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"HASKELL-A GOOD PLACE TO VISIT; A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE" HASKELL, TEXAS, 79521, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1977

NUMBER FORTY-NINE



HASKELL FFA Junior Chapter Conducting Team recently won first place at Area II competition and placed ninth at the State Meet Dec. 3, in Huntsville. This was the first time for a leadership team to represent Haskell at State. The team competed against 89 chapters in area and approximately 900 chapters across the State compete in leadership. Team members are: front row, left to right, Carl Hopkins, Vice President; Cary Hannsz, Treasurer; and Kerry Therwhanger, Reporter, back frow, Carl Mayfield, Sentenal; Jonathan Wilson, President; and (Staff Photo) Leonard Howard, Secretary.

## Paint Creek, Goree Win

The Paint Creek Junior High School girls defeated Throckmorton, 23-22, last Saturday to win first place in the three day tournament. Goree won the boys tourn-

**Auto Theft** 

## **Charges Filed** Monday

Three Knox County residents were charged Monday night with theft of a motor ament by defeating Throckmorton 34-16, in the championship game. The Knox City A Team defeated Moran, 30-29, to win consolation in the girls tournament and the Knox City boys deteated Lueders-Avoca, 33-20, to win consolation. Other games of the tournament include the following.

GIRLS Rochester 22, New Castle 30; Benjamin 22, McCaulfey 23; Goree 16, Paint Creek 17;

## Safety Program Set By DPS

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today announced a special program to involve every Texan in an effort to reduce traffic accidents and fatalities during the Christmas and New Year holiday periods.

**12 PAGES** 

In the program, which is called "Light the Way for a Safe Holiday," motorists will be urged to drive with their low-beam headlights turned on in the daytime as well as night during the Christmas and New Year weekends.

"It is our belief that most motorists do not intentionally violate the law and need only to be remained that holiday periods are more dangerous. "We feel the 'Light the Way' program, particularly with widespread participation on the part of drivers, will serve as a very meaningful reminder to others to drive safely," Speir said. A similar effort called

"Drive Lighted and Live" was conducted in Texas about 15 years ago with the active support of the state's newspaper and broadcast industry. Speir said DPS Troopers

## SANTA LETTERS

The Free Press will print letters to Santa Claus in the Dec. 22 issue. All letters to Santa must be in the Santa Mailbox in the Free Press by noon on Dec. 19, to be included in the issue.

will burn the headlights on their patrol cars during the period from 6 p.m. Friday, December 23, through midnight Monday, December 26, and again from 6 p.m. Friday, December 30, through midnight Monday, January 2.

'I urge every Texan to join us and help 'Light the Way for a Safe Holiday' in Texas," the DPS director added.

## Commissioners **Hold Meeting**

The Commissioners Court of Haskell County met in a special meeting Monday at 9 a.m. in the courtroom with all members present.

Members of the court signed a five year lease agreement with Bill Perry, owner of Perry's Gulf Station, as caretaker of Scott Memorial Park. The agreement also contained a five year option as caretaker at the park. Perry has purchased facilities at the park from Roy Payne and has already began operation of the Anchor.

The Perrys will move to the lake as soon as possible and hope to have the facility in top shape by next spring.

In other court action, it was noted that the state constitution stipulates that county officials cannot announce for an office other than the one now held if more than one year from end of their term. To annouce earlier, automatiTWO PERSONS WERE INJURED Nov. 29, at approximately 7:45 p.m. when their 1977 Datson 280Z went out of control on the west limits of Rule. Injured were Tommy Lee Horton, 29, of Abilene and Larry Leach, 22, also of Abilene. Leach was listed in critical condition Tuesday, in Intensive Care at Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene. Horton was listed in good condition last Friday. The two were treated at the scene by members of the Haskell County Emergency Ambulance Service and transported to Haskell Memorial Hospital and later transferred to Abilene. DPS Trooper Don Collins investigated the accident. Charges are pending.

(Photo By Don Collins)

**9th Grade** 

## Honor Roll Named

The students listed below are the Honor Roll students for Haskell ISD for the 1st quarter of the 1977-78 school year. In order to achieve this honor, a student must make a 90 or above grade average in every course during the quarter.

**1st Grade** 

Dalyn Gilly, Bo Watson, Gena T ecker Shann ford, Paul Harvey, Bobby Medford, Christi Bartley, Loutina Hadaway, Gina Turnbow, Joy McKeever.

**5th Grade** Shane Hadaway, Holli High Joseph Browning, Lane, Janet Wallace.

**10th Grade** Giles Kemp.

11th Grade Todd Bragg, Vicky Hill.

12th Grade Jill Adkins, Jimmy Browning, Chris Colbert, Connie Frierson, Betsy Optiz.

**By Sam Herren** 

For the Month of November TEMPERATURE

Hi ...... 85° ......20th Lo ......26° .....10th

RAINFALL

Total to Date ..... 15.77

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Steven Boyd, David Adams, Holly McBroom. 6th Grade Fred Barnett, Kathy Kemp, Sheila Klose. 8th Grade

nnon, Cam Klose.

D'Anne Burris, Sharla Dri-April Turner, Gena Whita-

Total

vehicle before Peace Justice H.M. Bledsoe.

three, Aniceto The Escobedo Castro, 17, LaVern Francis Schmitz, 18, both of Knox City and Alfred Oritiz Tulfas, 17, of Goree, were in the Haskell County Jail late Tuesday afternoon with bond set at \$5,000 each.

They were charged with the theft of a pickup in south Haskell County Monday afternoon and were apprehended Monday evening southwest of Haskell by City and County law enforcement officials.



Throckmorton 19, New Castle 17; Old Glory 26, Lueders-Avoca 2; Knox City "B" 13, Moran 36; Knox City "A" 19, Rochester 12; Old Glory 22, Moran 29.

Lueders-Avoca 12, New Castle 19; McCaulley 21, Rochester 29; New Castle 13, Throckmorton 42; Goree 44, Rochester 29; Benjamin 31, Throckmorton 34; Old Glory 24, Lueders-Avoca 32; Knox City "B" 29, McCaulley 27.

BOYS

**Frierson Named To Regional Band** Five members of the Haskell Indian Band tried out for the All-Region Band on Friday, December 2. The

tryouts were held in Abilene at Hardin-Simmons. Gideon on the flute, Cindy Everett on the Clarinet, Connie Frierson on the Bass Clarinet, Thomas Long on the Trombone, and Greg Gideon

on the Cornet. Connie Frierson made second chair in the All-Region Band. She rehearsed with the other All-Region Band members Saturday until the concert held that night at 7:00. Those who tried out for the

Those trying out were Terri

Band should be commended.

PHILPOTS OPEN Philpots Supply and Service Center has moved following a recent fire. Their new location is 408 N. 1st, three doors west of their former location. They will remain at that address until fire damage



KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS at Haskell Schools walked to town Monday to purchase Christmas Trees for their school rooms. The youngsters were all so willing to assist in carrying the trees that you had to look closely to see any of the greenery. (Staff Photo)

cally constitutes the resignation of the official.

County Treasurer John Wayne McDermett announced his candidacy for County Judge on November 14, and was in violation of this article. Legal counsel for the court stated that McDermett was still the qualified County Treasurer and because of several points of the law which were unclear, he recommended that the court request the

County Attorney or the District Attorney to seek a written opinion from the Attorney's General's Office concerning the matter.

Members of the court agreed to request the opinion and postpone any further action on the matter until the opinion is received.

## Throckmorton Chamber **Banquet Set**

County I hrockmorton. Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet will be held December 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria.

Speaker will be Jerry Heare. He is the Director of Community Development Department of Texas Industrial Commerce in Austin.

The Throckmorton High School Band will entertain.

There will be seventy eight officers announced. There will be an award for Work Horse of the Year.

Tickets will be \$5.00 and can be purchased by writing to the Throckmorton County Chamber of Commerce, Throckmorton, Texas, 76083 or can be purchased at the door.

#### **TURKEY SHOOT**

The Munday Jaycees will sponsor a Turkey Shoot this Saturday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The shoot will be held west of Munday off of the Knox City Highway. Shooting events will include shooting pistols, rifles and shotguns.

