



**SUPPORT BEAMS** were placed in position on the new Fire Station Monday and Tuesday and work on wall panels was started Wednesday morning. Workers expect to complete the exterior of the building by the

end of next week. Following the completion of the exterior, members of the Department will begin work on the interior which will include an office and training and meeting rooms and storage area. (Staff Photo)

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## Work Underway On Fire Station Exterior

Erection of the new fire station in Haskell is underway and expected to be completed by the end of next week.

The erection stage includes the finishing of the walls, roof and doors of the building. Following the completion of this stage, the sidewalks and drive ramps will be poured and construction on the inside of the building will begin.

Fire Department representatives paid for the foundation and building this week and will pay for the erection of the building when completed. Following these expenditures the major expenses will include four large garage type doors, their installation, insulation of the building and three walk through doors.

Current estimates including materials for the office and meeting room and the above mentioned items, indicate that approximately \$15,000.00 will be

needed to complete the project.

Approximately \$2,500.00 in pledges have not been paid and these funds are

### Council Requests Assistance

Members of the Haskell City Council are requesting citizen's cooperation in controlling mosquitoes.

Council members request that all owners of vacant lots clear weeds and debris. Property near the creek with high grass and weeds urgently needs to be cleared.

The City is mowing alleys and ditches daily and the mosquito spraying machine is being used to hold down mosquito populations.

needed as soon as possible. Persons who signed pledge cards are requested to pay their pledges either at the fire station or at Haskell National Bank.

Donations to the fund this week include:

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Taylor	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cook	25.00
Borden Dairy	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Foote	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holder	
Gayle and Bernie	25.00
Lena Sadler Family	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Norman	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Marr	25.00
Anonymous	100.00
Haskell Tractor Service	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. James Raughton	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wornus	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grimes	20.00
Anonymous	50.00
Total This Week	520.00
Previous Total	47,259.49
Total To Date	47,779.49

## Taxing Units To Discuss S.B. 621 Requirements

The Haskell County Taxpayers Association is sponsoring a meeting of representatives of 13 Taxing Units in Haskell County. Thursday, August 2, 1979, for purposes of resolving the new taxing problems created by S.B. 621 recently passed by our legislature.

According to S.B. 621, there will be a one county tax appraisal office established with a five member board of directors for the county wide appraisal district.

This board will have authority to make appraisal contracts, hire appraisal firms, employ staff personnel, pay staff, etc. In view of this information, this meeting of Tax Units will try to plan an equitable and compatible solution to the problem for benefit of all concerned taxpayers.

By October 15, 1979, eligible Tax Units governing boards will submit names of individuals to the Haskell County Clerk who is responsible for the election process of the County Appraisal Board members. (All are not eligible).

In every county, each Taxing Unit's voting power will be determined each year according to the tax levy of their district for the preceding year.

A portion of the cost of the county appraisal boards will be paid by the State for the first two years; thereafter, all costs will be paid by the taxing entities in the County.

The taxing entities involved are as follows:

- City of O'Brien, Weinert, Rochester, Rule, and Haskell;
- School districts of Paint Creek.

Haskell, Rule, Rochester, and Weinert; The Haskell County Hospital District; The NCTMWA (Water Authority); and the Commissioners Court of Haskell if they so desire. The County has the option to join or not join. If not, will operate as a separate county appraisal unit under the S.B. 621.



**FIRST PAYMENT...**Haskell Fire Department Secretary John Watson presents the first payment on the new fire station to David Jim Strickland and Fire Chief Tom

Watson looks on. The check, in the amount of \$25,682.75, was for the foundation, slab and building. (Staff Photo)

## Presentations Set At Masonic Meeting

Highlighting an open house to be held by the Haskell Masonic Lodge on Saturday Evening, August 4, 1979, 8:00 p.m., at the Masonic Lodge Hall at the corner of South First and Avenue G, will be the presentation of Fifty Year Service Awards to Dr. J. G. Vaughtner and John McMillian in the Masonic Lodge, and R.

### Jaycee-ettes To Hold Sale

Members of the Haskell County Jaycee-ettes will sponsor a giant garage sale this Friday and Saturday at the Corral Building between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Proceeds from the sale will go toward projects of the chapter.

Final plans for the sale were completed July 24, at the regular meeting of the chapter. The meeting was held in the home of Diana Owens.

Jaycee-ettes is open to any wife of a Jaycee. Local members would be happy to provide transportation for anyone interested in joining the chapter. Goals of the chapter are: aid to Jaycees, Community Development, and Personal Development.

L. Stephenson in the Royal Arch Masons and Royal and Select Masters.

Twenty-five year awards will be presented to the following members of the Haskell Masonic Lodge: B. Royce Adkins, R. Ferrell Coston, John W. Darnell, Garth Garrett, Oscar Gilleland, Norman Nanny, Melvin Norman, Robert Philpot, Harvey Simmons, and Joe A. Williams, all of Haskell; James Dixon of Lindsey, Oklahoma; James Edge of Sulphur Springs; Willie Farrell of Hamilton; Bobby Franklin of Longview; Calude Helweg of Goodland, Kansas; and M. D. Richmond of Alamogorda, New Mexico.

Making the presentations will be Ray Ashcraft of Knox City, District Deputy Grand Master of the 91st Masonic District of the Grand Lodge of Texas; A. L. "Buddy" Killion of Abilene, District Deputy Grand High Priest of the 30th district of Royal Arch Masons of Texas; and Glenn Welch of Abilene, District Deputy Grand Master of the 30th District of Royal and Select Masters of Texas.

Refreshments will be served by the Ladies of the Haskell Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

All Masons and their wives are cordially invited, even urged, to attend. Remember: Saturday Evening, August 4, 1979, 8:00 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge Hall in Haskell.

