Mr. Lewis were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brockett, from Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brockett of Weinert, Mrs. Don Coffman and son, Mark from Goree, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis and son, J.V. of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Florene Sorrells and Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Sorrells of Rule, Mrs. Jeff Smith of Goree, Mrs. Monroe Murphy and Mrs. Veda Smith of Ft.

## Texas Flag To Fly Over Mt. Rushmore

MT. RUSHMORE, S.D.—The State of Texas Lone Star flag will fly over Mt. Rushmore National Memorial in South Dakota's Black Hills Aug. 24-25, as this national Bicentennial focal point recognizes Texas in the National Park Service's 1976 "Days of Honor" commemoration. Sec. of State Mark White will receive the Texas flag in ceremonies at the memorial, Aug. 25.

"The Texas flag which flies over the memorial will be presented to Sec. White during our evening lighting ceremonies," says Rushmore Supt. Harvey Wickware. "Ceremonies both days will recognize Texas in the 1976 Days of Honor commemoration developed to fulfill Rushmore's role as a national Bicentennial focal point."

The Lone Star flag also flies in a special Avenue of Flags constructed for the Bicentennial at Rushmore.

South Dakota Gov. Richard Kneip, on behalf of all South Dakotans, has invited any Texans traveling north to take part in their state's days at Rushmore.

The Mt. Rushmore Days of Honor program began May 21 and continues through Sept. 8, with each state and territory in the nation receiving homage at the Shrine of Democracy. Located on a 6,000 foot high granite mountain, the Shrine

of Democracy was carved by Gutzon Borglum as a monumental summation of the American Republic. Borglum chose four Presidents (Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt); to symbolize the growth of the United States. The portrait bust of each is 60 feet high.

Rushmore's unique attribute of being a memorial for the whole nation, rather than just one section, led to its national Bicentennial designation by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission in 1971.



Worth, Mrs. H. H. Grimes and Mrs. Jack Sanders of Weinert.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cobb, National Democratic delegates from Hobbs, N.M. visited their aunt, Norma Baker over the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. James M. Shaw were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Foster from Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bill Holden and Miss Millie Holden from Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Bush of Rule and their granddaughter, Jeanine Hawkins from Florida, Nelda Sellers and son of Abilene visited Mrs. Trudie Bush.

Visiting Mrs. Ella Moseley were Mr. and Mrs. Faye Wilson, Mrs. Susie Green from Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson from Rochester visited his mother Mrs. Nancy Howard.

Leisure Lodge is in the process of putting new tile on the floors and painting this week so we have been inconvenienced but it will be looking nice in a few more days.

Visiting Mrs. Carrie Edwards were her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and children Jenny and Jeff from Plano. She had a nice telephone call from Mrs. Lois Holmesly who was visiting in New Orleans, La. Mrs. Edwards visited with Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Reid in Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid from Rule.

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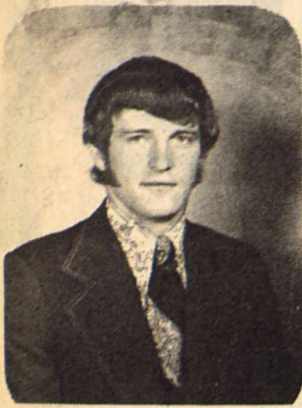
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# RULE ROUND-UP

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LEONARD RHOADS



WYNETTE WILLIAMS

GREEN BELT BOWL

Leonard Rhoads, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rhoads of Rule, has been selected to play in the Green Belt Bowl Game to be played in Childress on Friday, August 6th, at 8 p.m.

Leonard has participated in football for four years, serving as captain his senior year. He was All-District linebacker for four years, All-State second team his senior year and All-Area his junior year.

He participated in basketball, track and tennis for four years. Received Most Spirited Boy Award, Citizenship Award and first runner-up for Mr. Rule High School and Football Hero his senior year. He has participate in junior

and senior class plays, served in FFA for four years, serving as president his senior year, secretary his junior year and sentinel his sophomore year. Was in Beta club three years, serving as president his senior year. Held class office his senior year as president, secretary his junior year and vice president his sophomore year. Was elected class favorite his freshman year and received Citizenship Awards his freshman and senior years and was annual queen escort his sophomore and senior years.

Salutatorian of the 1976 graduating class, Leonard will attend McMurry College in Abilene this fall.

Wynette Williams will be Leonard Rhoads candidate for Queen of the Green Belt Bowl game. Candidates will be presented at a coke party and honored in a parade the afternoon of the game. The candidates will be presented before the game with the selection of the Queen being announced at halftime.