#### **2nd Grade**

Sharla Jetton, Robyne Weaver, Steven Klose, Marty Decker, Tommy Hairgrove, Amy Newman, Sandra Thornhill, Kelliann Jennings, Matt Lane, Jason Whitehead, Wayne Geilhausen.

#### **3rd Grade**

Marcy Davis, Patricia Henry, Kelly Klose, George Watson, Julie Roewe, Kelli Gilliam, Mickey Dunnam, Stephen Friedel, Jerry Davis, Angela Donaldson, Mary Lehrer, Billy Mitchell.

4th Grade Kelli Kai Whisenhunt,

Rebecca Holt, David Newman, Kelly Wallace, Michael Wallace, Jill Jennings.

## Christmas Winners Named

Winners in the first Chamber of Commerce drawing last Saturday were: \$100.00 Walter Rhinehart; \$50.00, Brenda Bynum, Mrs. Clyde Hunt, Sandy McGee, Janie Camp, Tim Jones, Herbert Fischer, C.H. Carroll, and George Kilgore.

The next drawing will be held this Saturday at 11 a.m.

#### NOTICE

For the convenience of our customers the Post Office will be open Saturday from 9 to 12 noon on December 10 and 17. Normal services will be provided.

Postmaster Jo Alves asks that you mail early and take extra care in wrapping your packages. Due to the extra volume of mail, the chance of damage has increased. He also recommends that if you mail anything of value, you should insure it. He also recommends not sending money through the mail.

ker. Robert Geilhausen, Shannon Lane.

7th Grade

## J. P. Report

Judge Hubert Bledsoe, Justice Court, Precinct 1, Haskell County, reports a total of 139 convictions for the month of Nov. 1977. 207 traffic and criminal cases were filed by the following law enforcement agencies: Highway Patrol 207. Other Dept. 10, resulting in a total of \$4,121.25 in fines.



IT'S SNOWING at Haskell National Bank, and Jeremy Andress, 2, son of Charles and Laura Andress of Haskell, isn't nearly as excited about the snow or snowman as he it about trying to pet (Staff Photo) the stuffed animals in the exhibit.

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**Campaign** Treasurer

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Pd. for by Grace Williams

Campaign Treasurer

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(re-election)

John Wayne McDermett

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McDermett

Campaign Treasurer.

**COUNTY CLERK** 

Jenny Brazell

**COUNTY JUDGE** 

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### NOTICE **The Haskell Free Press**

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#### NOTICE

Due to the bookkeeping involved and the high postal rates, we ask that you please remembers 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

NOTICE 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 🔅

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### 🔮 For Sale 🍃

FOR SALE: One 1969 Plyand childrens clothing; dishes mouth Fury III Four Door Car. and many misc. items. Wed-Call 864-2681 or 864-2420, or nesday and Thursday only. see Jesse Dean at Dean Sale will be inside if weather is 49-50c Butane Co.

bad. 303 N. Ave. N. FOR SALE: One mirror, 54" x GARAGE SALE: Sale at the 45"; 2 front doors with 3 Haskell Flea Market this staggered glasses, one 36' Saturday and Sunday. Ruby

Turner. 864-2486. 49c 🕻 Bus. Opportunity 🍃 FOR SALE: Hollow core doors **RESPONSIBLE PERSON** sizes 24, 28 and 30" \$2.50 Wanted to own and operate each, Greeting Cards 5c each, candy & confection vending all new glassware and noveltroute. Haskell, Stamford & ies 25% off. Lackey's, Throckmorton Hwy, Haskell, Texas. surrounding area. Pleasant

## 🐔 Miscellaneous 👔

997-2469.

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INSTANT CASH for any good WORK AT HOME in spare merchandise, modern or old. Phone 864-3197 anytime. Lac-\$250 key's, Throckmorton Highenvelopes. Send 25c plus way, Haskell, Texas 27tfc stamped, envelope for more information

**AMERICAN SALES, P.O. Box** I have rented a space at Potpourri (Christine's) Hair 760, Palm Harbor, Florida Fashions. Special on shampoo

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#### 🔮 Real Estate 🔰 🕻 Garage Sales 🕻

49c

#### GARAGE SALE: Boys, ladies HOUSE FOR SALE at 205 N. Av. D. Has 2 bedrooms. Call 864-2681 or 864-2420, or see Jesse Dean at Dean Butane Co. 49-59c 49p

🕄 Legal Notices 💲

NOTICE 1955 Pontiac VIN# 755H14001 will be sold at a public auction twenty days from the date of this ad. Located at City Auto Salvage in Haskell. 49c

FOR SALE: One 600 Ford Tractor located at the country barn at Rule, Texas. Contact Bud Turnbow, Commissioner. Prec. #4 for more information. Bids will be opened at 10 a.m., December 12. 48-49c

## Card of Thanks 💈

**CARD OF THANKS** We want to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to our friends and relatives for the many acts of kindess

extended to us during the loss of our loved one, Alton O. Jones, May God bless each of you. The Family of Alton O. Jones. 49c

#### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our deep gratitude to all the nurses at Leisure Lodge Care Home and the doctors and staff of the Haskell Memorial Hospital for their dedicated care of our loved one, for all our friends who sent cards, flowers and 49p

**CARD OF THANKS** May we take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation for all the beautiful flowers, cards, food, prayers and every loving deed, during the loss of our loved one, Walton W. Nanny. We also want to thank Holden-McCauley, Brother Sistrunk, Brother Sego of Haskell and Brother Eddie Allsup of Abilene for their

78-79 Almanac Pol. Calendar The Haskell Free Press is Now On Sale authorized to make the following announcement

One of America's most spectacularly scenic and remote regions--Texas West of the Pecos--is featured in the new 1978-'79 Texas Almanac, published by A.H. Belo Corp. which also publishes the

Dallas Morning News. In a special article in this edition, Frank X. Tolbert, author and veteran Dallas News columnist who has been wandering around the Trans-Pecos since childhood, calls it "an absolutely unique region" of Texas approximately the physical size of Florida but with less than half a million persons, most of them crowded in El Paso.

Other articles in this featured section include "The Big Bend of Texas," by Mrs. Lee G. Bennett, Marfa teacher; "The Guadalupe Mountains" and "The Davis Mountains, a Land of Contrast," by Dr. Barton H. Warnock, chairman of the Biology Department of Sul Ross State University at Alpine.

The articles are generously illustrated with full color photographs. El Capitan, the dramatic peak in Guadalupe Mountains National Park, is featured on the cover of the Texas Almanac.

Persons interested in traveling to other sections of Texas may be guided by reports on places to visit in Texas West, Texas Heartlands, Texas Woodlands, Texas Gulf Coast

vicinity of San Antonio.