### Jaycees Attend Meeting

Three representatives of the Haskell County Jaycees attended the summer board meeting of the Texas Jaycees in McAllen last weekend.

Attending from the Haskell Chapter were: Mike St. John, Earl Proctor, and Jake Dusak, Jr.

At the meeting, the Haskell County Jaycees received an all-star cap for the retention and membership growth and a pin for making the presidents team.

Earl Proctor was selected State CPR Chairman and Dusak was selected State Shooter Education Chairman. Bo Owens of the Haskell Chapter was named to serve on the Texas Jaycee Hospital Campus Board.

## Firemen Attend School

Four members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department attended the 50th annual Firemen's Training School last week at Texas A&M University.

Three of the firemen were enrolled in classes and the fourth, Chief Tom Watson served as an instructor.

Attending classes were: Tommy B. Watson Jr., Bill Lane Jr., and Don Comedy. Watson completed Firefighting I, Lane completed Firefighting II, and Comedy Completed Firefighting III.

The school, attended by approximately 2,000 students from about 30 states and several foreign countries, is one of the largest in the U.S.

Firemen attending the school may choose from a variety of classes including topics such as Firefighting, fire prevention, officer training, pump operations, pump maintenance, and disaster rescue training.

Expenses for Watson and Comedy were paid by the City of Haskell and Lane was sponsored by the Haskell County Farm Bureau and Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, who paid his expenses.

## Reception Honors Gideons

The Haskell Band Booster Club held a reception for the Wendell Gideon family Saturday, July 29.

The Gideons have moved to Stephenville. Mr. Gideon will be head band director there. Stephenville is a 3-A school. Mr. Gideon will direct the high school and stage bands. He will have two assistants to help with the other bands.

This move to a much larger school attests to his outstanding ability as band director. Mr. Gideon has been an asset to our school and community. The Haskell High School Band has won Sweepstakes for the past four years. The Junior High Band has won several honors, also. Eighteen individual high school band members qualified for State this year. The Sixth Grade Band won a trophy at Anson this year, also.

During the fifteen years Mr. Gideon has served as band director, the band has earned the reputation of being an outstanding band wherever it goes. He has done a good job as band director and will be missed by all.

## Haskell Pilots To Fly In Model Airplane Race

Representatives of Haskell and Munday will join forces in September to fly model airplanes from Fort Worth to Odessa.

Team members include Ervin Frierson, Rodney Amonett, Jody Kennedy, Rickey Russell, all of Haskell and Norman Anderson and Jim Cottingham of Munday.

The group is participating in a special event sponsored by the Academy of Model Aeronautics to raise funds for Muscular Dystrophy.

The race will begin Sept. 4, from Dulles International Airport in Washington D. C. and continue to Atlanta, Ga., then to Ontario, Calif.,

and finish in Las Vegas, on October 2.

The race is divided into twelve relay change-overs (or legs) the teams will compete for the best time from point to point as opposed to speed. Since the vehicle following the model plane must travel at no more than 55 mph, the winning team in each leg will have to be well organized in take offs, landings, pit stops and navigation.

Each leg will consist of five teams of five to seven members each. The members of each team will be working in two coordinating groups: The pilot group and the lead group. The pilot group will travel in an open vehicle from which the pilot will fly his airplane by radio control. Within this vehicle will also be the driver and a pilot spotter who will communicate with the lead group spotting potential air problems for the pilot.

The Academy of Model Aeronautics, the official governing body for model aviation in the U.S., has organized and will officiate the race as part of their national fund-raising drive for the Muscular Dystrophy Association. The race will wrap-up a national effort—"Flying for Jerry and His Kids"—by some of the Academy's 1,300 clubs across the country.

### Football

### Workouts

### Scheduled

Football workouts for athletes in grades 9-12 will begin August 13, at 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. according to Haskell Indian Head Coach Don Flippin.

All high school athletes who intend to play football can pick-up shoes and socks August 8, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Athletes in grades 11-12 will meet August 7 for physicals. Grades 9 and 10 will meet August 8, eighth graders will meet August 9, and seventh graders will meet August 10. All physicals will begin at 1 p.m. and athletes should meet at the clinic.

Anyone who can not be present at these specified times will be responsible for scheduling their own physical.

No player will be allowed to begin practice without first having a physical.

**weather**

By Sam Herren

July Weather Summary

TEMPERATURE

Hi..... 102°..... 11th

Lo..... 66°..... 10th

RAINFALL

Total..... 1.78

Normal to Date..... 14.53

Total to Date..... 15.65



# Edins, Hill Vows Read

Brenda Sue Hill of Haskell and Timothy Dale Edins were united in marriage July 28, 1979 in First Baptist Church in Haskell. Rev. Dudley Bragg, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin R. Hill of Haskell. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edins of Abilene.

Organist was Jesse Pearl Hill, aunt of the bride of Ft. Stockton. Pam Gibson of Haskell was pianist. Soloist was Rachael Rankin of Abilene.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown designed for her by Milady of

chiffonette and imported silk venise lace. The English net yoke of the gown was touched with princess embroidery. The sleeves and cuffs had an inset of the English net for an old world look. The back of the gown was designed with a keyhole cutout encircled by lace. The simple skirt flowed gracefully throughout the chapel length train. She chose a waltz length veil bordered with matching silk venise lace.

She carried a bouquet of yellow roses, white gardenias with greenery and baby's breath accented with tiny pale blue silk flowers.

Matron of Honor was Mrs. Linda Short of Rochester, Vicky Hill of Haskell, sister of the bride, was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids were Donna Hill, sister of the bride, and Dee Dee Smith of Abilene. They wore pale blue organza peasant style dresses with pale yellow flowers. They wore blue hats and carried nosegays of daisies and yellow roses.

