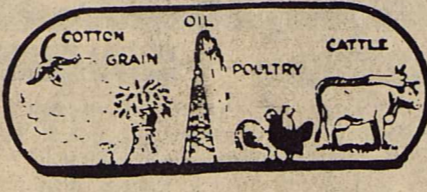


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WEATHER SUMMARY  
By Sam Herren  
Month of April  
TEMPERATURE  
Hi ..... 97° ..... 29th  
Lo ..... 37° ..... 11th  
RAINFALL  
Total ..... 0.36  
Total to Date ..... 3.07  
Normal to Date ..... 5.50

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HASKELL—A GOOD PLACE TO VISIT; A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE™



**DR. WAYNE CADENHEAD** registers in the Haskell County Medical Register Monday during his first day on the job in Haskell. Dr. Cadenhead is currently completing the last two months of his residency program. He will maintain regular office hours at the Haskell Clinic. Shown with Dr. Cadenhead is District Clerk Carolyn Reynolds. (Staff Photo)

## Tour Of Homes Set Sunday

The Annual Haskell County Home Demonstration Council Tour of Homes will be held Sunday, May 7th, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.. Homes on the Tour will be: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hester located approximately one mile south of Weinert on the east side of Highway 277. The Hester Home is a traditional style home that was completed in May 1977. The home is a Result Demonstration with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.  
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lehrer is located on Farm Road 2163 at the end of Avenue L in Haskell. The mission stone home was completed in August of 1977.  
The traditional home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rike was completed in July 1977. The home is located just off Farm Road 600 east of Haskell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathis modern home was completed in March of 1978. It is located at 908 Union Avenue in Rule.  
Tickets for the Tour of Homes can be obtained from Home Demonstration Club Members or at the County Extension Office.

## Little League Season Opens

Monday, May 1, was an exciting night for the Little League boys in Haskell. Mayor Royce Williams threw out the first ball marking the beginning of the 1978 Little League Season.  
It was a beautiful night as all the players proudly displayed their team uniforms for their parents and the many Haskell County officials in attendance. Sharing the enthusiasm of the program: Joe Kimbrough and Bill Jones representing the School Board Judge Roberson representing the Commissioners Court, J.C. Amburn representing the Ministerial Alliance Rex Felker and John Rike from the Chamber of Commerce, Bailey Toliver and J.C. Yeary from the Kiwanis, Loraine Johnson represented Little Dribblers, Sam Pace represented the Boy Scouts, Peggy Darden represented the Girl Scouts, the Fire Department was represented by Tom Watson, the Texas Teenage League was represented by Sargent Jircik, the Rotary was represented by Larry Gilliam, representing the J.C.'s was Chares Thornhill, Bill Comedy represented the Haskell Free Press and Bob Beauchamp represented WTU.  
Lewis Thomas, Virgil Smith and Ken Lane attended the ceremonies representing Co-Op #1. It is a little known fact that Co-Op #1 permitted the Little League to erect a playing field on their land many years ago, and has continued to allow the use of this land at no cost. The Directors of the Haskell Little League wish to thank these

fine citizens for their contributions over the years. The Little League could not operate without the many contributions from our county officials and fine neighbors.  
Along with these leaders were many proud parents in attendance. Each parent sat up a little straighter as their "Mickey Mantle" was called, then nudged his neighbor informing him that "that's MY boy."  
As the festivity came to a close each boy and manager knew that the many hours of practice would be put to the test in the coming months. The first game was played following the program with the Cubs defeating the Rams 11 to 10.  
The Haskell Little League is also starting their annual fund raising this week with the sale of Dairy Queen savings coupon books. The price of these books are \$1.00 offering you \$5.50 worth of savings at the Dairy Queen. You are not only getting some good eatin' but contributing to a very worthwhile organization.  
The Little League exists not only to teach boys baseball but to teach them sportsmanship and team cooperation - personality characteristics which can make the difference between a boy being a winner or loser in life. Your contributions and moral support make the difference. Your concern is appreciated.  
There is a tremendous amount of time and energy spent operating a Little League. The Directors are the ones who do most of the running and catch most of the



**HASKELL MAYOR ROYCE WILLIAMS** officially opened Little League season here Monday afternoon when he threw out the first ball. In special ceremonies, players, coaches, managers, and supporters were introduced prior to the opening of the season. (Staff Photo)

## Rodeo Set May 4, 5, & 6

The 12th Annual Haskell County Jaycee Rodeo will be held May 4, 5, and 6 at the Rodeo grounds.  
This years production will include Bull Riding, Saddle Bronc Riding, Bare Back Riding, Barrel Racing, Calf Roping, Ribbon Roping and Pole Bending.  
Stock will be furnished by Campbell and Cordell.  
There will be a pig scramble each night during the performance for kids 12 and under. There will also be a parade at 5 p.m. Thursday and a dance Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
Advance tickets from any Jaycee are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Tickets at the gate will be \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children.  
A special feature at the Saturday performance will be the announcing of all Haskell County election returns.  
**AAM MEETING**  
There will be an American Agriculture Meeting at the Old Glory School Cafeteria on Thursday, May 4th at 8 p.m. The J.C. Lewis tape will be heard. Everyone is invited.

## Charges Filed Following Raid

Felony charges of knowingly and intentionally possessing with intent to deliver a controlled substance, Methamphetamine, were filed Monday in Haskell.  
Charges were: Paul Wayne Stovall, 23 of Haskell, David Charles Wiggins, 26 of Temple, and Tina Jeanene Blankenship 17, of Temple.  
The charges resulted from an April 13, raid at the home of Stovall, south of Haskell, by officers from the City Police Department, District Attorneys office, Texas Ranger, and Sheriffs office.  
**ELECTION RESULTS**  
The Haskell County Jaycees will provide election returns Saturday night at the courthouse and at the Rodeo. The Jaycees will make the returns available at the rodeo so that spectators can attend the rodeo and hear the outcome of the elections as soon as the results are available at the courthouse.

## Golf Tourney Scheduled

The annual Partnership Golf Tournament at the Haskell Country Club will be held May 6 and 7. The Pro-Am will be held May 5. Entry fee will be \$60.00 per team.  
There will be a steak supper Saturday night. Contestants and their wives will eat free and the public is invited to eat for \$4.00 each.  
Irons and woods will be given as first and second prizes and golf balls for third and fourth. Teams can play anytime Saturday and will be flighted and given tee off times Sunday. There will be a set of woods given away for the longest drive Sunday and a set of irons for the closest to the pen on Sunday.  
For more information or to enter call 864-3400.  
**BARBARA ELLIOTT DAY**  
Barbara Elliott Day in Haskell will be observed Tuesday, May 9, with a reception at the County Extension Building from 5 to 6 p.m. It is hoped that all friends and associates will take this opportunity of wishing Barbara success and happiness in her new job venture.

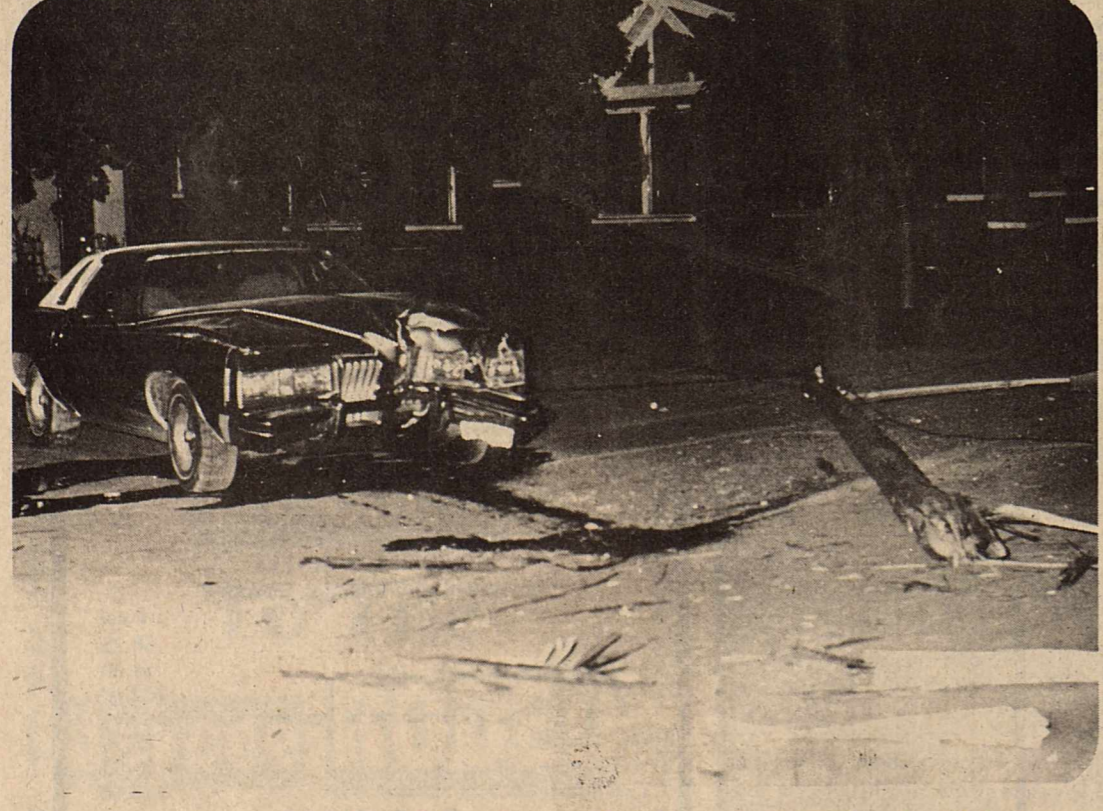
## Trade Mart Grand Opening Set

Haskell Trade Mart - another first for Haskell! This is a flea market in a permanent building, built on the style of the old-fashioned lumber yards. The U-shaped metal building protects the 125 booths from sun, wind and rain with roof and back. The center section has enclosures for 12 permanent merchants who lock the overhead door at the end of the day. May 5, 6 & 7 is the opening date of this new business located 5 blocks east of the courthouse on the Throckmorton highway.  
Tonkawa Chili Cook-off is one of the main activities for the Grand Opening on Saturday, May 6. Mayors in surrounding towns have found men and women who will participate in the best chili and showmanship. Showmanship is the element that gives excitement and color to the contest. Hill-Billy costumes, clowns, fiddles, guitars, even sky-divers or anything that attracts attention are the ideas that are used to win the \$50.00 cash prize for the winners in this division. Best cook will also receive \$50.00 cash.  
Ms Chili and Mr. All Round Good Sport will be selected by earning the top total points of the many contests entered during the day. All contests will be held Saturday, May 6 beginning at 11:00 a.m.  
Merchandise prizes in excess of \$1500.00 will be given to contestants in each of the following: Buffalo Chip throwing, Anvil throwing, Jalapeno eating, Tobacco spitting, biggest logical lie, Bar-B-Que

Sandwich eating, pickled quail egg eating, Hairy Leg, Egg Throwing, Pie in the face, horse Shoe pitching, 4 man sack race, and Barnyard groups. Grades 1 thru 4, 5 thru 8, 9 thru 12 and adults. There will be 83 first place prizes.  
Head Honcho Abe Turner, president of the Haskell National Bank, will be the M.C. for the occasion. David Lane, owner of the Haskell Trade Mart, is Dragon Slayer of this festive day. David is a young fellow, only 20 years old and a student at the University of Texas in Arlington. He has been active in the actual construction of the building. Now he is responsible for the planning and carrying out of this gala event. He is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lane of Haskell.

Assistant Dragon Slayer Lee Lane is in charge of slaying small dragons. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lane.  
For sale at the Haskell Trade Mart will be boots, blue jeans, plants, new and used clothes, handicrafts, rummage imports, pots, play games, art, new furniture, fresh home grown beef, anything legal or moral. There's always something new at the flea market from priceless antiques to inexpensive knick-knacks, and everything in between. Jewelry, tires, gifts, carpets, and many, many other items will be on sale each Saturday and Sunday during the year. Shop around and discover a treasure of your own. A concession stand for the convenience of shoppers will sell Bar-B-Que sandwiches, Salami and ham sandwiches,

popcorn, lemonade and soft drinks.  
Haskell CowBelles are having a Guess What Sale. Political candidates will be competing in Horseshoe pitching beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday.  
A special visitor at the Haskell Trade Mart will be Mrs. Susan Haskell Woelfel of Portland, Oregon. Brown's History of Texas says that Charles Ready Haskell joined the Kentucky Regiment in Tennessee and made the trip to Texas to fight for its Independence. Haskell County was named in honor of this soldier who fell with Fannin at the Battle of Goliad in 1835.  
Something of interest will be at the Haskell Trade Mart regardless of age. So - Ya'll Come - May 5, 6, & 7th.



**EXTENSIVE DAMAGE** occurred to this 1977 Grand Prix when it struck a utility pole and sign at the intersection of U.S. 277 and N. 3rd St. in Haskell Monday morning at 1:30 a.m. Glen Casselberry, driver of the vehicle, received minor injuries in the mishap. City policeman Rodney Goss investigated the accident. No citations were issued. (Staff Photo)

## Mystery Cowboy Contest

It is possible that there could be a few old timers left, but only a few, who could associate the picture of the "Mystery Cowboy" and his horse with an event which was held in Haskell during the month of July, 1898. This was of course the famous Texas Cowboy Reunion which was staged about one half mile from Willow Cemetery on what then was open rangeland. It was there on that date that Sam Graves rode the legendary cutting horse, "old Hub" to the title of the worlds' greatest cutting horse. This old horse is still talked about around the campfires when old time cowboys get together to rehash memories of days gone by. The horse shown in the picture was foaled at least

fifty or sixty years after old Hub but had they been in the same generation of horseflesh there is no doubt but what this one would have given Hub a run for the money.  
Ranch horses like cowboys were better adapted for particular types of work as some were better roping horses while others excelled as cutting horses. Some cowboys were better bronc riders and others were better at roping and branding in the pens or at roundup on the open prairies.  
The cowboy mounted on the pictured horse grew up with the west and played a part in many phases of cowboy life to include that of a ranch hand who worked for a few dollars a month and lived at times on short rations as he followed his profession. He is a well

known Haskell business man and can be seen most any day of the week in various parts of town visiting with friends over coffee, operating his business and taking part in civic life in general.  
If you are a rodeo fan or have been one in the past, there is no doubt but what you have watched him in more  
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than one rodeo performance in the area as he participated in the contestant events of the show.  
If you can identify him and are the first to call 864-2477 on Thursday of this week, it will be good for two free passes to the Jaycee Rodeo taking place Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

**IT'S RODEO TIME! IT'S RODEO TIME! IT'S RODEO TIME! IT'S RODEO TIME!**

**LOOKING FOR A JOB? LOOKING FOR HELP?**

# SEE THE WANTED ADS

**NOTICE**

The Haskell Free Press reserves the right to edit and/or delete all news stories and locals for length and liability and to refuse to print anything deemed not newsworthy.

**NOTICE**

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.

**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**

**McCOLLACH CHAIN SAW HEADQUARTERS.** A saw for every job. See new Woodard Farm Sale. 7ffc

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

**FOR SALE:** Gates fan belts and hoses. Also, heater hose, Delco Batteries and etc. stuff. Texaco gas and other oil and service. M. C. Wilfong, phone 864-2766. 2ffc

**FOR SALE:** Illustrated Price Guide Books on all antiques. Sherman Interiors and Antiques, northwest corner of square. 6ffc

**FOR SALE:** Iron at wholesale prices. Rounds, flats, sheets, square tubing, channel etc. We build carports, storage sheds, implement sheds and hay sheds. We also have structural pipe for sale. Haskell Trailer Builders. 9ffc

**FOR SALE:** Alfalfa-oat hay, \$2.00 bale in barn. Call 658-3239, O'Brien. 17-20p

**NEW INTERNATIONAL** Harvester 86 series Tractors with full 2 year warranty. Priced to Sell—See AC or Larry before you buy. Richardson Truck and Tractor 864-3474 11ffc

**PLANTS and supplies** for your garden and yard at Ganstead Garden just west of Rule, 997-2469. 12ffc

**CHICKS For Sale** at Ganstead Gardens just west of Rule, 997-2469. 15ffc

**FOR SALE:** 1972 International 1600 Load Star. Call 864-2721. 16-18c

**FOR SALE:** AKC Registered Boxer puppies, seven weeks old, two male and one female. See after 5 and on weekends. Abe Turner 817-864-3284. 16ffc

**FOR SALE:** 15' Beecraft, walk through windshield, 65 hp. Mercury. Dilly drive on trailer. Call 864-3698 after 5 p.m. 16ffc

**CAMPER FOR SALE:** Sleeps two and can be converted to sleep four. Self-contained. Also, 150 gal. butane tank for sale and 1964 ½ ton Chevrolet pickup. Call 997-2268 in Rule. 17-18c

**FOR SALE:** One used saddle and blanket-jumbo. Contact A.B. McDonald, 804 N. Av. H, 864-2310. 18p

**FOR SALE:** AKC Registered Cocker Spaniel male, 2 years old, buff and white. Call 864-2393. 18-19p

**For Sale**

**FOR SALE:** Evaporative air conditioner. Call 864-2415 18p

The City Taxi is for sale. See John Sparkman Jr. at 305 S. Ave. C. 18p

**Miscellaneous**

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

**LOSE WEIGHT** safely with Dex-A-Diet. It once a day capsules-eliminate excess fluids with Fluidex, Johnson Pharmacy. 14-20p

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

**BRING ARTS, crafts, antiques, new merchandise, garage sales, pecans, candies, collectors items, furniture, hardware, junk or anything of value** to Haskell Trade Mart on the Throckmorton Hwy. for 9 a. m. to dusk each Saturday and noon to dusk each Sunday. 51ffc

**LET US Price** your next prescription. You will be glad you did. Johnson Pharmacy. 17ffc

Shop our shelves for EVERY-DAY LOW PRICES at Johnson Pharmacy where low overhead means low prices. 11ffc

**PLANTS-PLANTS-PLANTS** Come to the Haskell Trade Mart for your hanging baskets pot plants and bedding plants. Open every weekend with fresh plants for your house, yard and patio. Call 864-2575 to see plants during the week. Barber Shop Antiques. 18-21c

**FOR THE newest** in cosmetics try our line of Etherea makeup. Potpourri Hair Fashions. 18c

**ALL Revelon Cosmetics** ½ Price. Potpourri Hair Fashions 18c

**MAKE beaten down carpet nap at doorways bright and fluffy again** with Blue Lustre. Perry Bros. 18c

**Garage Sales**

**CHURCH GARAGE SALE:** Hundreds of items. Playpen, car seat, many baby clothes, coffee table, space heaters and etc. Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 9 to 5 at 604 N. 6th, Haskell. 18p

**BACK PORCH SALE:** Saturday Only, 9 to 4 p.m. 1805 N. Av. G. Clothes, baby items. 18p

**GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE:** May 3, 4, 5 & 6, 307 N. Av. G. 100 gallon gas tank, 2 upright pianos, antiques, rockers, pie cabinet, Ertige, Chiffarobe, clothing, dishes, sewing machine, chest of drawers, cooler, CB antenna, desk, table and five chairs, buffet, toys, vanity, 2 wheel covered trailer, cast iron wash pot and stand, twin bed, hide-a-bed-all must go. Reasonable. 18p

**GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE:** Inside Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9 to 5. Electric guitar with amp., bicycles, tools, CBS tennis rackets, lots of misc. 707 S. Ave. E. 18p

**GARAGE SALE:** Thursday and Friday, 8 to 5. T.V., metal detector, dishes, tape player, clothes, misc. 1400 N. Av. E in the back. 18p

**MOVING SALE:** Dryer, O'Keefe-Merritt stove, old kitchen cabinet and misc. 1507 N. Av. F. Thursday and Friday 9 to 5. 18p

**GARAGE SALE:** 1000 N. Av. G starting at 1 p.m. Friday and all day Saturday. 18c

**Garage Sales**

**YARD SALE:** Girls size 7 and 9 Junior Clothes, carpet, bean bag, records and Misc. Friday evening after 3 p.m. and all day Saturday. 406 S. Av. F. 18p

**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday and Sunday. Turn at Lutheran Church, 2½ miles south on FM 600, 7th house on West. Ladies, boy's, infants clothing; dishes; some furniture, excellent pair L.L. cleat shoes. 18c

**Lost & Found**

**STRAYED** from the Mrs. Tom Davis place east of Haskell one black baldy heifer, weight about 700 lbs. and one black Brangus heifer, weight about 550 lbs. Each one branded figure 7 on left hip. If seen call Mack Cooke, 673-2703 Weinert. 17-18p