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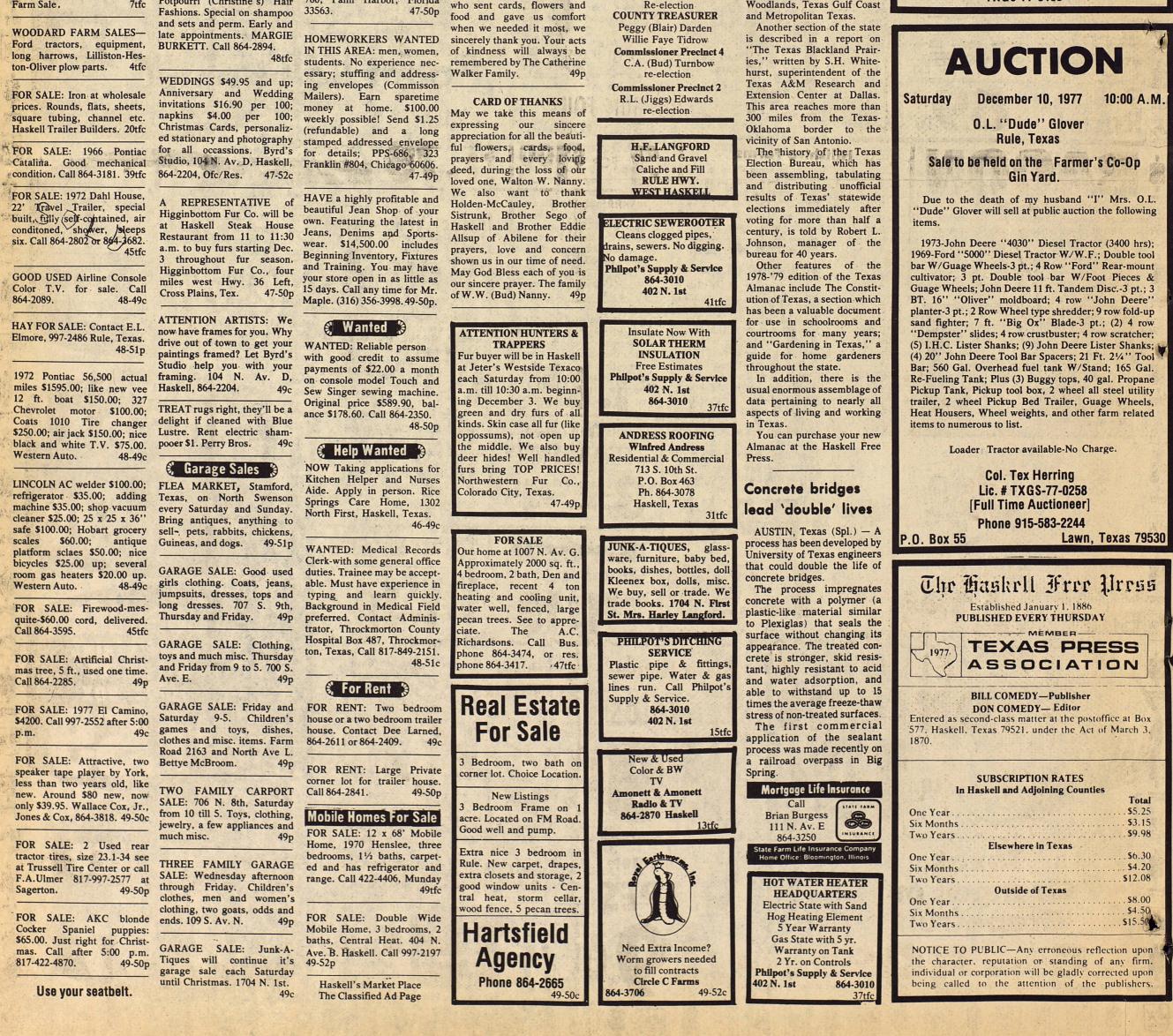
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## Sherman's Auction Barn

**Rule Highway** Haskell, Texas Sunday: Dec. 11, 1977 Time: 1:00 until ?

OLD BARBER SHOP BACKBOARD W/THREE CHAIRS: OLD BARBER SHOP BACKBOARD W/TWO CHAIRS; OLD BARER SHOP SHOESHINE BENCH AND CHAIR; OLD OAK DIST. COUNTY JUDGES BACKBOARD; ANTIQUE WASHING MACHINES; ANTIQUE CLOTHING WARDROBES; OLD PIANO. WERNER: "GLASS TOP" GASOLINE PUMP: MISC. OLD CHEST OF DRAWERS: WATER BED, KING SIZE, COMPLETE W/HEADBOARD: OAK DINING TABLE, OLD W/FIVE TO TEN FT. EXTENSIONS: CABINET RADIOS. OLD; WOOD STOVES, OLD: OLD COVERED WAGON: MISC. GAS HEATING STOVES: OLD SEWING MACHINES: HOSPITAL BED: MISC. DOORS AND WINDOWS, SOME OLD, SOME NOT; OLD WORK BENCH VICES; TWO OLD MINDOWS, SOME OLD, SOME NOT OLD WORK BENCH VICES: WO OLL DEPOT WAGONS; OLD SAFE; OLD GARDEN TOOLS; GAS COOKING STOVES MISC. STEEL BENCH, AND STEEL CABINETS; TWO GASOLINE ELECTRU GENERATORS; OLD COTTON SCALES; WELL BUCKETS; OX YOKES; LOTS OF OLD TOOLS: CHAINS, SOME LONG, SOME SHORT, SOME BIG, SOME SMALL BOOMERS; MISC. BEDS; MISC. END TABLES AND COFFEE TABLES; OLD ELECTRIC WELDER AND WELDING EQUIP.; IRON WASHPOTS; BUNK BEDS. COMPLETE W/MATTRESS AND LADDER, LIKE NEW; USED WASHING MACHINE & DRYER: COUCH, FRENCH PROVINCIAL, NICE; ROUND GAME TABLE AND ARMED LEATHER CHAIRS; 42" ROUND TABLE; LARGE BEDROOM SUIT, FOUR PIECE; BRASS FLOOR LAMPS, NICE; CRANE EMPRESS CLOSET, GOLD, STILL IN CRATE; MISC. OLD 78 RPM RECORDS, DATING FROM 1908 ; LIVING ROOM CONNOR UNIT. COMPLETE W/MATTRESS, NICE. OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION, LOTS OF BOXES

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Sagerton United Methodist

Church and Mrs. Allen Meier

and Mrs. Luther Meier met at

the church Sunday afternoon

for play practice and a

sandwich picnic supper and

then they went on to Rule

where they attended the

musical play put on by the

youth from the Rochester

Methodist Church.



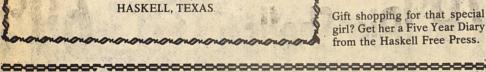
With the harvest season over, we are looking forward to the Christmas holidays with decorations going up and lights coming on. It may be that Christmas lights just show up more out in the country, but it does seem to brighten up our community for travelers coming through as well as the ones in our own vicinity.

Next Sunday afternoon, December 11, from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00, a singing will be held at the Sagerton Methodist Church, and everyone that likes to sing or just listen is asked to come. Anyone who would like to sing a special or any group have a special invitation.



## **RUSS AGRICULTURE** FLYING

**RUSS MATTHEWS, OWNER** HASKELL, TEXAS.



moeller.

Mrs. Frances Meier and Mrs. Jean Meier are directors of the play. Everyone is invited.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer last Saturday were: Bernhardt Ernst and daughter, Sharon, of Tahoka and Mrs. Olga Stegemoeller of Slaton. return. Sharon was here to enroll at Hendricks School of Nursing. Other guests were: Mr. and Larry Cornelson of Mrs. Lewisville and Mrs. Will Stegemoeller and C.E.

Methodist Church, entitled, Mrs. John Clark and her "What You Do on a Rainy Day in the Ark?" at the Rule sister, Mrs. Louell Fenner, of Nocona accompanied Joe Clark to Corpus Christi last The Sagerton Youth will present their Christmas play, week where they visited with their brother, Carl Smith, who entitled, "A Stranger in is critically ill. On Saturday, Town" on Wednesday even-Mrs. Fenner's daughters, ing, December 21, and the congregation will have their Noma Martin of Iowa Mrs. Park and her daughter, Mrs. Christmas Tree at that time. Bill Dennis of Nocona, and Mrs. Lavine Taylor of Potts-

Stegemoeller.

boro, came to take her back home. Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. M.Y. Benton attended a birthday party in honor of Evangelyn Clark, nine-year

old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark, in Albany Sunday. Dutch Cross.

visited with Mamie Alley. Mrs. B. Kupatt had several old friends to drop in and visit Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Vanderworth of Houston visited with her Saturday. They were: Mrs. Olga Stegemoeller, of Martin Letz. Slaton, Mrs. Fred Schroeder

David and Diane Follstaedt and Mrs. Walter Schroeder of of Alburquerque, N.M., visit-Slaton, and Mrs. August ed with Martha Kretschmer. Balzer and Mrs. Will Stege-Visiting with Velda Carter was Gladys Summers from Stamford.

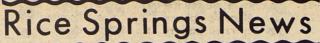
> Visiting with Mattie Peavy was her son, Don and Bea Peavy from Freeport. Hazel Moore of Independence, Mo., visited with Willie

Rose. Visitors of Trudie Bush included: Mr. and Mrs. Arlis The infant son of Mr. and Brothers and daughters, and Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman, Chad Wayne was baptized at Earlene Smith of Rule, Billy Sellers of Abilene, and Aubrey Faith Lutheran Church Sun-Spalding of Hamlin. Mrs. day morning. Sponsors were: Bush spent a joyful Thanks-giving Day with her son, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Hank Bryant. and Mrs. Cleo Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Spadling of Hamlin, Mrs. Opal Striker, and Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Brothers, Sandra Charity Bradley. recovering from her surgery.