Wynette is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and will be a senior in Rule High School this fall. Wynette has been in Drill Team for three years, serving as cheerleader one year; in basketball three years, volleyball two years, track one year, in FHA three years, serving one year as secretary, Beta Club two years, serving one year as reporter, elected Class Favorite her sophomore year, was second runner-up for Football Queen and has participated in UIL events.

### REVIVAL

Calvary Baptist are holding their revival this week with services at 8 p.m. nightly. They will conclude Sunday night. Evangelist is Roy Brashear of Sweetwater and songleader is H. L. (Cooter) Boles of Old Glory. Rev. Frank Slayton, pastor, extends an invitation to all to attend.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICES

Joint Wednesday night services will be held in the First United Methodist Church, August 11th, at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday night services August 18th, will be the last Wednesday night service with the City-Wide Revival to start Sunday night, August 22 and end on Sunday night August 29th. Services will be nightly at 8 p.m.

Evangelist for the City-Wide Revival is Rev. Bruce Parks of Tulsa and songleader is Bob Frost of Anson.

### DEFENSIVE DRIVING

The Rule American Association of Retired Persons Chapter will sponsor a Defensive Driving Course on Monday and Tuesday, August 9th and 10th, in the Rule High School building. The course will be a total of eight hours, four each day, from 10 to 12 and 1 to 3 p.m.

Cost of the Defensive Driving Course will be \$4 for AARP members and \$7 for non-members. Those interested in taking the Defensive Driving Course are asked to contact O. G. Lewis or Mrs. Clyde Grice.

### PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Mrs. Earl Spyras was honored with a pink and blue shower on Saturday, July 31, between the hours of 3 to 5 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Rich Alexander. Mrs. Doug Frazier of Aspermont registered guests. Following the opening of gifts, they were displayed to those attending.

A cloth with stork design on it was laid on the serving table. A cake decorated in blue and pink with a baby's rattle, bottle and safety pins were centered on the table. Punch, nuts and mints were served with the cake. Serving appointments were crystal and silver. Hostesses were Mmes. Rich

Alexander, George Webb, Lee Landreth, Cleo Bush, Charlie Price, Jack Gore, Donnie Mack Boles, Jim Bilbo, Doug Frazier, Danny Johnson and Wanda Alexander.

### BULLETIN BOARD

Aug. 9-10 Defensive Driving AARP  
Aug. 10 UMW, 2 p.m.  
Aug. 11 City-Wide Wednesday services 7:30 p.m.  
United Methodist Church  
Aug. 12 Busy Bees, 3 p.m.  
Aug. 14 Rule Jubilee, 4 p.m.

### LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lewis have returned home after a month's vacation in Idaho, Washington and Wyoming. The Lewis visited their daughter and family Lt. Col and Mrs. Kent Dunning and family in Troy, Idaho.

John Curry of Lubbock, visited his sister, Mrs. Ed Cloud last week.

Visiting in the homes of Mrs. J. A. Lisle and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pike last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Westbrook and Mrs. Hazel Mason of Los Angeles, California.

Vacationing last week in Ruidosa, N.M. were Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lisle Jr., and David.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornelius, Melissa and Jeffrey, of Wichita Falls, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mahler and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beasley and her mother, Mrs. Tom Pepper of Shamrock, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pike and Mrs. J. A. Lisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvelle Lehmann, Norva and Marla, Ricky Lehmann of Lubbock, Randy Lehmann of Snyder and Keith and Welch, and Bobby Don Smith attended the Lehmann Family Reunion held last Thursday thru Sunday, at Possum Kingdom Lake.

Mrs. Neva Jane Pinkard of Comanche is visiting this week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pinkard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cornelius visited last Sunday in Sweetwater with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Parkhurst and family.

Mrs. Scotty White of

Lubbock visited in Rule last week and picked up her children, who had been visiting their grandparents, Mrs. Scott White and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ross.

Dwayne Johnson and Mike Lisle were in Lubbock on business, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Price visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Hill, Shana and Shad, at the Beggs Ranch in Spur, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Place of Tulsa, Okla. visited over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Mary Place and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. T. Verner and Mrs. J. A. Lisle visited in Abilene last week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Scargall, and Mrs. Scargall's mother, Mrs. W. J. Heawett of Calif. who has returned home after visiting in Abilene.

