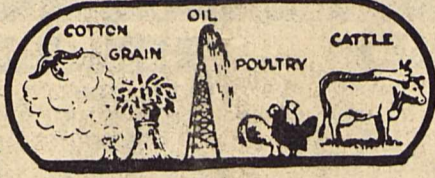


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GOLF TOURNAMENT CO-CHAIRMAN Shown from left to right are Kenneth Jones, Bill Perry and Jimmy Bynum with some of the prizes to be given at the Bob Mobley Invitational Tournament July 30-31 at the Haskell Country Club. Over 100 players are expected for the tourney.
(Staff Photo)

Golf Tourney Opens July 30

The Bob Mobley Invitational Golf Tournament opens at the Haskell Country Club Saturday, July 30. The Tourney was named after Bob Mobley for all the work he did for the Country Club. The co-chairmans' stated that it was an honor to call it the Bob Mobley Tourney.

It's another individual meet as the area continues a trend to a return to at least a few of these tests.

The following merchants donated different things for

the tourney: Haskell National Bank, Hassens, Lane Apparel, Heidenheimers, Dad N Lad Anderson Tire, Medford Buick Bill Wilson Motor, Bailey Toliver Chev., Perry Motor, Personality Shoppe, Haskell Steak House, Larry Gilliam Texaco, Bynums, Haskell Paint and Body and Kay's Kut & Kurl.

At present the list of players is growing and a limit on the first paid 102 player is getting close so those of you who have signed up but haven't paid

should send your \$30 check to Haskell Country Club, Route 1, Haskell 79521.

There will be prizes to each flight's top six players, starting with Maxfli Irons for first place and woods for second. In addition, things like steak dinners for two, golf slacks, a handbag and 10 gallons of gas will go to various flight performances, and slacks and shirts for the longest drive each day.

Closest to the pin t the par three third hold Saturday will get slacks and a shirt, and Sunday's most accurate will get an eight-track tape player and speakers.

The big payoff, though, will be for the first hole-in-one at

No. 15. If someone pulls that off, he'll get his choice of a new car donated by four Haskell dealers. The minimum value will be six grand.

Haskell will be a fun place this Friday (an optional) pro-am is slated that day), Saturday and Sunday. There are other incentives, such as the entry fee including a barbecue dinner for each contestant and his lady, a dance, a free cap and a few other goodies.

Everyone is invited to the barbeque and dance Saturday night. Barbeque tickets are \$3.50 per person and the meal starts at 7 p.m. The Dance will start at 9 p.m. You can buy tickets from Club members.

All-Stars Defeated In Third Game

The Haskell Little League All-Stars advanced to the 2nd round of area play at Sheppard Air Force Base by defeating Stamford 1-0. Both Mark Bailey of Haskell and Tommy Collins of Stamford pitched outstanding games. Bailey struck out 11, walked only 2 and gave up only one hit, a double by Chuck Howard. Two of these base runners were cut down trying to steal so Stamford only had one runner stranded.

Collins was almost as effective against Haskell. Haskell got only 1 hit, a single by Toby Villa. However Collins walked 7 including Travis Young 3 times, Doug Lanier and Odis Lockhart twice. Young scored the only run in the 3rd inning. He walked and advanced to third on 2 throwing errors. Then, Jamie Davis, smashed a broken bat line drive to the pitcher, Collins, who threw wildly to 3rd trying to double up Young. Young darted home with the only run.

Haskell had a couple of good defensive plays on the few balls Stamford successfully hit. In fact, the mis cues by the entire Haskell team was 2 passed balls by the catcher Shane Welch who recovered on one to tag out a sliding Stamford runner trying to score.

Haskell played Knox City at Sheppard on Monday, July 25th.

LINE SCORE

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| Haskell | 3 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | x | 10 |
| Knox City | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Winning Pitcher: Mike Rhoads, Losing Pitcher: Kendall Strickland.

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In the top of the 4th, Sheppard scored 2 runs to make the score 3-2.

The 5th inning went scoreless. But in the 6th, Sheppard went out in front 7-1 with 4 hits.

Mark Bailey was losing pitcher. Haskell scored no home runs. Bailey struck out 7 and walked one. Sheppard had 7 hits, and 3 errors. Haskell had 3 hits and 4 errors.

The Haskell team played aggressive ball all throughout the tournaments.

Sheppard advanced to the next tournament level.

Kendall Strickland hit 3

home runs to get the All-Stars underway. After that the Haskell All-Stars were never headed, as they scored in each inning.

Other players contributing hits were Steven Bird, Jimmy Davis, Albert Sherman, and Mike Rhoads. Outstanding defensive players were Jimmy Davis and Mark Bailey.

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Sayles Centerpoint Reunion Slated Aug. 6-7

The tenth annual reunion of the Sayles-Centerpoint ex students, teachers and patrons, will be held in the Corral building at the Haskell Country Fair Grounds on Saturday, August 6th and Sunday, August 7th. These two old time rural schools situated in the Southwest part of Haskell County once boasted a large enrollment of students but both have been closed for many years.

The current officers of the Association are Mrs. A.R. Hannsz, President, Mrs. Buck Bland, Vice President and Mrs. Bill Pennington, Secretary-Treasurer. Mrs. Hannsz is the former Doris Felker, Mrs. Bland the former Emma Wiseman and Mrs. Pennington, Avis Bird, all of whom attended Sayles rural school.

According to information from Mrs. Hannsz, early registrations of out of town ex students and patrons are exceeding early expectations and a good crowd should be in attendance. Local and area people who were associated in any way with either of the rural schools, are urged to call in their registrations to either of the mentioned officers of the organization. Direct mail in-

vitations were sent to only those with distant addresses but all have a cordial welcome in store for the annual reunion. Food for the noon meeting on Sunday will be catered by the Haskell Steak House.

Swim Meet Set July 30

There will be a swim meet held at the Stamford City Swimming Pool on Saturday July 30th, 1977, beginning at 9 a.m.

All boys and girls-swimmers and non-swimmers, ages 4 to 18 are eligible to enter. Entrants will be classified according to age and swimming level. There will be all types of contests and races in the water.

There will be a 50c entrance fee for each event entered. Lots of fun—come out and have a good time, there will be ribbons awarded to the winners of each classification and each age group. Parents and spectators are invited to watch (bring your own chairs). The concession stand will be open.

Federal Land Bank To Reduce Interest

Joe Harper, Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Haskell, announced today that The Federal Land Bank of Houston will reduce the interest billing rate on variable rate loans to 7-3/4%. This reduction will be effective on August 1, 1977, and will affect \$1.04 billion in variable rate loans to 18,026 Texas farmers and ranchers. This billing rate change will be effective on both farm loans and rural residence loans.

The variable rate loan was introduced by the Houston Bank in July, 1969 and provides for the rate to fluctuate with the variation in the cost of money. A more favorable money market has made this billing reduction possible. Harper stated, "This continues to demonstrate the Bank's policy to furnish credit to Texas farmers and ranchers at the lowest possible cost consistent with sound business practices."

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long-term real estate loans on farm and ranch land and rural residences throughout Texas and now has \$1.3 billion in loans outstanding. The local association makes and services loans in Haskell, Jones Baylor and Knox counties. Officers and directors of the association are O.G. Lewis, E.H. Burnett, Ralph Howe, Ernest Beck Jr., Weldon Walker, J.E. Nix, and Rex Conner, Assistant Manager.

Fees Collected

A monthly report of fees collected in the County Clerks Office of Haskell County by Jenny Brazell, Co. Clerk for the month ending June 1977 includes the following:

Recording Fees \$2051.00;
Chattel Mortgage Fees \$376.00; Marriage License Fees \$70.00; Copies \$130.25; Criminal Court Fees \$29.00; Probate Court Fees \$173.50; Brand \$4.00; Bonds \$12.00; Sheriff Co. Judge, Co. Attorney \$314.50; Fines \$336.00; Law Library \$5.00; Comptroller \$48.00 for a total of \$3,549.25.

Revival Set August 1-7 At East Side Baptist Church

There will be a revival at the East Side Baptist Church



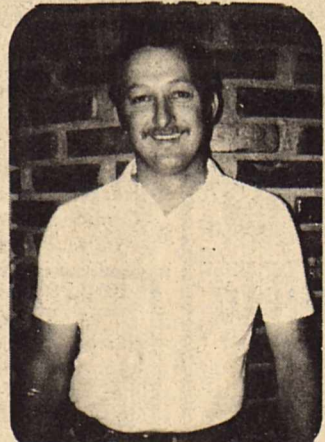
M.F. GARDNER
...Evangelist

August 1-7, with Bro. M.F. Gardner, pastor of Friendly Baptist Church preaching.

Rev. Jimmy Griffith is pastor of East Side Baptist Church. Services will be held at 12 noon and 7:30 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday.

Bro. Gardner was born and raised in Aspermont. He received a Master's Degree from Hardin-Simmons University and attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He taught school for ten year and has been pastoring for about 20 years.

Everyone is invited to attend the services.



NEW ROTARY PRESIDENT Larry Gilliam recently named Rotary President for the coming year. Other officers include Aubrey Carroll, vice president, and Desmond Dulaney secretary. Directors are Haskell Stone, Curtis Jennings, Eldon Anderson, and Dudley Bragg.

Vacation Bible School Set For August 1-5

Vacation Bible School is scheduled August 1-5 at First Baptist Church, Haskell.

Children ages three years through the Sixth Grade are invited to the classes which begin at ten o'clock each morning and are concluded at one o'clock. Each child is to bring a sack lunch for the noon meal everyday.

The church bus will pick up children and return them to their homes. Those wishing to ride the bus may call 864-2581 or 864-3500.

David Bradshaw, Minister of Youth-Education, said that all children in the designated age groups will enjoy the planned activities which include Bible study, mission stories, and music and hand-work.

A nursery for children up to two years will be provided for workers in the school.

Haskell Co. Fair Committees Named

The Haskell Co. Fair Association met Tuesday night, July 19, in the meeting room of the County Extension Office to make plans for the 1977 County Fair. Dates for the Fair was set for Sept. 22-23-24, 1977.

About 35 persons attended the meeting, with President Bud Turnbow presiding.

Following is a list of the committees that were named: Livestock Committee-Tom Kutch; Beef Cattle Committee-George Mullino; Sheep Committee-Johnny Pond; Poultry and Rabbits-Ken Lane and David Howell; Crops Committee-Cecil Lewis.

Grounds Committee-Ray Perry and Chunky Tidwell. Finance Committee-H.V. Woodard, Chairman; Bill Comedy, C. A. Thomas, Bob Beauchamp, Rex Felker and Bud Turnbow. Catalogue-H.V. Woodard, Chairman; Mrs. David Miller, Bob Beauchamp, Mrs. Don Bevins, A.D. May, Mrs. Tom Yates, Mrs. Johnny Reid and Bud Turnbow.

Publicity-Haskell CowBelles (Melba Howard, Chairman); Glenn Mack, Bill Comedy, Rex Felker, Billie Kupatt. Ticket and Gate Committee-Jack Ray and David Miller.

General Supt. for Women and Youth Division-Barbara Elliott. Women's Division-

Mrs. Johnny Reid. Supt. Flower and Garden Club-Mrs. Cliff Dunnam, Supt.; Mrs. H.H. Hines, assistant; Mrs. C.R. Rhea, Schedule Chairman; Mrs. Joe W. Cloud, Co-Chairman. Antiques-Mrs. R.A. Shaver; Art-Mrs. Henry Harris; Youth-Mrs. W.R. Hager Jr., Supt.

Entertainment-Don Bevins and Butch DeBusk. Rodeo-Maxine Hannsz, Ted Elliott, and Max Stapleton. Commercial Sales Committee-Barbara Elliott and Max Stapleton.

City Council Holds Meeting

Members of the Haskell City Council met in regular session Tuesday night in the Haskell City Hall with Mayor Belton Duncan presiding.

Following the call of order the invocation was given by the Mayor. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Council accepted the resignation of Gerald Saffel of the Police Department effective July 31.

Jackie Whorton was hired as Chief of Police effective August 1.

In other business it was reported that \$3,046.42 was collected for the City Sales Tax. They also approved the Audit and the bills to July 26.

The next regular meeting will August 9 at the regular meeting place.

Those present at the meeting were: Mayor Duncan, Councilmen Lorine Johnson, Bob Philpot, Earl Proctor, Guy Kennedy and City Secretary Desmond Dulaney.



NEW SIGN The Haskell National Bank's new sign is in operation now. This picture was taken Monday afternoon at 5:40 as you can see. 108 is pretty hot at 5:40. The new sign gives the time and temperature plus snappy little messages.
(Staff Photo)

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Due to the bookkeeping involved and the high postal rates, we ask that you please remember that classified ads are Cash In Advance unless you are a business firm or have an established credit with the Haskell Free Press. Either mail your ad with check or if you need assistance in writing it we will be happy to help you. Rates are 5c per word or a minimum of \$1.50.

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Please notify us of your change of address. If you do not, the Post Office charges us 25c for each time the Haskell Free Press is returned to us, this plus the cost of stencils, time and labor can make your move costly to us. In the future, failure to notify us will result in one month being deducted from your subscription.