Mrs. Dorothy Strickland of Rochester, and Mr and Mrs. James Turner of Watsonville, Calif., visited with Stella Josselet.

The ladies from the Haskell Lutheran Church came out Thursday afternoon and sang Christmas Carols for all the



The East Side Baptist residents, and served cookies Church brought the Sunday and fruit. All the residents had services. Everyone has cera very good time. tainly enjoyed these services Phemister Ida and looking forward to their

Thanksgiving Day in Weinert with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler Marvin Phemister. Visiting of Ardmore, Okla., visited with Mrs. Phemister was Mr. with Mae Bell Turnbow. and Mrs. Raymond Boykin Williard Jones went to and children of Vernon.

Stamford Thanksgiving Day and spent the day visiting with visited with Ethel Edwards. friends and relatives. David H. Jones of Basking Sandra and Karla visited with

Ridge, N.J., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague. R.T. Chenault of Clyde, visited with Annie Jones.

visited with her mother Dessie Bobby Sego and Mr. and Marion. Mrs. Bill Hess of Dallas, and Cleo Mondy went out and Judy Berry, Jason and David had Thanksgiving Dinner with of Abilene visited with Ola friends, and had a very nice Isbell. Mrs. Isbell spent time. Thanksgiving day with her Evelyn Green of Ft. Worth, daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hallie Morgan of Rule, and Sego.

Mary Morgan of Alvin visited A Thanksgiving party was with Ora McCollough. given for all the residents. Louisa Archibald, Cookies and punch were Kellie, and Jo, of Oklahoma served. Everyone would like to City, Okla., visited with Andy thank Gloria Overcash, and Cox. Betty Sue Lacey who donated Visitors of Herbert Klump cookies, and to Mae Brock for

included: Cecil Klump, Allen helping with the serving. and Hazel Letz and Odine Mr. and Mrs. Sam West of Spitzer from Old Glory, Mr. Lubbock visited with Jim and and Mrs. Wylie Roberts of Kaufman, Paul and Peggy Leonard Rogers of Ft. Worth Tabb from Deer Park, Zo Encke of Anson, and Cliff

Good from N.S.N. Australia. Lon and Eva Jo McMillin, and Lonnie Jo of Ruidosa, N.M., visited with John McMillin.

Alvena Holle visited with the Clancy Lehrmanns Thanksgiving Day. Visitors of Mrs. Holle were, Bernard Letz of Old Glory, Rev. John Striepe of Brownwood, Mrs. Norvell Lehrmann of Rule, and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Schwartz of Snyder. Mrs. Holle visited with Mrs. Otto Lehrmann in Sagerton on Thursday.

Mrs. Immalee Smith, Mrs. Hazel Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Verner of Rule, and Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Post of Abilene visited with Alma Cole.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford included: G.A. Bradford and Brenda and Troy Meadows of Peacock, Fave Cox of Clairmont, and Mr. and and Karla of Rule visited with Mrs. A.E. Brothers of Rule.

#### Mrs. Tidrow **Announces** For date **Co.** Treasurer

made to the voters at a later

I have authorized the-Haskell Free Press to announce my candidacy for County Treasurer. I am employed and have been for years in the County Extension Office as secretary. I am fully aware of the duties of the County Treasurer. I feel I am a qualified person for the Treasurer's Office.

spent

Will,

Lorene Lewellen of Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Brothers,

Essie Long of Childress

To those of you that do not know me, I have lived in Haskell Co. all my life, being reared in the Paint Creek Community. My parents are Bill and Lena Petrich, a retired farmer and semi-retired nurse. I am married to Gaston Tidrow of Haskell and we have two children, Sonja, 15 and

Barry, 13. A formal statement will be

Marriage Licenses .

Marriage licenses issued during the month of November, by County Clerk Jenny Brazell included: Stephen Wayne Michaels and Betty Lea Newsom,

Rochester. B.D. Kirkland, Sr. and Ruth

Fay Moore, Haskell. Robert Henry Martini and Pam Lee Melton, Stamford. Manuel Paul Flores, Rule, and Sarah Ann Cortez, Haskell.

Paul Douglas Strickland, Rochester, and Venetia Charlynn Rogers, Knox City. Robert Wayne Grametbaur

Roby, and Joy Faye Moeller, Weinert.

Herman Fred Baitz, Sagerton, and Tami Rogene Letz, Rule.

John Franklin Wootan, and Emma Alice Wootan.

Arturo Sanches Ledezma and Sylvia Gonzales Ortiz, Hamlin.

Willie Karl Moeller, Weinert, and Betty Jane Taylor, Knox City.

Andres Frasto Hernandez, Rochester, and Marianita Vela Knox City.

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Lone Star Gas suggests

A tight house is more economical to heat and cool. Insulation is the number one way to save, and the recommended minimum for most homes in this area is R-26\* in the attic, R-19\* in the walls. Weatherstrip windows and doors, caulk cracks and crevices. Consider the installation of storm windows. Use drapes and blinds to control temperatures. Find a conservative thermostat setting that's right for your family, then avoid unnecessary thermostat changes.

Maintain maximum efficiency of your units by having a competent serviceman inspect them spring and fall. Dirty filters cause equipment to work harder and use more energy, so inspect them every 30 days. Clean permanent filters according to manufacturer's directions, replace disposable filters as needed.



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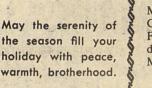
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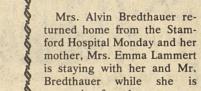
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## Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Galindo and family of Lewisville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leopoldo Galindo last weekend.





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## Employee of the Month



Leona Carter, Licensed Vocational Nurse at Haskell Memorial Hospital was honored by being chosen "Employee of the Month" for the month of December by a popular vote of her fellow employees.

Leona is a "new-comer" to the staff since she has only been with us for 30 years. She is OR Scrub Nurse, works in the OB Department and fills in on the hall. Leona is affectionately known as the "green machine" because most often she is dressed in her green scrub suit and is ready for surgery or delivery.

Leona is the mother image for all at the hospital even though she has no children of her own.

Leona is able to recall many incidents that have happened down through the years. Some were happy and some sad. Her many years of service and her sharp memory has answered lots of questions.

Quotes from ballots are "kind and caring to patients, dependable, and always there when needed."

She is a member of the First Baptist Church.

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Her hobbies are taking care of all her "adopted" children. Leona is an asset to her community and to the hospital.

Congratulations, Leona, on being chosen "Employee of the Month."

**Haskell Memorial** 

Hospital

## **Cotton Classing**

Cotton prices were steady to slightly higher last week, according to Sidney Ferrell, in charge of the Munday Classing Office. Prices paid ranged from 42.25 to 43.80 cents per pound for mixed lots of grade 42 and higher.

Grade 32 continued as the predominant grade accounting for 58 percent of the cotton classed. Grade 42 accounted for 28 percent and grade 41 was 10 percent. The predominant staple length was staple 32 with 66 percent. Staple 31 accounted for 18 percent and staple 33 accounted for 14 percent. Pressley strength readings averaged 85,000 pounds per square inch. Micronaire readings in the desirable range accounted for 96 percent of the cotton tested.

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6.50%, 1-Year	1,000.00	6.72%	1,067.15
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1,000.00 Minimum	10,000.00	6.72%	<b>1</b> 0,671.53
5.75%, 90 Day Notice	1,000.00	5.92%	1,014.48
Certificate,	5,000.00	5.92%	5,072.39
500.00 Minimum	10,000.00	5.92%	10,144.78
5.25% Passbook	1,000.00	5.39%	1,053.90
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## Letters To The Editor

(EDITORS NOTE: The Haskell Free Press will publish letters to the Editor dealing with any subject. All letters must be signed but names will be withheld by request. All letters are subject to editing for length and liability.)