Amy Justice, cousin of the bride, of Arlington was flower girl.

Ringbearer was Chris Hill, brother of the bride.

Larry Moore of Abilene was Best Man. Groomsmen were Donny Edins, brother of the groom, of Abilene, Tim Klingler, of Lubbock and James Stevenson of Abilene. Ushers were Tony Garrett of Artesia, N.M., David Hill, brother of the bride, of Abilene, Jon Caudle and Mark Odom, both of Abilene. Andy Hill, brother of the bride, was candlelighter.

A reception was held in the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Aunts and cousins of the bride served.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, San Marcos, and Austin, the couple will reside in Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School and a Senior elementary education major at HSU. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota Women's music fraternity and Alpha Psi Omega honorary dramatic fraternity.

The groom is a graduate of Cooper High School and a Junior music major and member of the HSU Cowboy Band.

The bride is employed by Pioneer Drive Child Development Center and the groom is employed by Terry's Auto Supply.



## Engagement Announced

Plans for an Aug. 25 wedding are being made by Michelle Rhea Forehand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Randol Forehand of Parker, Colo., and Randy Joe Plemister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Plemister of Haskell.

The couple will be married in Whately Chapel on Colorado Women's College campus in Denver, Colo. Grandol B. Forehand, uncle of the bride-to-be, will perform the ceremony. Miss Forehand is a recent graduate of Douglas County High School and is presently employed as a secretary for Texas Novachem in Dallas.

Plemister is a graduate of Haskell High School. He attended Abilene Christian University and West Texas State University before becoming employed by Hospitality Management Corp. as front desk manager of the Registry Hotel in Dallas.

The future bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Forehand of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cimino of Lakewood, Colo., and the late Donald E. Kallsen.

The future groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin W. Plemister of Weinert, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts of Haskell. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Weinert and Mrs. Ida Plemister, Haskell.

## Around Town

Mrs. Ruth McKennon of Munday carried Mrs. June Bowen home July 18th and visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bowen and their family in Lubbock. She visited a brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown, also of Lubbock. On Sunday she went to Brownfield to visit a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chandler, Neicas, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wheatley Jr. and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrel Davis, Michelle and Melissa. Tuesday, Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. McKennon went to Levelland to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dan (Janice) Hathaway and their two girls. Mr. McKennon came home from Lubbock, Wednesday morning the 25.

Mr. Robert C. Humphrey of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kemp over the weekend and was successful in catching quite a lot of nice channel catfish.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClure & daughter Genifer of Carrollton spent a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McClure and cousin Duane Josselet of Denton.

Kimberly and Chad Watson of Anchorage, Alaska are spending their summer vacation in Texas. They are now visiting in the home of Phillip and Diane Josselet.



## Engagement Announced

Mrs. Anna Kimbrough of Haskell announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Catherine Ann to James Christopher Carby, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Carby of Livingston. The wedding is scheduled for September 15, 1979 in the First Baptist Church in Haskell. The bride-elect is a 1974 graduate of Haskell High School and a recent graduate of Texas Women's University. She is a registered nurse employed by St. Joseph's Hospital in Houston. The prospective groom is employed as terminal supervisor by Trailways, Inc., also in Houston.



MRS. TIMOTHY DALE EDINS  
...formerly Brenda Sue Hill

## 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.)

To the People of Haskell:

We are full time R. V. Travelers, and as such, consider ourselves authorities on the nicer places to stop, throughout the country.

One of the nicest, we have stopped at, is Haskell, Texas.

We stopped there May 2, 1979, on our return to Michigan. I hate to complain

about a small thing, but the trees are so low, that they may be damaged by some R. V.'s. Otherwise, everything was wonderful, and to our surprise "Free". We spent a total of \$35.00 in your town, otherwise we would have passed by without stopping.

Thanks for having such a nice place for us to stay. Mr. and Mrs. L. Freese.



## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Gene Parker of Haskell announce the birth of their daughter, Tonya LaShae Parker, born July 30, 1979 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 6 lbs 13 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dale Terry of Throckmorton announce the birth of their son, Landon Dale Terry, born July 29, 1979 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs 12 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Castorena of Weinert announce the birth of their son, Jesus Deatocho Castorena, born July 24, 1979 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs 10 oz.

## Around Town

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bevel of Haskell, Darlene and Wendy Cummings of Brownfield, Joy, Debra and Michele Harvey of Odessa, Roger, Pat, Trecie, Annye Nielson, Roylene, Jackie Jr., Shirlene, Laurie and Jeff Bevel of El Paso all attended the graduation exercises of Jack Bevel.

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## Blands To Celebrate

### 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Odie L. Bland will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, August 11 from 3:30 to 7:30 p.m.

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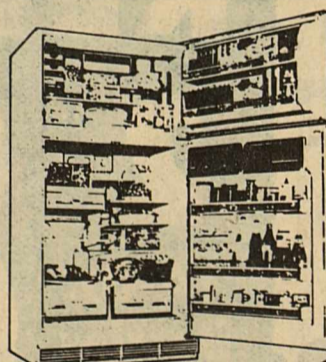
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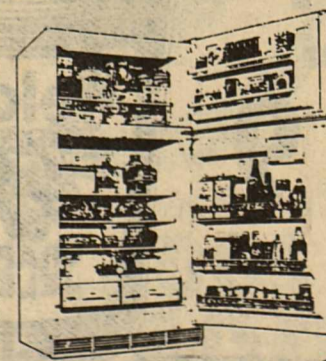
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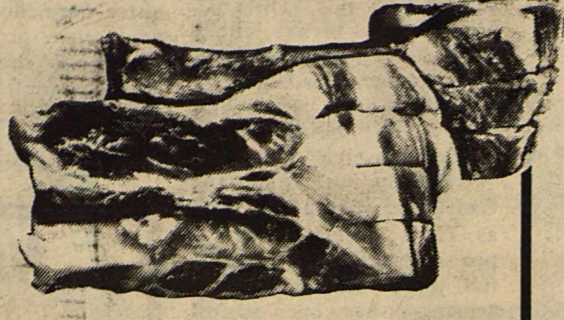