For Sale

McCULLOCH CHAIN SAW HEADQUARTERS. A saw for every job. See new Woodard Farm Sale. 7fc

WOODARD FARM SALES—Ford tractors, equipment, long harrows, Lilliston-Heston-Oliver plow parts. 4fc

FOR SALE: Iron at wholesale prices. Rounds, flats, sheets, square tubing, channel etc. Haskell Trailer Builders. 20fc

FOR SALE: Good buys! 1975 Chevrolet Malibu, 1974 International 3/4 ton pickup. Call 864-2631. 27fc

FOR SALE: Electrolux Cleaners, supplies, bags and shampoos. Contact Mrs. Alvin Hollar, 511 N. 7th, Munday or phone 422-4048. 28-30p

FOR SALE: Peaches. A. Havran Farm, phone 422-4405 Knox City. 28-31p

FOR SALE: 1966 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup, \$600.00. Call 915-773-3931 or see at Cobbs Camp. 30-31p

FOR SALE: 30' Frigidare oven and cook top with vent hood, pickup camper shell and tent trailer. Ruby Turner, 311 N. Av. F. 30c

FOR SALE: deck boat, in-board/outboard Mercruiser, fish locator, fiberglass Tri-hull, canopy, easy on-off trailer. Sacrafice. Bill Wilson Ford Co. 30c

FOR SALE: 19 ft. travel trailer with hitch and in excellent condition. 1946 hay truck with side loader, two flat bed trailers, one four wheel chassis, one two wheel chassis, a three point hitch tool bar, a three row lister, a 8' x 10' building frame out of 2" pipe with a new steel door, ten high line poles and forty joints of 2" construction tubing. Call 743-3287, Rochester. 30p

FOR SALE: AKC registered Boston Terrier screwtail bulldogs, three males and one female. Call 817-422-4744 in Munday. 30-31c

FOR SALE: 1969 Mercury, four door, pretty clean old car. Can be seen at Richardson Truck and Tractor or at 201 N. Av. D, Wayne Watts. 30fc

FOR SALE: Beauty Shop Equipment. One hydraulic chair, two dryer chairs, one wet bench with light and mirror. Call 673-2191, Weinert. 29-30p

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Miscellaneous

PRIVATE TWIRLING LESSONS: Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced. Starting age six and up. \$5.00 a lesson. Call now for appointment. 864-2265, Connie Turnbow. 30-31p

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BLUE Lustre not only rids carpets of soil but leaves pile soft and lofty Rent electric shampooer \$1. Perry Brother's. 30c

INSTANT CASH for any good merchandise, modern or old. Phone 864-3197 anytime. Lackey's, Throckmorton Highway, Haskell, Texas. 27fc

For Sale

McLEMORE Locker Plant across from Rodeo Grounds, Stamford, Texas, Curing, custom slaughtering beef and hogs. No appointment needed. Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 5:30. Retail and wholesale. Heavy Feeder Lot Beef Bundled-halves and quarters. 915-773-2201. 27-39c

Do you think you have a drinking problem? Can you see what it is doing to you and your family? Contact Alcoholics Anonymous or Al-Anon, 864-2288 or 864-2533. 28-31c

CUSTOM HAY BAILING. Contact Alfred or Dennis Grand. 864-2537. 23-37p

"Grapefruit Pill" with Diadax plus more convenient than grapefruits-Eat satisfying meals and lose weight. Johnson Pharmacy. 28-31p

WEDDINGS \$49.95 and up. Invitations, napkins and accessories. Member of Professional Photographers of America, Texas PP of a Professional Picture Framers, attended Lisle Ramsey Photographic Seminars. Come by Byrd's Studio and let a professional photographer capture your special occasions on film. Photography by Sue, 104 N. Av. D, Haskell, 864-2204. 16fc

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ATTENTION ARTISTS: We now have frames for you. Why drive out of town to get your paintings framed? Let Byrd's Studio help you with your framing. 104 N. Av. D, Haskell, 864-2204. 16fc

WE FRAME needle work, photography, tote painting and miniatures. We make cross frames. We also make frames and have ready-made ones including rustic frames. We have hand made Raggedy Ann dolls. Place your orders now for Christmas. Anita Herrin is going to teach classes on miniatures and tote painting. Register now. Evening classes to begin soon. Wigwam Craft Corner, 1308 N. Av. E. 28-31c

GARDEN FRESH squash, peas, cucumbers and okra. 997-2469. 28fc

WANTED: Good used furniture and appliances. We buy and sell. Lee Used Furniture 120 N. Swenson St. (one block north of red light on hiway 277) Stamford, Texas. Phone 773-5608. 42fc

Miscellaneous

WILL BOARD your pet in large pen with dog house and trees for shade. \$2.50 per day or \$15.00 per week includes love and feed. 997-2186. 30c

POTPOURRI HAIR FASHIONS will now be open each Saturday afternoon starting July 30. Make an appointment early with Paula Mills or Bill Hall, 400 N. 1st, 864-2894. 30-32c

GARAGE SALE: Baby things and quite a bit of misc. 1302 N. Av. G, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. 30c

CARPORT SALE: Previous sale continues with reduced prices. Clothing, linens and misc. items, Thursday and Friday, Ruby Turner, 311 N. Av. F. 30c

GARAGE SALE: starts Thursday. Old cook stove, baby bed, pup tent, tools, glass wear, lamps, hand work, chest and dresser, old schools books and lots of goodies. 905 N. 4th St. Haskell, Texas. 30p

AT IT AGAIN!! Yard Sale, 909 S. 7th. Bargains you wouldn't believe and priced to fit your budget. All day Thursday, Friday and Saturday. See Ya. 30p

FLEA MARKET: From Old Mexico planter pots, rod iron tables and chairs, planter stands, hanging baskets, tree stands and lots more. This weekend special-ice skates. On Hwy 6 at Rochester, Texas. Sluefoot. 30c

GARAGE SALE: Gruen Water Pump for deep or shallow well, only used two weeks. Also, household furniture and clothes, 864-2873. 30c

Lost & Found

LOST: eight week old black collie puppy with white markings and wearing a white flea collar. Gina Dumas, 864-3794 or 864-2536. 30c

LOST from southwest Haskell: one Hereford cow. Yellow tag on left ear. Brand "C" on left shoulder, underbit in both ears. Call 864-3290 or 864-2877. 30fc

LOST: One cowboy boot, brown and beige, for right foot. Reward, 864-3218. 30p

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WANTED: LVN 3-11 shift. Apply in person, Rice Springs Care Home, 1302 North First, Haskell, Tx. 28-30c

WANTED R.N. OR G.N. 11-7 shift. Start immediately. Good pay and benefits. \$900.00 per month, two weeks paid vacation. Small, personal, friendly hospital. Call collect, Tom Boyd, Administrator, hospital 817-989-3551 or home 915-823-2703. Also, LVN for office nurse. Good pay and benefits. Contact Tom Boyd at hospital, 817-989-3551. 30-31c

Jobs Wanted

WANTED: All kinds of electrical work. Call Eddie McKeever 864-2464. If no answer call 864-3653. 28-31p

WOULD LIKE to do book-keeping for Haskell or surrounding area in my office. Call 997-2333. 30-32p

For Rent

FOR RENT: In Stamford McHarg Manor, two bedroom apartment, kitchen appliances bedroom suit and dinette furnished. No children or pets. Call after 6:00 p.m. 915-692-5797. 28fc

FOR RENT: nice clean house in Weinert for school year of 11 months of the year. Partially furnished, ideal for teachers. Adults only. Call 673-2411. 30-31c

Real Estate

HOUSE FOR SALE: in Haskell on 5th and Av. B. Call rule, 997-2419. 29-30p

FOR SALE: Two bedroom, 1 bath, fully carpeted house, pear, pecan and apricot trees, 507 Pawnee, Rule, Tex. 29-30p

FOR SALE: house with two bedrooms, one bath, near high school. On corner lot 70x140 feet. Has large work shop electrically wired. It has a double carport, wall to wall carpet through out, several fruit trees and one pecan tree. Can be seen after 5:00 by calling 864-2890 or 864-2748, 700 N. Av. C. 30-31p

FOR SALE: By owner, Coin Operated Laundry in Haskell Call for details 864-8997 day 864-2105 after 5 p.m. 30fc

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SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK of Haskell, Texas will be held in the Community Room in the City of Haskell, State of Texas on the second Friday in August, A.D. 1977, the same being the 12th day of said month, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of voting on proposals for raising the Capital and Surplus accounts, involving a stock split, and extensive remodeling of the bank building. Pauline Coach Asst. Vice-Pres. and Cashier 30-32c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Haskell County Commissioners Court will accept bids on Patching, Cleaning and sealing coating roads in Haskell County on a per mile basis. The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. Bids will be accepted until 10:00 A.M. on Monday August 8, 1977. Completion date must be by Sept. 15, 1977. Standard specifications as follows:

MATERIAL:
(1) Asphalt: Type OA-175-.3 gal. per sq/yd
(2) Rock: Type A-Grade 4-1 cubic yard to 120 sq/yards

MACHINERY:

(1) Hydrostatic Asphalt Distributor
(2) Self-propelled Rock Spreader, with Pneumatic tires
(3) 12-ton Pneumatic Roller-minimum rolling time per mile-12 hours

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SEAL COATING
Contractor has responsibility, on seal coating contracts, for all patching and cleaning operations.
B.O. Roberson, County Judge
Haskell County, Texas 30-31c

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget for the year 1978 on Monday, August 8, 1977 at 10:00 A.M. at their regular meeting place.

Also, a public hearing on the proposed budget for Revenue Sharing funds, Entitlement period #9, will be held immediately following the regular budget.

Any citizen or taxpayer wishing to participate is urged to be present on this date.

Haskell County Commissioners Court
By B.O. Roberson 30-31c

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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their prayers, cards, flowers and food brought in. Also to the Doctors and nurses. Your love and concern were deeply appreciated. May God's richest blessings be with each one of you. The H.G. Hammer family. 30p

Obituaries
Mrs. Hughes

Mrs. Joseph O. (Gladys) Hughes, 77, of Stamford died at 10:25 p.m. Tuesday at Stamford Memorial Hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church in Stamford.
The Rev. Phillip Watson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in New Hope Cemetery, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.
Born Jan. 11, 1901, at Flow, she married Joseph O. Hughes Sept. 19, 1916 at Groesbeck. They came to Jones County in 1938 and settled in the New Hope Community. They moved to Stamford in 1948. Mr. Hughes died November 1954. Mrs. Hughes was a member of First Baptist Church and was a practical nurse for many years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Roy (Lorene) Carter and Mrs. Wilson (Florene) Goree, both of Stamford; four grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.
Pallbearers were Weldon Holbrooks, John R. Rice, Herman Cox, Lon Goodwin, Carl Anderson and Doc Jones.

Mrs. Estrada

Mrs. Pascuala Estrada, 62, of Weinert, died at 5:25 a.m. Sunday at Haskell Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in St. George Catholic Church in Haskell.

Father Frank Nelan of Anson officiated. Burial was in the Weinert Cemetery, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born on Aug. 18, 1914, in Floresville, she was a resident of Weinert for about 20 years. She was a member of St. George Catholic Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Lupe Rodriguez of Austin, Candelorius Garza and Hortencia Valencia, both of Liberal, Kan., and Cecilia Lopez of Woodward, Ore.; five sons, Manual Jr. and Mike, both of Liberal Kan.; Julian and Robert, both of Weinert, and Rudy of Shafter, Calif.; 46 grandchildren, including Ricky Estrada who lived with her; a sister, Panifila Zalazar of Poth.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Manual, on Oct. 25, 1975.

Floyd Elliott

Floyd Elliott, 67, a retired auction sale ticket writer, of Graham, died Friday in the Graham General Hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Morrison Funeral Home Chapel.

Dr. Eugene Robertson officiated. Burial was in the Red Top Cemetery.

Born July 1, 1910, at Farmer, he moved to Graham in 1951. He married Natalie Higpen Dec. 4, 1929, at Jean. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Christine Harrell of Kountze; two sons, Thurmond of Graham and Ted of Haskell; three sisters, Trixie Gose, Vera Stephens and Vesta Cox, all of Graham; and four grandchildren.

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GARY REYNOLDS
Gary Wayne Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reynolds, was shocked by an air conditioner at his home Tuesday at 9:30 p.m. The boy was dead on arrival at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Services are pending at Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.
Born May 14, 1966, in Denton, Gary had lived in Haskell for six years.
Survivors include his parents; two sisters, Loleta and Glenda, both of Haskell; a brother, John of Haskell; maternal grandfather, John Long of Denton; maternal grandmother, Rosa Long of Denton; and paternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Reynolds of Haskell.

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Rice Springs News

The First Baptist Church brought the services Sunday morning, and everyone certainly enjoyed them. The ladies from the Sagerton Methodist Church came Thursday afternoon, and did some very good singing. Everyone certainly enjoyed this singing, and welcome them back at any time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam West of Lubbock, visited with Jim and Dutch Cross.

Visiting with Edna Collins were: Mrs. W.L. Glover of Rochester, and Ophus, Frankie, and Neta Posey of Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Melton of Corpus Christi visited with Vera Harris.

Visitors of Martha Kretschmer included: Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Frierson of Bryan, Leslie, Becky, Christi and Robert Wittenborn of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Irene Thompson of Lena, Ill.