DITORS NOTE: The followarticle by Mrs. Lynn Rinehart, was prepared recently through research obtained in the Abilene Public Library. She will be happy to furnish further information and sources upon request.) **BY LYNN RINEHART** 

When was the last time you were approached by a clean cut, blank-faced looking young man or woman, asking for some "change" to help take young people off the streets and show them the way to Jesus Christ. These young thanks that passers-by think



people are frequently seen in the parking lots of discount stores, fast food restaurants and on the streets downtown. They will be especially abundant with the Christmas season when people are a bit looser with their money and can't turn down a nice young man or polite young lady. Thoughts often lead to their own son, daughter or grandchild who may get on the wrong track some day. You may hand him dollar with a sweet God

answers. Bless You and receive a small It seems that when Sun token candy with enough Myung Moon was deep in praver sometime around his 

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a serious recommendation turn into blank faced robots They are so strongly indoctrin

you handed him a blank check. Perhaps you just handed this persistent young person a quarter to make him go away. Who are these people,

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periodicals section to get some

16th birthday, Jesus Christ

appeared to him with a

mission to be accomplished.

Evidently Christ had not

fulfilled His mission here on

earth when He met His

untimely death. According to

Yoo Hyo Won, one of Moon's people, humanity is divided into the spiritual realm and

the physical realm. Jesus' body was taken over by satan

so He could not accomplish the physical salvation only the spiritual salvation. According to this, we still have physical

bodies in need of salvation. It is taught that this will come in the form of the new Messiah

where does that money really go? This is the standard M.O. This is just a very brief as it's called on the detective outline of what is behind that stories or method of operation blank look on the solicitors as we understand it. These face. No. friends this is not people are from the Unificajust happening on the big tion Church and are commonly cities on the coast or in New called "Moonies", getting their name from Rev. Sun York. It's right in your own back yard. Myung Moon, their resident This group is buying up lots prophet. As for their church

near Tarrytown, New York doctrine, upon asking one of and there is speculation that these young people about it, they will build a major center they mumble something about or university. This is being Jesus Christ and then explain done with your money. This that it's too hard to explain. It project alone has run into the took this writer an afternoon at \$5 million bracket, so far.

The next time you are approached on the street and asked for a donation, find out who is getting the money and for what. This is a free country and you have the freedom of choice to support or not support any cause you desire. However, you have a responsibility to know what or who you are supporting. Is the organization that you hand

over your hard earned money

that they were sent to to helping with the problems of America or adding to them. different parts of the country and their children were placed If you want to help people, as most of us do especially at this in a Moon operated nursery and told that Rev. and Mrs. time of year, give to your Moon were their parents. charities. You know the money will be put to good use. If you

want to see something done with your money contact the administrator of your favorite project and ask what they need, then purchase it for them. They will be very grateful, you will be satisfied that it has been put to good use, you have helped someone who really needs help and you can get a tax deduction.

out performed! The most important thing to remember not only as a consumer but as a neighbor trying to help-know what you're buying before you spend. Mrs. Lynn Rinehart this past one has been.

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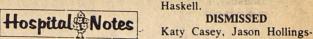
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Sincerely,

**Bobbie Williams** 

The HASKELL FREE PRESS-Thursday, December 8, 1977-Page 5 that our courageous team won



ADMISSIONS MEDICAL: Janice Albro, Abilene, Cleo Harris, Haskell, group of talented young Burnie Norman, Rule; Thomas Grusendorf, Haskell; Willie Goad, Haskell; Lillian Cole, the twirlers, the cheerleaders Rule and the entire band did a

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team. They worked very hard for many hours preparing routines and drills. On occa-Shur-Way Pest Control sion they may have been out numbered but they were never I am very proud of our **Pest & Termites** Indian Football Team and our Indian Marching Band and am looking forward to the 1978 PROFESSIONAL PEST CONTROL SINCE season that will be just as 1959 exciting and as rewarding as HOME OWNED AND OPERATED K.L. Strickland-Owner 817-743-3429 **Rochester**, Texas

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woman and give birth to perfect children thus purifying mankind of the original sin. Korea is to be the new Israel and Moon claims to be able to prove that the Messiah was born there some fifty years ago. They teach that the 19th chapter of the book of Revelation was fulfilled in 1960. That also happened to be the year that Moon married his present wife Hak-Ja Han. All this may seem like just interesting reading material but it's very real. These young people on our streets are taking money that is given to them and putting it to use for such things as the impressive sounding "International Con- ference" which appears to be somewhat of an anti-climax. They do indeed have a place to help get kids off the streets. However, these good samarit- ians help kids by keeping them against their will, alienating them from their families, pastors, and friends. After a period of time with the organization these once bright eager, loving American kids turn into blank faced robots. They are so strongly indoctrin- ated into this cult that they	Slab Sliced Bacon	98 <sup>c</sup> Bell Peppers Ead	10°		
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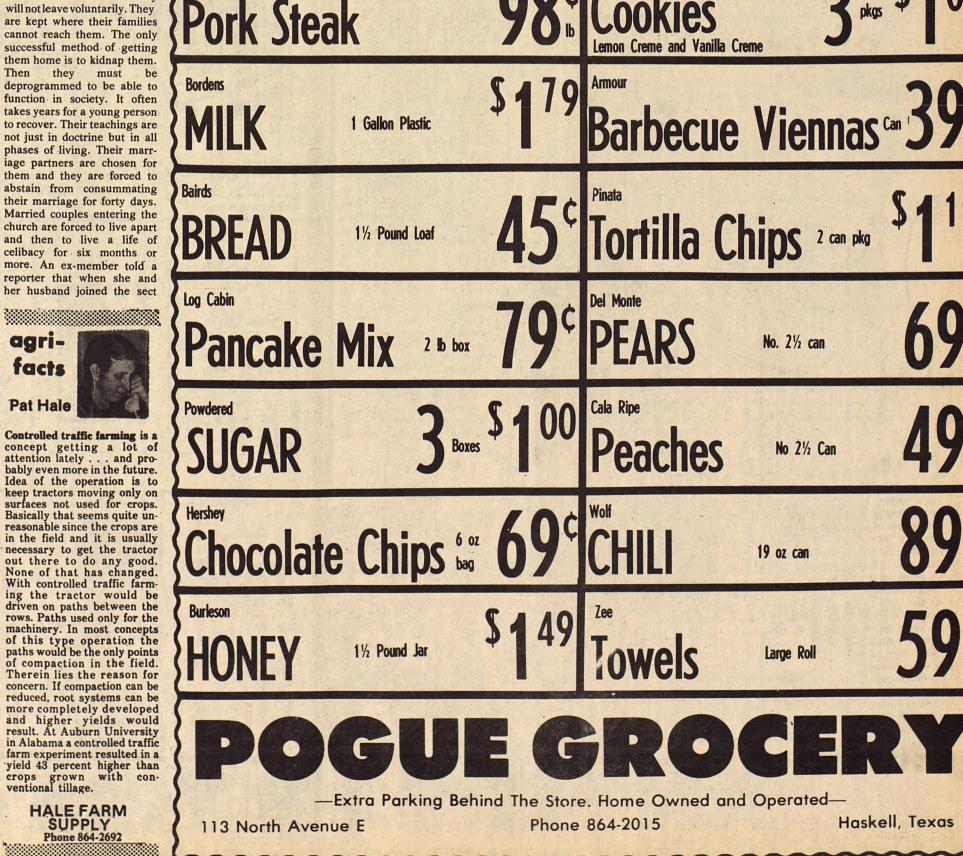


ated into this cult that they will not leave voluntarily. They are kept where their families cannot reach them. The only successful method of getting them home is to kidnap them. Then they must be deprogrammed to be able to function in society. It often takes years for a young person. to recover. Their teachings are not just in doctrine but in all phases of living. Their marriage partners are chosen for them and they are forced to abstain from consummating their marriage for forty days. Married couples entering the church are forced to live apart and then to live a life of celibacy for six months or more. An ex-member told a reporter that when she and her husband joined the sect agrifacts Pat Hale **Controlled traffic farming** is a concept getting a lot of attention lately . . . and probably even more in the future.