Miss Caron Cloud has returned home to Plainview, after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Cloud and other relatives last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dodd of Oklahoma City, Okla. visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd and along with Bill Dodds and Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Roberts, Mrs. Claudie Carroll and C. B. Hall of Crowell, attended the graduation exercises of the Mary Meeks School of Nursing in Abilene, of which one of the graduates was Mrs. Tommy Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lisle of Hamlin and Mike Lisle of Rule and Thelie Greasley of ACU, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Akins in Dallas, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fete, Jr. agricultural missionaries to Brazil, spoke to the congregation of the First Baptist Church last Sunday night and showed slides and spoke of their work there.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy M. Wright and family of Anson, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Corky Wilson last Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Johnson and family over the weekend were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Burel Johnson of Brownfield, his mother, Mrs. Edna Colbert and sisters, Shirlett Wheat of Abilene and Joyce Ward and Marie Manice of Augusta, Georgia.

Raynelle Miller is home following surgery recently in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene.

Guest speakers at the Rule First Baptist Church Sunday morning, August 8th will be Sallie and Ronnie Bostick, missionaries to Zambia. Sallie Bostick is the former Sallie Dowdy, whose father was a former pastor of First Baptist.

Mrs. J. E. Geer has returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John R. Geer and family in Virginia and with Rev. and Mrs. Sidney Spain and family in Tyler.

Mrs. Joe W. Cloud and sons have returned home. Mrs. Cloud attended the closing ceremonies of Camp La Junta at Hunt, Texas where Dennis and James had attended summer camp.

Miss Sylvia Westbrook of Tulsa, Okla. visited her grandmother, Mrs. Irene Cloud, over the weekend.

Jimmy Lisle accompanied the Hamlin coaches to Coach's School in Houston last week. He has been employed as assistant coach at Hamlin High School.

## TAB Suggests Changes In Workers Comp.

AUSTIN—The Texas Association of Business (TAB) has kicked off a statewide campaign to update the Texas workers' compensation laws as the 7,000-member organization's priority for the 1977 Texas legislative session.

TAB President Bill Gray of Houston outlines proposed changes in the 63-year-old law during a meeting of the association's regional leaders this week in Austin.

TAB's proposals include: Weekly Benefit Increase—Increase the weekly maximum benefit to \$84, and allow the Industrial Accident Board to accelerate payments to the worker to be sure he can live on the income and have access to the best possible medical care.

Stop Lump Sum Settlements—Don't cut the worker off from future benefits in the event a current disability should occur.

Physical & Vocational Rehabilitation—Provide for physical and/or vocational rehabilitation for the claimant to prepare him for future employment. Require periodic review by the Industrial Accident Board of the worker's case, and prohibit benefits if the claimant does not participate in the rehabilitation.

Permanent Total Disability—Define permanent total disability as a physical or mental impairment which prevents the person from working. This will stop an individual from receiving more than one award for one injury or illness.

Self-Insurance—Permit responsible employers to self-insure their workers' compensation risks.

Fraud & Repeater Claims—Stop payment to a claimant who lies about prior injuries or diseases.

Reduce Attorney's Fees—Set the maximum attorney fee at 15 percent of the settlement.

Hernia—Change hernia from a specific injury to a general injury, requiring compensation only for lost time plus medical benefits.

"One of the most important aspects of these corrections is stopping lump-sum settlements," Gray said. "Workers often cut themselves off from any future claim to a disability by grabbing for a quick, one-time cash settlement."

He said workers are often forced to seek this type of claim settlement because they cannot live on the current weekly disability payment which, although based on 66 and 2/3 percent of their salary, cannot exceed \$70 a week.

"Skilled craftsmen who normally take home from \$200 to \$600 a week simply cannot live on this income," Gray said.

TAB proposes this problem be overcome by allowing the Industrial Accident Board, which oversees these claims, to accelerate payments to the

claimant when necessary. "Another problem with lump-sum settlements is that approximately one-fourth of the worker's settlement goes to pay for attorney fees," Gray said.

"Since 1969 the dollar income to attorneys in these cases has nearly doubled. We propose a limit of 15 percent be set on the lawyer's share of the settlement."

To prevent fraudulent claims, TAB recommends that any person who lies about an injury or illness on the employment application form be denied payment.

TAB suggests "total permanent disability" be redefined as any mental or physical impairment which prevents a person from working. Also, the organization wants vocational rehabilitation offered to workers receiving compensation.

Gray said that Texas is the only state in the nation which does not allow responsible employers to self-insure against workers' compensation claims.

"TAB believes employers who can meet the financial requirements of the Insurance Commission should be allowed to self-insure," he said. "As it stands now, the Insurance Commission sets the rates statewide and there is no price competition."

"Our goal is to inform as many Texans as possible of the inequities and inefficiencies in the current workers' compensation law and motivate them to contact their state legislators and legislative candidates."