Mary Chandler visited in San Angelo and Odessa for two weeks with her son and daughter. Helen Turnbow of Wainert visited with her mother this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen R. Kreger, Teresa Lynn, Randy, and Sammy, of Wilcox, Ariz., Essie Long of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Marion of Walsh, Colo., visited with Dessie Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Price, Mike, Bobby and Paula Beth of Kermit, visited with Annie Jones.

Visiting with Alvena Holle were Mrs. Otto Lehmann of Sagerton, and Rev. Don Marquart of Stamford.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford included: Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Cox and Carrie Ann of Clovis, N.M., Faye Cox of Clairmont, Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Bradford and Brenda of Peacock, and Arlyis Brothers and Kate Doyle of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rhinehart of Rule, Monty Penman of Knox City, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Alman of Olney, visited with Charly Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Corsine of Rule visited with Trudie Bush.

Jenella Seefrest of Ringling, Okla., and Berta Mae Carroll of Dallas visited with Stella Josselot.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klump was Mr. and Mrs. Allen Letz of Old Glory, and Mrs. Lillie Lehmann of Sagerton.

Mrs. Audie Verner of Rule visited with Alma Cole.

Mrs. Jean Frierson of Bryan, and Mrs. Irene Thompson of Lena, Ill., visited with Joyce Ruff.

Carl Moeller and children of Alma, Okla., visited with Annie Moeller.

ACCIDENT CONTROL
The old ideas that something is "safe" or "unsafe" is no longer considered practical by experts in accident prevention. All activities contain "risk." The job is to separate "reasonable risk" from "unreasonable risk," says the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Beef Referendum Fall Short of Two-Thirds Majority

O.J. Barron, Jr., chairman of the national Beef Development Taskforce (BDT), issued a statement today conceding that the Beef Referendum fell short of the necessary two-thirds affirmative vote.

A preliminary count from county ASCS offices indicates that over 100,000 producers, or about 55% of those voting, supported the program.

The BDT, a broad-based group comprised of leaders from nearly every producer organization in the U.S., has worked over three years for the industry self-help program.

A full text of Barron's statement follows:

"This is a dark day for the American cattle industry. The Beef Referendum has failed to receive the necessary two-thirds majority. We have passed up an opportunity for a research and information program aimed at helping all cattlemen. This opportunity may never come again.

"Ironically, while it was a self-help program aimed at keeping the government out of our business and producers in control, some opponents falsely labeled it as a government program and scared many cattlemen into voting against it.

"It would be inaccurate to say that cattlemen don't want this program. A majority of all cattlemen voting did want it. And an overwhelming majority of the cattle industry leaders, who had studied our current plight and understood the objectives of this program, vigorously supported it.

"Never before has the cattle industry had more problems than we have now.

"Never before has the industry united behind a program as it did this one.

"Never before has a cattle industry program received so much favorable publicity and editorial support.

"Yet a few self-serving people chose to shoot it down with unfair and misleading statements. In this case, a minority won.

"For all cattlemen, who

think that the cattle business should and could be better, I would like to thank the more than 10,000 volunteers who unselfishly devoted their time, energy and finances toward helping their fellow cattlemen.

"Their efforts were not in vain. For we have a new unity of our industry and we have learned much that can help us in the future. We have pinpointed many problems. We have uncovered new leadership. We have learned how to make our voice heard in Washington.

"As we look to the future, we hope that leaders in our industry, who are dedicated to a better future for all cattlemen, will not be too discouraged.

"Also, we hope that other

organizations which opposed this self-help program but claim to support research and promotion for commodities, will join with us now in searching for workable solutions to cattlemen's problems.

"We must continue our search for a way to stabilize our industry, to increase profits for all cattlemen and to build a better future—together."

Courses In Gun Safety Set At VRJC

Two courses on Shotgun Safety and Marksmanship have been planned at Vernon Regional Junior College. Instructor for both classes will be John Selman.

A special class for women is scheduled to meet from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. August 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. A Class for men will meet from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Also on August 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

The registration fee is \$40.00. Shotguns, ammunition and clay pigeons are provided.

Advance registration is encouraged. Interested persons may register in person at the VRJC office of Continuing Education or by mail. For additional information call Dr. Jim Fritze at 552-6291.

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The Texas Medical Association says people in contact with these poisonous plants may not always get the itching, rash and blisters common to poison ivy attacks. The plant has to be bruised to release the poison but it does not take much of a bump to release it.

The poison also can be picked up from clothing or pets that have rubbed against the plants. Trickier cases of exposure to the three plants' poison occur when people come in contact with the smoke of the burning plant or they get the itch from shoeleaves that have brushed the plants. Avoiding poisonous plants is the best way to prevent problems. Poison ivy and poison oak both have three distinctive leaves on each stalk. Poison ivy has smooth leaves; poison oak's are jagged. During dry weather or in the fall, both types can have yellow or red leaves. Both will grow as vines or low shrubs and can intermingle with harmless plants. Only poison ivy may have white berries in the late summer.

Poison sumac primarily is found in the eastern U.S. It likes damp places best and can form a shrub a few inches to several feet high. Its main characteristic is 12 or 13 leaves paired on either side

Ben Moffett's



Federal Judge Isaac C. Parker picked up the nickname of "Hanging Judge" during 21 years on the bench at Fort Smith, Ark.

During his frontier tenure which began in 1875, more than 13,000 cases were docketed in his court and 9,000 defendants were convicted or pleaded guilty. Of those, 79 were hanged.

a stalk that sometime is red-ribbed. The 13th leaf will occur at the end of the stalk. Not all sumac species are poisonous.

Washing the skin will help only if done within 15 minutes after exposure to the plants. However, washing clothes and pets is very important because the poison can stay on exposed surfaces for days. Common folklore about spreading the itch by touching the fluid from a poison ivy blister is false. However, a person can infect other parts of his or another's body if he had the poison on his hands.

Anywhere from six hours to 10 days after exposure, itching, rashes and blisters can develop, sometimes accompanied by more serious symptoms. Some cases can be treated by cold water compresses, calamine lotion and some other proven lotions but some cases need medical attention.

Itching and ignorance may drive people to try false, unproven cures ranging from turpentine to household ammonia. Such treatment may cause skin problems of its own and makes it easier for infection to enter. A physician needs to treat infections or severe poison ivy cases.



The term "Googol," for 1 followed by 100 zeros, was invented by a famous mathematician who took a term supplied by a very young nephew.

But Parker noted that 65 deputy marshals were murdered in the discharge of their duty during that time.

Today, Judge Parker's court room, the jail and a replica of the gallows used in those early day hangings are among the most fascinating points of interest to the nearly 100,000 visitors who flock to Fort Smith National Historic Site annually.

The historic site is within the city of Fort Smith, Ark., a now peaceable town that is the hub of an industrial and recreational region surrounded by lakes, streams and forests.

A good place to start your tour of the fort is at the two-story red brick visitor center. This building was used by the Army as the enlisted men's barracks and later served as the U.S. Federal Court and jail.

Down in the jail you can get a real feel for the plight of the prisoners as you touch the cold bars, smell the stale, musty air, look at the coal oil barrels split in half for use as bathing facilities and listen to an audio tape.

The next stop is the courtroom, where the sharp gavel of Judge Parker struck fear into the hearts of territorial ruffians. And finally, the gallows.

In addition to the exhibits concerned with the influence of Judge Parker, there are those that emphasize the three historic Fort Smith periods that relate to the settlement of the eastern tribes in the Indian territory.

There are no facilities for camping or picnicking in the park, located in the extreme western part of the city near the Oklahoma border and right up against the Arkansas River near its confluence with the Poteau. But campsites are available in the city, including Corps of Engineering facilities. The corps also has a picnic area and boat launching facilities near the historic site.

If you are planning a park vacation, write the National Park Service, P.O. Box 728, Room N-3, Santa Fe, N.M. 87501 for a free SUPER 77 trip planner which lists NPS areas within an easy drive of your home.

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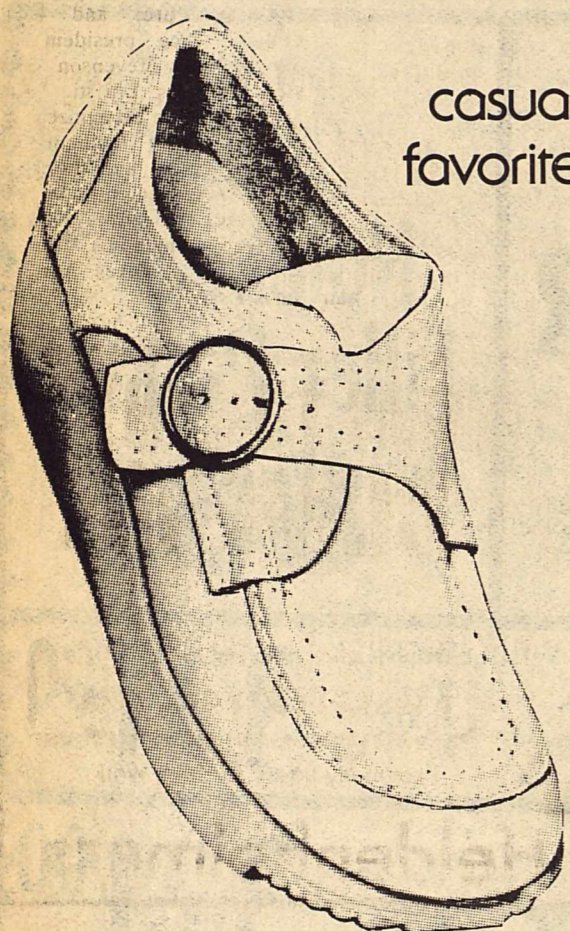
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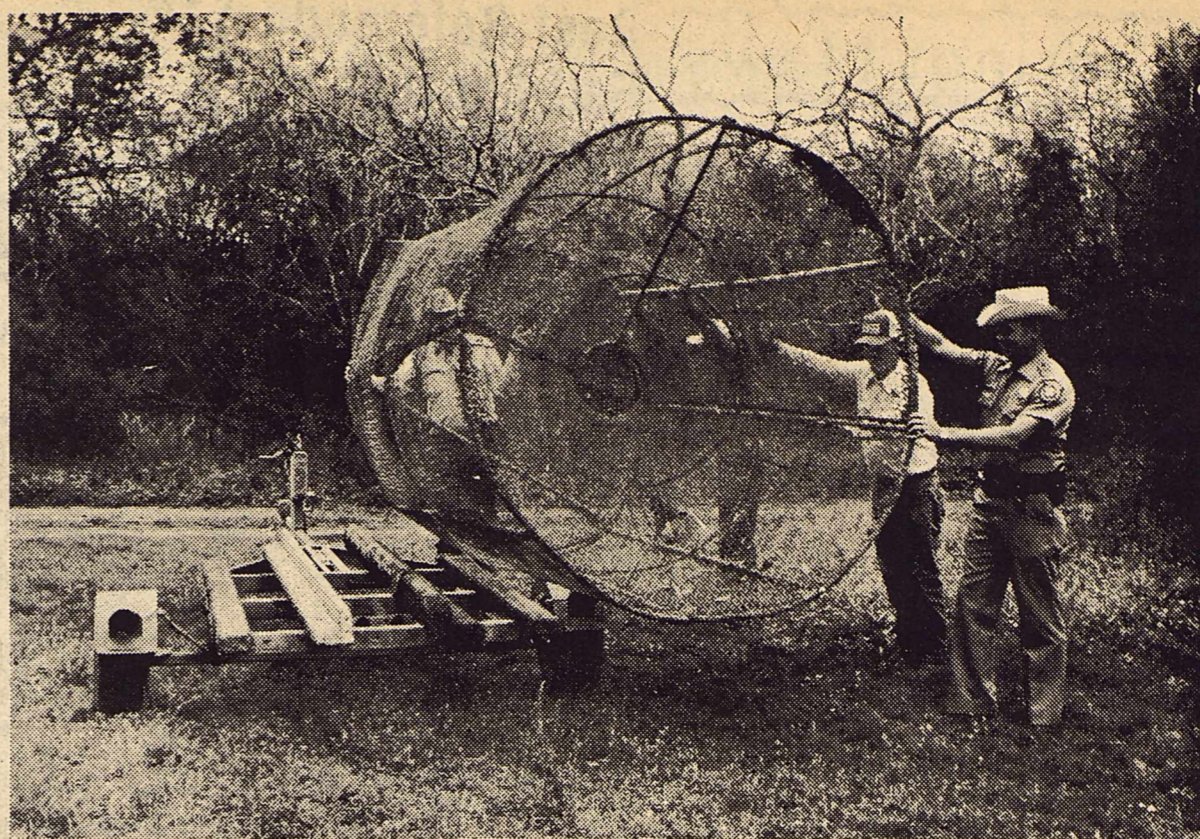
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Fish Bandit Business Booming

Millions of dollars worth of catfish and other native Texas game fish are taken each year by outlaw commercial fishermen using illegal nets and traps, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department law enforcement officials.

"Several hundred thousand pounds of fish are removed yearly from public streams and reservoirs by these outlaws," said Dexter Harris, P&WD law enforcement field operations director.

At the end of May, game wardens had filed 753 violations statewide. Most of the citations were for possessing fish over the allowed limit, or for using illegal methods to take fish.

During fiscal year 1975-76, wardens confiscated more than 47,000 pounds of aquatic products valued in excess of \$63,000. The confiscated seafood included illegally taken shrimp as well as native fish species.