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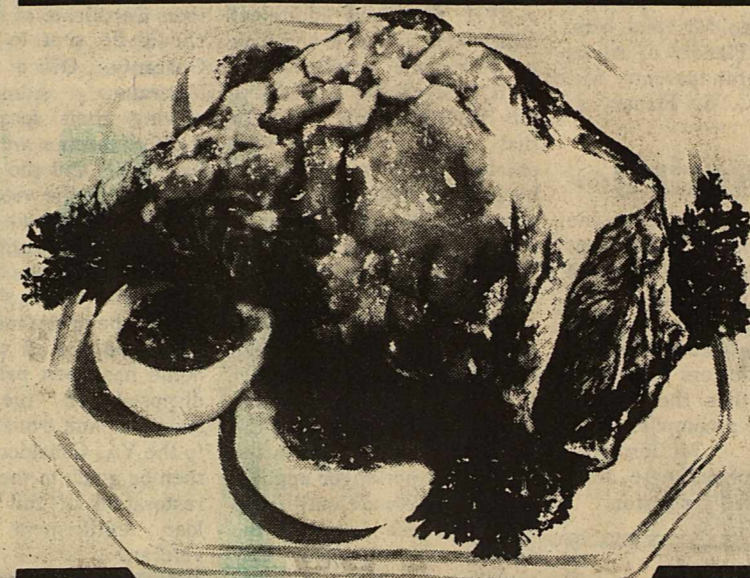


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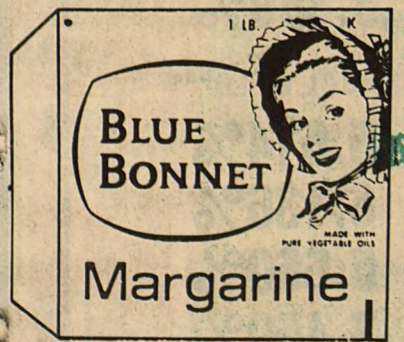
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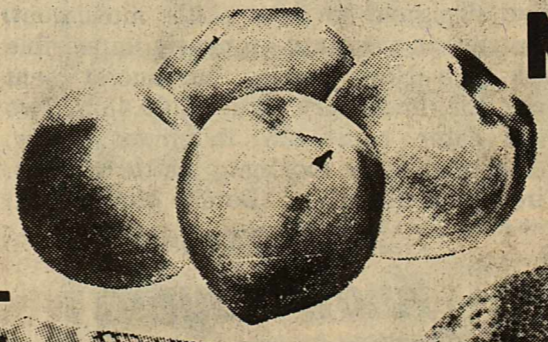
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# Obituaries

## Mrs. Watson

Funeral services for Mrs. Erma C. Watson, 82, of Haskell will be held at 10 a.m. today, August 2, in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Dudley Bragg, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be at 3 p.m. in Jonesboro Cemetery directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Watson died at 8:20 p.m. Tuesday at Haskell Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Born September 13, 1896, in Jonesboro, she married Hugh Watson September 14, 1914, in Jonesboro. They moved to Haskell in 1938. He died December 19, 1945. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and Rebecca Lodge.

She resided in Rule from 1927 to 1938. She was a retired LVN and had worked at Haskell Memorial Hospital before retiring.

Survivors include: a daughter, Mrs. Cecil R. Blakely of Breckenridge; two sons, Tom of Haskell and Hugh of Arlington; 9 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Christine Watson Wilson, in 1947.

The family is at the residence of Tom Watson in Haskell.

Pallbearers will be Buck

Everett, Howard Perry, Jack Medford, Bob Gray, R. C. Couch, Elbert Johnson, Sonny Reynolds, Satch Lusk, R. V. Furrh, and Jim Brock.

Honorary pallbearers will be members and retired members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department.

## Sam Wright

Funeral services for Sam Wright, 86, of Rule, were held at the First Baptist Church in Rule Wednesday with the Rev. J. R. Williams, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Rule Cemetery, directed by Pinkard Funeral Home.

Mr. Wright died Monday in Haskell Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness. He was married Jan. 21, 1925 in Littlefield, and had been a farmer and ginner in Rule for the past 35 years. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Jewell; two sons, Dale of Anton and Billy of Douglasville, Ga.; a brother, Dave of Lockney; and 3 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Grady Bristow, J. B. Gibson, Darrell Sorrells, Clifton Rhinehart, Bill Dunham, and Bill Dodd.

Honorary pallbearers were Kenneth Anderson and Cameron Sprayberry.

## Nadine McCown

Nadine McCown, 50, of Knox City died at 8:20 p.m., July 30, in Knox County Hospital. Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church.

The Rev. John Gillispie, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Highland Cemetery in Stamford, directed by Smith Funeral Home.

Born May 22, 1929, in Old Glory, she married John R. McCown on May 2, 1950, in Sagerton. They moved to Knox City from Leuders in 1957. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Jerry and Johnny, both of Knox City; a daughter, Judy Wyatt of Bowie; her father, Albert Suter of Knox City; a brother, Nelson Suter of Old Glory; a granddaughter.

She was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Adell Thomas of Haskell.

## Jeannine Flanary

Jeannine Rae Flanary, 3½ months, of Copperas Cove died Saturday night, July 28 in a fire at her home in Copperas Cove. Funeral services were held July 30 in Copperas Cove.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Flanary of Copperas Cove; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rose of Copperas Cove; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Flanary of Alvin; and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Flanary of Haskell.