**LOST:** Lost from pickup, bridge, long shank, aluminum, bits. If found call 864-3038, 1001 N. Av. H. 18p

**ELECTRIC SEWEROATER** Cleans clogged pipes, drains, sewers. No digging. No damage. Philpot's Supply & Service 864-3010 402 N. 1st 41ffc

**Bus. Opportunity**

**HAVE** a highly profitable and beautiful Jean Shop of your own. Featuring the latest in Jeans, Denims and Sportswear. \$14,500.00 includes Beginning Inventory, Fixtures and Training. You may have your store open in as little as 15 days. Call any time for Mr. Maple (405) 348-6020. 18-19p

**Jobs Wanted**

**WATER WELL Drilling:** House, Stock, irrigation well, test holes. Call W.P. Hise, 864-3727 or 864-2124 day or night. 12ffc

**WANTED:** Repair and remodeling work for any home improvement needs. Call Mike Cook, 864-3481. 6ffc

**REMODELING SERVICE,** Residential or Commercial. Call Tommy McAdams builder for estimates. Call 864-2785. 13ffc

**CUSTOM HAY BAILING & Hauling.** Contact Alfred or Dennis Grand, 864-2537 or 864-3807. 18-29p

**Help Wanted**

**GINNERS** Wanted, capable of operating and repairing gin machinery. Year round employment. Contact Buddy Vineyard, Center Plains Gin, Kress, Texas, 806-684-2591. 16-18c

**HELP WANTED:** Addressers Wanted Immediately! Work at home---no experience necessary---excellent pay. Write American Service, 8350 Park Lane, Suite 269, Dallas, Tx. 75231 15-18p

**WANTED:** Distributor for the Dallas Morning News and Wichita Falls Times and Record. Apply to Mrs. Stella Steele, 864-3770, 1605 N. 16th, or Bill Delmenhorst 214-827-4195. 17-18p

**PART-TIME** Fire Insurance Inspector. Must have Polaroid Camera. Write qualifications to: Southwest Reports, Inc., P.O. Box 5840, San Antonio, Tx. 78201. 17-21p

**NOW TAKING** Applications for morning cook. Apply in person. Rice Springs Care Home, 1302 N. 1st, Haskell. 18-19c

**Construction**

**IF YOUR FIREPLACE** went to "pot" last year, let me cure it from smoking this summer. Help fight the gas shortage. Call your local fireplace specialist. Rufus Escobedo Masonary. 864-3863, Haskell. 17-18p

**Wanted**

**LOOKING** for a good return on your investment dollar? Call us collect at 214-349-2810 for information about a self-service car wash. They have great tax advantages and require very little time. ADVANCED CAR WASH SYSTEMS. 16-19p

**WANTED:** Baseball, football, trading cards, autographs, pennants, etc. Will buy or trade. For offer call 864-3845 after four. 15-18c

**New & Used Color & BW TV Amonett & Amonett Radio & TV 864-2870 Haskell 13ffc**

**HOT WATER HEATER HEADQUARTERS** Electric State with Sand Hog Heating Element 5 Year Warranty Gas State with 5 yr. Warranty on Tank 2 Yr. on Controls Philpot's Supply & Service 402 N. 1st 864-3010 37ffc

**Quality New Homes Construction** Have lots to build on East Part of Town Tommy McAdams Builder Call 864-2785 13ffc

**Real Estate**

**FOR SALE:** New home almost completed near Lutheran Church. 3 bedroom, 2 baths, brick, central heat and air, built-in appliances, carpeted, fireplace. Open daily. Tommy McAdams builder. Call 864-2785. 13ffc

**FOR SALE:** One 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, fully carpeted, Central Heat and Air, Fenced Back Yard, small storage building. Call 864-2870 or 864-2458. 15ffc

**FOR SALE:** Two bedroom 1 bath house near High School. Fully carpeted wall-to-wall, bar separates kitchen and dining area, built-in hutch, furnace, double carport. Immediate possession. 700 N. Av. C. Phone 864-2890. 18-19p

**FOR SALE:** 3 Bedroom, Masonite siding, pretty yard, carport and garage, 2 storage buildings, custom cabinets, new carpet throughout, fresh paint. Many extras. Priced to sell. 864-2793 18-19p

**Public Notice**

**Notice of Board of Equalization Meeting** Haskell Independent School District In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place, Haskell School Administration Bldg. in the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, at 9:00 o'clock A.M., beginning on Thursday the 18th day of May, 1978, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Haskell Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1978, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are here notified to be present.

**DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF HASKELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT** HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS, at Haskell, Texas, this 2 day of May, A.D., 1978. Doyle High Secretary Haskell Independent School District 18-19c

**PUMPS** Irrigation-Domestic Formation-Testing Well Drilling We pull & repair all makes. REA PUMP CO. Throckmorton Highway Haskell, Texas Call 24 hrs.—864-3372 41ffc

**Kelly Ditching & Plumbing Supply** Water Lines Gas Lines Install Septic Tanks & Bleedlines. All work Guaranteed for 1 year. Call 915-773-3939 10ffc

**Real Estate For Sale**

4 bedroom brick on 5.87 acres. Two baths, extra Large closets, storm cellar. Some refinishing required. Owner will carry on Good Terms. \$22,000.

4 Bedroom frame with 2 baths, garage storm cellar fenced yard. \$27,500.00

Extra nice and large 3 bedroom with two baths, fenced yard, nice trees, separate living room and den. \$35,000

3 bedroom 2 bath brick living-dining-kitchen den combination \$45,000.

3 bedroom frame on 1 acre \$11,000.

3 Bedroom frame on N. Av. M. \$17,500

Large 1½ Story 2 bedroom stucco on choice corner lot \$26,500.

Two bedroom frame on 8 lots highway frontage \$12,500.

Very good buys on Several 2 bedroom houses in all sections of town. We have the best loan Connections

**Hartsfield Agency** Phone 864-2665 18-19c

**Public Notice**

**NOTICE** RULE DOG OWNERS Dr. Ballard will be in Rule on Thursday, May 18, 1978, from 4 until 6 p.m. at the Rule Fire Station to vaccinate dogs for rabies. Charge for the shot is \$3.00 each and the city license is \$1.00 each. Puppies should be 4 months old. Cats will be treated also. All pets must be on leash, and under control. All dogs not vaccinated and tagged, and running loose after that date will be picked up and destroyed. 18-19c

**NOTICE**

The Board of Equalization for the Rule Independent School District will meet at the Rule City Hall at 8 a.m. on May 17, 1978, for oil, gas and utilities. Persons who have business with the board may meet with them at that time. 18c

**Card of Thanks**

**CARD OF THANKS** Many thanks to a great community. Odene, Lynn Dale and Carol Dudensing would like to express their heartfelt thanks to all those great people who showed their concern and love by giving food, sending cards, giving memorials and flowers, and by just plain being there when we needed you most in our time of loss. Many thanks are also expressed to those who helped in roofing the home and to those women who brought food to feed those men. All of these acts of love make our pain more bearable and gives us a great feeling of warmth and love knowing that we live in a community where people pull together and love one another. All of you are a great bunch of people. We love you and God bless you. 18p

**Used Color TV's For Sale Cheap** Anderson Tire Company 206 S. Av. E. 864-2900 16ffc

**JUNK-A-TIQUES,** glassware, furniture, baby bed, books, dishes, bottles, doll Kleenex box, dolls, misc. We buy, sell or trade. We trade books. 1704 N. First St. Mrs. Harley Langford. 17ffc

**CASH AND SAVE** 7/16 x 2 Plow Bolts.....18 Each 7/16 x 2½ Plow Bolts.....22 Each 7/16 x 3 Plow Bolts.....25 Each Nichols 6" Chisel Sweeps.....3.30 Each Lintox Dust 5 pound.....3.50 Each Ruelene 25E Pour-on.....15.50 Each Super Stock Toppoxene.....11.25 Each Banvel 1 gal.....30.00 Each 4 x 8" Hydraulic Cyl.....36.50 Each All Parts and Accessories Less 5% Cash Discount "Your Complete Service Center" Jones County Implement Company, Inc. Anson Highway Stamford, Texas 915-773-3656 Herman Cox Wilbur Cox 16-18p

**Real Estate For Sale** 4 bedroom brick on 5.87 acres. Two baths, extra Large closets, storm cellar. Some refinishing required. Owner will carry on Good Terms. \$22,000.

4 Bedroom frame with 2 baths, garage storm cellar fenced yard. \$27,500.00

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## E. J. Stewart Issues Statement

E. J. Stewart has issued the following statement in behalf of his candidacy for Justice of the Peace of Precinct 1, in Haskell County.

He is a longtime businessman and resident of Haskell. He attended high school at Vernon and 5 in 1 school. He moved to Haskell in 1946.

He is married to former Elizabeth Middleton. Stewart began operating Stewart Motor Service in 1948. He is an active member of the First Baptist Church and has taught in the nursery for 28 years. He is a charter member of the Haskell Rotary Club and has been a member of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department for 28 years.

Stewart stated that he had kept books in his business for the past 30 years and had previous experience as a deputy sheriff. "I believe my experience and education qualify me to operate the office and I would like to ask for your support on May 6.

He expressed thanks to the public for the many courtesies extended him in this campaign and said that he would attempt to see every voter of the precinct before the election. He also said that if he missed seeing anyone, it was not intentional.

**WORK DAY**

Pleasant Valley Cemetery Work Day will be May 12 starting around 8:30 a.m. Everyone who has friends or family there is encouraged to come by and bring their work tools.

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# First Baptist To Have Special Speaker Sunday

First Baptist Church, Haskell will hear Dr. Clyde J. Hurst, retired Professor of Bible and Philosophy, Hardin-Simmons University, Sunday, May 7th. The pastor, Dudley E. Bragg will be in a revival

with the First Baptist Church of Merkel, May 7-10.

Dr. Hurst, born in Odenville, Alabama is a graduate of Samford University with the B.A. degree. He is also a graduate of Southern and Southwestern Seminaries with the Th.M and Th.D. degrees. He taught in the public school of Roanoke, Alabama before pastoring in Florida, Alabama and Texas. He served as a Chaplain in the United States Naval Reserve and in Active Duty from 1944-45. He is a retired Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve. Dr. Hurst taught at HSU from 1950-76.

Dr. Hurst is married to the former Kathleen Cooner. They do not have any children. They are active members of the Pioneer Drive Baptist Church

where Dr. Hurst teaches a Men's Bible Class. Dr. Hurst has many honors as a writer and member of community service clubs. He is listed in Who's Who in American Education, the South and Southwest, and in Texas. He has written extensively for periodicals, Bible Encyclopedias and Journals. He keeps busy with his church work, teaching Bible courses for churches and supplying for pastors.

The public is invited to hear this distinguished Bible teacher and preacher.

## Preregistration For Kindergarten Set May 9

Kindergarten preregistration will be held at the Haskell Elementary School on Tuesday, May 9 from 9:00 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 3:45 in the principal's office.

In order to be eligible for Kindergarten this coming fall a child must be five years of age on or before September 1.

Parents will need to bring birth certificates and immunization records. Children must have received immunization for polio, diphtheria, pertussis tetanus (D.P.T.), measles and rubella. And "booster" polio and D.P.T. immunizations must have been received since the child's fourth birthday.

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HASKELL Junior High and Elementary schools placed first in the District 7-A literary contest recently. Representing Haskell at the contest were: front row (l to r), Jennifer Friedel, Marilyn Moore, Lonnie Hise, Aaron Weaver, Denise Burris, and Marcy Davis. Backrow (l to r) Kim Lanier, D'Anne Burris, Kim Griffith, Laurie Reynolds, Cam Klose and Kathy Kemp. (Staff Photo)

## Haskell Wins Literary Meet

The Haskell Jr. High and Elementary schools swept to victory in the district 7 A literary contest for the second year in a row. The Haskellites scored 62 1/2 points to edge out Rotan, the runner-up with 60 points. The Junior High school has been participating in UIL literary competition 4 years, while Elementary school has participated 3 years.

Laurie Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Reynolds, did a particularly outstanding feat by having a perfect paper in 7 & 8 spelling. Laurie won first place, while D'Anne Burris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burris, tied for second place. Other point getters were Lonnie Hise, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Hise, second place in oral reading; Aaron

Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver, third place in number sense; Kathy Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp, first place in elementary spelling. The elementary school picture memory team placed second. Team members are Jennifer Friedel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Friedel; Denise Burris daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burris; Stephanie Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Browning; Kim Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lanier; Marilyn Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Moore. Marcy Davis daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Davis, placed fourth in story telling, and Kim Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Griffith, placed 5th in oral reading.

Coaching the UIL students were Wayne Phemister, number sense; Mrs. Mary Martin and Mr. Prentiss Sansom, spelling; Mrs. Catherine Bartley and Mrs. Delores Foster oral reading; Mrs. Gladys O'Neal, ready writing; Mrs. Gerre Spain, picture memory; Mrs. Earlene Griffith, story telling. Mr. Bill Jones is the principal of Elementary School and Mr. James Lanier, principal of Jr. High School.

## Game Violations Top '77 List

Game violations accounted for 89 percent of all citations in the Lubbock region during 1977.

Of the 902 citations issued for game, fish, commercial fishing, water safety, litter and others, 806 were for various game violations such as no hunting license, shooting from the road, hunting out of season and over the bag limit.

The Lubbock law enforcement region is comprised of the Amarillo, Abilene and Lubbock districts.

The Amarillo district, which is patrolled by 13 game wardens, accounted for 417 citations. Nine Abilene district game wardens issued 280 citations and 11 Lubbock game wardens issued 205.

Most of the citations were the result of the sportsmen's failure to know the law, but most of the complaints from landowners were for shooting from the road and trespassing which is handled by P&WD wardens.

Trespass complaints are generally initiated by the landowner and represent violations against private property instead of state property. The landowner usually contacts the local game warden when a violation occurs and the complaint is signed by the landowner before charges are filed in the local court.

Most of the hunting opportunities in Texas occur on private land. Many landowners allow sportsmen to harvest surplus wildlife each year. Several landowners have turned to leasing to control the number of hunters.

## New Benefits For Vets Considered

The U.S. Congress is presently giving consideration to a new program to furnish disability and death pension benefits to certain wartime veterans and their widows and minor children. According to C.H. Herren Service Officer for Haskell County, both the House and the Senate have passed new pension bills. Because of the differences in the two proposals, it will be necessary for a Conference Committee composed of members from the House and the Senate to resolve these differences and arrive at one bill which can be accepted by both groups.

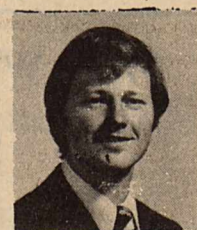
The House version of the bill is H.R. 10173. The Senate version is designated as S.B.

2384. Both versions propose to overhaul and restructure the entire Veterans Administration pension program for the nonservice-connected veteran and his surviving spouse and dependent children. These bills now being considered establish a guaranteed annual income at rates substantially higher than those under the present VA pension programs. As an example, the House bill proposes a guaranteed annual income for a single disabled wartime veteran of \$4,000, while the Senate version income limit is \$3,200. If, for example, the disabled veteran is found eligible for VA pension, and he already has income from Social Security or other sources of \$2,800 per year, the VA would pay him the difference of \$1,200 under the House bill or \$400 under the Senate Bill. These would be annual amounts payable and would be broken down to monthly benefits. The guaranteed income rates would be increased for the veteran with a wife or dependent children, and for a widow with minor children. Greater income rates would apply whenever the veteran or the widow becomes so seriously disabled as to require the need of regular aid and attendance of another person.

These bills are merely being considered at the present time, and it may be several months before any final action is taken. Additional information on these pension proposals, as well as other programs for veterans and dependents may be obtained by contacting your local Veterans Service Officer.

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## Editorial

This election day, May 6, presents a special problem to many voters because they will be faced with a ballot over two feet long and many of the candidates have never been heard of by voters.

Local voters have been exposed mountains of publicity concerning the congressional, gubernatorial and local candidates and should have information available which will enable them to make the best choice. This is not the case in many races which receive far less publicity.

The following recommendations are based on research and opinions of local people and state officials and are presented for your consideration.

For Railroad Commissioner (unexpired term) John H. Poerner.

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1, O'Neal Bacon.

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4, T.C. Chadick.

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2, Jim Vollers.

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3, W.C. (Bill) Davis.

These candidates are all qualified to fill the offices they are seeking and a vote on their behalf would be well spent.

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REV. AND MRS. JAMES SHOUSE of Marble Falls announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharon Lynn, to Philip Max Russell, son of Rev. and Mrs. J.A. (Ed) Russell of Alvin.

The vows are to be solemnized on May 12, in the First Baptist Church of Brownwood, where the couple are attending Howard Payne University. Phil is a Senior Religious Education Major and Sharon is pursuing a degree in Music. They will reside in Alvin, (in the Houston area) during the summer months where Phil is employed at Amoco Chemical Plant, and Sharon will be employed by the bank. They plan to return to the University in the Fall to complete their degree.

Grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Russell of Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Turner, Sr. of Rochester. Phil's parents are natives of Haskell County.

## View One Act

On Monday, April 14 the Haskell Young Homemakers viewed the one-act play "I Never Saw Another Butterfly." It was presented by the Haskell High School one-act play cast and was directed by Mrs. Kathleen Diggs. The public was invited.

After the play a short business meeting was held at



Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Stinnett, of Hamlin, announce the engagement and approaching marriage to their granddaughter, Sharee Martin, to Mr. Roland Gardner.

He is the son of Mrs. G.D. Prichard of Haskell, and Mr. John Gardner, of Flagstaff, Arizona.

The couple plan a late May wedding.

the homemaking cottage. HYH sponsor Mrs. Gene Jeter was presented a gold butterfly stick pin as a good-luck charm. It was decided to extend our secretarial project until October. The nominating committee for the new officers was appointed. They are Shirley Sloan, Betty Sue McDermott, Sheila Hester, Sandra Wallace, and Paula Everett. Refreshments were served to the one-act play cast and HYH members by hostesses Muriel Nanny, Beverly SoRelle, Louise Thornhill, Brenda Bynum, Betty McDermott, and Diana Owens.

On Monday, April 21 the club hosted a program on breast cancer detection. It was presented by Mrs. Richard B. Johns and Mrs. Ralph Donnell of Taylor-Jones Counties Medical Auxiliary and was held in the bank community room. A film narrated by actress Jennifer O'Neill explained the importance of early detection and methods of self-examination. Plastic models, called Betsys, were used so that those attending could locate lumps and practice the methods of examination.

Refreshments were served at the meeting which was open to the public and approximately thirty members and guests attended.

## Around Town

By Lisa and Mary

Mr. and Mrs. Don Comedy and Jennifer and Clydene Comedy of Abilene spent the weekend in Oklahoma City visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Chapman, Lela Mae Atchison and Mae Catherine spent the weekend with Viola and Pete Mercer in Mequite. They attended the house warming of the Mercer's daughter, Mrs. Randy Herrell.

Friends and neighbors helped Elmer Ragsdale celebrate his 89th birthday Saturday, April 29. Mr. Ragsdale was presented gifts. The guests were served punch, cake and sandwiches by Edith Hudspeth.

Visiting in the Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Tidwell's home last week were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Romine, Mrs. Pauline Morris, Bill Morris Jr. of Denton and Dan Burson of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Schnuriger spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Buster Shelton and Herbert Clanton.

Cecil Epley and family from Hico visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Britt Moon Saturday and Sunday. Cecil is a patient in the V.A. Hospital in Temple since December, 1977 recovering from brain surgery. Those visiting during the day were: Kenneth Beasley, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. David Davis and Marcy, Haskell; Shot Webb of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moon of Ft. Worth; J. Lloyd Epley of Big Spring; Mrs. Neva Epley of Rochester;

### Party Honors

#### Bride Elect

A Gift Party was given April 10th honoring John Allison and his bride-elect Celinda Vahlenkamp, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis.

Mr. Davis greeted guest, presenting them to Wallace Allison, John and Celinda, Mrs. Eugene Vahlenkamp, Helen Allison and Mrs. Roddy.

Mrs. Jack Davis registered guest in the Brides book on a round table with blue floating candles. The serving table was laid with a white embossed linen cloth and held a centerpiece of natural dried flowers with blue birds and peacock feathers in a footed crystal bowl. Blue tapers in crystal candleholders were on each side of the centerpiece. Serving appointments were crystal and silver. Showing gifts and helping with the serving were Mr. and Mrs. Festus Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Lott, Mr. and Mrs. Speedy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. John Hisey, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Denson, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kittley, and Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Hertenberger. Other hosts were, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bishop, Mrs. Joan Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kupatt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Letz, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. May, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Simpson and Mrs. Malcolm Hertenberger. Guest registered from Stamford, Aspermont, Rule, Old Glory and Sagerton. The couple will exchange wedding vows on May 6th, in Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton.