During one operation last spring at Lake Livingston, wardens working around the clock for three weeks confiscated more than 36 miles of illegally placed trotlines, 54 fish traps and 2,700 feet of illegal fish nets.

Wardens issued 204 citations during the crackdown, mostly for fishing without a license and for illegal trotlines.

"Every time these fish bandits make a haul," said Harris, "they rob every fisherman in the state. These illegal fishermen work as often as they can, even during the winter months when they know wardens are busy with the hunting seasons."

Harris said wholesale removal of game fish can drastically alter overall fish populations in a given reservoir.

"Remember these bandits go after game fish, such as catfish, not the so-called trash

fish, such as carp and buffalo," he said.

And while there are many such illegal operators, it is important to note that most commercial fishermen are not so unscrupulous.

"But these illegals are the ones who give commercial fishermen a bad reputation. I have seen and confiscated fish traps containing more than one ton of catfish. There is no lake that can withstand this kind of fishing pressure and still be expected to provide recreation for the sport fisherman," Harris said.

A random check of nine Texas lakes showed 19 arrests for illegal harvest of fish, and 16 persons fined a total of \$17,300. Additionally, a \$24,000 fine is pending against three individuals arrested at Lake Tawakoni for a variety of violations.

During May, game wardens issued nearly 3,000 fishing citations, for both sport and commercial fish law infractions. By far the most common violation was for not having a fishing license or for using or

possessing illegal trotlines. Only with the public's help can we put them out of business," Harris said.

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The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Sometimes it's hard to say "no" to a door-to-door salesman, even one selling something you don't particularly need or want.

And many Texas consumers find only after that persuasive sales pitch has ended and the salesman has departed with a signed contract that they could have bought the same or a similar item in stores all over town, sometimes at a much lower price than they had agreed to pay.

But our Attorney General's Consumer Protection attorneys point out that there is an important protective device for Texans who find they made a mistake in purchasing goods or services in their home. It's the Texas Home Solicitation Act, passed by the Legislature in 1973 and amended in 1975.

Under this law, a consumer who is solicited at his home by someone selling goods or services that cost \$25 or more, or real estate costing \$100 or more, has a chance to change his mind.

The act gives consumers the right to cancel a home solicitation transaction up until midnight of the third business day following the day the contract was signed.

The person soliciting the sale must furnish the consumer with a copy of the contract or a fully completed receipt before leaving the premises. In it, the date of the transaction, name and address of the seller, and a notice of the right to cancel must be printed in large, dark type near the spot on the contract reserved for the buyer's signature.

In addition, the law requires that a completed "notice of cancellation" be attached to the contract or receipt for the consumer to use if he decides to cancel the sale. If the seller receives such a cancellation from the consumer, he must return any payment or contract within 10 business days.

One important point for the thousands of Spanish-speaking

Texans is that the contract or receipt, the notice of right to cancel, and the completed cancellation notice must be in the same language the salesman used for his sales pitch. In other words, if the salesman spoke Spanish, everything must be written in Spanish.

The act also states that the seller cannot transfer your contract to a finance company or other third party until midnight of the fifth business day after your contract was signed.

Additionally, the seller must pick up any merchandise or title to realty he sold you within 20 days after cancellation or you can keep them with no obligation.

However, our attorneys point out that consumers who want to cancel a home solicitation sale also have some obligations under the law. To cancel such a sale, a purchaser must mail or deliver a signed, dated copy of the cancellation notice or his own written notice, or must send a telegram to that effect to the seller no later than midnight of the third business day after the sale. Our lawyers recommend sending a registered letter or a telegram so you have proof the seller received the notice.

And protection under this law does not extend to purchase of farm equipment; insurance regulated by the State; real estate sales where the buyer is represented by his lawyer or where the transaction is made by the licensed real estate broker; sales made according to a preexisting retail charge account or agreement; or sales where the two parties had previously met and negotiated at a business office where the goods or services were offered or displayed.

Our attorneys point out that a violation of the Home Solicitation Act is also a violation of the Deceptive Trade Practices Act, and that a person who believes such a violation has occurred should contact our Consumer Protection Division, the county or district attorney, or a private attorney.

Selective Service Information

Even though the draft has ended, a young man wants a draft card to show he has reached the maturity of eighteen. Can he get one? Parents of another young man are worrying because he hasn't registered for the draft. Will their son be in trouble?

The answer in both cases is no. Draft cards are no longer being given out. And, since service in the armed forces is now all voluntary, eighteen-year-olds no longer need to register with the draft board.

The Selective Service System has a new pamphlet that answers these and other questions about the selective Service and the draft. For your free copy of Selective Service Information, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 673E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Here are some other points about the draft:

If you lose a draft card, you do not have to have it replaced. And if you have a change in status, this no longer has to be reported to the Selective Service.

If someone should ask you what your draft classification is, you can tell them it is 1-H. Class 1-H is "a registrant not currently subject to processing for induction or alternate service."

Although the draft boards have been abolished, there is still some information available from the Selective Service System. For registrants under 26, the file folders are still complete. For those over 26, only the original registration card and the classification record are available.

If you were classified 4-F or 1-Y in the past, this should not interfere with employment. Since these exams were given some time ago, prospective employers should consider current information on your physical, mental, and moral standards.

Selective Service Information (free) is one of more than 200 federal publications of consumer interest listed in The Consumer Information Catalog published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration. For your free copy of the Catalog, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

CRAPPE MYRTLES FOR LANDSCAPE BEAUTY—Crape myrtles can enhance any Texas landscape with their delicate blossoms and gently sculptured trunks, says a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. This ornamental tree can withstand the long hot Texas summers and rather droughty conditions. Crape myrtles can provide a variety of colorful blossoms and even comes in dwarf sizes that are excellent for mass plantings. They prefer full sunlight and well-drained soils.

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Even though there are deficiencies in some nursing homes, we should not forget how far we've come in the past few years, the Director of the Texas Department of Health's Nursing and Convalescent Homes Division, Howard C. Allen, asserts.

Nursing homes recently have come under fire—particularly in East Texas—for problems involving patient care.

Allen said there are bound to be some nursing homes which fail to provide proper services in all cases, even though the breakdowns may be temporary.

"But," said Allen, "the nursing home care has improved drastically in recent years. Some 25 years ago, before legislation called for regulation of nursing homes in Texas, the situations now being found in isolated cases were much more widespread."

"Back in those days, however," said Allen, "nursing homes were for the most part in private homes or large residential-type structures. Compared to the operation of nursing homes today, the homes of 25 years ago had little physician direction, and had much less nursing care provisions, less consideration to diet therapy, and less attention to the handling of medications—services against which complaints are being aired today."

"But since we began licensing and inspecting nursing homes, there has been a dramatic improvement in service and the quality of nursing homes. The general average quality of care increases year by year. Today the nursing home is a sophisticated institution averaging nearly 100 beds in size; in 1953 the average size home was 18 beds."

Allen said there are 1001 nursing and convalescent homes consisting of 98,506 beds licensed and under inspection by the Texas Department of Health.

Inspections and surveys cover such areas as administration, nursing care, dietary care, medical records, pharmacy services, sanitation, and physical environment. Most facilities participate in Medicare or Medicaid or both. The Texas Department of Health performs surveys for certification of facilities under Medicare/Medicaid programs, in accordance with state and federal requirements, while at the same time making inspections for licensing.

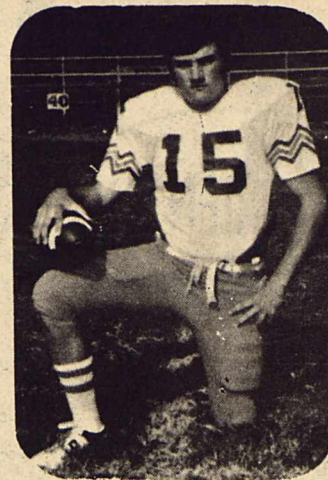
To perform inspections and surveys the Department has 115 inspection personnel, not counting supervisors, administrative and clerical personnel. Inspection staff consists of health facility surveyors, nurses, nutritionists, pharmacists, medical record specialists, architects, and engineers. An in-depth survey to establish eligibility for continuing certification may range from two to five days in a facility; such a survey normally occurs annually. Other visits are made to verify correction of deficiencies or to investigate complaints. On the average a nursing home is visited about four times a year. All complaints, both written and verbal, are considered legitimate and are investigated.

Today, an entire new industry has grown up in nursing homes, said Allen. With application of the nationally recognized Life Safety Code, facilities are safe structures, and for the most

part are modern, have central heating and air conditioning systems, and fire alarm and other safety equipment. Quality medical consultation, quality nursing, dietary, and pharmacy services, and records systems are stressed in the standards governing the operations of the homes. Hand in hand with improvements in physical surroundings, said Allen, has come training for personnel employed in nursing homes. "We can tell the difference in our inspections over the years," he said. "The average nursing home employee is more knowledgeable and more skilled at the job being performed."

"But," said Allen, "a nursing home isn't a hospital. Although it operates 24 hours a day, the ratio of employees to residents is very much less than that of a hospital. The fee for providing food, shelter, and skilled nursing care around the clock is only about \$24 per day in most facilities providing that level of care—much less than the average fee for use of a hospital room. While the optimum conditions might call for more registered nurses and more physician availability, still the economics must be considered. Someone must pay the bills—in many cases it is the loved ones of nursing home patients. While Medicaid and Medicare pick up much of the cost in many cases, some families are without these resources."

Living in a nursing home is not like living at home. "However," said Allen, "many families do not have persons and physical facilities to keep their aging—often ill and disoriented—family members at home. When they do have to resort to nursing home care, they can be thankful that the Health Department, other state and federal agencies, and the nursing home industry have combined to provide the aging population needs."



ROD TOWNSEND



JERRY DON HUDGENS

Rod Townsend and Jerry Don Hudgens of Rochester have accepted invitations to play in the Greenbelt Bowl Aug. 5th. Rod and Jerry Don graduated from Rochester High School this spring and both were named to the 1976 Class B All State Team.

Rod was a running back for the Steers on offense and played safety on defense. Jerry Don was nose guard on defense and played fullback on offense.

They will be leaving Sunday July 31st to begin work out for the Friday night game, in Childress, Texas.

Rod is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Townsend and Jerry Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hudgens of Rochester.

VA News

At least one out of ten Vietnam-era GI Bill students has received refresher or deficiency courses to qualify them for higher education under the GI Bill's "free entitlement" provisions, Jack Coker, Director, VA Regional Office, Waco, reported today.

More than 760,000 persons have taken advantage of the training opportunities without depletion of their basic GI Bill eligibility. The trainees represent more than 11 percent of the 6.9 million persons who have trained under the current GI Bill since 1966.

Eligible GI Bill students may receive full benefits while training for high school completion. Others who have completed high school but need refresher or remedial courses for entrance into training, also may take the necessary courses on a free-entitlement basis.

A special outreach effort by VA benefits counselors during the past year was credited with a 23 percent increase in free entitlement enrollments. Repeated contacts are made with veterans with less than four years high school in an

effort to interest them in training.

Studies conducted by the VA of veterans who use free entitlement show that more than 50 percent continue in other forms of training.

Allowances for GI Bill students training full time is \$292 per month with additional allowances for those students with dependents. Students are entitled to a maximum 45 months educational assistance for 10 years after release from active duty, but not later than December 31, 1989.

Complete information on all VA educational assistance programs is available at any VA office.

STATE MEETING OF COUNTY AG AGENTS

Business sessions and award programs will highlight the annual meeting of the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association, July 31-Aug. 3, at the LaQuinta Royale Motor Inn, Corpus Christi. Keynote speakers will include Dr. H.O. Kunkel, dean of agriculture at Texas A&M University; Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service; Reagan Brown, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture; and Dick Conolly, vice president of Stewart and Stevenson Services, Corpus Christi. Nine agents will be recognized as winners of the Distinguished Service Award and the National Achievement Award, and seven agricultural leaders will each be named a "Man of the Year in Texas Agriculture."