## Recovering...

County Judge John Wayne McDermott underwent surgery in John Sealy Hospital in Galveston Tuesday and is reported to be doing fine. The back surgery lasted about five hours and doctors expressed confidence that the needed repairs were accomplished.

Judge McDermott's address is Room J9A-16, John Sealy Hospital, Galveston.

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## Airport Reception Set For Bob Hope

Plans for a massive airport reception for Bob Hope on Friday afternoon, August 3rd, have been announced by Dick Bowen, chairman of the Joint Venture for Crippled Children.

Hope is scheduled to arrive at Abilene Municipal Airport at 2 p.m., where he will be met by the Abilene Chamber of Commerce Redcoats, the Abilene Community Band, the Dyess AFB Color Guard, plus a host of the city and Chamber of Commerce officials. Mike Skaggs, Chamber manager, is coordinating the airport reception.

Hope is coming to Abilene for a \$100-a-plate benefit for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in cooperation with the petroleum industry. Approximately 1,500 persons will attend the sell-out event in the Abilene Civic Center.

Bowen stressed that the general public is encouraged to be on hand to greet the top entertainer in the world. Bowen said, "It would be a most welcomed sight for Bob Hope to see several thousand folks on hand to greet him upon his arrival."

Skaggs encouraged citizens to make placards welcoming this great American to Abilene on behalf of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Hope will speak to the crowd at the airport reception prior to leaving in a motorcade for the Rehab Center and a whirlwind of activities which will culminate in his performance before a sell-out crowd in the Abilene Civic Center Friday evening.

## VA News

Veterans who used GI loan entitlement to purchase mobile homes prior to October 1, 1978, now have additional entitlement available and may not be aware of it, according to C. H. Herren, Service Officer for Haskell County. Prior to that date veterans who obtained a GI mobile home loan used their full entitlement and their Certificate of Eligibility was marked "NO ENTITLEMENT AVAILABLE FOR USE."

The Veterans Housing Benefits Act of 1978 (Public Law 95-476) effective October 1, 1978, liberalized mobile home loan entitlement and the restricted use notation on the certificates no longer applies. Veterans are now entitled to the difference between the amount of entitlement they actually used and the statutory limit of \$17,500. Some veterans may even qualify for reinstatement of their full entitlement if the mobile home loan has been repaid in full and the unit securing the loan has been disposed of.

Veterans who wish to have their "NO ENTITLEMENT AVAILABLE FOR USE" certificates updated should contact their local Service Officer for

assistance in completing a VA Form 26-1880. This completed and signed form, along with their Certificate of Eligibility, should be sent to the Loan Guaranty Office of the Veterans Administration serving their locality. The corrective action will be taken by the VA and the certificate returned to the veteran, who may then determine whether his remaining entitlement is sufficient to promote another GI home loan, should the veteran be in the market for a new residence. If the mobile home has been paid off and disposed of, the veteran should submit evidence of this to the VA. Consideration may then be given to the matter of restoration of full GI home loan entitlement to the veteran.

## Circus Performances Set

The Flying Gaonas, award-winning first family of the air will exemplify the ultimate in trapeze artistry when Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus presents four stellar performances in Abilene, August 7-8 at the Taylor County Coliseum. The troupe, composed of principal flyer, Tito Gaona, who was named "The World's Finest Athlete" by SPORTS ILLUSTRATED, are natives of Mexico with a circus heritage spanning several generations beginning with their great grandfather who was proprietor of a Mexican traveling circus.

Under the tutelage of Papa Gaona, one-of-kind feats, such as Tito's "double double", two somersaults and a double full twist and his triple somersault have been accomplished.

This talented family, Tito's brother Armando, sister Chela, and their cousin Lalo Murillo, the catcher, have received world wide acclaim including a command performance for Queen Elizabeth and a Circus Oscar won in Madrid in 1973. They have

entertained millions of avid fans of the Greatest Show on Earth where Tito Gaona's quadruple somersault is the realization of an impossible dream the entire family helped him to achieve.

The Flying Farias, the world's youngest trio of trapeze artists will also be on hand for the Abilene engagement. Julio, 14, Tato 7 and sister Carmelina, 10, exhibit adult-size accomplishments crowned by the triple somersault performed by Julio. Father of the troupe, Cuban-born, Fidel, serves as catcher for his progeny. He has

carefully trained them to be as much at home somersaulting through space from their 35 foot perch as most children are riding a bicycle.

Performance times are Tuesday, August 7 at 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; and on Wednesday, August 8 at 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Children under 12 will be admitted for \$1.00 under ticket price for the 2:00 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday performances. All seats, \$4.50, \$5.50 and \$6.50 are reserved. Advance tickets are on sale at the Taylor County Coliseum Box Office and at Sears in the Mall of Abilene.