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Ms. Bobby Ray Ward, of Munday, announce the birth of a son, Brady Alton Ward, born April 28, 1978, weighing 6 lb. 12 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Lawrence Saffel, of Rule, announce the birth of a daughter, Julie Ann Saffel, born April 26, 1978, weighing 7 lb. 1 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

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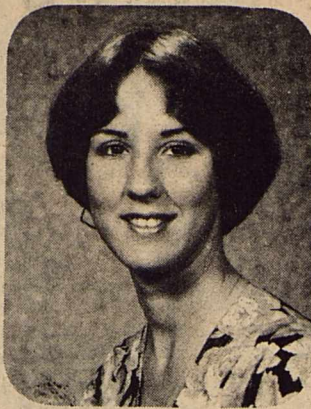
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### Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Worley of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehmann of Rule announce the engagement of their children, Carla of Lubbock and Ricky of Lubbock.

The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Brownwood High and is a Junior at Texas Tech University. She is a member of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority and is employed by Lubbock County ASCS.

The groom is a 1972 graduate of Rule High School, and a 1977 graduate of Texas Tech University. He has a degree in Business Administration, and is employed by Manchester Tank & Equipment as an Engineering Supervisor.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley are formerly of Haskell.

The wedding will take place July 22, 1978 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Brownwood.

### Two Spring Recitals Set

Mrs. Pam Gibson will present her piano students in two spring recitals on May 7, in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Haskell. The recitals will be held at 2 p.m. and at 3:15 p.m.

Students participating in the first recital at 2 p.m. are: David Chapman, Nicolle Anderson, Kirk High, Kelliann Jennings; Sandra Thornhill, Stacia Adams, Kay Fischer, Mary Lehrer, Stephanie Browning, Jill Jennings, Denise Burris, Holli High, Holly McBroom, Emily Thornhill, Paul Cox, Rochie Reddell, D'Anne Burris, Linda Fischer, Bryan Middlebrook, Linda Wells, Debra Wells and Tamara Sorrells.

Students participating in the second recital at 3:15 p.m. are: Loutina Hadaway, Lori Darden, Tamra Burnett, Rhonda Adams, Kelli Gilliam, Patricia Henry, Seth Pace, Lynn Dewey, Shawn Graham, David Adams, Lori Landes, Kim Lanier, Ray Burnett, Fred Barnett, Michele Nanny, Cheryl Weise, Will Pace, Ember Miller, Paul Williams, Vicky Hill and Tamara Sorrells.

The students are listed in the order of appearance.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Duncan of 504 Watson St. of Midland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Jean, to Joel "Joey" Kent Lemley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Lemley of Odessa.

The couple plans to be married at 8 p.m. May 27 in the Villa del Sol Courtyard in Odessa.

Miss Duncan attended Odessa College and received an associates degree in law enforcement from Midland College. She is a supervisor for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

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## Sagerton News

Dates for our community this week: May 4, The L.O.C. Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Herbert Stremmel at 2 p.m. The program will given by Mrs. Barbara Elliott, Haskell County Extension Agent, on First Aid. Mrs. Elliott will be leaving Haskell County this month and this will be the last meeting with the group. We will surely miss her, because she has helped many in our community in the eleven years she has been our agent. Mr. Elliott will be working at A & M and she will be with the Extension Service there. We will look forward to having her bring us a program sometime in the future. May 6-The piano students of Mrs. Larry LeFevre will have their recital at the First Baptist Church in Rule, at 2 p.m. The students from Sagerton are Clifford Stegemoeller and Charles New. May 7-The monthly singing at the Sagerton United Methodist Church will be held at 2 p.m. instead of the second Sunday because of Mother's Day. Everyone is welcome to come and sing and listen.

The Sagerton "Hee-Haw" was a great success again thanks to a great audience and the efforts of cast and others in the community who gave their time, money and food. J.B. Toney community treasurer, states that nearly \$600, was added to our bank account from the performance and concession stand. This will surely help to get the roof of the Community Center repaired and the work should be done soon, because it is going to rain one of these days!

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer visited with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitaker and Stacey and Kyle at Vega last weekend.

Congratulations to Mike Hertel, Rick Kittle and Rodney Threet, all Sagerton boys who will be going to the State Track Meet in Austin on May 12 and 13 to represent Rule High School in the 880 and mile relay. Several Sagerton residents went to the regional meet at McMurry last weekend.

Several community residents attended the funeral services for Mrs. Turner Dobbins at Stamford Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins farmed in our community and raised their family here before moving to Stamford when they retired from farming. We extend our sincere sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb of Midland visited here last weekend with Mrs. John Clark and attended the Sagerton "Hee-Haw" Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer accompanied their son-in-law Larry Cornelso, to Lewisville Saturday where they will visit while their daughter, Betty, who is recuperating after a stay in a Richardson Hospital. We wish to her a speedy recovery.

We are happy to see Bill Hertel home from the Stamford Hospital. We missed him as part of the "Hee-Haw"

Thursday evening of last week the mothers of the F.H. A. girls at Rule high were entertained by the girls and their sponsor, Mrs. Becky Baker, with a salad supper. Those attending were: Mrs. Cato Macias and daughter, Mary; Mrs. Joe Soto, and daughters, Debra and Cindy; Mrs. J.B. Toney and daughter Rene, Mrs. C.P. DeBusk and daughter; Lisa, Mrs. Fred Kupatt and daughter, Kris; Mrs. Joe Swofford and daughter and Susan, Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and daughter, Jill, Mrs. Ed Fouts and daughter, Lynn, and Mrs. Jerry Threet and daughter, Judy, and Mrs. Gene Flanary and daughter, Gina.

### Hospital Notes

**ADMISSIONS**  
MEDICAL: C.W. West, Haskell; Lucille Martin Rule; Frank Hernandez, Haskell; Thelma Oman, Haskell; Martha Kretschmer, Haskell; John Griffin, Rule; Joe Massie, Haskell; Petra Villarreal, Haskell.  
SURGICAL: Darlene Carter, Knox City; Eva White, Rule; Wayne Davis, Haskell.

**DISMISSALS**  
Mary Strickland, Clara Hendrix, Roy Day, Martha Bird, Alta Jarred, Mary Honea, Glen Casselberry.

**BAR-B-QUE**  
Germania Insurance Local #90 will have their barbecue supper Sat. night, June 3 at 7:30 p.m. All members are invited. Ladies please bring a salad or dessert. Please notify Morris Garner 817-989-2826 or Beno Hertenberger 817-989-2813, by May 27, if you can attend. It will be held in Old Glory, Sons of Hermann Hall.



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Elsie's Hi-Lander

## Texas Food and Fiber

Texas Department of Agriculture  
Reagan V. Brown, Commissioner



MEAT PRICES in general, and beef prices in particular, always seem to command a large share of attention. Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown commented recently.

While inflation has pushed beef prices up slightly in recent months, a quick check reveals that they are just now approaching levels reached four year ago, he notes.

For instance, the average retail price for all cuts of choice beef in early 1974 was \$1.50 per pound. Figures for this year show the average price is now around \$1.48 per pound.

Cattle prices play only a small part in determining the price of beef in the supermarket, Brown said. The amount spent on transporting, processing, inspecting and marketing far exceeds what the producer receives for his animals.

"Texas cattlemen have only recently seen prices for choice slaughter steers top 50 cents a pound, which will not even cover production costs in many areas of the state," Brown remarked. "And meanwhile, inflation has steadily eaten away profits, and driven many out of business."

"Americans love to eat meat, and rightly so," Brown said. "Our livestock producers have clearly shown that they are capable of supplying this demand at reasonable prices."

THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE district office in Fort Worth recently moved into new facilities,

and the public was invited to have a look. Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

Thirteen Department inspectors and their supervisor work out of the office. Their jobs range from checking nursery plants for pests and disease to testing eggs to make certain they conform to Texas standards.

"One of the major functions of the inspectors during the year is checking gasoline pump meters for accuracy, a vital service to ensure motorists get the exact amount of gas they pay for," Brown stated.

Year-round promotions of Texas food and fiber are also scheduled by other Department personnel from the Fort Worth office.

TAX RELIEF is one of the most sorely needed items facing the state's leadership this year, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has noted.

Speaking to members of the Farm and Ranch Valuation Seminar in Fort

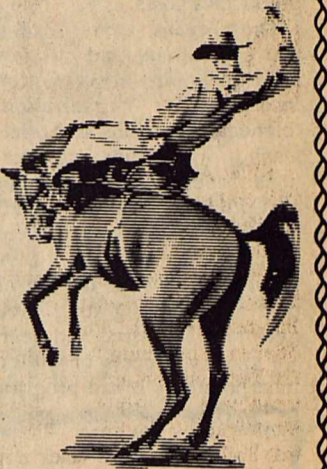
Worth recently, Brown stated that agricultural land should be taxed on its production rather than its market value. This would be one of the best ways to ease an unfair burden on Texas agricultural producers, he said.

disproportionate tax bills are one reason we have lost 12,000 farms and 12 million acres of farmland in the past four years," Brown commented.

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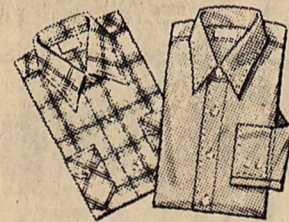


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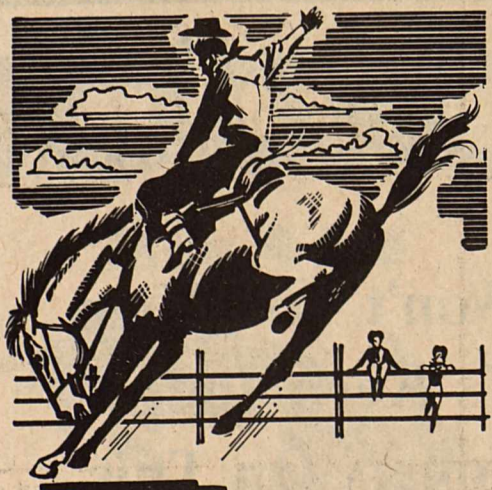
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## Producer Tours Cotton Inc.

A group of Texas farmers who have made their presence felt in Washington in recent months traveled east again the other day—on a different kind of mission.

The group included more than a dozen High Plains and Rolling Plains cotton producers who have taken key roles in the American Agriculture Movement (AAM) and its intense lobbying effort in the nation's capital.

This time their destination was the Raleigh research center of Cotton Incorporated and their mission to get the full story on how the fiber company of American cotton producers works to build markets for cotton and cut producer's costs.

The Texans came loaded with questions—and a few misconceptions—about Cotton Incorporated's organization, financing, functions and relationship with other organizations. Meeting with a number of Cotton Incorporated staff members headed by president J. Dukes Wooters Jr., they spent a full day and the better part of a night getting their questions answered and hearing about all facets of Cotton Incorporated's broad program

of research and marketing.

While many of the Texans came to Raleigh with skepticism, they returned home with enthusiasm, according to one of the organizers of the trip, Glenn Toombs of Fluvanna, Texas.

"This visit definitely opened their eyes," said Toombs, shortly before departing. "They're interested now in helping Cotton Incorporated get the job done and in going back to their local AAM offices and making sure the other farmers understand what Cotton Incorporated is really doing for them."

Toombs said the trip was paid for by a number of business leaders, primarily in the Lubbock area, who were interested in helping the key AAM leaders get a better understanding of Cotton Incorporated and its programs. The sponsors included banks, cotton merchants, ginners, mills, warehouses, co-ops and "interest farmers."

"They didn't feel that Cotton Incorporated should have to fund the trip," Toombs explained, "because they felt Cotton Incorporated needed every dollar available to it to carry out its vital

programs for the cotton producers."

Toombs, himself an AAM leader who spent five weeks lobbying in Washington and who testified before both House and Senate agriculture committees, said the recent turmoil in agriculture has exposed considerable confusion and misplaced unhappiness about the role of Cotton Incorporated.

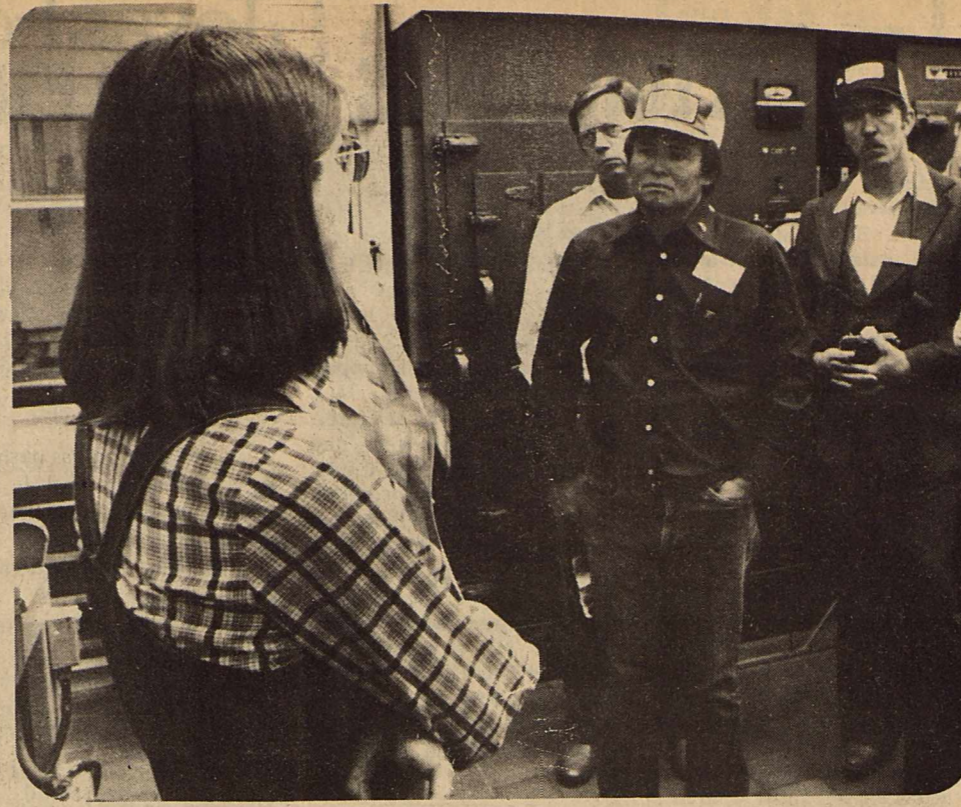
The group that visited Raleigh, he said, went home with the full understanding that Cotton Incorporated "is our own company" and that "if we want markets for our cotton we have got to give our company the funds to do the job for us."

During their visit, the Texans got this message loud and strong from John L. Gramling, Jr., a cotton producer who is both a director of Cotton Incorporated and an AAM leader in South Carolina.

Gramling told the group that farmers can't depend on the government or anybody else—"we've got to look after ourselves." The way to do it, he said, is through organizations like Cotton Incorporated. "If we don't fully support our company," he said, "the only people we're hurting are ourselves."

In a nutshell, The Texans had it clarified that Cotton Incorporated is a private fiber company that works solely for and is controlled solely by the cotton producers of America; that its activities are restricted to research and promotion, with the goals of reducing production costs and increasing cotton markets; that it is prohibited by law from lobbying and has no formal connection with any organization that has the responsibility of influencing legislation; that it is governed by a board of directors composed of 42 cotton producers, the number related to bales produced in each state; and that all its funding comes from the producer checkoff of \$1 plus four-tenths of one per cent per bale.

Cotton producers participating in the tour came from Big Spring, Haskell, Floydada, Morton, Wellman, Stamford, Paducah, Denver City and Fluvanna, and Lovington, N.M.



**HASKELL PRODUCER** hears about Cotton Incorporated Research—Haskell cotton producer Don Griffith (second from left) listens as research chemist Diane Luparello explains Cotton Incorporated's dyeing and finishing research. Griffith was part of a group of American Agriculture Movement leaders who recently visited the Raleigh, N.C. research center of the fiber company of American cotton producers. Also listening are (left to right) Joe Osment of Stamford and Mickey D. Hammonds of Floydada. The AAM leaders visited the research center to find out what Cotton Incorporated is doing in its research and promotion to improve cotton markets and cut cotton production costs.

## Bike-A-Thon Set May 13

Judy, seven years old, must spend almost two hours every day in treatments designed to keep her alive.

She suffers from cystic fibrosis, an incurable lung-damaging disease which is the number one genetic killer of children.

The life-maintaining treatments followed by Judy and the thousands of other children with cystic fibrosis include thrice daily chest physical therapy. She also must follow a special diet and take more

than 40 pills a day, because Judy's digestive system is also handicapped.

Timmy celebrated his 8th birthday in a local children's hospital. For his birthday, his mother baked a chocolate birthday cake—his favorite. Like Judy, Timmy has severe lung damage—Timmy didn't have the breath to blow out the birthday candles on his cake. While his father blew out the candles for him, Timmy made a typical child's wish—for a game set he saw in a TV commercial. His mother's wish was not to

typical—she prayed that her son would be well for his next birthday.

"Judy and Timmy are among the millions of children in this nation who need our help," said Sue Miller, chairman of the Bike-A-Thon for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. "Open your heart to Judy, Timmy and other children in our community and nation who have C/F and other lung-damaging diseases. Please support the Bike-A-Thon, May 13 as generously as you can."

### THROCKMORTON BANQUET

E.J. Holub, Texas Tech's first All-American will be the featured speaker at the Throckmorton Sports Award Banquet May 8. The banquet will be held at Reynolds Bend on the Matthews Lambhead Ranch. Steaks will be served and the public is invited. Reservations can be made by calling 849-5521.

## Assistance Available

Congressman Omar Burrell announces that Haskell County is eligible for assistance by the Small Business Administration due to physical damage caused by various natural disasters. Loan applications for physical damage may be filed until

the close of business on October 11, 1978 and for economic injury loans until the close of business on December 11, 1978.

Applications should be filed with the nearest Small Business Administration District Office.

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### Emergency Loans Now Available

Congressman Omar Burleson announces that farmers in Haskell County are eligible to apply for emergency loans through the Farmers Home Administration to re-establish farming operations after their crops were affected by drought from July 1, 1977, until mid-March 1978.

The natural disaster caused damages and losses to crops, cropland, machinery and equipment, in addition to the reduction of their livestock herds.

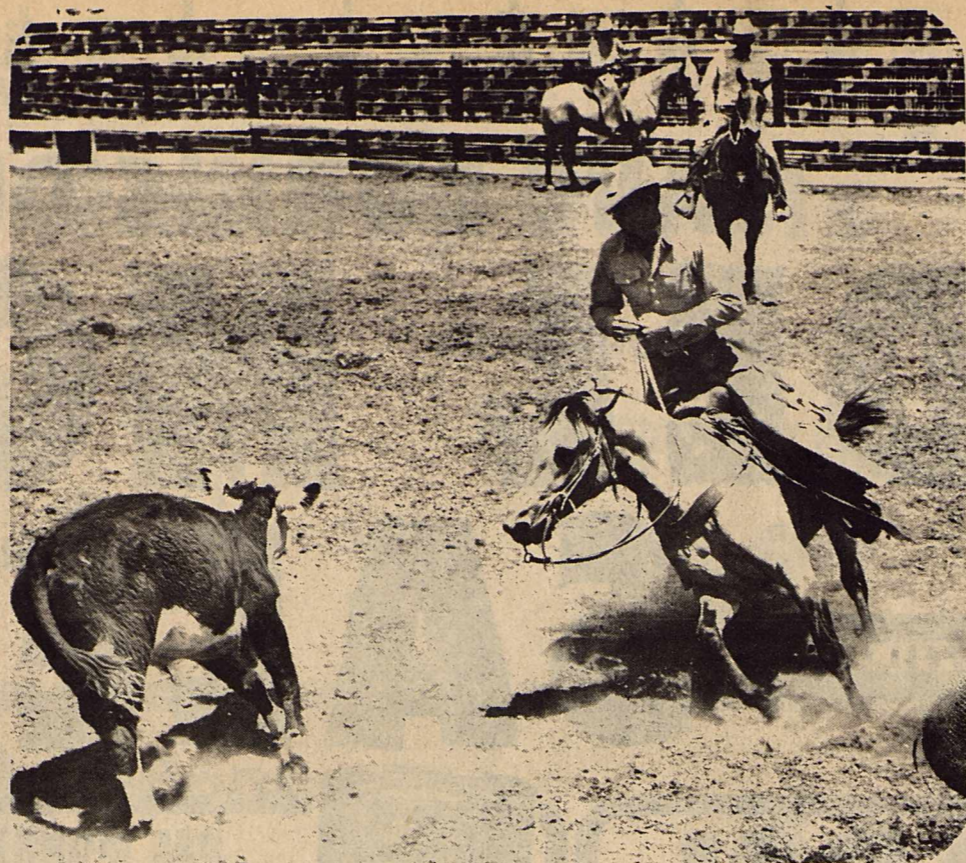
FmHA emergency loans are made to farmers who lack sources of credit for loans to cover property, equipment or crop losses caused by designated natural disasters. Amounts of up to \$250,000 offsetting actual production losses are available at a 3 percent interest rate. Addit-

ional amounts within the farmer's actual loss are loaned at 5 percent. Amounts in excess of the loss to restore production or make major adjustments in farming operations are available at a higher interest rate.