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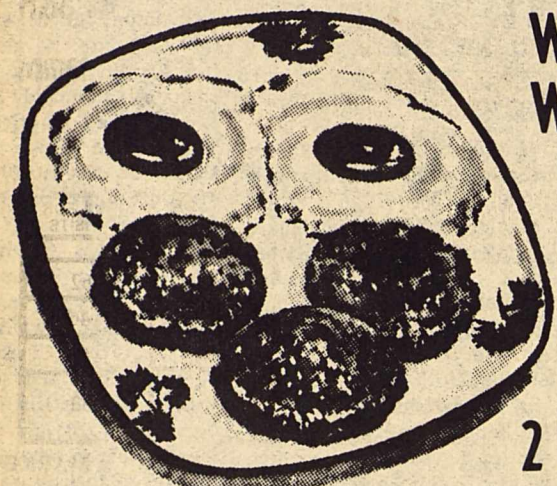
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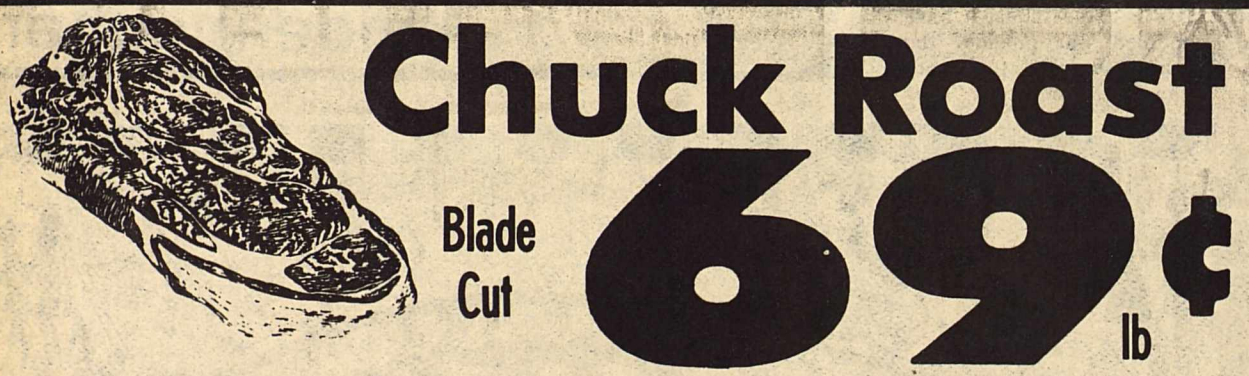


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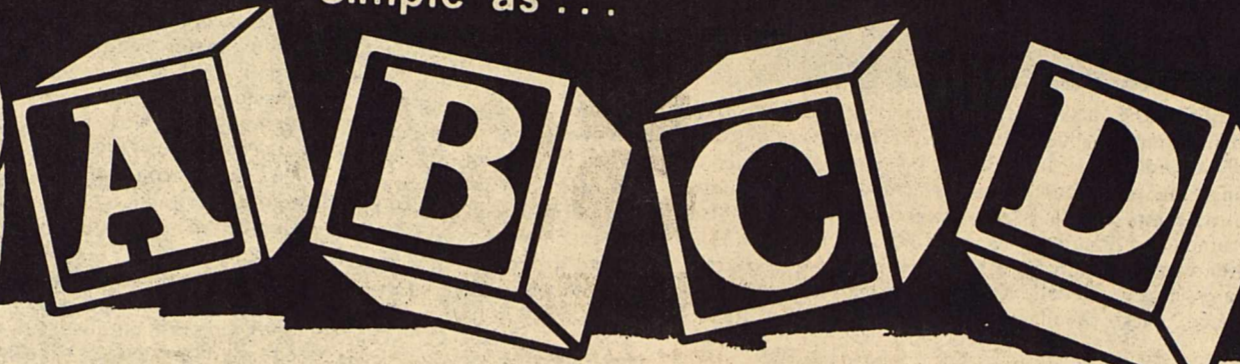


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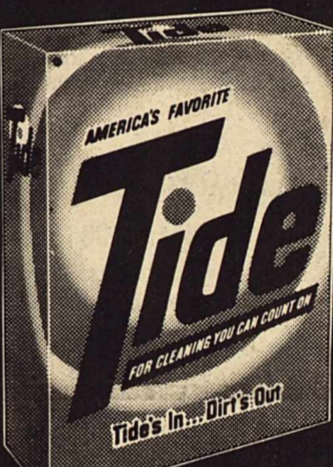
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Around Town

By Lisa and Mary

If you've seen a new face in town, it just might belong to Steve Chandler. Steve is from Bowie and is presently employed at M-System. He and his daughter, Valerie, 12, reside at 1407 N. Av. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stocks of Abilene were in Haskell Monday night celebrating their 1st wedding anniversary with Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Stocks and Phillip, Mrs. Olen King and Rochie, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Shaw, and Nancy Kimbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris and daughter Susan age 17, of San Antonio visited their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Harris. Susan has been an exchange student of Belgium this past school year. Her mother joined her at the end of the school term and they toured Italy, Germany, Switzerland, Holland and other countries of Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Hilliard spend their vacation last week visiting their children, first visited Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shaw, Dawn, Karen, Laren and Marshall of Bryan, then spend the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hilliard, Jarred and Jason of Bastrop by camping out at Lake Bastrop, enjoying camping, swimming and fishing.

Durwood and Peggy Wilkinson were honored with a going away Ice Cream Supper Monday night in the back yard of the Ted Jennings. The

Wilkinsons will make their new home in Brownfield. Those attending from Haskell were Pluto Pruett, The Gene Parkers, The Bill Blankenships, The Tom Deweys, The Butch Hertels and The Ted Jennings and from Rule The Ronny Millers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Horton attended The Adams Family Reunion in Arlington this past weekend. It was Sandy's Mothers family.

Eight Members of the Martha Class of First Baptist Church enjoyed a salad supper in the home of Mrs. Vernon Brister Monday night.

Ann Ratliff Elected Dean of Women

Lynnora Ann Ratliff, daughter of Senator and Mrs. David Ratliff of Abilene, Texas, has recently been elected Dean of Women and Head of Counseling at Dallas Bible College in Dallas. Miss Ratliff, was born in Dallas, finished her schooling in Stamford, Texas and is a graduate of Baylor University in Waco. She was Speech Therapist for Big Spring public schools, before attending University of Iowa. She completed her Master's Degree at North Texas State University in Denton, after having studied at the University of Texas in Austin. She is former editor of Political Research, Inc. of Dallas. This summer she was a student at L'Abri, Huemoz, Switzerland.



12 MEMBERS of the Haskell Jr. High Band attended the ACU summer band camp in Abilene July 17-22. There were between 250 and 300 attending the camp. Sharla Drinnon was selected as Outstanding Flute player and Ronnie Rea Outstanding Drummer of the entire camp. Sharla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Biggon Drinnon and Ronnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rea. Others attending the camp were Kim Griffith, D'Anne Burris, Mynea Jones, Rochie Redell, Kristie Hannsz, Shelia Moeller, Julie Wallace, Vickie Wallace, Jim Whitehead and Robert Geilhausen.

Engagement Announced

Mrs. Colene Moody announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Ann, to Kenneth Ray McWhorter, Jr. He is the son of Jannett Holt Vincent and Kenneth Ray McWhorter of Sweetwater. The wedding date has been set for August 6.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Marin, of Rochester, announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica Ortega Marin, born July 22, 1977, weighing 7 lb. 7/8 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Alexander, of Haskell, announce the birth of a son, Jacob David Alexander, born July 21, 1977, weighing 7 lb. 10 oz. at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fuentes, of Haskell, announce the birth of a daughter, Juanita Andrew Fuentes, born July 21, 1977, weighing 8 lb. 4 oz. at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl Payne, of Haskell, announce the birth of a son, Robbie Dewayne Payne, born July 20, 1977, weighing 7 lb. 10 1/2 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hudspeth of Rochester announce the arrival of a daughter, Amy Renee, born at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 8 oz. and 18" long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clois Thomas of Haskell, Mrs. Francis Hudspeth of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Serman Hudspeth of Houston. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Haskell and Mrs. Paul Grimley of Abernathy.

Two Honored With Party

Members of the Grand family gathered and honored their two eldest descendants with a joint Birthday Party held at the Haskell National Bank Community Building on Saturday July 23, 1977 at 3:00 p.m.

Honorees were Emna Susan (Grand) Reed of Haskell who was 75 years old on Sunday July 24th and John Grand of Rt. 1 Haskell who was 73 on Friday July 22nd.

A lace covered table centered with a three-tiered white cake with pink roses, green punch, and a pink silk flower in crystal vase were features of Mrs. Reeds table.

Coffee and a chocolate cake decorated with a farm scene featuring farm animals and row crops, and a yellow floral arrangement on linen cloth honored Mr. Grand.

An afternoon of forty-two, bingo and table games kept 60 members of the Grand family busy until the evening was concluded with a covered dish dinner.

What Are Your Habits?

A harmless habit? Maybe. Patterns developed early and held dear can help us—but in some cases they restrict and control us, says Mrs. Barbara Elliott, County Extension Agent.

Deeply entrenched habit systems restrict personality functioning and limit emotional growth, the agent cautions.

A habit offers security: "I always go home on holidays." Habits control us: "I only eat dessert at noon."

Habits are hard to examine objectively: "I always wash white things first."

Some habits are time-and/or work-savers. They help us function faster and more efficiently. Other habits may be useless, yet we resist changing habits just as we resist change of any kind. When a habit is broken, change is inevitable.

Four common habits, says the agent, are 1) daily routines—having the same breakfast, following the same routines for work and play; 2) becoming oblivious to the physical environment we see every day; 3) thinking the same thoughts, employing the same intellectual processes in all problem solving, and 4) establishing habit emotions, which constrict the personality and retard self-growth.

To examine your own habits, answer these: —Would a change in certain habits or certain routines benefit me?

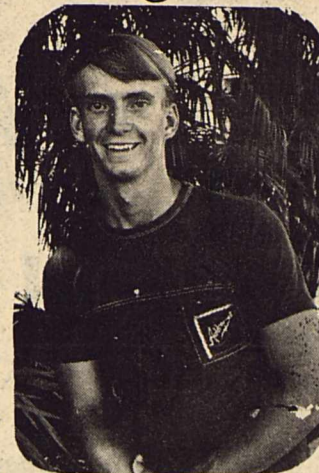
—What habit changes would make me feel more alive, more comfortable and more energetic?

—What change in habit would help me enjoy living more?

—What changes would help me develop my potential faster?

Often habits become so comfortable that they take over. A habit-ridden individual is restricted in choices and deprived of new experiences. Imagination and creativity are stifled when habits dominate.

College News



DWAYNE LANDRETH

Dwayne Landreth from Rule is among approximately 100 young men and women from across Texas who are spending eight weeks of their summer participating in the Youth Conservation Corps at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

The YCC program provides summer jobs and an educa-

tional experience to youths ages 15 to 18.

Angelo State University has contracted with the Department of the Interior of the federal government to conduct the YCC camp, providing the room and board and programmed work and free time activities.

The young people are working around San Angelo area lakes, erecting barricades, concrete shade covers, barbecue pits and other projects. While they are involved in the outdoor projects the camp participants spend about 25 percent of their time in ecology studies.

As part of their ecology studies, the young people will take trips to Big Bend National Park, Padre Island, and the Caverns of Sonora.

In their free time, the participants will be able to make use of university facilities including the swimming pool and the Houston Hart University Center. Fiesta del Concho also was on their agenda.

Shower Honors Bride-Elect

Miss Susan Mullino, bride-elect of Cole Turner was honored with a bridal shower July 16th in the home of Mrs. Buck Townsend of Rochester.

Mrs. Townsend greeted the guests and introduced them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. George Mullino and Mrs. Sam Turner, mother of the prospective groom. Also receiving the guests were grand-

mothers of the couple: Mrs. Ermine Mullino, Mrs. Manfred Reid, Mrs. Ace Adkins, all of Rochester and Mrs. Robert Turner of Rule. Also a great-grandmother, Mrs. Vestus Alvis of Rochester.

Miss Reid Mullino, sister of the bride-to-be, registered guests.

Mrs. R.B. Townsend invited guests to be served from a blue cutwork covered table. The table was accented with a lovely centerpiece of white

daisies and blue carnations with blue candles in silver candle holders. The serving appointments were silver and crystal. Mrs. Cherri Lynn Stegemoeller of Duncan, Okla. and Mrs. Roanne Mullino of Rochester served approximately one hundred guests who called.

Also assisting were: Mmes. Paula Oliver, Jo Ruth Lisle, Alma Ruth Smith, Maxine Hertenberger, Ruth Wilcox, and Jeri Kitley, all of Rule and Jane Short, Elaine Glover, Blanche Schoe, Teresa Scoggins, and Lynette Freeman all of Rochester.

Other members of the houseparty were: Mmes. Faye Webb, Eunice Hunt, Grace Bishop of Rule; Mmes. Betty Lou Hearn, Elizabeth Acree, and Ann Williams of Rochester and Mrs. Noni Ingalsbe of Abilene.

Ratliff Reunion

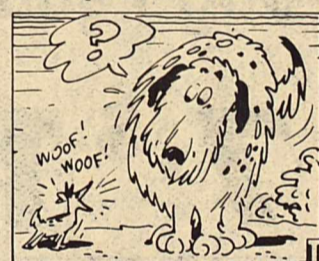
The Fifth Biannual Reunion of the descendants of Marquis Lafayette Ratliff and Narcissa Jane (Beasley) Ratliff was held at the Lake Murray Lodge, near Ardmore, Oklahoma, on July 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Ratliff came from Hickman County, Tennessee to Texas in 1892 and settled in Cooke County. They moved to Jones County in 1912 where they lived until their deaths. They were the parents of eleven (11) children of whom only one is still living, Mrs. J.E. (Eva) Jeffers of Amarillo, Texas, and who is now eighty nine years of age. The reunion this year was held in her honor. She was the eldest of 85 people, present and the ones coming the farthest distance were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lang of Jackson, Mississippi.

The late Judge L.D. Ratliff (Sr) of Haskell was one of their sons, and among those present attending from this area were Mr. and Mrs. Cody West, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Pace, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy West of Munday and their daughter, Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lynn Pace, III, and their sons, Will and Seth, Judge and Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Plunkett of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. George Melaise of Odessa, Mrs. Sidney Parker and daughter, Myra Ann, of Big Spring, Senator and Mrs. David Ratliff of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Ratliff of Lubbock.

A very enjoyable occasion was had by all of those present, and plans were made for a Sixth Reunion in the summer of 1979.