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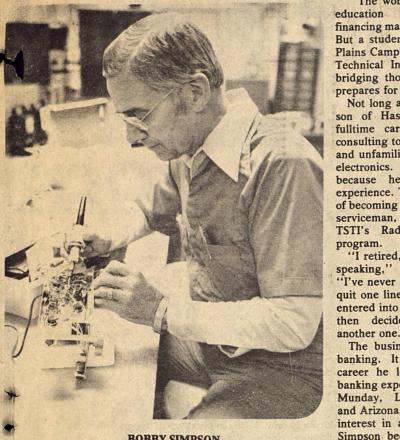
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The worlds of vocational classes fulltime at TSTI, he education and banking/ also lives in the dormitory. His financing may sound far apart. goal is to eventually open his But a student on the Rolling own shop in his hometown. Plains Campus of Texas State "I enjoy doing everything," Technical Institute (TSTI) is Simpson said in explaining his bridging those worlds as he decision to switch careers at prepares for a new career. age 53. "Never in my life have Not long ago, Bobby Simp-I found something I couldn't go if I applied myself." son of Haskell gave up a

fulltime career in financial But he is also realistic about consulting to enter a different the difficulties involved in that and unfamiliar career world-decision

"Unfamiliar," "This is the hardest thing I because he had had no have ever taken," he said, admitting he didn't know even experience. To attain his goal of becoming a radio-television how to read a schematic serviceman, he enrolled in diagram when he enrolled at TSTI's Radio/TV Servicing TSTI.

The program is no 12-week miracle course designed to "I retired, in a mannaer of speaking," Simpson said. produce electornics "experts" 'I've never actually retired. I on an assembly line basis. It is quit one line of business and a challenging, year-long proentered into another one, and gram of basic and advanced then decided to go into work leading to a certificate for those who complete their

The business he quit was work successfully. Already, banking. It was a 22-year Simpson has built two simple career he left behind, with radios, a vacuum tube voltmeter and a radio frequency banking experience in Haskell Munday, Levelland, Dallas generator. He has yet to touch and Arizona. After selling his a television set.

interest in an Arizona bank. Simpson said he has had no Simpson became involved in trouble adjusting to the role of financial consulting work. a student.

Travel, including some over-'It doesn't bother me at all seas, was a part of that career. to sit in a class with instructors The desire to be with his over it, because I came here to family back home in Haskell learn something," Simpson has brought Simpson to the said. "I believe I'm treated threshhold of yet another just as a student by the career and the experience of instructors."

being a fulltime student all Simpson said he has had over again (he attended excellent rapport with the other students at TSTI, all of Abilene Christian University after World War II Marine whom in the radio/television-Corps service but did not class are younger than he. He has attempted to shun a role Simpson not only attends as class leader.

> "I felt that I have had my day in that," Simpson explained." (The Students) need to be up and leading. They know that I will do anything I can to help them. They're all real friendly, and I respect them for that and I know that they respect me. It's a nice situation.

Adjusting to life in a dormitory has been something of a problem, Simpson admitted. The loud music preferred by some dorm residents tends to interfere with those who want to study and sleep. But that problem is beginning to diminish now, Simpson add-

The toughest adjustment has been living away from home, Simpson said. Actually, he spends only Monday, Tuesday and Thursday nights on-campus. That means a 74-mile drive four times a

## Around Town

stories high, in the Dallas

Petroleum Club. Sunday they

attended the Dallas Cowboy

and Philadelphia football

**Delorese Blakley and Jessie** 

game and toured Dallas.

Dewey.

Pittcock.

#### By Lisa and Mary

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jircik during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hickman, Jennifer, Tommy and Dallas of Stamford and Frank Paul Jircik of Galveston. Frank Paul is a Freshman Medical Student of the Galveston Branch of University of Texas Medical

School. The Senior Citizens will meet December 14 at 11:30 in the Community Room. This will be their Christmas Dinner. The ham will be furnished and ladies are asked to bring covered dishes as usual. This versities. will be the only meeting in December. They will meet

again January 11, 1978. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dewey, Mickey and Lynn were in Memphis last Saturday to attend the wedding shower of her brother, Robert Snider and Miss Patricia Wheeler. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gilliam and future potential. were guests of Attorney and

Mrs. Ken Fugua in Dallas Saturday and Sunday. They attended a party at the top of the First National Bank Building, which was forty-nine

#### Talking animals!

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) -"Quiet, please. Animals communicating." That could be the slogan for a University of Texas scien-

tist who has documented that gerbils communicate with each other through ultrasonic calls (unheard by humans) and olfactory cues.

Dr. Delbert Thiessen says gerbils emit an ultrasonic sound by compressing their lungs through sudden body movements to pass air over their larynxes. Gerbils also use glandular secretions as cues for grooming and marking territory.

> The sounds and scents, communicating subtle messages as to sex and well-being, are important in helping gerbils choose genetically fit mates, says Dr. Thiessen.

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week. Weekends are spent in Haskell. What has Simpson learned

about himself so far? "I've learned that I can do something I wasn't sure I could do. When I came, I didn't know whether I could do it or not. But I decided I was going to do it, even if it took me two years for the one-year course. I'm not going to quit. I'd defeat my whole purpose in coming," he said. Simpson said he feels no loss in giving up the "prestige" of a banking/financing career in favor of electronics servicing.

"Just an ordinary person who loves what he's doing has it over people in high prestige positions who are not happy. You can have all the money in the world and high positions. All you've got is multiplied problems.

"If you're working in a community and you're respected in that community and you love the people there and they love you--that's everything in the world anybody would want."

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## WASHINGTON "As It Looks From Here'' **Omar Burleson** Congressman - 17th District

WASHINGTON, D.C.-IN ONE FORM OR AN-OTHER, DOOM HAS AL-WAYS BEEN a best seller and, in many instances, profitable. The production and distribution of doom have sales outlets to be admired by Sears, Wards and General Motors.

THE DOOM IDEAS CROP UP in relgious, political and economic versions. For decades, it has appeared in population projections, I.Q. studies and weather. Universal doomsday-the end of the world-at a specific time has been sold to thousands on innumerable occasions. No one's money was ever refunded when the time came and went uneventfully. We would assume that there have been many customers satisfied with the mere foreboding.

WHY DOOM IS POPULAR evidently remains a trade secret-like the flavoring of Coca Cola or the batter used on Colonel Sanders' fried chicken.

PROPHETS OF THE DOOM HAVE BEEN MAIN-TAINED by constantly updating classic models. When science became sort of a economist, John Keynes, and

religion, doom began to appear in graphs, equations and computer printouts. The trick of sounding specific while being vague has taken on statistical dimensions. For instance, we may be told that 40 million Americans are gored to death by bulls each year and another indefinite number pulverized by pile drivers or otherwise subjected to death, disease and pesti-

lence. Some of these can be found in "movements" and social agencies and in Government FACTS MIGHT BE CALL-ED A RIVAL PRODUCT but are more often defeated in attempts to compete with the doomsayers. Population ex-

plosions have, since the 18th century, been a favorite in the doom industry and continue to be in many parts of the world. IN THE 1930'S , AN

UNDERPOPULATION MODEL WAS MARKETED with equal success. Doom was promised on the basis of declining growth which would reduce demand and bring on unemployment massive throughout the western world.

This idea was endorsed by the

use of both.

LIKE CATSUP, DOOM GOES WITH A LOT OF THINGS.

## **Haskell County Shares** WITHIN A LITTLE MORE Texas Travel Dollars

THAN TWO DECADES, overpopulation staged a comeback under the same argument \$1,890,700 of the State's advanced by Mathus in the \$6,075,952,000 travel receipts

18th century in 1976, a national study PROMOTERS OF DOOM commissioned by the Texas usually have only to produce Tourist Development Agency the theories but prove nothing. Some are like the has disclosed. The 1976 figures reflect an temperature having risen 15 increase of 13 percent in travel degrees since early morning and, should it continue at that same rate, we would all be burned to a crisp before the

by a representative of the

American Economic Associa-

tion

week is out. SOME LEGISLATION IN THE CONGRESS often will have some form of doom atmosphere in its support. At present, an example is the energy bill. The exhaustion of our natural resources, and particularly oil and gas, was assumed until some analyst

fed more realistic assumptions U.S. Travel Data Center in into the computer and out came the result that we had several centuries supply of petroleum and natural gas. SOME POLITICIANS ARE public and private sectors. It was based on the Center's

a package of "leadership." Sometimes, it goes like this, "You are almost doomed but I can save you." Some political philosophers will tell us that our salvation requires us to surrender our money and our misused freedom to our "leader" who can make good

## Travel Haskell County received

Economic Impact Model which breaks out a state's share of the national travel market on a county-bycounty basis.