Full information may be obtained and applications filed at the FmHA office in the Odell Bldg., 316 North First in Haskell. Applications based on physical losses are authorized until October 25, 1978, and for production losses until April 30, 1979.

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### Ag Exports Help Texas

If the large volume of agricultural products being shipped overseas should suddenly come to a halt, both Texas' and the nation's economy would suffer severely.

Dr. Carl Anderson, marketing economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service notes that overseas sales of agricultural products generate employment and income as well as boost capital investment.

"Texas is one of the leading states in farm exports, ranking fourth last year with an estimated export sales volume of \$1.76 billion," points out Anderson. "This represented 27 percent of all cash receipts from farm and ranch marketings in the state. Texas led the nation in shipments of cotton, cottonseed and animal fats, was second in rice, hides and skins, and third in peanuts, nuts and meats other than poultry."

The economist emphasizes that the total volume of agricultural exports in 1977 contributed roughly \$3.5 billion to the Texas economy.

Farm exports from Texas in 1976 totaled \$1.55 billion.

On a national scale, Anderson says that overseas sales of farm products totaled \$24 billion during 1977. Exports accounted for production from some 100 million acres of cropland, or about 30 percent of the total acreage harvested. Western Europe and Japan absorbed 52 percent of all U.S. farm export sales.

"It is estimated that U.S. farm exports support well over a million fulltime civilian jobs, and the added business stemming from agricultural exports is about equal to the value of the products shipped aboard," adds Anderson.

"Agriculture makes up about a fifth of all U.S. exports and contributes significantly to the U.S. merchandise trade balance. Due to soaring costs of imported oil, the U.S. nonagricultural merchandise trade balance has shown huge deficits in recent years. Even with agricultural exports exceeding agricultural imports by about \$10 billion in the past year, the U.S. trade deficit plunged from \$9.3 billion in 1976 to \$31.4 billion last year."

What's the outlook for continued high levels of farm exports?

Anderson believes that shipments may reach a record volume of 110 million tons in 1978 but that the total value of farm exports will be down to about \$22.5 billion due to

lower prices. Exports of wheat, feedgrains and soybeans should increase while the volume of cotton moving overseas should remain steady.

And an active farm export policy must continue, he contends.

"Without a high volume of farm exports, American farmers would reduce production either by private action in response to low prices or under public policy designed to control production."

During the past year exports accounted for the disappearance of about two-thirds of the rice crop, more than half of the wheat harvest, about a third of the cotton and soybeans, and more than a fourth of the sorghum and corn crops.

"Yes, farm exports are vital to both the American farmer and this nation," argues Anderson. "They help the farmer make a living while at the same time boosting the economy and footing the bill for much of the oil brought into this country."

### Tournament Results

An eight ball tournament was held last Friday and Saturday nights with six area farmers competing each night. The event was sponsored by Russ Matthews.

Friday results were: tie for first place J.R. Miller, sponsored by Haskell Steak House, Tim Everett sponsored by Wallace Bird Exxon Station; and Danny Josselet sponsored by Woodard Farm Sales; 4th place, Leon Newton, Drinnon Mobil Oil Co., 5th place, T.V.

Burson, McGee & Tidrow Builders Supply; and 6th place, Larry Walton, Farm & Ranch Supply.

Saturday's results were: 1st Hollis Calloway, Wigwam Drive Inn; 2nd, Mansel W. Robertson, Bailey Toliver Chevrolet and Olds; 3rd, Steve Grand, Haskell National Bank; 4th, Jerry Hannsz, Russ Agriculture Flying; 5th, Eddie

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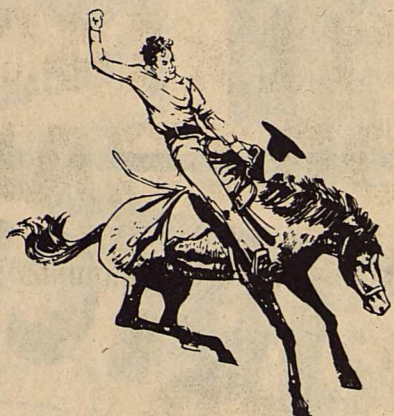
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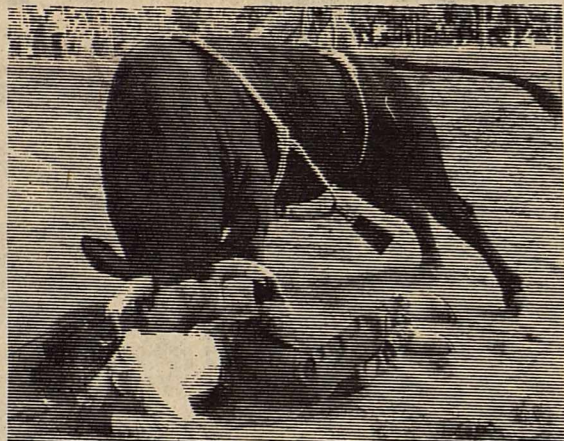
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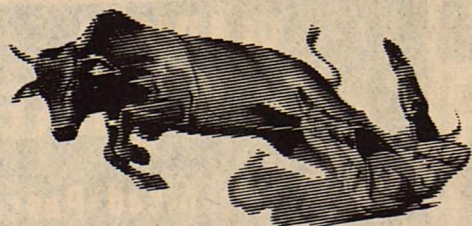
### JAYCEE RODEO

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### Mental Health Drive Set During May

Bellinger marchers will go house-to-house during May collecting for mental health in Haskell.

Organizing the drive is Rosa Martinez of Haskell.

Proceeds from the campaign will benefit the Mental Health Association, a voluntary non-profit organization.

The Mental Health Association in Texas works to prevent mental health problems through education. The association also acts as citizen lobbyists for better treatment services.

The Mental Health Association receives no government funds. The association must be supported through citizen contributions in order to continue its work.

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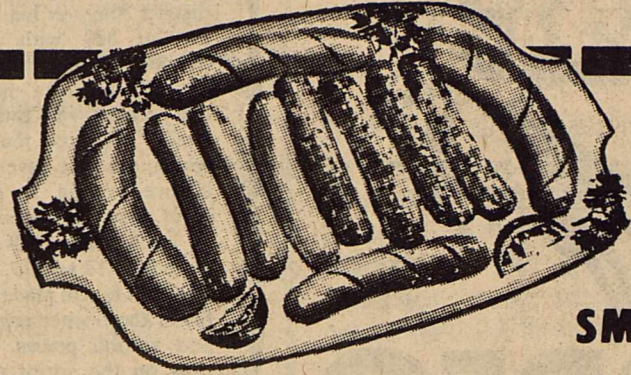
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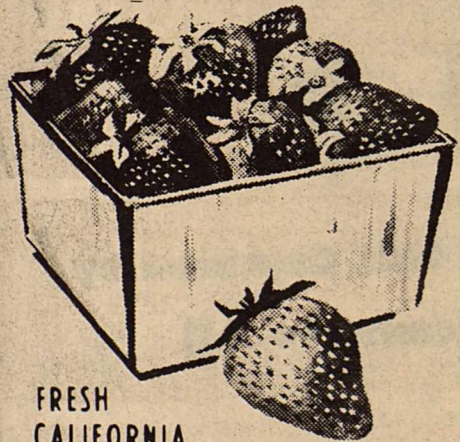
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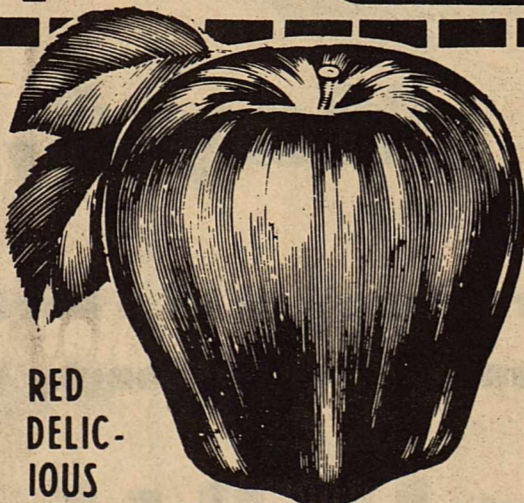
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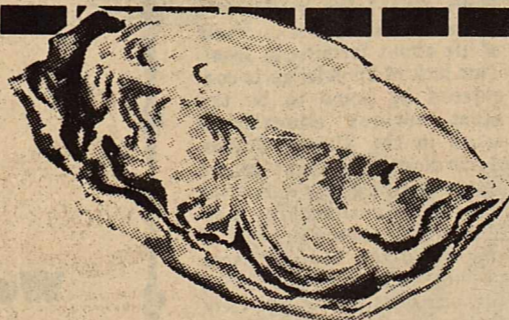
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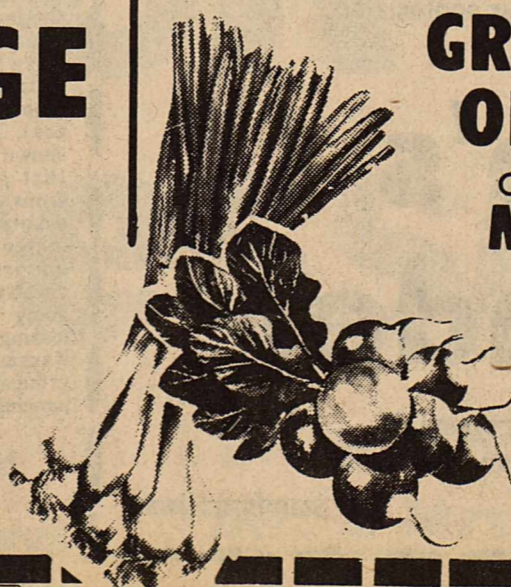
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## 7 Compete At Regional

The Haskell Track Team has seven boys who qualified for the Regional Track Meet in Odessa April 28 and 29. Four individual competitors and both the sprint and mile relay teams qualified for regional. Jim Harris won first in the

district pole-vault competition clearing 13 feet 3 inches at regional and two other boys jumped out at 13.6 feet and tied for second on number of misses. He lost the coin toss which gave him fourth place at regional.

Jackie Steadham earned the right to represent the district in the mile run by finishing first in 4:57.9. He said by running in regional this year he has gained valuable experience for next season.

Joseph Browning, the only freshman in the group, earned his trip to regional by being second in district in the 330 intermediate hurdles with a 41.5, running the second leg on the sprint relay and the third leg on the mile relay team. He also came in sixth in district long jumps.

Jimmy Browning, a four year regional competitor and first-place winner in the district 880, ran his best time in the 880 with a 2:00.2 breaking Haskell's 880 record of 2:01. Because of the stiff competition in this region Jimmy captured fourth place which did not give him the chance to run at the state meet. Only the first two places in each event advances to state May 12 and 13. However, Jimmy's fourth place time was faster than other regions first and second places. He also runs on the sprint relay and the mile relay.

Robert Browning joined his other two brothers and Bruce Enriquez on the mile relay team. Bruce runs the third leg on the sprint relay team. He is a last year regional qualifier and he placed sixth in the district 100 with a 10.5. Monnie Hise is the fourth member and final leg on the sprint relay team.

Haskell's sprint relay was second in district with a 45.2 to Knox City who placed fifth in that event at Regional. The mile relay team won first in district with a time of 3:33.4. They shaved their time down to 3:29.6, out running Knox City and Anson whom they have often competed against in other meets this year, earning a fifth place in regional.

Joining these seven boys on their trip was alternate Matt Langford who placed fifth in the 440 for Haskell at District. Had there been any injury he would have stepped in to run a leg on the mile relay. Kirk Flippin, who won fifth in district pole-vault was the pole catcher for fellow teammate, Jim Harris.

Track Coach Jim Baldwin and Coach Don Flippin were pleased that the boys ran their fastest times although they will not be advancing to state. Another district winner was sixth place Patrick Rodella, in the mile.

Considering the present track facilities the Haskell boys performed quite well. From our district there will be five boys competing in six events at the state meet. Acorn from Rotan will be entered in the 100 and 220, Mayberry from Hamlin in the 120 high

### Touring in Texas

## Amarillo is city with true Western flavor

By Gordon M. Quarnstrom  
World News Features

Amarillo—This is a city with a Western flavor, a natural stopping place on the crossroads of major highways just as it was when only cattle trails crisscrossed the Texas Panhandle.

Amarillo has an art center, to which visitors are welcomed at no charge. It is open Tuesday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday evening 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m.

**Old West Lingers**  
The Old West lingers on in the rodeos which are held in the city's outdoor arena, in the range country around the city, in the 4,100-acre Boy's Ranch and in the Panhandle Plains Museum in Canyon, 16 miles south. Boy's Ranch is a working spread, to which visitors are welcome at no charge.

The Panhandle Plains Museum is one of the most interesting of its kind, offering splendid collections of Indian artifacts, Western memorabilia and art. It is open without charge weekdays 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 2 to 6 p.m.

**Musical Production**  
During the summer the Palo Duro amphitheater, a natural setting on the canyon floor, offers a musical extravaganza, "Texas". A 1,200-foot cliff serves as a backdrop for the performance, which traces much of the history of the Lone Star State.

A few miles north of Amarillo is the Alibates National Monument, preserving prehistoric flint quarries that date from the Ice Age. There are guided tours at no charge from late spring through early fall.

The world's largest cattle auction is held two or three days each week in a sales barn to which visitors are welcome. Your motel desk can give you information about the auctions, and about a visit to the mammoth feedlots which fatten more than 2 million cattle annually.

### Playnight Results

The Stamford Jr. Sheriffs Posse results are:

8 & Under  
Sheree Dumas-1st in Flags and Barrels, and 3rd in Poles. She won 1st in the 8 and under all-around. Lieza Morales-Barrels-2nd; Poles-4th, and Shelle Briscoe-6th in Poles. 9-12

Tina Morris-1st in Flags and Barrels, and 2nd in Poles. She won 1st in the All-Around for 9-12. Gina Kuykendall-Barrels 6th, Flags-5th; Poles-6th. 13 & Over

Stacy Hager-1st in Barrels; Flags-2nd; Poles-5th. He won 2nd in the All-Around for 13 & over. Terry Kuykendall placed 4th in Barrels, Flags and Poles. Carl Hopkins, placed 2nd in Poles.

Some of the parents had a playnight of their own, and the hurdles; Mangus from Knox City in the intermediate hurdles; Walling from Knox City in the high jump; and Walters from Munday in the discus. This is proof positive of the stiff competition in this district.

### agri-facts

Pat Hale

Most city folks still don't know the facts of life... facts of life about farming at least. This lack of knowledge is considered by some to be the most serious educational crisis in the United States. According to a report issued last year by a group of Kansas educators researching political and economic aspects of the issue, the country faces possible economic disaster if this situation is not corrected. Central to the problem is the attitude of many of those away from farming that agricultural products are natural resources... same as oil or coal. Little appreciation is shown for the work and costs that go into production of crops or livestock. Put most simply, there's a lack of savvy in the city... they don't understand if the farmer doesn't grow it... nobody's going to eat it. Officials releasing the special report in Kansas urged all agricultural groups to work toward enhancing consumer education.

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We would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to the ones of you who helped to make our Haskell Band Salad Luncheon the success it was. We appreciate our towns people taking an interest in our fine bands and in the tremendous support they have always shown toward the bands.

The money raised this spring and last fall on the salad luncheons will be used to purchase central heating and cooling equipment for the band hall.

A practical combination Calendar/Appointment Pad and cork bulletin board makes a handsome and practical addition to any home or office. Just right for next to phone use. The Haskell Free Press.

## Laquita Liles Issues Statement

As a candidate for County Treasurer, may I take this opportunity to introduce myself to my fellow constituents.

I am Laquita Liles. I grew up in Haskell and married Wayne Liles, from Weinert. My parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young, my father was in business in Haskell for 32 years as a barber. My husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Liles, have lived and farmed in Haskell County all of their lives. Wayne and I have two daughters, Connie a senior and Margie an eighth grader.

With a background of sixteen years experience in keeping full sets of books, I

feel I am qualified to handle the County's money. I was employed by Anderson Construction Co. in Haskell for seven years as a combination bookkeeper and secretary. I am presently employed in the same capacity by Richardson Truck & Tractor and I have been with this company two years in May.

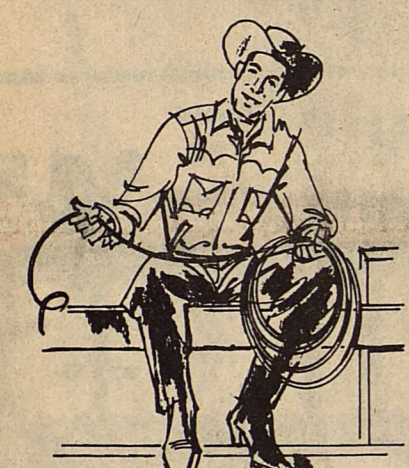
I seek your support to elect me as your County Treasurer. Laquita (Young) Liles

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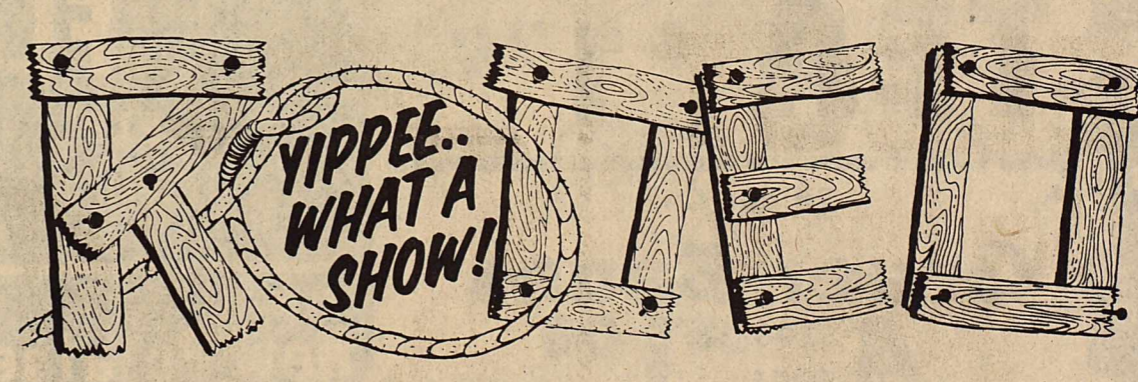


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### The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—During the spring and summer months, the new home buying bug bites many Texas consumers.

In many cases, as soon as a consumer decides on what home to buy and closes the deal, he or she will need to think about landscaping the property. That's because, while some developers do the landscaping before the house is offered for sale, others eliminate that expense and pass on the savings to the buyer, allowing him or her to select the trees, lawn, and shrubbery desired.

While some new home buyers in the latter category may decide to tackle the job themselves, others decide to hire a landscaping firm to do the work. In many cases, these firms are established and reputable members of the business community. They provide a useful service both to new homeowners and to many subdivision developers. They can be expensive, however. The landscaping work on an average sized lot may cost as much as \$1,500 or more, depending on the complexity of the plan and the type and size of plants desired. Of course, as landscaping architects and other experts point out, good landscaping can add value to your property far in excess of its cost.

But attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division warn that not all landscapers are reputable. Some "landscaping specialists" are really "con men" who operate on a seasonal basis and prey on new homeowners and subdivision developers.

These operators may run their business from a pick-up or a flat-bed truck. Some of their tactics include contracting with a consumer or developer to put in a certain quality of lawn and shrubbery and substituting cheap, low-grade plants instead. The landscaping may look all right

initially, but may fail to thrive. Most of these itinerants solicit their business door-to-door in new subdivisions. New homeowners and subdivision developers should be very cautious when approached by door-to-door solicitors offering landscaping services and should be aware of the protection provided them by the Home Solicitation Act. The act, which allows cancellation of any contract for \$25 or more by midnight of the third business day, is useful if you're dealing with an established firm or individual, or if you have withheld payment. Most itinerants are not established businesspersons, however, and most want their case "up front." This means they may be impossible to track down if you want to cancel and get a refund.