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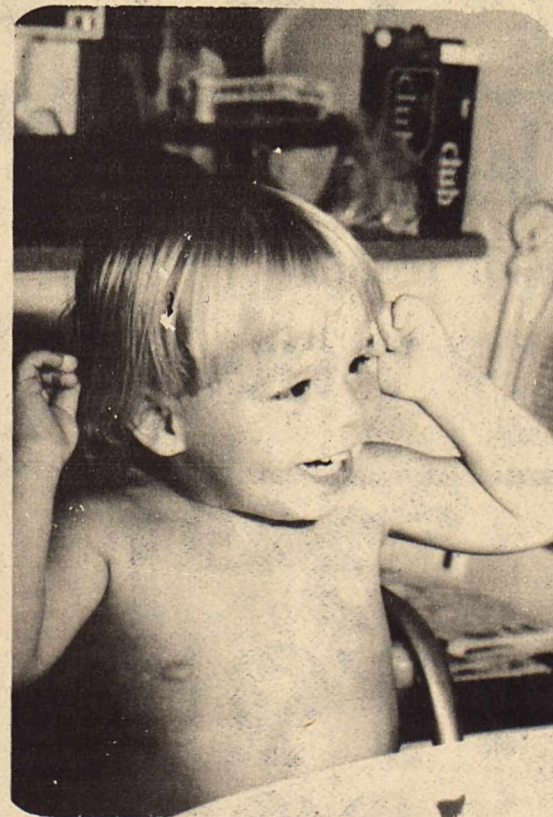
The smallest bird in the world is Helena's hummingbird found in Cuba and the Isle of Pines. An average male adult has a wing span of three inches and weighs only 1/18th of an ounce. That's less than some species of moths.



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SURGICAL: Mary Lusk, Rule; Eunice Hunt, Rule; LiNelle Mitchell, Woodson; Wilma Pruett, Haskell; Odell Cox, Rochester.

DISMISSED

Jimmie Lou Adkins, Lillian Garner, Mildred Crandell, Ann Boles, Warren Doyle, Zina Bills, Betty Isbell, Opal Dunnam, Vera Hunt, Gladys Smith, Billy Perry, Melisa McCauley, Dewayne Davis, Gloria Whitaker, Wilma Pruett, Lillian Davis, Ben Isbell, Toby Mendez, Samuel Campsey, Victor Lowery.

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Sagerton News

We received varied amounts of rain in our area, with the most rain falling south of Sagerton, and amounting from a trace to a little less than an inch.

Becky Baitz of Austin is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Hertel, this week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison of Lewisville visited with the August Balzers last week. They left Saturday for Las Vegas and Los Angeles, where they will attend a Santa Fe Railroad Company Convention.

Miss Lois Knippling of West Columbia is here visiting with her parents, the A. C. Knipplings. Mrs. Bill Perkins and daughter, Tonya, of West Columbia were here last week visiting the Knipplings also.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt, Kraig and Kris, enjoyed the cool mountains at Red River, New Mexico last week.

The F.A. Ulmers have their grandchildren, Brad and Paige Ulmer from San Antonio, visiting them. Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitaker Stacey and Kyle of Vega were here last weekend on their way to Six Flags.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre, Laressa and Shane went to Six Flags Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark of Abilene spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark. Mrs. M.Y. Benton was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Letz of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Galloway of Big Lake visited with Mr. and Mrs. David Letz over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swofford and family were in Ruidoso, New Mexico for several days last week.

C.E. Stegemoeller and a group of friends from Wellington vacationed in Red River, New Mexico several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Flanary, Jina and Russ vacationed in Corpus Christi, Port Aransas, Aransas Pass, Rock Port enjoyed fishing and swimming.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Jordan visited with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Lee Jordan in Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jordan, and Lacey and the brand new grandbaby, Bryan Bolin, in New Braunfels last week.

Mrs. J.A. Hertel, Mrs. Leland Thane, and Mrs. Clarence Tiechelmann were hostess for the Golden Age Meeting at the Sagerton Community Center Monday, July 25.

Sixteen guests attended. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. H.L. Hewitt, Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. John Clark all of whom had birthdays in July.

Mrs. Ladain Anderson of Houston and Mrs. Frank McKerrall of Angleton, who have been visiting here with their sister, Mrs. Cliff LeFevre returned home Saturday.

The Harvey Stegemoeller family, Harvey, Marion and Katie and Marty, from St. Paul, Minnesota were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Stegemoeller and other relatives. On Thursday evening the following group gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, for a pot luck picnic. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Stegemoeller, Katie and Marty, Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller, and Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stegemoeller, Denise and Brenda, and Leslie Hearn all of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Knippling and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney, Bruce and Renee, C.E. Stegemoeller and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller and Lois Knippling of West Columbia. The gathering was originally scheduled for the Stegemoellers' backyard, but it was raining.

Although the weather is hot, the cotton still looks pretty, and both gins in Sagerton, the Spitzer Gin and the Sagerton Gin, have crews working getting the gins ready and making improvements for the coming ginning season.

Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller went to Mineral Wells Sunday where they met Mrs. Mile Bailey and boys, and the boys, Rob, Rus, Brian and Brad, came home with them and Jill LeFevre went back to Terrell to visit with Mrs. Bailey this week while Mike is at Coaching Clinic at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer visited with the Buddy Tredmeyers in Sweetwater last Sunday.

Good Photos Help Tell 4-H Story



Carol Simpson North Carolina



Karla Peterson Wisconsin

Good composition means arranging things in a picture so they look pleasing and tell the story better. The above photos taken by 4-H members were displayed at the National 4-H Photo Exhibition during the 55th National 4-H Congress. 4-H'ers 9-19 can learn practical camera skills in the 4-H photography program conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service and supported by Eastman Kodak Company.

CHICAGO—Good photographic composition means arranging things in a picture so they look pleasing and tell the story better. A lot depends on choosing the right camera angle and placement of the subject.

Young people in the national 4-H photography program, supported by Eastman Kodak Company, suggest aiming the camera so the subject is not exactly in the center of the picture, but a little to the right, left, above or below center.

Background is also important. A simple background makes the subject stand out. A light-colored background is best for dark subjects; a dark background for light-colored subjects.

The photographer should move in as close to the subject as possible to eliminate distracting background elements. Or, shoot from a high or low camera angle.

4-H photography projects and activities, supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service, are fun and educational. As they learn-by-doing to take and use pictures, 4-H members 9-19 begin to appreciate photography as an art, a science and a communications tool.

Kodak offers recognition to program members at all levels of participation: six \$1,000 scholarships nationally, expense-paid trips to National 4-H Congress for one member per state, and four medals of honor in each

county. Winners are chosen by the Cooperative Extension Service and awards arranged by National 4-H Council.

4-H'ers can share their best photographs with others in the fourth National 4-H Photo Exhibition Nov. 26-Dec. 1 during the 56th National 4-H Congress in Chicago. This noncompetitive show features single photos, or picture stories of typical 4-H activities. Each state may select up to four photos for the exhibit on the basis of county and state fair submissions. 4-H'ers need not be photography program members to participate.

More information is available from county extension agents.

Colorful Peaches Need Care To Retain Appearance

With their red and yellow colors, fresh peaches add a dash of brightness to many dishes.

But to keep that brilliant color, they need to be treated in a special way, regardless of the way you serve them.

The darkening process that affects peaches comes after they have been cut or the skin broken in some way, says the Texas Dept. of Agriculture home economist. Peaches are not an acid food, so oxidation readily occurs. When this happens the dark color develops.

One way to prevent this is to use them as quickly as possible after the peaches have been sliced. Naturally this is not always possible, so there are ways to keep the peaches bright and colorful.

Adding a mild acid in proper form will give you the desired results. This can be accomplished by sprinkling the peaches lightly with lemon juice, by dipping fresh peach slices in orange juice or by adding ascorbic acid. When pureeing peaches for use over ice cream or in

other dishes, add the ascorbic acid before whirling in the blender. Ascorbic acid powder does not affect the flavor of the peach, and will help prevent darkening even when used in canning or freezing.

KNOX CITY PLAYDAY SET SATURDAY

The Brazos Valley Riders Association will host a playday Saturday, July 30, in Knox City.

Books will open at 7:30 p.m. and the playday is scheduled to begin at 8:00 p.m.

Trophies and ribbons will be given in each event in each of three age divisions in barrels, flags, and pole bending.

Dr. Brown In Haskell August 3



DR. E.M. BROWN

Dr. Edward M. Brown, dean of the college at Abilene Christian University, will be in Haskell Aug. 3 as part of a series of "Christian Education" programs sponsored each year by the university.

He will speak at the Wednesday evening worship service of the Haskell Church of Christ, according to Milton B. Fletcher, ACU vice president of public relations and development. The emphasis of his sermon will be "The Value of Christian Education."

After the services, ACU alumni and friends are invited to stay for refreshments and a showing of the informative film, "Touch the Wind."

In 1976, ACU was responsible for filling 269 pulpits nationwide, using 61 different speakers from the university in a continuing effort to share with churches the importance of Christian education.

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LET'S VISIT...



LARRY SUTTLE, MINISTER

I heard a fellow, the other day, brag about being "hard-headed like my daddy." He was proud of his stubbornness.

True enough, one should not be easily swayed from his conviction. But it is disastrous for a person to hold to error simply because he is too proud to admit mistake.

In dealing with the Lord and His Word, one must lay aside pre-conceived ideas and become a seeker of truth.

The Bible Says: "Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, 'If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.'" (John 8:31, 32)

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Long-Range Plans For WTRC Outlined

Long-range plans for expanding the services of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center (WTRC) were outlined here recently to the center's board of directors.

The board also elected Jerry Roach of San Angelo and Jim Heidenheimer of Anson as new directors, with terms ending in 1980, heard a financial report and discussed fundraising.

The meeting, held at the San Angelo facility (128 S. Magdalen) and the River Club, was the first conducted in San Angelo since the opening of the WTRC facility here last January. Meetings are usually held in Abilene.

Shelly Smith, executive director of the WTRC, told the more than 30 directors and their wives attending the meeting, that he envisions the eventual construction of four new buildings.

Those buildings, to be located on the Abilene campus, include a modified living facility for patients who must travel long distances for therapy; a regional center for training medical and paramedical personnel; a new educational wing for children and an upgraded building for the already existent Brace and Adaptive Appliance Center.

Immediate construction plans call for a "face-lifting" of the WTRC facility in San Angelo. Smith said he has talked with director and San Angelo architect Bob Zentner about redoing the front of the building, which used to be the old Robert Massey Funeral Home. Remodeling of the interior has already been completed.

six months of rehab operation show a \$33,515 deficit, Smith said. He reassured the directors however that the budget will be balanced by the end of the year if major fund-raising drives in the fall are successful.

"I know it's nerve-racking, especially for the new board members, to see these deficits," said board president Harwell Barber. "But we're always in the same situation each summer, and somehow we manage to bail out and end up in the black by fall."

Smith said the deficit is a result of a shortage of memorial gifts, and an overage in electric data processing and accounting costs, salaries and office supplies.

Smith reported that the recently finished Gist Memorial Conference Center was completed at a cost of \$69,176. He said that \$30,000 is still needed, however, to complete the overall Abilene Rehab Plaza project, including patient services and a bus port area.

Summarizing the first six months of patient services, Smith cited the following statistics: 1,011 audio evaluations made (a 106.7 per cent increase); 1,252 patients admitted (a 22.5 per cent increase); 9,553 speech therapy treatments (a 23.4 per cent increase); 18,023 physical therapy treatments (a 7.1 per cent increase); and 6,002 occupational therapy treatments (a 6.3 per cent increase).

STAMP CUBES and other desk accessories in matching vivid colors. Haskell Free Press.



CARD PUNCHING Left, Jack Smallwood hassels Foye Gatewood, the official card puncher about a 1/2 yd. punch for a 96. Jimmy Adams looks over his new yardage for a 97x100. Bill Womack looks on and claimed High Overall honors at the Haskell Trap Club Sunday. (Photo W.E. Wooten)

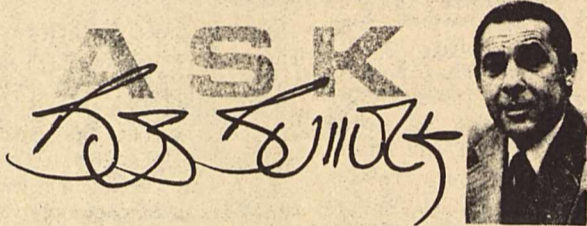
Trap Club News

Blazing trap guns and blazing hot weather was the scene at the Haskell Trap Club Sunday when 15 trap shooters sent 100 shots at 100-16 yd. Singles

Class AA—Larry Harding, Snyder with 98x100; Class A—Bill Womack, Olney with 97x100; Class B—C.C. Calhoun, Aspermont with 92x100; Class C—Bobby Peterson, Electra with 90x100; Class D—Ira Richards, Electra with 83x100.

25 trap shooters tried to out-best his competitors in a 100 target Handicap event while both winners shot from the 25 yd. Jimmy Adams of Vernon posted a 97x100 and Jack Smallwood of Rotan took runner-up with a 96x100.

Ten shooters entered the Doubles—Class A—Larry Rust, Guthrie with 93x100; Class B—Charles Thornhill, Haskell with 87x100; Class C—Bill Womack, Olney with 88x100.