The model measures the economic impact of all travel involving overnight trips away from home, and day trips at least 100 miles or more from home. Thus it includes travel by Texans as well as out-ofstate visitors, for all purposes. It includes estimates of the traveler's spending at home in prepartation for the trip, his

spending en route, and that at his destination. Basic data for the model came from the National Travel Survey, conducted every five years by the U.S. Census Bureau, and from the Center's own National Travel Expenditure Model.

It was the latter which estimated that in 1975 Texas had dislodged New York for third place in the nation's

travel industry. The figures, however, show Texas back in fourth place behind California. Florida, and New York

"We're pleased that travel research techniques have finally developed to the point that states can determine where, within their boundaries, travel dollars are spent and travel-related jobs exist." said Frank Hildebrand, executive director of the Texas Tourist Development Agency.

"Now we can trace travel's considerable economic impact on a county-by-county basis, observe changing patterns annually, and help direct the rapid growth of this burgeoning industry.'

HASKELL FREE PRESS rehabilitation. These students Please tell us who--Elopeswill receive two checks in guests--Goes away--Has at the new rate and another for the amount of the retroactive fire--Is ill--Has an operaton-increase for October. Wins a prize--Receives an award--Makes a speech--Moves to Haskell--Holds a meeting--Takes part in any unusual event. That's NEWS and we want it.

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Administration

extra amount for October. the

A 6.6 per cent increase in

VA payments to veteran

students was part of the "GI

Bill Improvement Act of 1977"

signed into law November 23

The legislation made the

increases effective October 1,

Veterans

announced today.

by President Carter.

## **VA** News

Veterans' education assist- rate of \$292. January and subsequent checks will be ance checks due December 1 will include the new higher \$311 for single, full time rate for November plus an students.

Monthly payments for veterans with one dependent were increased from \$347 to \$370. and for veterans with two dependents, from \$396 to \$422

monthly. For each additional dependent. the extra allowance rose from \$24 to \$26. The "GI Bill Improvement

Act of 1977" also increased VA tutorial assistance payments, the hourly rate for VA work-study payments and the maximum amount of a VA education loan.

Also in the act were a number of changes which will affect VA's administration of the veterans' education pro-December - one for November gram through state approving agencies and participating schools. Implementing instructions on these provisons are now being developed at VA

time students will receive a December check of \$330--\$38 more than the November check which was at the old

Single veterans who are full Central Office in Washington.

Use your seatbelt.





receipts over 1975 when Haskell County's travel business accounted for \$1,674,000. In addition to gross receipts the study found that Haskell

County in 1976 had 70 of the state's 227,258 travel-related jobs, with an annual payroll of \$369.100. It also estimated \$75,200 in

state and \$16,200 in local taxes were paid by county visitors in 1976. The study was done by the

Washington, D.C., an independent travel research organization funded jointly by

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Dies--Has an accident--Has a party--Gets married--Has

so the extra amount for October will be paid in the next check along with the full new rate for November, VA said. The one exception is the case of students in vocational



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saving of our soil and water

resources. Keep up the good

The Fort Worth District,

initiated Phase I, the advance

planning studies on the

Natural Salt Pollution Study,

The study will include a

review of the recommended

project under current econo-

work. Rochester.

**Conservation Viewpoints USDA Soil Conservation Service** Assisting Haskell Soil and Water **Conservation District** 

Congratulations to the City of Rochester's Water Department, and the entire City Council. After several years of intensive study, plan development, and expenditure of Corps of Engineers, has funds, Rochester has finally succeeded in purifying their water supply beyond the limits set by the Texas Health Brazos River Basin, Texas. Department. This is a great achievement.

Pure water is as much a goal of the Haskell Soil and Water mic, environmental, social, Conservation District as the and engineering conditions.



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The study area will include the watershed area of the Salt Fork of the Brazos River and Croton Creek. The area of study includes parts of Crosby Dickens, King, Garza, Kent,

the air at Leisure Lodge. We Bartley, and there were 25 and Stonewall Counties. appreciate the little elves, or The project, when completwhom ever decorated one ed, will vitally affect the runoff water entering the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos night. It was a pleasant surprise to come in and find everything decorated so pretty. We also thank the River just west of Jud. The study could have far reaching ladies from the Trinity Luthebenefits toward the control of salt polluting areas within the eran Church for their gift of Haskell Soil & Water Consercookies and fruit. We do appreciate the ladies taking vation District, and an imtime off from their busy provement in conditions that could lead to better water schedule to prepare the quality for Paint Creek Reserdelicious home baked cookies. voir (Lake Stamford) and from Seymour visited Mrs. Miller Creek Reservoir, Has-Lillie Bradley. kell's new water supply.

visited her grandmother, Mrs. To the irrigation farmers of Rudy Moon. the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District, our ors were: Mrs. Jimmy Reid advice is to start early. Now is and Mrs. Ben Glover from the time to prepare land for Rochester. Visiting Mary pre-plant irrigation. Don't Alice Smith were Mrs. Dora wait until January or Febru-Freeby, Mrs. Sallie Sanders ary. Time may not permit and Mr. and Mrs. George covering all the land that you Gray all from Weinert. need to pre-water. It will take considerable time to refill the honored on Thanksgiving by soil profile due to the going out to her daughters for extended length of dry weather we have experienced. Early pre-plant irrigation

your operations. The long-

range forecasts indicate a

dryer than normal winter, so

prepare now. Of course, the

economics of irrigation has a

Soil Conservation Service

personnel will be glad to assist

you with any problems that

conservation problems.

**District Conservationist** 

J.C. Yeary, Jr.

big bearing on your plans.

will put you in charge of farming operations and management rather than letting BIR' the weather or time dictate

Hospital.

looking forward to having Mr. and Mrs. James Lynn Father Bartley, of Merkel, announce Catholic Church at 3:45. the birth of a son, Billy Ray Bartley, born December 5, 1977, weighing 6 lb. 13 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospit-**Basketball** 

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Keith and Maidens opened their Moore, of Abilene, announce basketball season against the birth of a son, Brandon Munday. The 7th grade girls Keith Moore, born December were defeated by Munday to 3, 1977, weighing 6 lb. at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

announce the birth of a son, Kenneth Ray, born November 22, 1977, at the Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 1/2 oz. Kenn-has a big sister, Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newberry, of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sammons, of Haskell. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Russell

## STOCK MARKET

LeisureLodgeNews The Market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was active and strong on both cattle and hogs on a run of an estimated 900 head of cattle and 151 hogs at their sale, according to James Powell, market report-James M. Shaw recently were:

Order Buyers were active on cattle going to wheat grazing and corn field belts in Oklahoma and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Terrell Bulls: Bologna, 27-32; light, from Okla. City, Mr. and Mrs. 34-41. David Bradley and baby, Okla. Butcher Cows: Fat 23-26; City, and Mr. and Mrs. canner and cutter, 18 to 23; Mancill Shaw from El Paso. old shells 10 to 18. Rev. and Mrs. Jack Key Butcher calves and yearlfrom Abilene visited Mrs. ings: Choice 30 to 34; good 28 to 30; standard 23 to 28.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Ray Feeder steer yearlings: were: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Choice 36 to 42; good 33 to 36; Ray from Houston, Mr. and common-medium 26 to 33. Mrs. L.A. Ray and girls from Feeder heifer yearlings: Stephenville, and Mrs. Audra Choice 33 to 35; good 30 to 33; common-medium 25 to 30. We extend our smypathy to Stocker steer yearlings:

Good and choice 40 to 44; common-medium 30 to 40. Stocker heifer yearlings: Good and choice 33 to 35; common-medium 30 to 40. Stocker heifer yearlings: Good and choice 33 to 35; common-medium 26 to 33. Stocker steer calves: Choice 40 to 46; good 35 to 40; com.-med. 26 to 35. Stocker heifer calves: Choice 34 to 36; good 30 to 34;

com.-med. 25 to 30.

Cows and Calves: Choice pairs 240 to 280 per head; good pairs 225 to 240; plain pairs 180 to 225.

Stocker cows: Choice 27 to 30 per lb.; plain 23 to 27.