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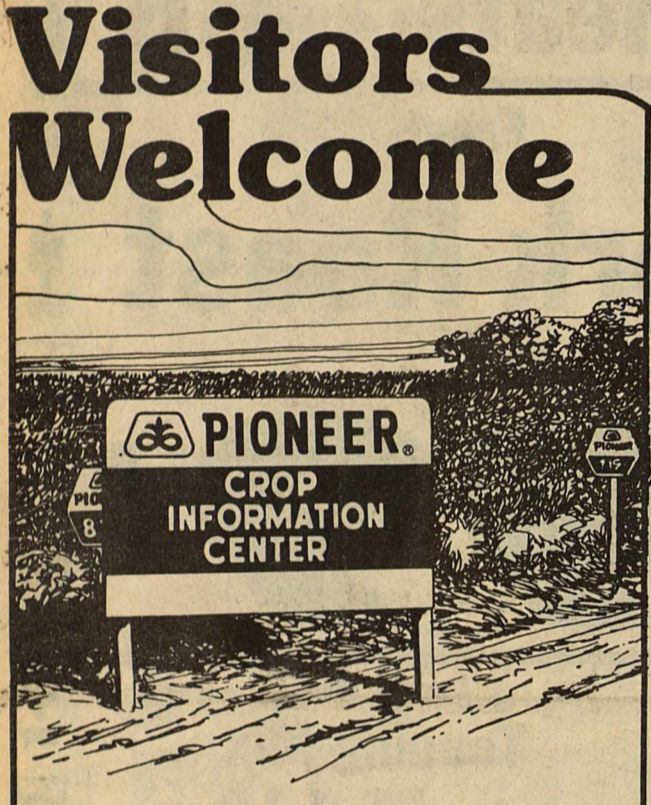
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# Leisure Lodge News

The Puppet Show was exciting and thrilling last Wednesday afternoon, and our thanks goes to Dan Kardokus. We are looking forward to when he puts on another show for us. The Sunday services were

also enjoyed and thanks to the First Baptist Church and The Church of Christ both of Haskell.

We always look forward to Friday afternoon when Laura Overton and Mildred Green come out and sponsors the Sing-A-Long.

Thanks to Bill Butler for the cantaloupes and Karen & Eddie Howeth for the squash. The fresh blackeyed peas were certainly enjoyed and we are grateful to Mrs. Jalea Glover, who brought them over to us. We also enjoyed

the pea shelling party and thanks to the following residents who helped: Mrs. Bessie Piland, Kathryn Mitchell, Elsie Mitchell, Dora Long, Elsie Norman, Lummie Westmoreland, Irene Yarbrough, Eron Boykin, Ima Friebele, Mae Jackson, W. O. Lewis, Dutch Wheeler, Hollis McReynolds, and a visitor, Mrs. Joe Larned.

Mr. W. O. Lewis was in Munday on Wednesday on business.

We are glad to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith who

are patients in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene are slightly improved, and hope they will soon be coming back to Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Coker, Dinuba, Calif., Tracy Coker, Vaslia, Calif., Sharon Johnson, Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Shaw and Mrs. Edna Abilene visited Mrs. Mollie Jarred.

Mrs. Bill (Janice) Nowlin and son, Sean of Dallas visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Moon and Mark Kirby of Dallas also visited Mrs. Moon.

Mr. Edwin Fly of Rochester and Johnnie Adkins of Houston visited with Mrs. Florence Fly. Minnie Faye Byers of Austin and Delphene Byers of Lubbock visited several days this week with their mother, and sister, Mrs. Irene Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Larned

and daughter, Pam of Monahans, visited with Mr. Joe Larned.

Mary Ray spent several days this week with her daughter, Mrs. Audra Holsapple.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. Lola Alsbrook of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith of Stamford visited with Miss Alpha Dyches.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Medford of Seagraves visited his mother, Mrs. Ophelia Medford.

Georgia Turnbow and Faye Gray of Weinert visited with Mrs. Mary Alice Smith. Betty Ruth Basden of Rochester visited with Miss Myrtle Russell.

Mrs. Betty Puebla, Friedel and Erma visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Teresa Baiza.

Mrs. Anita Camacho and Eddie of Abilene visited Mrs. Nolberta Flores and Gladys Roberts.

Mrs. Leo Monse of Sagerton visited with Charlie Monse.

Mrs. Jalea Glover of Rochester visited with Mrs. Cecil Whitt.

Mrs. John Mayfield, Mrs. Clyde Mayfield of Weinert and Lavera Hummel of Ill., visited with Ivy Massie and Elsie Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mapes of Euleess were also visitors of Mrs. Massie.

Dorothy Spann of Munday visited with Mrs. Tommye Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Westmoreland and Jerry Westmoreland, Mrs. Ione Sheid and Mrs. Ray Carter all of Rule visited with Mrs. Lummie Westmoreland and Mrs. Donna Westmoreland.

# Conservation Viewpoints

USDA Soil Conservation Service

A tour for student trainees with the Soil Conservation Service was conducted Tuesday, as they passed through the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District on their way to the Plant Materials Center at Knox City.

The group of young people were accompanied by Alton Wilhite, State Resource Conservationist; Rodney Hyatt, Personnel Staffing Specialist, and Mary Ann Pechal, Personnel Management Specialist from the State Office of the SCS in Temple, and J. C. Yearly, District Conservationist, SCS, of Haskell.

The student trainees are all college students majoring in some phase of conservation work such as soil and range conservationists, and agricultural engineers. They are all working this summer in various SCS Field Offices throughout Texas. One young lady, Lisa Farr, a student range conservationist, is working in the Abilene Field Office this summer.

In Abilene, the group was given a tour to study ranching and dryland farming operations including Great Plains Conservation Program contract administration. At Knox City, the group toured the Plant Materials Center under the direction of David Lorenz.

The entire tour proceeded to Stephenville where Resources Conservation and Development Project Coordinator Nat Conner, and Area Conservationist Gary Batte assisted in touring watershed work and RC&D project measures.

The tour continued on through Waxahachie to Nacogdoches on Wednesday,

thence back to Temple Thursday night.

These young people will be the future SCS conservationists and engineers. Our own Leslie Pressler was a member of such a group two summers back.

J. C. Yearly  
District Conservationist



Pat Hale

**Cotton competition continues** to develop new markets as evidenced by two recent happenings. One has been the successful development of flame-retardant cottons as highlighted last year when New York City Fire Commissioner John T. O'Hagan announced that all New York firemen will start wearing "Fire Stop" uniforms (100% cotton). That decision came after nearly a year of testing the cotton material against synthetic products. Second development involves current research at the Southern Regional Research Lab in New Orleans where scientists have produced glass from cotton. Cotton glass has a good chance for extensive use since it has the unique ability to bond together other glasses of different composition. Although product possibilities include nearly everything made from glass, most immediate use will probably be scientific glassware.