BOB BULLOCK
Comptroller of Public Accounts

Dear Mr. Bullock:

I called your toll-free Tax Information number on two different days recently and got busy signals. What's the problem in Austin?

I'm sorry for the inconvenience, but we're getting hundreds of calls a day—far more than we expected—and, frankly, our six lines can't handle the load.

So we are adding two more lines. Hopefully, this will make it easier for taxpayers with questions to get through.

If you still have trouble getting through, try calling between 8 and 9 a.m. or between 4 and 5 p.m. Our calls are lowest during those hours and you should get through on the first try.

Dear Sir: We are thinking of subscribing to a TV cable service. Will we have to pay a sales tax on that service?

No. Television cable service is not subject to the sales tax.

Mr. Bullock: I'm getting up in the years and I would like to give away my assets before my death. I understand that by doing this there won't be any inheritance taxes on my estate. Is that correct?

If you should transfer your assets for the purpose of escaping the Inheritance Tax and die within three years of the transfer, your assets will be subject to the Inheritance Tax.

After three years, the assets transferred would not be subject to the tax.

When a person dies within three years of giving away his assets, it is assumed that he was doing so in contemplation of death and therefore the assets are included in the estate and are subject to the tax.

Dear Sir:

Your office recently filed a lien against me for failure to pay my franchise tax on time. I've paid the tax, and want to get the lien released. How do I go about it?

A lien release will be mailed to you when we receive your franchise tax payment. To have the lien removed, you must take the release to the courthouse in the county in which the lien was filed. Don't send the lien release back to us—take it to the courthouse.

Ask Bob Bullock is produced as a public service to the taxpayers of Texas by the State Comptroller's Office. The answers here do not necessarily apply in every similar situation and should be used only as a general guide.

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Haskell Group In Idaho

Thirty young people and adults of the Haskell Church of Christ are participating in a Campaign for Christ July 24-29, at St. Anthony, Idaho. The local congregation has supported a preacher in St. Anthony since September of last year. "The campaign is an effort to help establish a New Testament church in this largely unevangelized area of the Northwest," stated Larry Suttle, local minister.

The campaign participants will be going from door-to-door in an effort to discuss with interested individuals the teaching of the Bible. The young people will also be presenting some puppet programs in the city park. St. Anthony is the gateway to Yellowstone National Park from the west and many people are expected in the town during the time of campaign.

Those participating on the campaign from Haskell are:



THIS GROUP from the Haskell Church of Christ are on a Campaign for Christ tour at St. Anthony, Idaho. The campaign was held July 24-29.

Pat, Jean, Kim, Pam, Dana Hale; Larry, Nicki Suttle; Wayne, Doris Jean, Missy Phemister; Gene, Jo Iva, Thomas, Shelly Long; Gaston Bera Hattox, and Wayne, Nancy, Tammy Peiser. Janie, Julie, Rhonda Coleman, Debbie Chilton, Debbie Haskell; Ruth Simpson; Joe Flores; Johnny Lacey; Lorie Johnson, and Donnie Carroll.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Haskell National Bank of Haskell, Texas at the close of business on June 30, 1977 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter number 14149 National Bank Region Number 11

| NAME OF BANK | | Haskell National Bank | | CHARTER NUMBER | | 14149 | |
|--|--|-----------------------------|-------------|----------------|--|----------------------|--------|
| BALANCE SHEET | | at the close of business on | | June | | 30 | |
| STATEMENT OF RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES | | month | | day | | 1977 | |
| | | | | | | Thousands of dollars | |
| ASSETS | Cash and due from banks | | | | | | 1,700 |
| | U.S. Treasury securities | | | | | | 704 |
| | Obligations of other U.S. Gov't agencies and corps | | | | | | 3,855 |
| | Obligations of States and political subdivisions | | | | | | 5,279 |
| | Other bonds, notes, and debentures | | | | | | 1,184 |
| | Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock | | | | | | 9 |
| | Trading account securities | | | | | | -0- |
| | Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell | | | | | | 675 |
| | Loans, Total (excluding unearned income) | | 8,861 | | | | |
| | Less: Reserve for possible loan losses | | 112 | | | | |
| Loans, Net | | | | | | | 8,749 |
| Direct lease financing | | | | | | | -0- |
| Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises | | | | | | | 186 |
| Real estate owned other than bank premises | | | | | | | -0- |
| Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies | | | | | | | -0- |
| Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding | | | | | | | 458 |
| Other assets | | | | | | | 22,799 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | | | | | | 7,364 |
| Demand deposits of individuals, prtnshps. and corps | | | | | | | 11,545 |
| Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtnshps. and corps | | | | | | | 26 |
| Deposits of United States Government | | | | | | | 1,602 |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions | | | | | | | -0- |
| Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions | | | | | | | 55 |
| Deposits of commercial banks | | | | | | | -0- |
| Certified and officers' checks | | | | | | | 20,592 |
| TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS | | | | | | | 8,135 |
| Total demand deposits | | | | | | | 12,457 |
| Total time and savings deposits | | | | | | | -0- |
| Total deposits in foreign offices | | | | | | | -0- |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES | | | | | | | -0- |
| Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase | | | | | | | -0- |
| Liabilities for borrowed money | | | | | | | -0- |
| Mortgage indebtedness | | | | | | | -0- |
| Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding | | | | | | | 299 |
| Other liabilities | | | | | | | 20,891 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) | | | | | | | -0- |
| Subordinated notes and debentures | | | | | | | -0- |
| Preferred stock | No. shares outstanding | -0- | (par value) | | | | -0- |
| Common stock | a. No. shares authorized | 20,000 | (par value) | | | | 100 |
| | b. No. shares outstanding | 20,000 | (par value) | \$5.00 | | | 200 |
| Surplus | | | | | | | 1,308 |
| Undivided profits | | | | | | | 300 |
| Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves | | | | | | | 1,908 |
| TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL | | | | | | | 22,799 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL | | | | | | | |
| Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date | | | | | | | |
| Cash and due from banks | | | | | | | 1,996 |
| Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell | | | | | | | 578 |
| Total loans | | | | | | | 8,876 |
| Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices | | | | | | | 255 |
| Total deposits | | | | | | | 20,766 |
| Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase | | | | | | | -0- |
| Liabilities for borrowed money | | | | | | | -0- |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | | | | | | 23,238 |
| Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | -0- |
| Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | -0- |
| Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | 255 |

I, Pauline Couch
Name
Asst. Vice President & Cashier
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Pauline Couch
Signature
July 22, 1977
Date

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RULE ROUND-UP

BY OLETA CORNELIUS

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BULLETIN BOARD
Thur. July 28 Rule Squares 8 p.m.
Tue. Aug. 2 City Council, Book Exchange 1 p.m., (Joy Jones)
Sat. Aug. 13 Rule Jubilee

RULE NATIVE POLICE CHIEF
Gerald Saffel, 34, of Haskell and former resident of Rule, has been employed as police chief at Munday.

Saffel is a native of Rule, where he completed elementary and high school. He attended Hardin-Simmon University in Abilene and New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary.

TAX REBATE
City sales tax rebate checks were recently mailed to 868 Texas cities for their July share of the tax from the state comptroller office in Austin. The city of Rule received \$535.58 for the month of July.

ATTENDS MEETING
Joanne Cloud, daughter of Mrs. Joe W. Cloud, and Mark and Russ Lewis, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lewis of Rule, returned home last Friday from attending the state wide 1977 Texas 4-H Congress, last Tuesday thru Friday at Corpus Christi, Texas.

The theme of the meeting was Oceans of Opportunity. Participants were offered various tours relating to the marine aspects of the economy, including programs on the shrimp fleet, marine research, offshore drilling, and the maintenance of ships coming into port.

These three from Rule were with a number of other 4-H'ers from District Three. Approximately 500 to 600 4-H'ers attended from other districts also.

ARTS & CRAFT SALE
Individuals and organizations are invited to participate in an Arts & Craft Display & Sale on Saturday, August 13th. This will kick off the Rule Jubilee Celebration.

The display will be from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the building on the corner east of the bank, the old Westbrook building. People and organizations must bring their own tables for display and should

set up between 9 and 10 a.m. that day. Some easels will be on hand. Please price merchandise if for sale. There will be no charge for displaying arts and crafts but, if prices are put on them, out of towners will pay \$2 for individuals and \$5 for organizations. Merchandise must be picked up immediately after 3:30 p.m.

OBITUARY
Graveside rites for Mary Leigh and JoAnn Winters, identical twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Winters of Gainsville, was held Monday, July 25, in the Fairview Cemetery of Gainsville. Pastor of the Baptist Church in Gainsville officiated.

The twin girls were born Sunday, July 24, at 1 a.m. in the Flow Memorial Hospital of Denton and lived only a few hours following birth.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Winters; two sisters, Jessica Lea and Robin; two brothers, Chad and Mason; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Winters of Gainsville; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Pinkard of Rule and great grandmother, Mrs. J.A. Lisle of Rule.

OBITUARY
Graveside services for Mistie Dale Whittaker, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Whittaker of Stamford, were held Friday, July 22, at Rule Cemetery. The Whittaker's infant daughter was stillborn in the Haskell Hospital on Wednesday, July 20th, at 2:35 p.m. Rev. Daniel Hernandez, pastor of New Life Baptist Mission in Rule, officiated for the graveside service.

Survivors include her parents; paternal grandfather, B.F. Whittaker of Winters; and maternal grandfather, Albino Garcia of Stamford. The Whittaker were former residents of Rule.

RULE SQUARES
The Rule Square Dance Club will meet tonight, Thursday, July 28, at 8 p.m. in the Rule Recreation Clubhouse for square dancing. Area square dance club are invited to attend. Admission is \$1 per person.

JUBILEE AUGUST 13
Various civic clubs and organizations are working full blast to make the Rule Jubilee to be held on Saturday, August 13th, a success. An Arts and Craft Display and Sale will be held from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. followed by a parade and then activities in the City Park. Musical entertainment will be furnished and for a nominal fee, supper prepared by local men will be served, an old fashioned supper.

Contests to be held include a Blackeye pea shelling contest, sack race and tobacco spitting contest among others. The Lions Club will be selling old fashioned lemons, hand squeezed. Other booths will also be presented by civic clubs.

Rule Jubilee is being sponsored by the Rule Chamber of Commerce and is an opportunity for everyone to come out and meet their neighbor and have a good time. Area towns are also invited to come and enjoy the day.

TONIGHT SHOW
Mary Kay Place, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Place, of Tulsa, Oklahoma and formerly of Rule, and granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Place of Rule, was on the Tonight Show, Friday night, July 22. Mary Kay mentioned her grandmother in Rule and gave the town of Rule a plug. Atta way, Mary Kay!

Mary Kay is a talented young woman who has appeared in the Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman, series. has written several TV scripts and recorded several records.

PANTRY SHOWER
Miss Thelia Grigsby, bride-elect of Mike Lisle was honored with a Pantry Shower on Monday, July 25th, between the hours of 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the Rule Church of Christ.

The honoree and the prospective grooms mother and grandmother, Mrs. James A. Lisle Jr. and Mrs. J.A. Lisle were presented corsages by the hostess made up of various articles to be used in the kitchen.

The serving table was covered with a yellow and white gingham cloth with a floor length white ruffle. A yellow flour sifter with white daisies was centered on the table and pots of ivy on each side of the flour sifter. Various kinds of cake and coffee was served to the approximately sixty guests attending. Hostesses was Mmes. Joyce Turner, Maxine Herttenberger, Jeri Kittley, Nelwyn Beakley, Paula Oliver, Cleo Gann and Grace Gishop.

COUPLE HONORED
Mr. and Mrs. David Parr were honored with a hamburger supper on Thursday, July 21st, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Tanner. The Parr's are moving to Celina, Texas, where David is employed by the Celina Public School.

The couple were greeted with a large banner wishing them Best Wishes. Tables were decorated with red and white gingham cloths and a centerpiece of red candles in white lotus cups. The menu included hamburgers, potato

salad, baked beans, chips, watermelon, cantaloupe and home made ice cream.

Attending was Mmes. and Mmes. Bill Jones, Donnie Mack Boles, Alan Beard, Rudy Casey, David Holcomb, Terry Joe Mathis, Gary Fannin, and Van Sedberry, Brenda Whitworth, Danny Weaver, the honorees and the hosts.

GIFT COFFEE
Miss Debbie Mickler of Haskell, bride-elect of Gary Miller, was honored with a Bridal Coffee on Saturday, July 23, between the hours of 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the home of Mrs. R.K. Denson Jr., of Rule.

Greeting guests Mrs. Denson presented them to Mrs. Raynelle Miller, mother of the prospective groom, who introduced them to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Twain Mickler of Haskell. Also greeting guests was the grandmother of the couple; Mrs. J.J. Mickler of Haskell, Mrs. Alton Rose and Mrs. W.B. Miller of Rule.

Jana Kupatt registered guests in the Brides Book at a table laid with a yellow cloth with a yellow net overlay. On the table was a crystal bud vase with a yellow flower and ribbon streams and a small ceramic statue of yellow love birds.

The serving table was covered with a white linen cloth and a large arrangement of shasta daisies, fern and greenery in a crystal vase was centered on the table. Mrs. J. D. Kupatt served guests an assortment of sausage balls, cantaloupe balls, fresh strawberries, cinnamon rolls and banana bread. Mrs. Joe Mathis served hot tea or coffee. Serving appointments were crystal, silver and copper.