Top on Hogs was 40.50, with the bulk of butcher hogs selling from 39.50 to 40,59 sows from 30 to 32; and feature shoats 10 to 27.50 per head. Boars: 25-26-350 lb. to 600 lb.; 26-30 lt. wts.



**Tuesday night Mexican Buffet Thursday night Catfish Buffet** annonmononmonononono

## **Plan Now To Attend Rule's 1977 Christmas Program** Sat. Dec. 17th

Pet Parade 2:00 P.M. Following Parade - A Visit From Old Santa.

> **Christmas Carols Directed By Ann Wilson**

**Arts and Crafts Show and Sale** 

Drawing 4:00 P.M.

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## **Joe Williams Announces** For **District Judge**

Joe Williams, Haskell attorney, has authorized the Haskell Free Press to announce that he is a candidate for nomination of the Democratic Party for the office of Judge of the 39th Judicial District of Texas, at the primary election to be held on May 6, 1978. A formal

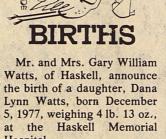
statement with reference to his candidacy will be issued at

ter.

you might have regarding your irrigation system. We also invite any other of your al.

season.

#### the tune of 22-16. The 8th grade girls won by a score of 29-21. The 8th boys were Mr. and Mrs. Mike defeated by Munday 21-19. Newberry are proud to All three teams showed some promise and with some hard, dedicated work, each team should have a successful



Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Jones

Lavern Sturdy from Irving

Mrs. Carrie Edwards visit-

Mrs. Bessie Piland was

Christmas is definately in lunch, Mr. and Mrs. John

guests from Abilene, Rule,

away and daughters from

Roswell, N.M., Mr. and Mrs.

Warren Foster from Houston.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Clyde, Anson and Haskell.

so Mr. and Mrs. David Gann-

Olga Tribbey.

Holsapple from Lubbock.

Catherine Walker.

the Walker family in the loss

of their loved one, Mrs.

The monthly birthday party

was held on Monday afternoon

by the ladies from the Adult IV

Sunday School Class from the

First Baptist Church with Mrs.

Opal Nanny as chairman.

Cookies and Punch was served

with plate flavors of small

Christmas wreaths with

peppermint candy in the

center. Those having birth-

days were: Beulah Lackey and

Sunday was the last for Rev.

Jimmy Griffith and the East

Side Baptist Church. We will

be looking forward for them to

come again, and during the

month of Dec. we will be

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Dr. and Mrs. Robert W. Herren annouce the birth of a son, Robert Hunter Herren who arrived on Nov. 29, 1977 at Presbyterian Hospital in Dallas. Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton (Bud) Herren and great grandmother, Mrs. Angie Mullino of Haskell.

Toliver, Mrs. Mattie Samm-

ons, all of Haskell and Mrs.

Eunice Newberry of Roches-

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## Voters of the **101st** Legislative District. . . .

I will be a candidate for renomination in the Democratic Primary of May 6, 1978, for the office of Representative in the 66th Texas Legislature.

Due to uncertain world conditions, next year's election will be of unusual importance. All of us are hopeful that no emergency will develop. But it is something more than a possibility. Whether it is national or international in scope it will have an important bearing on public affairs in Texas.

There are no problems in Texas affairs at this time. We have no new taxes. We are operating under a balanced budget. Revenues are sufficient to meet our needs and maintain economic growth.

In any event, however, the need for experienced leadership in the legislative branch of State Government was never greater. Impact on the legislative process takes place in committee. My seniority assures my membership on committees whose jurisdiction includes matters of special concern to the people of our section of the State.

A majority of House members are now elected from counties which have large cities. The only effective means of protecting interests of people living in small towns and rural areas is to have a voice in the decisions of key committees.

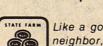
I appreciate your support in the past hope you will see fit to renew my commission to represent you in State Government.

W. S. (Bill) HEATLY

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## **Charlie Franklin Coaching Track**

is still a way off and, though it remains to be seen what kind of laurels the team will achieve, the two young men ng the squad hold enough honors on their own to impress any of the Stings' opponents.

Head coach Zoe Simpson and his assistant Charlie Franklin are a couple of gents who know what speed is all about and are enthusiastic about passing what they've learned on to their runners.

Both men played for their high school track and football teams but each dropped one to concentrate on what they did best. For Simpson it was track, while Franklin stayed

Both are modestly built, 24-years old, and this is the first year for the two at Victoria. But that's pretty much where the similarity ends.

view, ran four years for Rice University and another year unattached at a junior college. "I ran unattached at junior Riege so I'd be sure to have four years of eligibility at

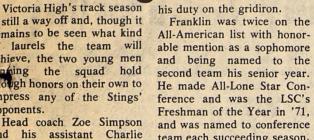
coaching team, Franklin, is no second fiddle.

and pushed for 7,000 total yards in three years at Angelo State, a record that took two

Franklin now teaches Health, History and Science while assisting for the junior varsity

throughout his football career, he achieved All-American honors his graduating year of high school ('71) and played in both the North-South All Star game and the Oil Bowl, where he was voted Most Valuable

That was just the beginn-ing, though, as his college years proved to be the peak of



Freshman of the Year in '71, and was named to conference team each succeeding season. "Don Hardeman of the Houston Oilers beat me out by one yard for the LSC rushing title as a senior with 1,355 yards. Then Walter Payton beat me out for the first team on the NAIA

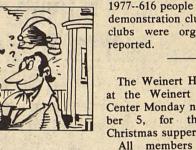
(National Assn of Intercollegiate Athletics) All-American team," Franklin reports. Following his fruitful

for now."

get at it.'



Book Encyclopedia.



The HASKELL FREE PRESS-Thursday, December 8, 1977-Page 11 **HD News** Fike Godfrey Launches Campaign

Home demonstration club enrollments are due in the

Haskell County Extension Office by Jan. 15, 1978, according to Mrs. Barbara Elliott, County Extension Agent.

Persons interested in joining a home demonstration club should contact the Haskell County Extension Office at Ave. D and South 1st, or call 864-2546.

In coming activities, home demonstration club members plan to study using the slow cooker, sewing for the professional look, parliamentary procedure training, cancer awareness, first aid, and make the most of the space in your home throughout the year in order to be better homemak-

All members and their

Fike Godfrey, who resigned the people, who have paid into last month as executive vice it throughout their working president of the West Texas lives, will be able to collect Chamber of Commerce, offitheir benefits when they cially launched his campaign retire.

for Congress this week by "We must eliminate unpledging the use of "West necessary and abusive govern-Texas common sense" in ment interference in the trying to help solve the affairs of small business, problems facing Washington. because it is stopping the Godfrey, a Kent County creation of new jobs in the rancher and former autoprivate sector," said Godfrey. We must make it possible for mobile dealer in Spur, served farmers and ranchers to make the West Texas Chamber, which represents 132 couna reasonable profit on their ties, for seven years. In labor and investment. We making his formal announcemust get tough on crime and ment for the congressional the increasing use of narcotics, seat being vacated by U.S. which is growing steadily Rep. Omar Burleson of Anson, worse.

"And, above all, we must maintain a strong defense for our nation--strong enough to deter aggression--or else we will find that solutions to all our other problems are meaningless," he declared.

Godfrey said that, with the help of such people as Congressman Burleson, he has learned to work with congressional and federal procedures while representing West Texas on many trips to

Washington during the last seven years. He said he knows his way around the Halls of Congress and has the necessary experience, background, and knowledge of previous

Congressioal actions to enable him to begin immediately making decisions that are right for the people of the district on many critical issues that the new Congress will face imediatley when they convene.

Godfrey said he would be ready, willing and able to begin providing effective representation for the district the moment I take the oath of office.

Godfrey also noted that he and his wife had spent their vacations for many years traveling to foreign countries. He said the visits they have made to 24 foreign countries

would give him a helpful perspective in dealing with foreign affairs matters.

'While this foreign travel is certain to be helpful," he said, "I take the greatest pride in the knowledge I have gained of the people and their problems in the 33 counties in the 17th Congressional District. The people of this area are the greatest on earth. I admire their independence, their selfreliance, their moral values, their common sense and their patriotism. These qualities helped us to maintain the healthiest economic climate

in the nation during the last recession.'