Our Consumer Protection Division attorneys suggest several ways to protect yourself from such hazards. (1) Investigate thoroughly before committing yourself to a contract for landscaping work, or to advance payment for such a job. (2) Get at least three estimates from established firms or individuals. (3) Ask friends and relatives for any recommendations and check with the Better Business Bureau to see if any complaints are on file about the firm or person you choose. (4) If you hire an itinerant "landscaping specialist," never pay for the work in advance, and always carefully check the finished job, perhaps waiting a week or so to observe the condition of the plants before paying.

If you have a consumer problem with a fraudulent landscaper, contact our Consumer Protection Division in Austin, Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Lubbock, El Paso, or McAllen. Outside those areas, call this toll-free number: 1-800-252-9236.

## American Ag News

By Bettye McBroom  
The following is an article reported by Lavon Townner of the Hooker, Oklahoma Strike Office as reported to the American Agriculture News in the April 27, 1978, issue.

Did you know that the American Agriculture Movement is diversified? Not only are we interested in agriculture but also the guarantees provided by the Constitution of the United States extended to her citizens. The second amendment guarantees ALL people a right to keep and bear arms. Protection against unreasonable search and seizure is covered by Amendment IV. Each individual must also know that not only the President, but EVERY head of a major department in the federal government now has the authority to place administrative law in the Federal Register. If the administrative rules are not challenged within thirty days (30) by the Congress, they become the law of the land. This law is a gift of modern politicians—our forefathers knew a law of this type would undermine the Constitution and endanger individual liberties.

H.R. 8128 "Handgun Control Act of 1977" is to be considered by Congress in the near future. This bill is to prohibit the importation, manufacture, sale, purchase, transfer, receipt, or possession, or transportation of

handguns, except for or by members of the Armed Forces, law enforcement officials, and as authorized by the Secretary of the Treasury, licensed importers, manufacturers, dealers, antique collectors and pistol clubs.

Section 1091: It shall be unlawful for any person to import, manufacture, sell, buy transfer, receive, or transport any handgun and handgun ammunition. It further states: It shall be unlawful after one hundred and eighty days from the effective date of this chapter, for any person to own or possess any handgun or handgun ammunition. Penalties: Whoever violates any provision of Section 1091 of this chapter shall be fined not more than \$5,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both and shall become eligible for parole as the Board of Parole shall determine. Keeping your own gun in your own house would be a crime.

If H.R. 8128 doesn't pass, Jimmy Carter will have someone else write another gun law. Congressman Jerry Huckaby, LA, reported that when Hamilton Jordan, aid to President, was asked about gun control, Jordan said, "Carter will really go on gun control and really be tough!" It appears that Jordan is correct. The President is now using a sneak attack of getting gun confiscation without public knowledge or Congressional

consideration. The Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms, (BATF) published in the "Federal Register" regulations that will amount to computerization of registration of handguns, rifles and shotguns. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Richard Davis states funding is no problem as funds would not have to be appropriated or authorized by Congress, but a simply redirected from BATF funding. BATF Director Rex Davis says a National Handgun Registration System would call for a \$35 million to \$100 million to start plus \$20 million Per Year to keep it operational. Agents of BATF are already under secret orders to further

limit the availability of firearms and have been confiscating firearms without due process of law. BATF admitted in Federal Court that secret orders have been issued to its agents on how to search private property and confiscate firearms, but REFUSED to release these secret orders even under court order.

The public now has until May 15 to protest gun registration and regulations. The address is Director of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms, Washington, D.C. 21226, and send a copy to your Senators and Congressmen.

American Agriculture cannot stand alone in the battle for Constitutional Rights. It will take all of us to make our Constitution the Law of the land as our founding fathers intended. Don't let President

Carter, the head of any Federal Department, or any power thumb their noses at your Constitutional Rights. We can win, we will win!!! Write Today!!!

Remember the "Communist Rules for Revolution" that was stated in a letter to the editor of the Haskell Free Press several weeks ago. To refresh your memory it was "Cause the registration of all

firearms on some pretext with a view to confiscating them and leaving the population helpless."

This Saturday is election. Please exercise your right to vote and do so for the candidate that puts the well being of America first.

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Worked for the public for eighteen years. My late husband was County Clerk in Kent County for ten years. I am award of the duties in the Clerks Office. Bookkeeper for the Haskell Cotton Warehouse. Energetic and eager to learn the new laws of the County Clerks office.

If elected, I will serve the office to the best of my ability with fairness and courtesy to all.

Sue Fincher

(Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Sue Fincher)

# Jenny Brazell Issues Statement

My husband and I have been residents of Haskell County for 20 years. We have lived in the Paint Creek community for 17 of those years. We have three children, Mike is serving in the military police in Fort Riley, Kansas. Ricky is working on his masters with the University of Utah, and Connie lives in Amarillo and plans to enter W.T.U. in the fall as a Junior. We are members of the Church of Christ.

I have attempted to inform you through the press, and talking with you personally during my door to door campaign about the many important duties of the County Clerks office. I invite you to question our Attorneys and Abstractor about the services that are required of this office. Many services require instant knowledge of current laws and regulations. Some examples are the filing and executing mentally ill cases, Probate cases, Alcoholic, Civil suits, and all misdemeanor criminal cases filed in County Court. I have made it my business to

keep in the strictest of confidence any information that might be harmful to anyone, even though most of our records are open for public inspection. I insist on honest and prompt service to all citizens at all times.

I have worked my way up from Deputy Clerk attending all seminars and schools, trying to the best of my ability to stay aware of all the constantly changing laws pertaining to this office. It has been my privilege to be the guardian of the records of your County Clerks office for the past six years, and if you feel I have performed this duty in a way that Haskell County can be proud of I sincerely ask for your support for my second term on May 6th. Win or lose this first primary, I will continue to serve you in the same dedicated manner until January 1, 1978.

Thank You,  
Jenny Brazell  
Haskell County Clerk

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JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS for 1978-1979 will be (l to r) Tina Morris, Gena Whitaker, Sheila Klose, April Turner, Shannon Lane, and Terrie Andrada. (Staff Photo)

## Don't Let A Lawsuit Put You On The Skids

If you're like most people, you probably consider yourself an average, solid citizen who couldn't possibly be involved in a lawsuit. And you probably feel that your basic liability insurance protection

would cover all damages, if for some reason, you were sued.

That may have been true yesterday. Today, however, litigation is fast becoming the American way of life and it could affect you in more ways than you think. Ask yourself a few questions about your activities and responsibilities:

- Do you own your own business?
  - Are you a supervisor or manager in an office or plant? a Scoutmaster, athletic coach or youth leader?
  - Are you active in a civic or political organization?
- "Anyone having a responsible job and an average income is a prime candidate for a lawsuit," warns Dave Ladd, vice president of property/liability distribution for CNA Insurance. "Damages awarded in excess of \$500,000 are becoming the rule rather than the exception and as cases go to court, more and more people find that the limits of their basic protection may not be high enough."

Ladd points out that basic homeowners, automobile or boat liability coverages will provide protection up to the policy limit. After that, the individual involved must assume the remainder of the liability. If, for instance, you are found liable for damages of \$500,000 and your basic liability protection covers only \$250,000, you must meet the



other \$250,000. Many insurance companies are offering a "personal umbrella" excess insurance plan which is designed to provide additional protection for a million dollars or more against common exposures such as slander, libel, bodily injury and property damages. Some plans also provide protection against claims or legal actions which are either excluded or not covered under your basic policy. Ask your independent insurance agent to suggest excess liability coverage tailored to your own personal needs.

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## Obituaries

### Trent Boyd

Trent Boyd, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lee Boyd died at his home in Carmichael California April 26th. He was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Payne of Moody and the great grandson of Mrs. Frank C. Scott of Haskell.

### Louis Tucker

Funeral services for Louis R. Tucker, 61, were held Monday in the Haskell Church of Christ with Larry Suttle and Donnie Carroll officiating. Interment was in Willow Cemetery directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born April 16, 1917, in Orth, he died at Haskell Memorial Hospital April 29, following a lengthy illness.

He was a maintenance foreman at the West Texas Utilities Power Plant at Lake Stamford. He married Jo Pond December 26, 1937 in Albany. He was a member of the Church of Christ. They moved to Haskell from Childress in 1953.

Survivors include: his wife, one son, Kenneth Louis Tucker of Lampassas; one daughter, Mrs. Glenda Jo Anderson of Big Spring; five sisters, Mrs. E.V. Hickey of Corsicana, Lorene Wagnon and Pauline Davis both of Colorado City, Ann Hawkins

of Fort Worth, and Bertha Boerner of Hobbs, N.M. and 8 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: E.L. Champion, Roy Medford, Glenn Merchant, Loyal Cameron, Jodie Earles, and Wayne Peiser.

### Wayne Davidson

Services for Wayne Davidson, 46, of Hobbs N.M. were at 2 p.m. at Penecostal Holiness Church with the Rev. Dave Garrison officiating.

Burial, under the direction of Griffin Funeral Home was at Prairie Haven Cemetery. Davidson died April 28 at home.

He was an employee of the Hobbs Daily News-Sun, in the composing department, since 1957, the same year he moved to Hobbs. Before that he worked for the Portales Tribune for seven years.

Davidson was married Aug. 18, 1952. He was a member of

the Hobbs Gun Club and was a member of the Pentecostal Holiness Church for 15 years.

Survivors include his wife, Mary, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Dana Winn of Odessa and Miss Calli Davidson of Hobbs; three brothers, Dorwon Davidson of Whiteface, Texas, Lynn Davidson of Clovis and Joe Davidson of Grants; three sisters, Mrs. Gene Blair of Lubbock, Mrs. R.E. Hollingsworth of Rochester, and Mrs. Verna Barbee of Rule; and one grandson.

Pallbearers were Sam Cockrill, Sterling Cockrill, Mike Duncan, Wilburn Reagan, Bill Rocky and Loyd Perry.

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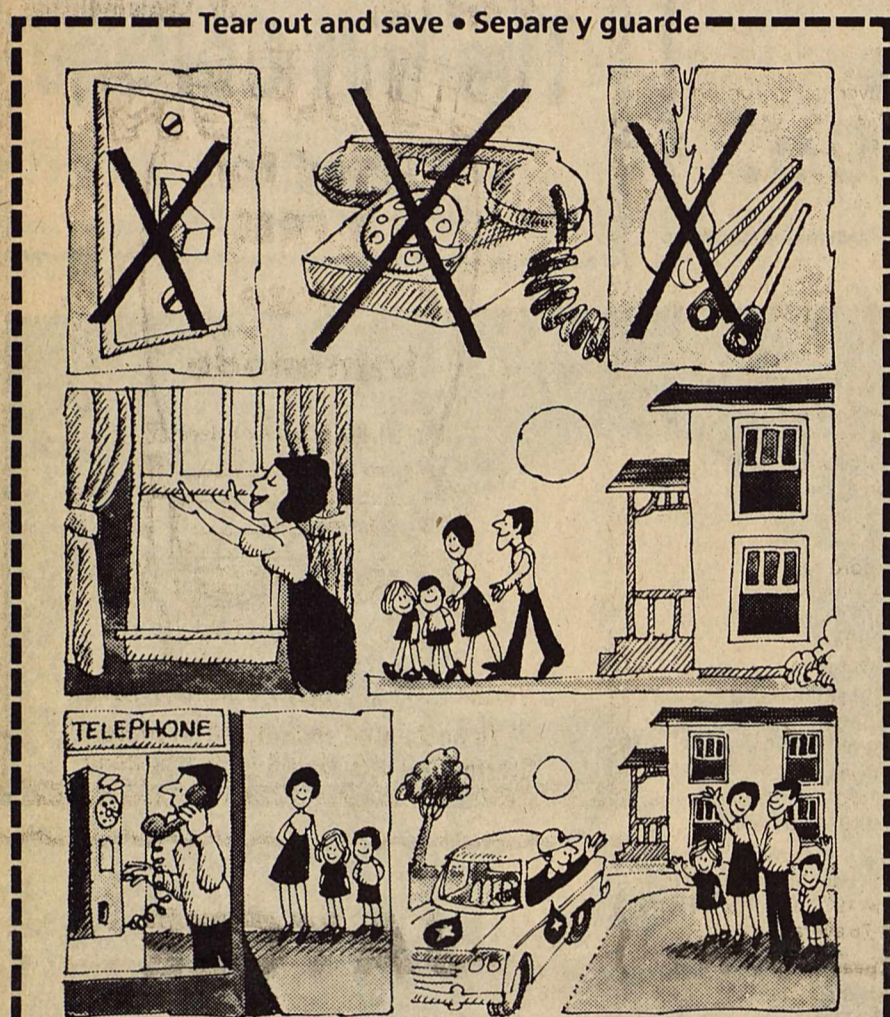
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1. Do not switch anything electrical on or off. Do not use the telephone in your own home. Do not strike a match. Do not do anything that might cause a spark.
2. Have everyone leave the house immediately, leaving doors open to help ventilate.
3. Go to a nearby telephone and call Lone Star Gas Company. Wait until we have found the source of the odor to determine whether it's safe for you to return to the house.

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3. Vaya a un teléfono cercano y llame informando a la Compañía Lone Star Gas Co., y espere hasta que los encargados de la Compañía investiguen las causas y determinen si se puede o no retornar a casa.

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(Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by B.O. Roberson)

# Tidrow Issues Statement

To the people of Haskell County I would like to say thank you for being so nice to me in the past months. I have made many new friends and renewed many old acquaintances. I have tried to personally contact everyone in the County, a task that I thought I could accomplish at the beginning of my campaign, but now I realize this is impossible. To any of you that I might have missed, I would like to ask your support on May 6th. Time has been a factor for me, as my duties in the County Extension Office are still important to me as well as my campaign for County Treasurer.

I feel very fortunate to have been in such a clean and friendly political race. To my opponents, I would like to say Thank you and I hope we all remain friends after May 6th.

I was born in Haskell and reared in the Paint Creek

Community. I have never lived outside Haskell County. My parents are Bill and Lena Petrich. My father is a retired farmer and Mother is a nurse at the Haskell Memorial Hospital. I am married to Gaston Tidrow, the son of Mrs. Delia Mae Tidrow of Haskell. Gaston is part owner of McGee and Tidrow Building Supply. We have two children, Sonja, 15 a sophomore at Haskell High School and Barry, 13 is a 7th grader in Haskell Junior High.

I am an active member of the East Side Baptist Church. Prior to this year I taught Sunday School in the Youth Department for 7 years. This year I have served as a substitute teacher.

Formally I have a high school education, but I have had almost 12 years of experience in office work, public relations and county government and I feel experi-

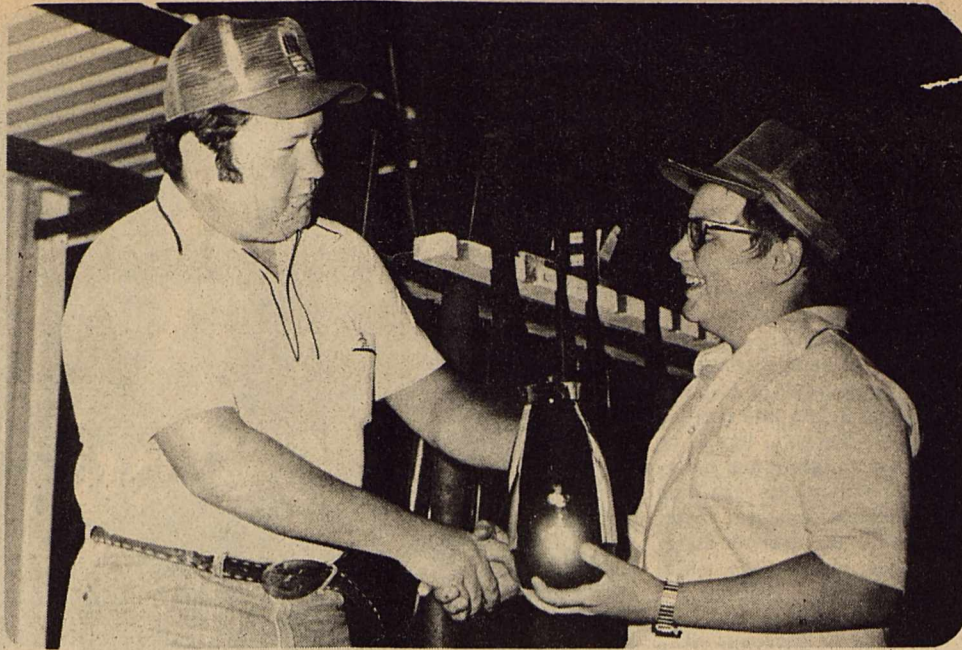
ence is one of the best forms of education.

I began my employment with Haskell County on Oct. 18, 1966 as secretary in the County Extension Office. In this position I have dealt with various forms of office work such as: bookkeeping, secretarial work, office management and public relations. If any of you have any questions about my ability to handle the duties in the County Treasurer's Office, I invite you to examine my record in the County Extension Office. When I began my employment with the County, I started at the very bottom. Through the years I feel like I have established a good rapport not only with the Commissioners Court, but also with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. I have thoroughly enjoyed my employment with the County. Now, I would like the opportunity to serve you as County Treasurer, but only you the voters of Haskell County can give me this opportunity. When you go to the polls on May 6th, I ask that you take in consideration my years of service with the County. I am very much aware of the duties of the County Treasurer and I know I can handle them.

Willie Faye Petrich Tidrow

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**BUB BAUGHMAN**, (left), of Throckmorton, receives congratulations and the Novice trophy from Gary Womack of Haskell. Baughman's score of 23x25 was tops in the event at the Haskell Trap Club. Spring League Handicap Thursday night. Baughman had only shot trap for three weeks before entering this event. (Staff Photo)

## FOOD MARKETING ALERT

USDA Agricultural Marketing Service  
As of mid-April, the May supply situation looks like this:

### RED MEATS

**Beef**... plentiful, although supplies are declining. Production rates to average 2-4% below a year earlier, but about equal to the 1975-77 May average. An increase in production of grain-fed beef should not offset a smaller output of grass-fed beef.

**Pork**... adequate, with supplies declining seasonally. Production rates to average about 1-3% above a year earlier, and 8% above the 1975-77 May average.

**POULTRY & EGGS**  
**Broiler-fryers**... plentiful. Marketings to be 3% above record levels of a year ago, and 12% above the 1975-77 May average.

**Turkey**... adequate. Marketings to be 10-12% above a year earlier. However, lower cold storage holdings will result in total turkey supplies being close to last year's level and about the same as the 1975-77 May average.

**Eggs**... plentiful. Output to be 2% above that of a year earlier and the 1975-77 May average.

**MILK & DAIRY PRODUCTS**  
**Milk and dairy products**... plentiful. Production of milk in May to be at or near its seasonal peak. Production to be near last year's heavy level, but well above the 1975-77 May average.

Production of **butter, cheese and nonfat dry milk** will exceed demand and substantial quantities of the products will be purchased under the dairy price support program.

### FRUITS, VEGETABLES, NUTS

May is a transitional month for fruits. Old crop supplies decline, and only moderate quantities of early new crop fruits enter marketing channels. **Fresh oranges, grapefruit and apples**... adequate. **Winter pears**... light. Most of the major processed fruits — **canned applesauce, fruit cocktail, cling peaches, pears, and frozen strawberries**... adequate. **Grapefruit products** — frozen, canned and chilled... plentiful. **Frozen orange concentrate and other orange products**... light.

New crop fresh spring fruits — **apricots, sweet cherries and peaches**... light. **Fresh strawberries**... plentiful, barring adverse weather conditions.

**Dried prunes**... adequate. **Raisins**... plentiful.

**Processed vegetables**... adequate for most items. Supplies of a few key items — **canned sweet corn, tomatoes and most tomato concentrates, as well as frozen broccoli, carrots, and frozen potatoes**... plentiful, with inventories well above average.

**Fresh potatoes**... plentiful. Large storage holdings to be offset by below average spring potato supplies, especially in the key production area of Kern County, Calif. Stocks of fresh potatoes on April 1 were 9% above a year earlier and 16% above the 1975-77 average.

**Spring potato production** to be 14% less than last year and 12% below the 1975-77 average. **Onions**... adequate, although cold, windy weather conditions

in the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas have cut the supply outlook. Yields from early field were quite low, bringing expected production about equal to the 1975-77 average. Onion prices during May are expected to average below high levels of a year earlier, but above the average of recent years.