Showing gifts was Mmes. James Jones, Melvin Fannin and Howard Brass. Other members of the houseparty was Mmes. Wallace Allison, Joann Carroll, Bill Dodd, Wallace Dudensing, John Hisey, Festus Hunt, Bobby Lusk, Vernon Mahler and A.D. May.

Miss Mickler and Mr. Miller will exchange vows in a home ceremony in the home of the bride-elect, July 30th.

AARP
Members of the Rule Chapter of AARP met Monday night, July 18th, at 6 p.m. in the Rule Recreation Clubhouse with Mmes. Mary Sue Henry, Opal Grice and Clara Hines as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president Bill Dunnam. Following a short business meeting, a covered dish supper was enjoyed by those attending and followed a by table games. Twenty two members were present and two visitors. Hostesses were appointed for the next meeting to be held August 15th, at 6 p.m. They were Mmes. Peggy Kittley, Sam Jennings and Faye Gibson.

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL
David Parr, formerly with the Stamford Tri-County Education Coop. for four years, has accepted a position as elementary principal in the Celina School District. He will

agri-facts
Pat Hale

Cotton crop contracting is the total subject of a study now being distributed by one of the research organizations of Texas A&M. Dr. Robert Branson, director of the Texas Agricultural Market Research and Development Center, recently summarized the report by specifying three actions which could improve cotton contracting. Since one of the major shortcomings of crop contracting has been the refusal to honor some contracts, Dr. Branson suggested formation of a central reporting agency... one which would provide financial information on buyers and delivery information on producers. Other suggestions called for a crop disaster clause in every contract and development of low-cost Government crop contracting insurance. Complete information on the report is available from Texas A&M.

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also serve as the girls varsity and track coach. Celina is a Class A School located north of Dallas. He will report for his new duties August 1st.

David received his BS from McMurry College in Abilene, in 1972, his M.Ed in school administration from A.C.U. in 1976 and his Principal Certificate in 1977. He is married to the former Sonya Casey and they have two children, Tonya and Casey.

LOCALS
Mrs. Sherie O'Pry, Shannon, Kelle, Joel and Jason of Fort Worth, have returned home after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lennie Yarbrough recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Young and Heather of Rendon visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunnam with Heather remaining for a weeks visit. Mr. and Mrs. Dunnam carried Heather to Graham over the weekend to meet her parents and they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kindley.

REPORT OF CONDITION

| THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK | | of | | RULE | | City | |
|---|--|-----------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--|----------------|--|
| In the state of | | TEXAS | | at the close of business on | | JUNE 30, 1977 | |
| published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. | | | | | | | |
| Charter number | | 14539 | | National Bank Region Number | | 11 | |
| NAME OF BANK | | THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK | | RULE, TEXAS | | CHARTER NUMBER | |
| BALANCE SHEET | | at the close of business on | | JUNE 30, 1977 | | 14539 | |
| INFORMATION ABOVE LINE NOT TO BE DISCLOSED | | | | | | | |
| Statement of Resources and Liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Thousands of dollars | | | | | | | |
| ASSETS | | | | | | | |
| Cash and due from banks 789 | | | | | | | |
| U.S. Treasury securities 850 | | | | | | | |
| Obligations of other U.S. Gov't agencies and corps 225 | | | | | | | |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions 849 | | | | | | | |
| Other bonds, notes, and debentures 450 | | | | | | | |
| Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock 5 | | | | | | | |
| Trading account securities | | | | | | | |
| Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell 100 | | | | | | | |
| Loans, Total (excluding unearned income) 1,208 | | | | | | | |
| Less: Reserve for possible loan losses 3 | | | | | | | |
| Loans, Net 1,205 | | | | | | | |
| Direct lease financing | | | | | | | |
| Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises | | | | | | | |
| Real estate owned other than bank premises 124 | | | | | | | |
| Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies | | | | | | | |
| Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding | | | | | | | |
| Other assets | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS 4,597 | | | | | | | |
| Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps and corps 2,385 | | | | | | | |
| Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps, and corps 1,638 | | | | | | | |
| Deposits of United States Government 12 | | | | | | | |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions 243 | | | | | | | |
| Deposits of foreign govts and official institutions | | | | | | | |
| Deposits of commercial banks | | | | | | | |
| Certified and officers' checks 24 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS 4,302 | | | | | | | |
| Total demand deposits 2,521 | | | | | | | |
| Total time and savings deposits 1,781 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES | | | | | | | |
| Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase | | | | | | | |
| Liabilities for borrowed money | | | | | | | |
| Mortgage indebtedness | | | | | | | |
| Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding | | | | | | | |
| Other liabilities 5 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) 4,307 | | | | | | | |
| Subordinated notes and debentures | | | | | | | |
| Preferred stock No shares outstanding (par value) | | | | | | | |
| Common stock a No shares authorized 5000 (par value) | | | | | | | |
| b No shares outstanding 5000 (par value) | | | | | | | |
| Surplus 50 | | | | | | | |
| Undivided profits 116 | | | | | | | |
| Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves 6 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL 290 | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL 4,597 | | | | | | | |
| Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date: | | | | | | | |
| Cash and due from banks 745 | | | | | | | |
| Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell 100 | | | | | | | |
| Total loans 1,191 | | | | | | | |
| Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices | | | | | | | |
| Total deposits 4,432 | | | | | | | |
| Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase | | | | | | | |
| Liabilities for borrowed money | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | | | | | | | |
| Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | |
| Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | |
| Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date) | | | | | | | |

I, HENRY TOWNSEND
Name
CASHIER
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Henry Townsend
Signature
July 22, 1977
Date

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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NOTICE

Due to a heavy run of hogs, the hog sale will start at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, July 30, 1977. The cattle will begin selling at 12:00 noon.

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WASHINGTON.—"THEY SAY" IS ALWAYS A GOOD STARTER OF RUMOR or for some statement without definite authority. But somebody at some time advanced the theory that if we think warm when it's cold and cool when it's hot, we can be more comfortable in either extreme. IT WOULD HAVE TAKEN A LOT OF THINKING WARM to have stayed that way in the extremely cold weather this past winter. The reverse is true for the past five weeks. Power breakdowns are now threatened in many parts of the Country by overloading facilities and cooling appliances. Near record heat and drought are occurring across most of the Nation.

SO, MAYBE IT'S THE RIGHT TIME to think about icebergs. The sinking of the Titanic 65 years ago has had no parallel in sea disaster, except of course, in time of war. That tragedy has lent mystery and knowledge of the power of the diamond-hearted beauty of icebergs. Where would the metaphor be if we could not say, "just the tip of the iceberg?"

NOW IT LOOKS AS IF IT HAS A LOT MORE TO OFFER THAN BEAUTY, danger and fear to the mariner. What at first appeared to be a fantasy of some sort is turning out to be a perfectly serious prospect: drinking water for the Sheiks of Araby from icebergs pushed up from the Antarctic to the arid shores of the Red Sea. There, the melted ice can provide a pure water supply to Saudi Arabia.

LIMITED EXPERIMENTS HAVE SATISFIED ENGINEERS that this source would be cheaper than taking the salt out of sea water after the expense of the trip from Antarctica. It has been found that icebergs are formed by salt-free water, making unnecessary desalination or any purification.

THE FIRST PLAN CALLED FOR GIRDLING THE NARROW END of the berg and pulling it with tugboats. The latest strategy, so reports say, is to use specially equipped

nuclear submarines to go down to 130 to 150 feet and push.

AMONG OTHER INTRIGUING ASPECTS of this idea is that, like the wind and the sun, here is another renewable resource. When an iceberg is taken away, another will freeze in its place. We are learning that in this Country water is as depletable as oil and gas. Take water from one area and the water table drops, creating problems in another place.

NO ONE YET HAS DISCOVERED A SUBSTITUTE FOR WATER. Whereas we in West Texas have long been aware of the importance of water, other parts of the Country have not until recent years, had to consider it a serious continuous problem. It is being recognized now as a condition which demands better solutions.

NO ONE SUGGESTS WE CAN TOW ICEBERGS TO WEST TEXAS but with the ingenuity and technology at our disposal, eventually we can and must meet the challenges of providing more water for our part of the Country.

Savings Bond Report

June sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Haskell County were reported today by County Bond Chairman R.W. Herren. Sales for the six-month period totaled \$51,977 for 32% of the 1977 sales goal of \$165,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$24,027,340, while sales for the first six months of 1977 totaled \$140,919,165 with 51% of the yearly sales goal of 276.9 million achieved.

BERRY WINS HONOR

Haskell resident, Marvin D. Berry, sales representative for Verd-A-Ray Corporation, has earned membership in the firm's Presidents Club for the year. Berry, who resides at 603 South Avenue G in Haskell, Texas, merited this recognition by achieving an outstanding sales volume during a twelve-month period.

Verd-A-Ray Corporation, based in Toledo, Ohio, has been marketing application lighting products for commercial, industrial and institutional use since 1918.

Leisure Lodge News

The First Baptist Church held the Sunday morning devotion with Rev. Bragg and the music director with singing and prayer, and a short sermon taken from James.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack West from Hobbs, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Roberts.

Our administrator, Dewie Wester has been transferred to Leisure Lodge in Clyde, Texas. We wish her the very best, and much happiness. We miss her very much, she was kind, considerate, loving and a mama to us all. We loved her, from the residents of Leisure Lodge in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Sedberry from Slinas, Calif., and Mrs. Ruby Moss from Lubbock, Texas visited Mrs. Carrie Edwards.

Vera Ashley from Eddy, Texas visited Mr. White, also Gene Haney from Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Russell of Abilene, Frieda Piland of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mapes of Abilene visited Ivy Massey.

Elder and Mrs. Crane from Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Franklin from Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Westmoreland and Jerry from Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Phinehart visited Mrs. Lummie Westmoreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beason from Knox City visited Ervin King.

Joy and Ella Cox from Odessa and Vaughn Cox and family of Lubbock visited Della Cox last weekend.

The Davidson family would like to thank Mary Hollingworth for the nice pajamas and night shirt donated to this home.

Meg Wiseman of Denver Colorado visited her great-grandmother, Mayre J. Tubbs. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Roy Wiseman. Other guests visiting Mrs. Tubbs were W.T. Johnson, Amy Johnson and Mrs. Herman McBride of Hamlin, Texas.

William Medford and wife, and family from California visited the Marvin Medfords, also Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rhinehard of Rule visited the Medfords.

We would like to welcome Mrs. Ardele Beason to the home for our new administrator, she comes to us from the

home in Childress. She lives at Rochester and we wish the very best for her and hope she will be happy with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Russell of Abilene visited Joe Massey.

Our activities director, Anna Lee Tribbey, left on a three weeks vacation in Europe, we wish a happy vacation.

The Tom Watson singers held their monthly singing at Leisure Lodge, a crowd attended, all enjoyed the singing.

Resident Oscar Lewis arrived in time for the singing, he had been visiting with relatives.

Our Director of Nurses, Mrs. Fern Casey and her daughter Janice Casey, L.V.N. are on a two weeks vacation in California.

Classifieds
 Small ads...Bio Results

STOCK MARKET

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction was very active on a run of 780 head of cattle, 322 hogs, and 8 sheep at its sale July 23, 1977 according to Bill Dennis reporter.

Hog Sale will start next Saturday at 9 a.m. due to increased business. The market was steady with last weeks market. Hogs down \$3.00.

Butcher calves: choice, 30-34; good, 28-30; standard, 25-28; rannies, 20-25.

Cows: fat, 23-25; cutters, 20-23; canners, 18-20; stockers, 21-24.

Bulls: bologna, 28-33; stockers, 30-38; utility, 26-30.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice 35-42; good, 30-35; medium, 26-30; common, 23-26.

Stocker Heifer Calves: choice, 30-36; good, 28-30; medium, 25-28; common, 21-25.

Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice, 35-40; good, 33-35; medium, 30-33; common, 25-30.

Feeder Heifer Yearlings: choice, 32-34; good, 30-32; medium, 28-30; common, 23-28.

Cows & Calves: good, 250-300; plain, 150-250. Top on Hogs 42.25

Bulk of Butcher Hogs 39.25-42.25
 Boars 26-28.50
 Sows 30-35
 Feeder Shoats 34-39
 Pigs by the Head 10.00-25.00

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| Round Steak | \$1 ¹⁹ / _{LB} | Bananas | 15 ^c / _{LB} |
| Rump Roast | 98 ^c / _{LB} | CALIFORNIA Lettuce HEAD | 19 ^c |
| Pikes Peak Roast | 98 ^c / _{LB} | RUSSETT Potatoes 10 BAG | 89 ^c |
| LEAN AND BONELESS Loin Tip Roast | \$1 ²⁹ / _{LB} | MRS. BAIRDS Bread 1/2 POUND LOAF | 39 ^c |
| GOOCH Hot Links | 79 ^c / _{LB} | DEL MONTE Kraut 303 CAN | 29 ^c |
| Hamburger Meat | 59 ^c / _{LB} | DEL MONTE Catsup 14 OZ BOTTLE | 39 ^c |
| DEL MONTE Apricot Halves 303 CAN | 49 ^c | HORMEL Tender Chunk Ham 79 ^c / _{CAN} | |
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