"Updating this law is important not only to employers and workers, but to all

consumers as well. When fraudulent or high lump-sum settlements cause insurance rates to go up, the employer who pays for the insurance has to pass the cost along through the price of his service or product to the consumer. All Texans need to be concerned about these inequities."

## Bilingual Preschool Funded 3rd Yr.

A federal grant of \$81,897 for the 1976-77 academic year has been awarded the Bilingual Education Department Office of Region IX Education Service Center, according to Delma Banuelos, director of the department.

"This is the third successive year we have had federal funding," Miss Banuelos said. The program provides bilingual pre-school home tutoring for children, ages three through five, with limited English speaking ability. English and Spanish are taught to the youngsters on a home basis, the only such program in Texas, she explained.

"Last year we served a total of 102 children," she added. Counties services include Hardeman, Foard, Knox, Wilbarger, Baylor, Throckmorton, Young, Archer, Wichita, Montague, Clay and Jack. This will be the first time Childress and Haskell, neither of which is in the Region IX area, will be participating in the program.

"We are in the process of recruiting teachers and screening children," Miss Banuelos said.

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Catered By Underwood's

**Medicine Show**

**Cake Walk**

**Water Dunk**

**Everyone Invited**

### Last Playnight Set For Knox City

Knox City will hold its final playnight of the 1976 season Saturday, August 7.

Barrels, flags, poles will be run in three age divisions with trophies going to first place winners in each event in each age division, and an all-around trophy awarded to the high point individual in each age division.

In addition to the regular playday classes, there will be novice classes in each age division for contestants who have never won a trophy. First place trophies will also be presented to winners in these classes.

There will be barrels, flags, and poles for adults, also. The nominal entry fee will be jackpotted back.

Ribbon roping will also be featured, with the runners age determining in which division he will compete. Age divisions will be pee wee, juniors, and senior. The roper must be a member of the runner's family.

CLIP AND SAVE

AUGUST 1976

BOX 903  
STAMFORD, TEXAS 75033  
PHONE 773-9204

REPAIRING  
Paint and Body

PHONE 773-4200

## TOWER

DRIVE-IN THEATRE

RULE, TEXAS

PH 997-2124  
PH 997-2382

SHOW TIME!  
OPEN 8:00  
SHOW STARTS 9:00  
TELEPHONE:  
997-2382 Or 997-2124

<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 1-2</p> <p><b>CHINO</b> CHARLES BRONSON JILL IRELAND PG</p>	<p>THUR. AUG. 5 \$3.00 CARLOAD!</p> <p>"JALESKO MUNCA PIERDE"</p>	<p>FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AUGUST 6-7</p> <p><b>SHADOW OF THE HAWK</b> JAN MICHAEL VINCENT MARILEE HASETT CHIEF DAN GEORGE Color</p>
<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 8-9</p> <p><b>Robin and Marian</b> ALDEY HEPURN ROBERT SHAW CONNOR "ROBIN AND MARIAN" NICOL WILLIAMSON RICHARD HARRIS</p>	<p>THUR. AUG. 12 \$3.00 CARLOAD!</p> <p>"VIENTO SALVAJ"</p>	<p>FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AUGUST 13-14</p> <p>GEORGE SEGAL AS The Dirtwater Fox GOLDFIE HAWN AS The Duchess <b>THE DUCHESS AND THE DIRTWATER FOX</b></p>
<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 15-16</p> <p><b>CHARLES BRONSON JAMES COBURN HARD TIMES</b></p>	<p>THUR. AUG. 19 \$3.00 CARLOAD!</p> <p>"EL TIGRE E E SANTA JULIA"</p>	<p>FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AUGUST 20-21</p> <p><b>BREAKING POINT</b> BO SWENSON ROBERT CUP</p>
<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 22-23</p> <p>Why is everyone after George Segal? <b>THE SPACER</b> Because he's Sam Spade... and his factors worth a fortune!</p>	<p>THUR. AUG. 26 \$3.00 CARLOAD!</p> <p>"POMEGRINA"</p>	<p>FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AUGUST 27-28</p> <p><b>BOOTLEGGERS</b> PAUL HOGAN DENNIS FIMPLE JACLYN SMITH SLIM PICKENS</p>
<p>SUNDAY AND MONDAY AUGUST 29-30</p> <p>ROBERT DENIRO <b>TAXI DRIVER</b></p>	<p>A \$50.00 REWARD FOR THE INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST &amp; CONVICTION OF ANYONE CAUGHT STEALING SPEAKERS OR WILLFULLY DAMAGING ANY PROPERTY IN THIS THEATRE!</p>	

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