**Peanuts**... plentiful. Commercial stocks on Feb. 28 were 10% below a year ago. The 1977 crop was about 4% less than the 1976 crop.

### GRAINS & LEGUMES

**Rice**... adequate. The 1977 crop was 15% below the previous year, and 16% below the large 1974-76 average.

**Wheat**... plentiful for U.S. food needs. The 1977-78 wheat supply is record large, benefiting from a large carryover. Output in 1977 was 6% below the record 1976 crop, but about equal to the 1974-76 average.

**Corn**... plentiful for U.S. food needs. The 1977 production of 6,357 million bushels set a new record. It was 1% above the previous record of 1976, and 14% above the 1974-76 average.

**Dry beans**... adequate for most classes. Production in 1977 was 8% below 1976 and 12% below the 1974-76 average.

**Dry split peas**... light. A drought in the Northeast cut 1977 production 52% below the previous year and 62% below the 1974-76 average.

### UT encourages folklore study

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — Whether it be quilting or water witching, the study and preservation of folklore is actively encouraged by The University of Texas.

For example, UT Austin is one of only three institutions in the nation that offers a Ph.D. degree in folklore.

In addition, UT's Center for International Studies in Folklore and Ethnomusicology maintains a folklore archive which includes about 1,300 tape recordings that range from fiddle tunes to tales of Gulf Coast fishermen.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage License Application for the month of April in Haskell County included:  
Sam Lee Cook and Terry Lynn Berry, of Haskell.  
Randy Gene Taylor and Connie Gale Swearingen, of Plainview.  
Gerald Ray Baldwin and Bernice Robbins, of Stamford.  
James Glen Casselberry, of Haskell, and Tonna Jo Evridge of Commanche.  
Roy Lee Jones, and Myrl

Darlene Waggoner, of Rochester.  
John Craig Allison of Rule and Celinda Renae Vahlenkamp of Old Glory.  
Jonn Duane Rimmer, of Arlington, and Alexia Wyn Mayfield of Dallas.

Nelson Giant Print Red Letter Bibles, with 8 pages of full color maps, family record section and thumb indexed. Perfect for gifts. Haskell Free Press.

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## ELECT Peggy [Blair] Darden COUNTY TREASURER



I thank God for living in a country where anyone that chooses may run for an office. It is not only a privilege but also a responsibility to elect our officials. I urge you all to vote on May 6th.

(Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Peggy Darden)

Welcome TO THE Jaycee RODEO

May 4-5-6

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Welcome To The Jaycee Rodeo

May 4, 5, 6

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Jaycee Rodeo May 4-5-6

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Jaycee RODEO

May 4-5-6

Queen Roofing

## VOTE FOR Joe Williams FOR District Judge

and elect a man you know can serve the full FOUR-YEAR term of office. He is qualified by experience and training to make you a good judge.

(Political advertisement paid for by Grace Williams, 700 North Avenue K, Haskell, Texas Campaign Treasurer)

## JAYCEE RODEO

May 4, 5, 6

Hammer Laundry

## Rhodes Issues Statement

Democratic congressional candidate A.L. (Dusty) Rhodes stated Monday morning at an Abilene news conference that he is concerned about the apparent erosion of the United States' military strength as compared to that of the Warsaw Pact countries. Rhodes blamed "a lack of leadership on Capital Hill" for the declining state of our military preparedness.

Said Rhodes, "There appears to be a feeling of apathy throughout the country toward defense. In the past few months, a number of major defense cuts have been made. We have scrapped the B-1 Bomber; cancelled 60 new Minutemen III missiles; authorized troop pull-outs from South Korea; moved to recognize China and abandon Taiwan, and approved a treaty to ultimately relinquish control of the Panama Canal. Within the last week, 107 military installations were proposed to be closed. Closer to home, we have lost two military installations...Webb Air Force Base at Big Spring, and Fort Walters at Mineral Wells. In addition to that, we now hear the Goodfellow Air Force Base at San Angelo may

be closed and a substantial reduction in force is planned for Fort Bliss. We are cutting our military strength at the very point in time when we need to be expanding in that area. The arms build-up in the Communist world is far more extensive than would be required for a mere defensive posture. The Soviet Union is working to gain a first-strike position by taking advantage of the ambiguities of the SALT I Interim Agreement by developing and rapidly deploying many new weapons."

Continued Rhodes, "I believe that this is a crucial situation. Top NATO officers and leaders of the Western World have voiced their concern. General Alexander Haig, Supreme Allied Commander of NATO forces, has said, 'We are getting to the fine edge of disaster.' I believe that we can and must have a defense force second to none. Our best weapon is freedom backed up with the power, militarily, to protect it from all who would take it from us. Our best attack weapon is freedom, internationally and individually. We must set our national priorities

straight, and recognize this fact. Once we do, we can cut wasteful administration of our military procurement and planning, and create a national will to protect our freedom from a position of strength. It is about time that someone chastized the legislators of our country for pushing aside the business of safeguarding the principles founded on freedom individual liberty and the rule of peace. Someone has to be the spark to ignite and carry through with results regarding our defense posture. After elected to the United States Congress from the 17th Congressional District, I intend to be that spark."

A staunch advocate of a strong national defense, Rhodes served during the Korean conflict as a member of the U.S. Navy. He currently is a member of the Military Affairs committee of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce. The Abilene Democrat is seeking to replace the retiring U.S. Representative, Omar Burleson of Anson.

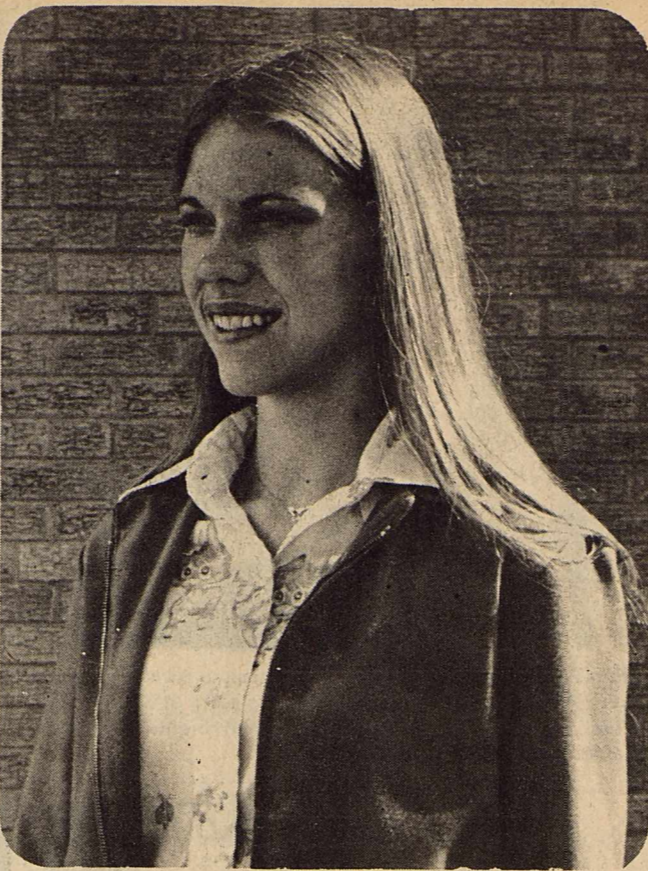
### Abilene Garden Club To Hold Tour Of Homes

The eighth annual Home and Garden Tour sponsored by the Abilene Garden Club will be held Friday, May 12. Five Abilene homes will be shown.

The homes are the Dennis Turnbull home, 3747 High Meadows; the Phillip Nichols home, 3224 Kensington; the John Wright home, 1102 Sayles; the Hal McGlothlin home, 1434 Tanglewood; and Mrs. Bernice Proctor's home at #41 Rue Maison, Frenchman's Creek.

Tour hours will be 10 a.m. to noon, 1 to 5 p.m., and 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. The tour may be joined at any of the homes and tickets cost \$3.00. Tickets also may be purchased at the Garden Club, 300 Westwood. Children under 12 will not be admitted.

The club will have a plant sale at the Turnbull home and refreshments will be served at the McGlothlin home. For further information about the tour, contact Mrs. Richard Lucas, Tour Chairman, at 692-4222.



LAURIE REYNOLDS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carolyn Reynolds, became the first student representing Haskell Junior High to score a perfect grade in a literary event. She obtained the perfect mark in the District 7-A spelling contest. (Staff Photo)

## Leisure Lodge News

The monthly birthday was given by the ladies from Adult IV Department of First Baptist Church. Ice cream bars were served. Lola Henshaw was chairman. Having birthdays in April were, Tommie Hawkins, Jessie Jones and Emmie Trussell.

Sunday services were brought by the people from the Foursquare Church and this is their last Sunday. We appreciated and enjoyed having them and will be looking forward to the Church of God services during the month of May.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Roberts and Mr. W.O. Lewis were Mrs. Leroy Brooks and Mrs. Bill Yates of Goree.

Mrs. Johnnie Warlick and Mrs. Frank Brown from Abilene visited Miss Myrtle Russell. Mrs. Travis Smith from Stamford visited Miss Alpha Dyches.

Carrie Edwards went out on Thursday to eat lunch with her sister, Artie Bradley. Mr. and Mrs. Menard Field from

Floydada visited Mrs. Mary Ray.

Visiting Mrs. Bessie Hokett were, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt, Mrs. John Summers, Mrs. Judy Andrews all from Rule and Darla Peters from Stamford.

Alberta Earnest from Houston and Arlene Baugh from Rule visited Mrs. Elsie Mitchell.

Mrs. Mary Ray reports an enjoyable afternoon meeting with the Sunshine Sewing Club on Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Hilah Swinson. She got to visit with her former neighbors and friends.

Mrs. Bessie King and Mrs. Evalene Beason from Knox City visited Mr. Erwin King.

Mrs. Oleta Baird of Rule visited Mrs. Elsie Norman.

Mrs. Lynn Carlton from Stamford visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schmidt.

Mrs. Clara Hendrix is a hospital patient and we wish for her a speedy recovery. We miss her.

## Quality Of Planting Seed Can Save Farmers Dollars

Cottonseed of highest quality could save some Mississippi farmers approximately \$11 an acre replanting cost each year, according to a state experiment station economist.

Dr. David W. Parvin, Jr. says farmers are concerned about the money they spend on equipment, fertilizer, herbicides, and insecticides, but place much less emphasis on the quality of seed they plant. He said stand failures and the need for replanting can be minimized in many areas of the Mid-South by initially planting high quality cottonseed.

Parvin noted that in Mississippi the planting operation is estimated to cost farmers \$21.67 an acre. If herbicide and in-furrow insecticide treatments are not repeated, replanting costs

are estimated at \$10. Herbicide savings are another factor in favor of high quality seed. The cost of the typical "cultivate and post-emerge" treatment in Mississippi is \$5.46 an acre.

"High quality cottonseed resulting in an adequate stand and early shading of weeds would save farmers this amount on most of their cotton acreage," Parvin said.

Pointing out that a typical insecticide application in Mississippi costs \$1.71 an acre, he said cottonseed which result in an early maturing crop or which can withstand moderate insect damage may save farmers one to two applications per year.

Parvin also noted: "In 1977 a cotton picker cost \$42,900. Mississippi farmers can expect 200 annual hours of use. This trans-

lates to a direct cost of \$13.62 an acre and a fixed cost of \$23.33 an acre. If high quality seed resulted in one week earlier maturity, annual hours of use for the picker would be increased to 240.

"The additional 40 hours of use causes direct costs per acre to drop to \$8.52 and fixed costs to \$14.26 an acre. An extra week will allow the harvesting of an additional 57 acres. On many Mississippi soils, cotton returns are estimated at \$130 more per acre than the alternative crop. Potentially, farmers could earn an additional \$7,410 per cotton-picker per farm unit."

The economist spoke at a recent conference sponsored by the National Cotton Council and the Cotton Foundation in cooperation with other groups.

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**ENDORSEMENT**

**FIRST: We encourage you to get out and VOTE MAY 6th.**

**SECOND: WE STRONGLY SUPPORT**

**Laquita (Young) Liles**

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER.**

We have found Mrs. Liles to be very dependable and efficient in her work for us.

We wish MRS. LILES THE BEST OF LUCK MAY 6th.

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## Texas Needs a Governor Who Will Reduce Taxes!

## Texas Needs Preston Smith.

Texans have paid too much in taxes!

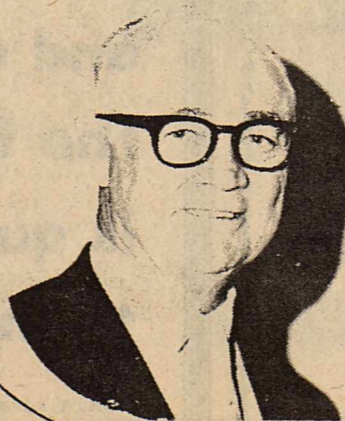
For the last six years Texas has been operating with a tax surplus that has sky-rocketed to more than 2 Billion dollars.

It's easy for other candidates to say "no new taxes" when they have been taking more money out of your pocket than is needed to run your state government.

You've been overcharged!

Preston Smith will reduce taxes.

- Preston Smith will improve Texas schools!
  - Preston Smith will implement a state energy program!
  - Preston Smith will strengthen agriculture in Texas!
  - Preston Smith will fight the rising crime rate!
- Preston Smith will return pride in state government!



## Texas Needs Preston Smith

(Paid for by the Committee to Elect Preston Smith Governor, Preston Smith-Treasurer, Suite 301, Stephen F. Austin Hotel, 701 Congress, Austin, Texas 78701)

# Little Leaguers Can Do OK

(EDITORS NOTE: The following is a reprint of Judy Bargainer's column On the Other Hand published recently in the Abilene Reporter News.)

Spring is here again! Umpires are practicing their "Blind Justice" calls. Fathers are practicing their "you goofball, you didn't even try," lectures. Mothers are practicing their "get that pitcher out and let my son win the game" yells. And sons are bringing home from school a one-page Little League registration form and a three-page impassioned plea from the officials to the parents for good sportsmanship.

When I get to be king I'm going to coach a Little League team just for the pleasure of writing that opening letter to parents. It's going to say:

Dear Parents of a Little Leaguer:

You aren't on my team! Your son is the only member of your family that I'm responsible to and you, parents, are spectators! That means your only function is to look!

You don't coach my team—not even one member of it! I'll take care of telling him how I want second base played and how I want him to hit. I'll tell him when and how to steal and when and what he's doing wrong.

You are welcome to come and watch our games and while you're there you can yell "Yeah" when we do something you like.

You cannot yell anything else! You cannot boo! You cannot give directions to my players as to what they should be doing or not doing! You



ED WALLING, third from right, recently participated in an Eagle Court of Honor in Midland. Walling received the Eagle award Feb. 22, 1969 in Haskell. He is currently serving as Scoutmaster of Troop 151 in Midland.

cannot vilify the umpires or the coaches or shout obscenities at the other players.

My boy's don't play well when they are hanging their heads in shame over the actions of their parents in the stand. If you do any of these things you will be sent home and invited not to come back!

You are allowed to be proud of us when we do something right and to mourn with us when we blow it, but you aren't allowed to put us down—neither in public at a game, nor in private with your son.

It's his team and his game and his reputation and his ego that are on the line—not yours. If you think you are embarrassed when he misses the ball, just think what he feels like.

If there's any screaming and yelling to be done, I'll do it. You are a parent. When your kid has goofed up there should be one place in this world where he can safely and securely lick his wounds and recover his self-esteem and that's in his own home with his loving parents. And every boy on my team plays better when he knows the people he loves and lives with are on his side.

We're going to play this game the best we can and if that means we win, great! But if we lose, we're still going to hold our heads up and say we did our best and we'll be back next year.

We aren't going to say we were cheated and we aren't going to listen to parents placing blame on umpires or coaches or us. When it's over, it's over. Shut up!

So parents. Sit back, relax and enjoy this Little League season as much as you can. The boys and I will do all the work; you're just along for the ride.

HANDIER THAN a pocket knife, Slip-N-Snip, The Original Folding Scissors. Ideal for gifts, purse, hunters, fisherman and hobbyists. Haskell Free Press.

# Demonstration Completed

County Extension Agent Max Stapleton has released a result demonstration on growth implants on steer and heifer calves by Ray and Rick

Perry. The calves were weaned last fall and wintered in dry lot on silage, oats and cotton seed. They were weighed March 2,

and started on a ration of silage oats and free choice Kleingrass hay. A portion of the calves were implanted with Ralgro.

On April 25 the calves were weighed again and the implanted cattle average daily gain ADG was .89. The cattle not implanted ADG was .67. The implanted steers ADG was 1.11 and the control group ADG .72. The implanted heifers ADG was .75 and the control group was .67.

Total results and additional information on the demonstration are available at the County Extension Office, and will be printed in the 1978 Result Demonstration Handbook.

# College News

The highlight of Accounting Emphasis Week at Texas Tech University was the presentation of awards, scholarships, and grants to graduate and undergraduate students in the area of accounting in the College of Business Administration.

More than 40 awards were presented at the awards banquet.

A senior from Haskell, Robert G. Colbert, received

the Senior Accounting Award. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Colbert, 707 N. Av. L., Haskell.

The College of Business Administration is one of six colleges and three schools at the Texas Tech University Complex. More than 22,000 students attend Texas Tech which has been designated as one of the four major state-supported multidisciplinary universities in Texas.

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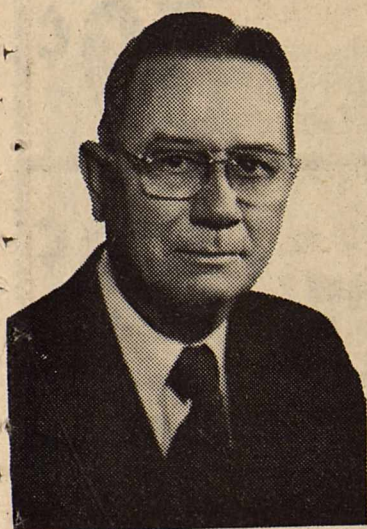
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# A State Income Tax. A Hangman's Noose For Texas.

If you think taxes are choking you now, consider the possibility of a State income tax. It would be a noose around your neck. Around the neck of every Texan. And around the future of Texas.

A vote for John Hill is a vote for:

- bigger government.
- more government spending.
- more inflation.

AND FOR A STATE INCOME TAX.

A vote for Dolph Briscoe is a vote for:

- fiscal responsibility
- less — not more — government.
- continued economic growth.

AND FOR NO NEW TAXES.

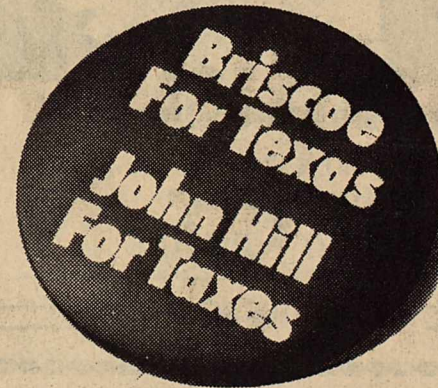
- We don't need New York-style government in Texas.
- We don't need Washington-style bureaucracy in Texas.
- And we don't need a big spending liberal activist as Governor of Texas.

LET'S KEEP DOLPH BRISCOE AS OUR GOVERNOR.

"We are already footing the bill for run-away government in Washington. As Texans we should not have to foot the bill for run-away government in Austin."

"I don't think Texas should spend itself into a state income tax. That is exactly what will happen if Mr. Hill fulfills only some of his political promises."

Governor Dolph Briscoe



# Governor Dolph Briscoe For Texas

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## Ledbetter Issues Statement

Throughout the campaign I have been asked repeatedly why the State Treasurer continues to hold large sums of the public's money in idle checking accounts scattered throughout the State. My staff has now collected the data that show clearly why Mr. Harding has continued to waste the taxpayers' money.

We've compiled a list of the banks whose officers and directors had made contributions to the Harding campaign as of April 6, the amount contributed, and the amounts of State funds held in checking and time accounts in these banks.

A comparison of the balances held on March 10 and on April 7, a period chosen to reflect the last month's business before the required campaign finance filing date, demonstrates that the depositor practices of the State

Treasurer are scandalous.

Of the 201 banks in Texas whose officers and directors made contributions, only 17 provided check cashing services. The remaining 184 banks have held idle state funds in checking accounts totaling \$15.7 million with no charge in the balance during the 27 day period, March 10 to April 7. These are inactive accounts that provide no service to the State - yet they provide a financial bonanza for the banks that hold these funds. It is no surprise that they feel obligated to contribute to the Treasurer's campaign since they do not pay the State anything for the use of the taxpayers' money. We compared several of these balances to a report for July 14, 1977, well before Harding took office, and they remain unchanged since that time. He has not improved the idle

funds situation in these non-service banks one bit since taking office in October.