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### Hospital Notes

#### ADMISSIONS

MEDICAL: Erma Watson, Haskell; May Wimberly, Haskell; Creed Flanary, Haskell; Mamie Wheatley, Haskell; Artie Peek, Goree; Oleta Jackson, Rule; Harold Brian, Haskell.

SURGICAL: Wayne Dornier, Haskell.

#### DISMISSALS

Dessie Marion, Mary Melver, Kenneth Newberry, Eula Free, V. C. Hobb, Clonie Tarpley, Rex Felker, John Rousseau, Johnny Hunter, Sula West, Alice Villareal, Ralph Merchant.



### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McKabe of Rule announce the birth of their daughter, Amy Beth McKabe, born July 19, 1979 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs 8 oz.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKabe and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Miller, all of Seymour.

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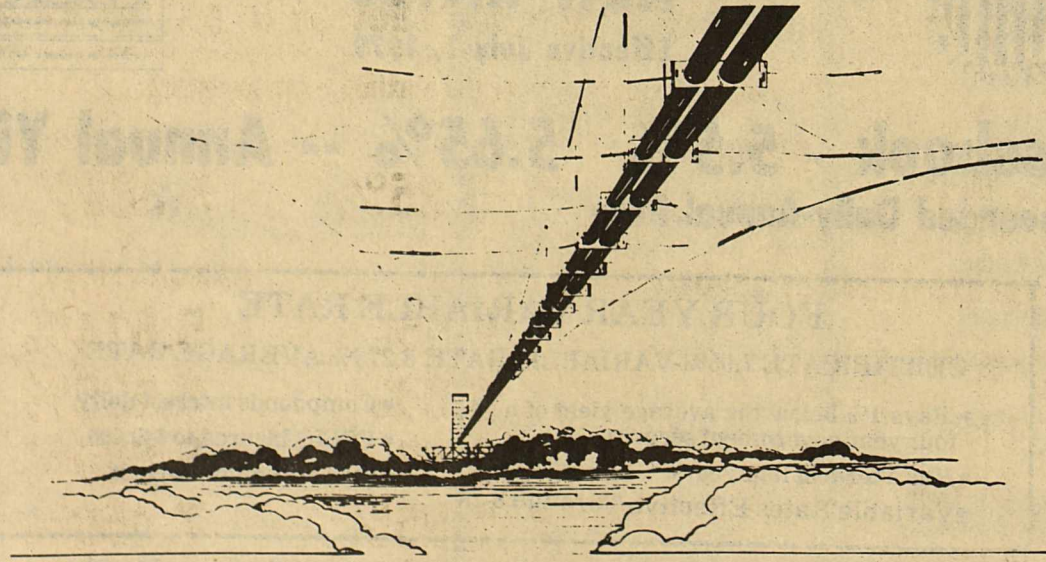
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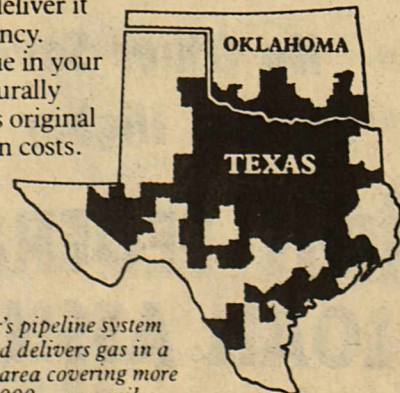


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# Sagerton Community News

The Golden Age birthday party was held at the Sagerton Community Center, Monday, with Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, the Hostesses. "Happy Birthday" was sung to Mrs. John Clark. Others present included Mrs. Adeline Letz and Katie Gerloff of Old Glory, Mrs. Lucy Williams and Mrs. Clara Hines of Rule, Mrs. Bob Mathis, Mrs. Louise

Stegemoeller, Mrs. Etta Leach, and all six of the LeFevre grandchildren: Rob, Rus, Brad, and Brian Bailey, and Shane and Laressa LeFevre. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey brought their children for a visit with their grandparents on their way home from Colorado, Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and daughters of

Terrel. The Baileys, Millers, Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre, Laressa and Shane, Kent LeFevre, and Jill LeFevre were guests of the Delbert LeFevres for Sunday dinner.

The August Golden Age Meeting will be held the 4th Monday in the Community Center at 10:30 a.m. The group will meet then travel to Stamford for the Senior Citizens meal prepared there. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark enjoyed a fishing trip with Mr. and Mrs. Heman Hearn of Rochester for a few days. Accompanying them was Phillip Clark of Sequine. He is here visiting with the Clarks and the Hearn, his grandparents.

Tim Baitz of Austin is here visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zenor Summers. He returned from Austin with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and Phillip Clark, who were there for the wedding of Carol Baitz.

Others attending the Baitz wedding from this area were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hertel, Mrs. H. C. Raphelt, Mae, Clyde, and Carl Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hertel, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz, and Johnny Baitz. Mrs. Raphelt returned home from the wedding with Mr. and Mrs. George Olson of Ozona for a few days visit.

4-H youth from across Texas gathered in Houston

July 19-22 to try to come to grips with the energy situation.

Approximately 500 4-H members heard about and explored current and future sources of energy and management methods during the 1979 Texas 4-H Congress held at the Shamrock Hilton. The theme of the Congress was "4-H and Energy: Partners for Progress". Representing Haskell County was Kris Kupatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt of Sagerton.