One banker told me that his bank had \$200,000 of the State's money in a checking account and during the five years he had worked for that bank there had never been a check cashed for the State. That \$15.7 million in idle checking account money would have produced \$92,000 in interest for the State in the 27 days that it set idle in these checking accounts. These figures slap you in the face like ice cold water. Expand this to the remaining 85% of Texas' banks and the waste is intolerable. The taxpayers are footing the bill for sloppy, negligent performance by our appointed State Treasurer. Harding does not represent the taxpayers, he represents the bankers who have worked so diligently for his election. It's costing the taxpayers a total of \$500,000 every week in extra taxes to pay for the interim Treasurer's bank charity program.

A review of the data also shows that some banks that provide no services have had increases in their checking account balances, rather than putting the money to work for the taxpayers in interest earning accounts.

It's time to stop this foolishness. I am setting out today to carry this information all over the State. I firmly believe the voters will reject Harding and his costly, politically inspired handling of their tax money.

### COWBELLES

The Haskell CowBelles will have a booth at the grand opening of the Haskell Trade Mart on May 5-6-7. We will be offering many home made items for sale, plus other goodies. The officers of the CowBelles are the team who hopes to win the chili cook-off. We will even pitch a game of horseshoes with you. Everyone be sure and come by and see what the Haskell CowBelles have to offer.

## Washington

"As It Looks

From Here"

OMAR BURLESON  
Congressman — 17th District

WASHINGTON, D.C.— MORE THAN TEN YEARS AGO, we attempted to call attention to the fact that the United States is either totally lacking or woefully deficient in nine of the fifteen basic minerals on which we depend.

OUR COUNTRY PRODUCES NO MAGNESIUM, an essential ingredient in making steel. Most of it comes from Africa and Latin America. We produce no cobalt, necessary for electro-magnetic devices, electronic systems and for health purposes. We depend largely on Zaire in Africa for our supplies of cobalt. We import 90% of the nickel used in making stainless steel and other products and must import most all our copper, an essential metal for numerous uses.

IT IS NOT PREMATURE

TO CONSIDER OUR ABSOLUTE DEPENDENCE on other imported resources and our trouble, should the supply be jeopardized either through exhaustion of natural deposits embargoes or attempts to manipulate the world market and price. If the United States had awakened sooner to the implications of dependency on imported oil, we would not be in the situation in which we find ourselves today.

TEN YEARS AGO, THERE WAS ASSEMBLED A LAW OF THE SEA CONFERENCE in Geneva. Our representative to that Conference now is Elliott Richardson who testified before the Ways and Means Committee a few days ago on legislation designed to implement any agreements that may be reached by that Conference. There is also legislation to deal with situations, should no agreement emerge, and Mr. Richardson believes that the odds are not favorable for any solution in the immediate future. The hang-up hinges on the demands by the undeveloped nations to create an international commission with power to oversee the mining operations of the ocean floors.

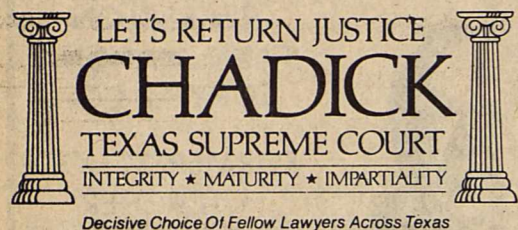
reached agreement on many of the details but not on a formula for distributing the revenues. Of the 150 nations involved, there are, of course, many more of the so-called Third World countries than those able to develop these valuable resources.

WE HAVE PRIVATE CORPORATIONS IN THIS COUNTRY which are willing to pay into a fund for the privilege of mining the ocean floors. It amounts to a sort of bond or guarantee that their salvage operations will be accounted for in every respect and that in the meantime, they will have Government protection as they mine in international waters. It will take tremendous capital for such an undertaking but at stake is what could be trillions of dollars worth of potato-sized nodules of minerals lying at

depths of down to 15,000 feet, mostly in the Pacific between Hawaii and Mexico.

IT WOULD BE HIGHLY REGRETTABLE SHOULD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SALVAGE these minerals be lost. Our national interest demands that we look to the depths of the oceans for the resources it can provide. We are a "have not" Nation in terms of highly important metals and should make sure, as nearly as possible, that we never face a "crisis" insofar as essential supplies are concerned.

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In Texas, we've learned the bitter lesson of voting for a well known name, rather than a well respected and qualified candidate for this highest court position. Let's don't make the same mistake twice.

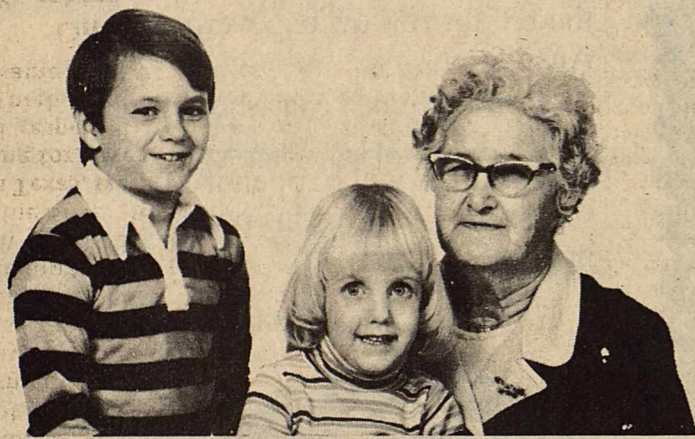
On Saturday, May 6th, let's return Justice T. C. Chadick to the Texas Supreme Court, Place Four.

Pol. adv., Justice Chadick Campaign Committee, Jack Chadick, Treasurer, 1011 Congress Ave., Suite 401, Austin, Texas 78701

## Young Ears Sometimes are Deaf to the Voice of Old Age

... Perhaps it's because age forecasts what's ahead for this youth-oriented society. Senior citizens once were cherished. Today they often are iso-

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# Howard Issues Statement

I have tried to contact each voter in Precinct 2 by letter and a personal visit to your home. If I missed you I left a card to make sure you knew I had been there. It has been a pleasure for me—hearing your views, problems, and expectations for Precinct 2 and also Haskell County.

It is a great privilege We Americans have to be able to share Our opinions and Our needs first hand with Our officials. I believe Our American Government would be much stronger today IF each of us became more INFORMED and INVOLVED on the local, state and national level.

We should all be grateful and proud to live in Haskell County! As a taxpayer, I am truly proud to know that I've actually contributed my fair share toward Haskell County having such good things as the court house, Schools, hospital, library, roads, etc. I am also glad to know that I've contributed to the salaries of persons elected to administer the duties of each county office.

This is my first time to seek an elected duty in Haskell County, although I've worked in various organizations working for the betterment of economic conditions, living standards, and way of life for many years.

I have enjoyed Haskell Counties benefits and privileges for 46 years. To be elected Commissioner of Precinct 2 would give me the opportunity to render my service to Haskell County by the use of good judgment, fairness to all, and above all honesty. Machinery as well as the cost and maintenance of such is very familiar to me. I'm not allergic to hard work as it has been my constant companion. I believe for every hours work done—an hours pay is due! However I also believe that each hours pay is also due an hours work! Serving as Commissioner of Precinct 2, I will be most careful with the spending and appropriation of your tax dollars. Because as a woman, I know first hand that obligations are very hard to meet and it is the wife and

family who is sometimes deprived to meet such obligations.

Working with many people on various situations, it has been my duty to make decisions that have affected many people and businesses. I have always tried to do my best and to be sure that the decision was in the best interest of all the people concerned. I believe the same formula should hold true in the business of Precinct 2 and Haskell County. I know I can represent Precinct 2 in Commissioners Court with whomever may be elected to serve in the various offices. I will uphold and fight for what I believe to be in the best interest of Precinct 2 BUT if I do not believe it to be in the best interest of Precinct 2 and it is against my better judgment I will not be afraid to speak up and say so.

Saturday, May 6, 1978 is an important day for everyone, one not to be taken lightly—because whoever is elected to each office will serve the next four years. We want and need the very best for Haskell County!

I feel I have conducted this campaign with vigor, determination, and dignity, and I trust that all of you feel the same and will elect me Commissioner of Precinct 2.

Mrs. Bobby L. (Melba) Howard

# Newspapers

## Endorse Vollers

Incumbent Judge Jim Vollers today announced his endorsement by several more newspaper across Texas, including the El Paso Times, the Beaumont Enterprise, the Port Arthur News, the Victoria Advocate, and the Wichita Falls Times and Record News.

Vollers is seeking to retain his seat on the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Calling it perhaps "one of the most important Court of Criminal Appeals elections ever," the Beaumont paper noted that "Vollers believes every person charged with a crime deserves a speedy trial, but at the same time thinks the rights of the public must also be preserved."

"The present Court does an admirable job of safeguarding the rights of both the accused and the accuser, which means the people. But unless Vollers is returned to the Court, the balance could be dangerously close to tipping in the other direction," added the editorial.

The El Paso Times lauded Vollers' two-decades-plus background as a lawyer and pointed out that he had won the State Bar poll by 20 per cent.

The Wichita Falls newspaper acknowledged the judicial races often have difficulty

generating interest but "it is there that determination is made of places on the state supreme court and appellate courts, courts which can exercise great influence on the lives of each of us."

The editorial said that Vollers is "aware of the responsibility of showing concern for the rights of the public and the rights of the accused."

# Thank you

for your continued support and confidence. Please remember to vote—Saturday, May 6.

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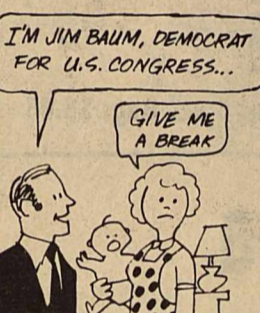
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# Godfrey Issues Statement To Voters

The voters of this district need a mature, broadly-experienced man with a proven record of ability and achievement to step into this Congressional job... someone who can "hit the ground running" and represent the 17th District with very little "on-the-job" training." Fike Godfrey is this man.

Anyone who has followed Fike Godfrey from before daylight until after dark on his ranch, or in the Halls of Congress and the Washington Agencies, knows he believes



in hard work and total commitment to the job he has to do. He not only works hard—he works smart.

His record of achievements as a public spirited citizen, as a small businessman, as a rancher and as a spokesman for West Texas is extraordinary. He sets high standards and then goes all out to achieve them.

An ethical man of strong personal convictions, Fike Godfrey believes every individual's feelings and opinions are important no matter what their position, political or personal beliefs. He has always had a deep appreciation for the rights and feelings of others.

He is no newcomer to national affairs. All of his adult life he has actively been engaged in agricultural, educational, state and national affairs.

Fike Godfrey knows that inflation and constantly rising prices must be stopped. To do this wasteful government spending, foolish and unnecessary federal regulations and constant increases in federal taxes both direct and hidden must be stopped.

He knows how tough it is to provide for a home and to raise a family because he has usually held two or three jobs at a time to do it.

He will examine very carefully any proposed new federal spending measures or more federal regulations for waste, for real need, and for the full consequences to the people.

Fike Godfrey believes there are too many bureaucratic chiefs in Washington who feel they can run our lives better than we can.

These people try to solve all our problems through wasteful spending of more tax money and by issuing more and more foolish and unneeded federal regulations. They

succeed only in ballooning taxes and the size of government and further harrassing the people and thus continually forcing prices higher and raising the cost of living.

The important things are given little or no consideration such as....

- \* stopping inflation and continually rising prices and taxes.

- \* creating more jobs and profit opportunities in privately owned businesses.

- \* increasing the profit opportunities for more farmers and ranchers.

- \* letting the people in the private sector, who know how, get on with the solution to the nations energy problem.

- \* dealing firmly and effectively with crime and drugs.

- \* maintaining a strong national defense.

- \* rewarding those Americans who will work and prosecuting the welfare cheats and chiselers.

Fike Godfrey believes in the "speak softly and carry a big stick" concept of national defense and he knows that only a strong defense force will deter aggression by America's enemies.

Fike believes we have to get tough with law breakers instead of coddling them and turning them loose after only token punishment, to victimize others.

He believes that people who work should be rewarded and those who won't work should not be paid by the federal government not to work. Fike Godfrey believes the Welfare program should be reformed so that those who can't work and really need help can get it and the cheats and chiselers are prosecuted vigorously.

Fike Godfrey believes our Senior Citizens should be assured that they can live their remaining years in dignity and security.

He believes that if the

federal government will help, instead of hindering, the people in the private sector, who know how to solve the nation's energy problem, the initiative and ingenuity of the private sector can solve this problem in the time-proven American Free Enterprise way.

Fike Godfrey is a strong believer in the principals that made America great, high moral standards, hard work, freedom from excessive federal government harrassment for the individual, more and better jobs and profit opportunities and patriotism.

The Godfreys have had continuing interest in the 17th District ever since Fike's grandfather first settled near Truby, Jones County in the late 1890's.

Fike Godfrey has confidence in the people of the district, their communities, their abilities, their independent attitude and their common sense. He will represent those qualities in Congress.

As a life long farmer and rancher, Fike Godfrey knows their problems all too well... low prices, high cost, drought, and interference by the federal government and the vital importance of a plentiful supply of food and fiber

produced by farmers and ranchers who must have the opportunity to make a decent profit from their labor and investment.

Fike Godfrey was one of those who led the way in insisting that we in this area have a superior vocational educational program for our children. He has for years been active in helping achieve better educational facilities at the local, junior college, college and university level. He is a firm believer in maintaining a strong private educational system in the nation.

Because of his broad experience, proven abilities, mature judgement and insistence on the facts, he is better equipped to enter Congress than most freshmen and better able immediately to make the decisions that are right for the people of the district.

Fike Godfrey knows the people of the district and understands the needs of every community because of his work with and for them for the past seven years as Executive Vice President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

## John Hill Opposes State Income Tax

When he announced for Governor, Attorney General John Hill said that he would oppose — and would veto — a state income tax or any other new tax bill. He has repeated that pledge many times since. Anyone who says that Hill would support a state income tax is just trying to mislead the public.

As Attorney General, John Hill cleaned up political corruption in Duval County, sued the phone company to stop an increase in rates and worked for a national energy policy that would be fair to Texas.

As Governor, John Hill will use the state's budget surplus to reduce property taxes and to help pay more of the cost of our public schools. There will be no state income tax and no other new taxes if Hill is elected Governor.



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I will zealously guard the independence that I maintained in my earlier public service as a member and as Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, and I will always represent the people of this State, and their best interests, in the highest ethical and professional way.

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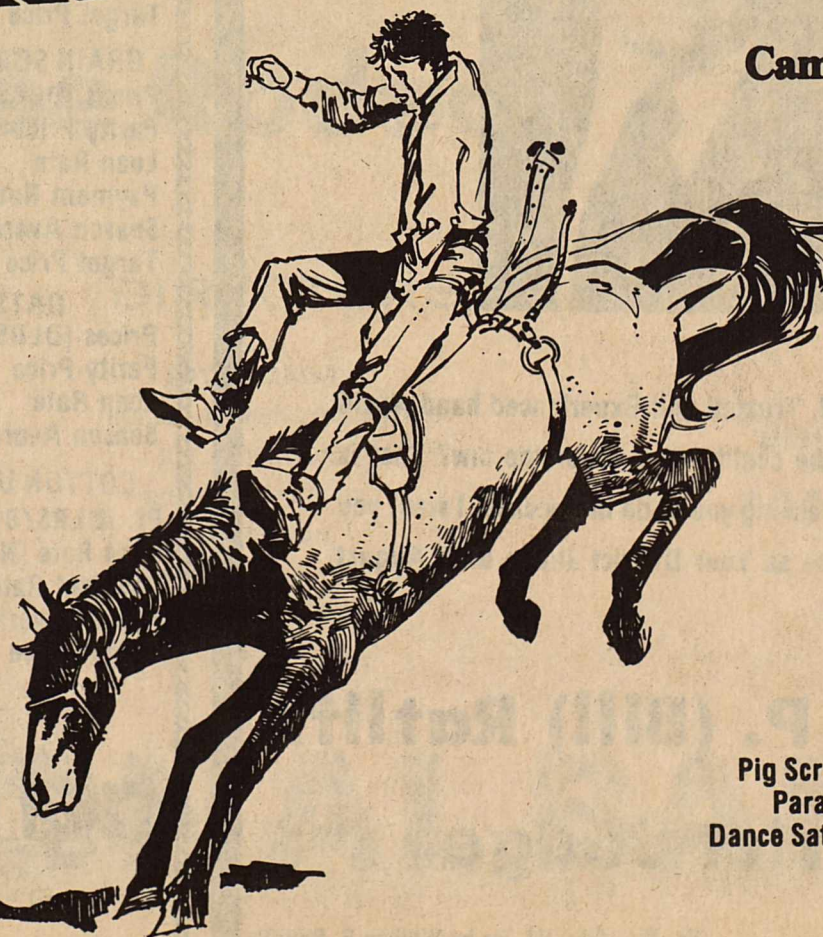
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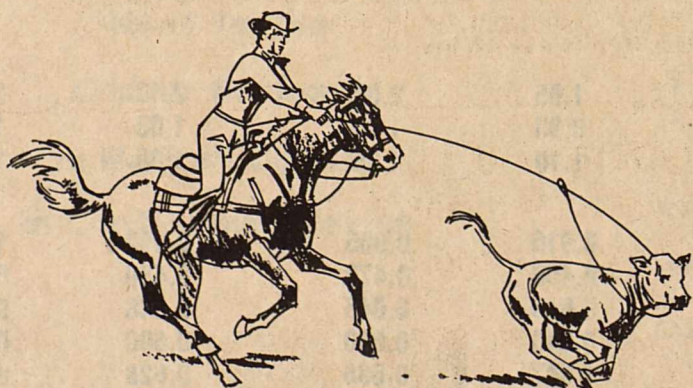
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# McCulloch Issues Statement

Crews McCulloch, candidate for U.S. House of Representatives from the 17th District, at a press conference today, stated that he would fight to save the Panama Canal should he be elected to Congress.

Representatives from the 17th District, at a press conference today, stated that he would fight to save the Panama Canal should he be elected to Congress.

"As I travel across this district there is one question that people repeatedly ask me, 'What do you think about the Panama Canal Treaty?'" This question is asked by young and old-rich and poor. Almost everyone is concerned about the Panama Canal.

I am holding a series of press conferences across the district to inform the voters

that the Panama Canal is NOT a dead issue.

For the past several days I have had a personal representative in Washington so that I might better assess the situation. The future of the Panama Canal disturbs American allies as well as most American citizens.

My information from Washington indicates that President Carter does not intend to push his luck any further on the Panama Canal issue during this session of Congress. He is not expected to send implementing instructions on the treaties to the Congress until next year. Therefore, the next Congressman from this district must deal with the Panama Canal issue.

Under U.S. law disposal of U.S. Government owned property requires the approval of both the House and Senate. Since the Panama Canal Zone is U.S. Government owned property, there are members in the House of Representatives, who would like to challenge the legality of Senate approval of the treaties.

The Panama Canal Zone is as much a part of the United States as are the Louisiana Purchase and Alaska. We purchased the Canal Zone from Panama and the agreement was in perpetuity, which means forever. I pledge to join vigorously in the Canal fight, if I am elected to Congress.

The Panama Canal is a U.S. Possession, bought and paid for by the United States. For three-quarters of this century the Panama Canal has stood as a symbol to the world of the ingenuity, strength and determination of the American people. Our country has reached a very low ebb when our leaders capitulate to the threats of a minor dictator who neither cares nor respects the rights and freedom of individuals. Should we, the citizens of this great land, stand idly by while our elected officials destroy our nation by giving away its wealth and reducing us to a second rate power in the eyes of the world?

The Senate vote on the

Panama Canal Treaty did not express the wishes of the American people. Handling of the Panama Canal is a visible example of the maneuvering and thinking within our government, where a few who think they are elite and enlightened know what is best for all. Therefore, a fight to save the canal is vital to preserve our American System. There is much more at Stake than the Panama Canal. Are we going to continue to send men to run our government who forget they are there to represent us? We can turn our government around by electing officials who will represent the people.

I entered this campaign as much more than a mere alternative to high flying money power and crass politics. I entered this race as a qualified candidate with real experience in farming-ranching-industry-business-national defense and foreign affairs. In spite of what the two, self proclaimed, front runners may say, I am still very much in this race.

I don't believe that farmers, ranchers, and businessmen are fooled by phony credentials any more than educators are fooled by manipulated sham endorsements.

I want the individual voter to know that we do have some options in running our Federal Government. They start with who you elect to represent you. Should I be elected to Congress I will fight against implementing the Panama Canal treaties. I consider that but one step in returning our government to its rightful owners-The American People."



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# McDermett Issues Statement

The following statement is from John Wayne McDermett, candidate for the office of County Judge for Haskell County.

I would like to ask for your support and vote for the office of County Judge for Haskell County.

I am 27 years of age, am married to the former Betty Sue Steele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steele of Haskell. I am a graduate of Morton High School, and attended South Plains Junior College in Levelland. I have been very active in our political system for a number of years. In 1971, I was selected as one of the 31 Outstanding Young Democrats of Texas. I served on the Youth Advisory Board of the State Democratic Executive Committee in 1971. In 1976, I was selected as an Outstanding Young Man of America, an honor of which I am very proud.

I know that the office of County Judge is a very important office, and that is why I would like to be your next County Judge. By being your County Judge, I feel I can contribute more to help Haskell County grow and prosper by being a concerned County Judge who wants what is best for our county. I am aware of the many duties, responsibilities, and functions of the County Judge's office. If I felt that I could not be a responsible and dedicated County Judge, I would not have chosen to run for the office. In the four years I have served as your County Treasurer, I feel I have been able to gain the experience and knowledge to enable me to be a good County Judge for Haskell County.

I have no outside interests,

such as a business or farming, to fall back on. This way, if elected I can devote my full time to the office of County Judge and will not be confronted with conflicts of interest in discharging the duties of office. I have the ability to hold the office and I

will be personally available to the people at all times.

I am asking for your vote and support for my candidacy for County Judge for Haskell County. I will, to the best of my ability, be an honest, concerned, sincere, hard-working, and a fair County

Judge. I would like to say thank you for allowing me to serve as your County Treasurer the last four years.

Signed,  
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Tuesday, February 14, spokesmen for the American Agriculture movement along with leaders of various farm organizations met with President Carter in a closed meeting. The President offered no solutions to the current crisis facing us, The American Farmers. He did say that better times are ahead "For those that can survive." This lack of concern by the President offers us but one alternative and that is to produce only 50% of normal production. This will be our only method of forcing the administration and the congress immediate action. Without a reduction in acreage it is doubtful that the congress or the administration will be willing to offer us anything but a guaranteed loss for the next four years. How many farmers can stand four years of the prices that exist today?

President Carter and Secretary Bergland have asked us, the Farmers, to "Give the 1977 farm bill time to work." They contend that their proposed acreage reductions, coupled with their proposed farmer-controlled grain reserve, will improve commodity prices in the long run.

Below is a summary of an official, confidential U.S.D.A. report, presented to the bureau of the budget and the house ways and means committee for their use in projecting the cost of administering the 1977 farm bill. Please study these figures, and notice that, for example, the expected target price for wheat in 1982 is \$3.22 per bushel, or 53% of the parity price of \$6.07 per bushel.

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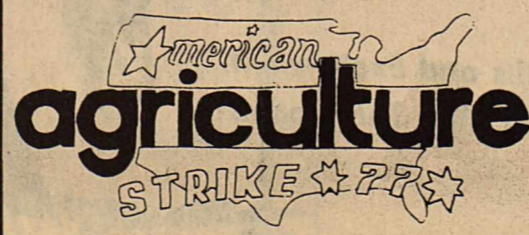
	Crop Yr. 1976	Crop Yr. 1977	Crop Yr. 1978	Crop Yr. 1979	Crop Yr. 1980	Crop Yr. 1981	Crop Yr. 1982
<b>WHEAT</b>							
Prices [DLRS/BU]							
Parity Price	4.83	5.09	5.11	5.35	5.62	5.83	6.07
Loan Rate	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.35	2.35	2.35	2.35
Payment Rate		0.65	0.35	0.39	0.36	0.44	0.66
Season Average Price	2.85	2.25	2.45	2.60	2.65	2.65	2.60
Target Price	2.29	2.90	3.00	2.99	3.01	3.09	3.22
<b>CORN</b>							
Prices [DLRS/BU]							
Parity Price	3.45	3.45	3.63	3.83	4.02	4.18	4.33
Loan Rate NTL-Av-All	1.50	2.00	2.00	1.80	2.00	2.00	2.00
Payment Rate			0.10	0.03		0.02	0.02
Season Average Price	2.20	2.10	2.00	2.10	2.20	2.25	2.35
Target Price	1.57	2.00	2.10	2.13	2.18	2.27	2.37
<b>GRAIN SORGHUM</b>							
Prices [DLRS/BU]							
Parity Price	3.07	3.23	3.40	3.59	3.76	3.91	4.05
Loan Rate	1.43	1.90	1.90	1.71	1.90	1.90	1.90
Payment Rate		0.38	0.32	0.27	0.38	0.45	0.46
Season Average Price	1.95	1.95	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.15	2.25
Target Price	1.49	2.28	2.22	2.27	2.48	2.60	2.71
<b>OATS</b>							
Prices [DLRS/BU]							
Parity Price	1.59	1.76	1.85	1.95	2.05	2.13	2.21
Loan Rate	0.72	1.03	1.03	0.93	1.03	1.03	1.03
Season Average Price	1.55	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.15	1.20	1.25
<b>COTTON UPLAND</b>							
Pr. [DLRS/BU] Parity Pr.	0.796	0.837	0.878	0.916	0.965	0.992	1.027
Loan Rate [NW]	0.389	0.446	0.440	0.460	0.470	0.480	0.450
Payment Rate			0.075	0.045	0.046	0.048	0.066
Season Average Price	0.647	0.480	0.450	0.540	0.550	0.600	0.606
Target Price	0.432	0.478	0.520	0.547	0.596	0.628	0.666

After studying this, does it appear that Mr. Carter and Mr. Bergland expect the 1977 Farm Bill to give us any significant help? Is this what, they want us to give a chance to work? Do they think that we cannot add and subtract? When 1982 rolls around, would we rather receive \$3.22 or \$6.07 for a bushel of wheat?

The well-being of agriculture is in our hands alone. Let's not let our neighbors down! Plant only 50% --remember, we are still the ones who control the operation of our planters.

American Agriculture Movement

[pd for by Haskell Co. AAM Office]



# ELECT William P. (Bill) Ratliff District Judge 39th Judicial District For 2nd Elective Term



If you had a Qualified, Trusted and Experienced hand would you fire him before he could retire under the law? That is what Joe Williams is asking you to do in my case. I want you vote so I can continue as Your District Judge until August 1980.

William P. (Bill) Ratliff District Judge

(Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by William P. Ratliff)

## Baum Issues Statement

Jim Baum, Big Spring candidate for United States Congressman, 17th District, today voiced confidence in the voters of the District that they will exercise their right to vote in the Democratic Primary May 6 and overcome the feeling of apathy that has been so apparent in past elections.

Baum stated, "Not only do I have confidence in the District's voters, I strongly believe our citizens will make a congressional choice with great care and concern, a belief I have developed after traveling some 31,000 miles into 86 towns and cities throughout the district."

"I would hope to be that choice," added Baum, whose efforts have been called a "Peoples' Campaign." "I think voters realize I am one of the majority...those of us who are tired of picking up the tab for big Government spending programs while we struggle just to make ends meet. A major part of my campaign has been directed toward fighting voter apathy. Voters believe they can't

change our big wasteful government. But we can...by realizing that we will have Government of the people when people get involved. And that's why I am running for Congress...to prove we can turn this thing around."

Baum pointed out he has run a relatively inexpensive campaign. "Despite the fact I have been outspent 10 to 1, I firmly believe I am going to be in the run-off. That tells me that people have related to my campaign because they know I truly want to represent the majority of our citizens," Baum stated.

Baum's campaign has been geared toward the middle income families...whether they be farmers, ranchers, small businessmen, teachers or homemakers. He says, "We're the groups of unrepresented people. It's time we started having a say in our affairs."

Since early January, Baum has been conducting a door-to-door canvass of the large 17th District. He credits this method of campaigning for his

ranking as one of the top contenders to replace the retiring Omar Burleson.

Thursday, May 4, Baum will accept collect calls from anyone in the District at his Big Spring Headquarters (Area Code 915-263-1313). "If there is one person who wanted to talk to me during my door-to-door campaign but I missed that person, then I want that person to know I'm available by telephone now...and will continue to be available if elected to Congress," Baum stated.

Baum concluded, "I have taken my campaign to the people. I'm convinced voters will respond Saturday by voting for the candidate who will remember to whom he is responsible...the men and women of the 17th District who go to work just as I do...who try to pay their bills and try to provide for their families. That Candidate is Jim Baum."

## College News

Robert G. Colbert and James C. Milton, both of Haskell, have been initiated into the Texas Tech University Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, a scholastic honorary society.

To be eligible a university student must be in the top two percent of the junior class, top 10 percent of the senior class or in the top 10 percent of all graduate students, across the university.

Colbert is a senior, majoring in accounting. Melton's classification and major was unlisted.

The initiation ceremony for all new members was April 26 in the University Center Ballroom. Dr. Lorrin C. Kennamer, Dean of the College of Education and a professor of geography and education at The University of Texas at Austin, will be the keynote speaker.

Dr. Rae L. Harris, Jr., president of the Texas Tech chapter and a professor of geosciences at Tech, gave the opening address.

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## Rice Springs News

The Foursquare Church brought the Sunday morning church services. All the residents enjoyed the singing and lesson.

Visitors of Trudie Bush included: Mrs. A.A. Berry of Hamlin, Mrs. Flora Smith, Mrs. Hollis Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Gracie Mae Bristow, Kelli Alexander, Oscar and Lillie Corzine, and Mrs. Tom Stryker all of Rule, Ada Snyder of Seymour, and Mrs. W.W. Smith and Marion Smith of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hines welcomed visits from Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herrell of Rule, and Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller of Sagerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson of Rule visited with Edna Collins.

Aurlyne Baugh of Houston visited with Mary Liles.

The Rule Quartet came out Thursday night and sang for all the residents. Everyone enjoyed the Quartet and are looking forward to their return next month.

Helen Turnbow, Mrs. Thurman Stout, Chrystella Raynes, and Rev. Paris Barton all of Weinert were visitors of Mary Chandler.

Herbert Klump welcomed visits from Phyllis Letz, Jana and Casey, Mr. and Mrs.

Allen Letz, Dale Letz and Terry, and Robert Dudensing all of Old Glory, and Wylie and Adeline Roberts of Kaufman.

Visitors of Alvena Holle included: Mrs. Sylvia Tiemann of Austin, Mrs. Carl Druessdow of Stamford, Mrs. Otto Lehrmann, and Mrs. Cato Macias, Mrs. Sally Macias and Nathan, Mrs. Will Stegmoeller, and Mrs. John Clark all of Sagerton.

Rev. Sammie Ellis and the ladies of Rule and Sagerton Methodist Church brought the devotion and singing Thursday afternoon.

Peggy Kittley, Mrs. Tom Stryker, and Mrs. Mary Place all of Rule visited with Chairty Bradley.

Pete Sherrod of Aspermont visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford.

Visitors of Alma Cole were, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Joe Mathis, and Harold Woods all of Rule, Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller of Sagerton, Ada Snyder and grandchildren of Seymour, and Leonard Florence of Ft. Worth.

Hallie Morgan, Zina Bills and Tommie May all of Rule visited with Ora McCollough.

The ladies of the Haskell Church of Christ had their

## Hise Issues Statement

I was born in the Irby Community & raised at Paint Creek. My parents are Bill and Lena Petrich, a retired farmer and semi-retired nurse. I am married to Lonnie Hise. I have six sons, Ronnie, Donnie, Vonnie, Monnie, Jonnie and Lonnie Alan. One-stepson Lewis, 1 grandson and 4 step-granddaughters.

The Justice of Peace office is 90% bookkeeping and working with the law enforcement. I have worked in the clerks office and the clerks office is associated to some extent with the law enforcement. I have worked part-time twice for Jimmy Owens in the tax office and nearly 5 years at the Haskell National Bank, as bookkeeper, proof-operator and teller. I am now part-time secretary-treasurer of the East Side Baptist Church and Secretary-Treasurer of the Indian Booster Club. As a

monthly birthday party for all the residents. Several different kinds of beautiful and delicious cakes were served along with punch. Those celebrating birthdays in April were, Martha Peiser, Mattie Hines, Dutch Cross, Mary Bradley, Milze Brown, Eunice Honea, Jewell Bynum, and Mary Schonerstedt.

sizeable amount of money flows though the J P office I feel I have the qualifications to care for it.

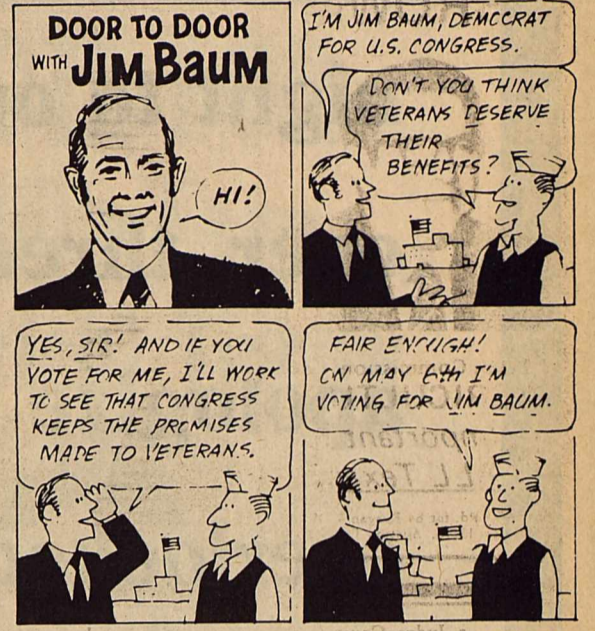
Having worked in two county offices I feel I have gained experience and insight to county offices that would better able me to manage and operate this office.

I knew when I put my name on the ballot if elected, I would be called on for night duty and

would have to go to wreck scenes. I feel I am a stable person and can handle this situation.

If elected I will serve to the best of my ability without regard to race, creed or color. I believe I am qualified to handle this office or any situation that might arise, pertaining to the duties of "Justice of the Peace."

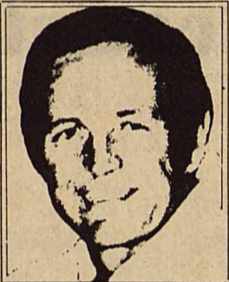
Geraldine Petrich Hise



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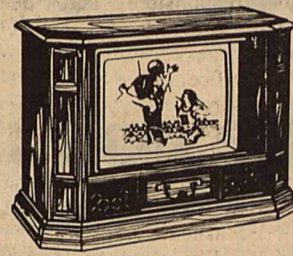
His opponent, who has only lived in Texas 11 months out of the last 19 years, is the hand-picked candidate of Big Oil, and he votes their way every time no matter what effect it has on Texans' utility bills or the skyrocketing rate of inflation.



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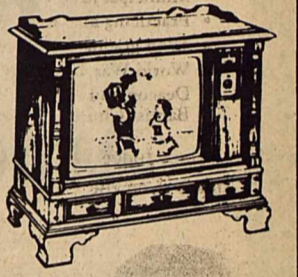
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**Dear Friends,**

**First we want to thank all of you who came out Monday night to our barbeque in honor of Dusty Rhodes. We had over three hundred people in attendance. We wish to apologize to anyone whom we may have inadvertently overlooked with our invitations.**

**We would like to encourage everyone to exercise his American right by going to the polls and voting for the man or woman that you feel best qualified to serve our county and nation.**

**Thirdly, we would ask you to consider voting for our friend, Dusty Rhodes. He is an honest, hard-working, intelligent man, who truly has the background and ability to serve us well in Washington. There are several good men running for Congress from the 17th District, but we feel that Dusty is by far the most qualified. Please consider giving him your support on Saturday, May 6.**

**The Employees of Hale Farm Supply  
Pat and Jean Hale  
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Carroll and Joy Bowles  
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Dugan and Mary Starr**

# Stenholm Issues Statement To Voters

Charles Stenholm, Democratic candidate for the 17th Congressional District, visited Haskell today along with a group of friends, neighbors and supporters from his hometown of Stamford. The group was joined by local Stenholm supporters here. "There most definitely is a difference in the candidates in this race," Stenholm told

people as he visited with them. "It is always easier to agree with all groups, to be all things to all people; but we simply cannot continue to promise more and more of everything to everybody." Stenholm was referring to three issues which "must be brought into focus; issues on which I want people to understand clearly how I

stand," he said. "I believe strongly in quality education, but more federal money is not the answer," he stated. Seven questions were asked all the candidates on the Texas State Teachers Association evaluation published in the April issue of TEXAS OUTLOOK magazine. Stenholm disagreed with the other candidates on two of the issues.

Number One - More federal aid to education. Stenholm's answer was, "No." Explaining his reasoning, he said, "We do not need an arbitrary level of minimum federal participation in our local schools. I think we need less federal involvement in all areas of our daily lives. If we are to have federal funds, they should flow as directly as possible to the local school district with a minimum of federal control."

Number Two - Separate Department of Education. Stenholm again answered, "No." He explained, "We cannot afford another federal bureaucracy. The need for funds at the local level for all purposes is too great to permit any additional loss of tax revenue at the Washington level. Due to the rural nature of the 17th District, we would have difficulty meeting the criteria of an urban dominated Department of Education."

Number Three - Inflation. Stenholm advocates balancing the budget and reducing bureaucracy as the best way to fight inflation. He proposes a "Sunset Law" similar to the one Texas now has. Under such a law, each federal agency, such as OSHA and EPA, would be required to periodically justify its existence. He suggested a review every five years.

Commenting further on balancing the federal budget and reducing bureaucracy, Stenholm stated that he had not promised to open an office anywhere, as one candidate

had. "In my opinion, this would violate the spirit of the law which forbids offering any enticement to any individual in return for his support. I have promised to bring the office of the Congressman to all the District in the most economical way feasible. We do not need additional Congressional staff people working directly in cultivating and locating industries," he explained.

"I can visualize real problems with staff people getting involved when several towns in the District are in direct competition for a new industry. Congress can do most by creating an environment favorable to business, and leave the industrial prospecting to regional and individual chambers of commerce and industrial founda-

tions. Once a project is underway, the Congressman can expedite the decisions to be made by governmental departments and regulatory agencies," explained Stenholm.

"We must establish clear priorities," he continued. Stenholm noted the growing concern about our posture in world affairs. "After all, our domestic internal problems become insignificant if we do not command respect among world powers and remain number one in military strength. The fiasco over the Panama Canal has brought this sharply into focus," Stenholm stated. "We must be strong and stand up for American interests world-wide. I support a strong Air Force, Navy and Army, second to none. If the neutron bomb is in anyone's

arsenal, I want it to be ours," he added. "There are many good arguments for many good programs. The question is whether we can afford all these things. All programs must be studied carefully and many eliminated," continued Stenholm. "If we are to control inflation."

The 39 year-old Stamford resident was born and reared on a farm in Jones County in the 17th District, a farm on which he is the third generation Stenholm to work. In addition he has had experience as a teacher, businessman, church and civic leader as well as political experience which has led him to state and

national involvement. Stenholm tells everyone he meets that he is "asking that the people of the 17th District give me a two year contract to serve you in Washington. If at the end of two years, I have not fulfilled your expectations, I would expect you to work as hard for my defeat as I am asking you to help me today."

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CHARLES STENHOLM

## 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.)

The President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

In these times of inflation and high prices we often say, "A nickel will not buy anything anymore." A nickel will not pay for a postage stamp, a phone call, nor even your way into a pay toilet. A nickel will not buy a candy bar, a pack of gum, nor even a handful of peanuts. A nickel will not buy a Coke, a cup of coffee, nor even a cold drink of water in a lot of places. A nickel will not pay the grocers profit, the transportation, nor even the wrapping on a loaf of bread.

So you say, "Is there anything a nickel will buy?" Well, do not despair.

Thanks to The Great American Farmer, a most unique individual, who will go into debt to work for nothing to not only feed his own family but fifty-seven other people of this mighty nation. You can buy the wheat in a loaf of bread not for a nickel, but in fact, for less than 3 cents. So here it is. Have a loaf on me and keep the change.

Sincerely yours,  
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I have served the people of Haskell County for almost 12 years as secretary in the County Extension Office. I would like to continue to serve you, but as your COUNTY TREASURER.

If I am elected as your COUNTY TREASURER, I promise to serve the office with honesty, integrity, and to the best of my ability.

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