Kris, and other 4-H'ers attended the ARCO Refinery and NASA Space Center to get a firsthand look at current energy production as well as to gain some insight into new areas of energy development, such as nuclear and solar energy and bio-mass conversion, the changing of animal and plant waste into energy. Among featured speakers addressing the Congress were D. A. Buell with Houston Lighting and Power Co., Dr. John McKetta with the University of Texas, and Ken Murphy with Gulf Oil Corporation. Miss Kupatt also attended a special workshop session with Joe Wilson representing West Texas Utilities as the guest speaker. The purpose of this special session was to enable the 4-H'ers to develop setting on future 4-H energy programs in their own communities and counties.

The participants were treated to a pool side party; a bar-b-que supper before they went to Galveston to the Lone Star Theatre to see "Annie Get Your Gun," a banquet and a dance in the Grand Ballroom of the Sheraton-Hilton Hotel.

Kris recently received word that her 4-H record book has won on the District Level and will be sent on to judging at the state level. Congratulations to Miss Kupatt on her many accomplishments!

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stegemoeller and Danny of De Soto were here for the weekend visiting with Mrs. Henrietta Stegemoeller.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelson of Lewisville visited

with Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fouts and family enjoyed a few days at Possum Kingdom Lake last week. Jill LeFevre was their guest.

Those attending the Stegemoeller family reunion at the Slaton Country Club on July 21st were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mrs. Louis Stegemoeller, Mrs. August Balzer, Clarence Stegemoeller, Ladain Anderson, Leon Stegemoeller, and Clifford Stegemoeller.

The Leon Stegemoeller family grew briefly this

weekend with the presence of their granddaughter, Stephanie of Lubbock. Stephanie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Stegemoeller, were at the lake for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer and their granddaughters, Page Ulmer, and Stacy Whittaker attended the Ulmer family reunion in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney and family are visiting in West Columbia and Boling with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark took Coleman Bivins to

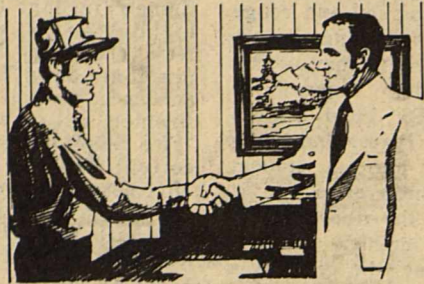
Diabetic camp at Kerrville, Sunday. The camp for diabetic children is under the sponsorship of the Lions clubs.

The brother-in-law of Mrs. John Clark, Loren Buck of Holiday, passed away last week. Attending the funeral on Saturday were Mrs. Clark, all of her sons, and Dorothy Lee Clark. Mrs. Clark stayed

with her sister for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Laughlin of Fort Worth for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre took their grandson, Daryl Apple, home to Sheridan, Arkansas, this last week. He had been visiting them.

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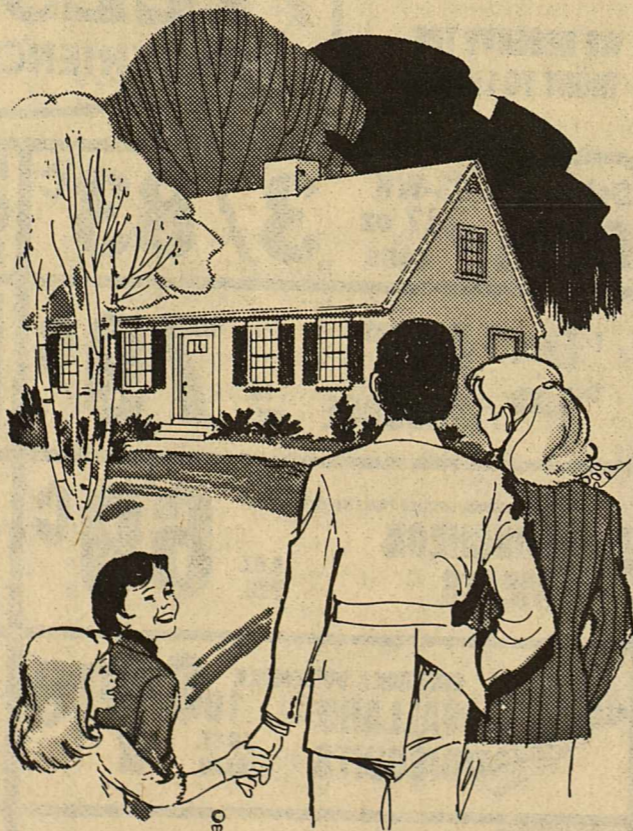
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# Rice Springs News

We want to thank the Church of Christ ladies for the nice birthday party given for those of us that had birthdays in the month of July. Those that had birthdays were Sam Bradford, Dessie Marion, J. C. Collier, Annie Smith, Rev. Walter Copeland and Lydia Green.

Our thanks also go to the First Baptist Church, the Church of Christ of Haskell and the Sweet Home Singers

of Rule for the services and the wonderful singing. We do appreciate your visits with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Camp and Mrs. Joe Ray of Rule visited Mr. Joe Ray. Joe is a new resident in our home from Rule. We are so glad to have him with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright of McAllister, Okla. visited with Mary Threet.

Winford and Sandra Sedig of Azle visited Mrs. Pueschel.

Sam Wright is in the Haskell hospital. Visiting with Sam this weekend were Mrs. Elgin Wright of Rule, Lucille Wright of Rotan and Irene Wright of Slaton.

Darla Dean of Odessa visited with Nannie McCaul. Mrs. McCaul did some visiting in Rule over the weekend.

Visiting with Ada Williamson were Mary Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. Barclay Harris all of Irving and also Sena Murray of Rule.

Johnny Earp of Weinert visited with his father John Earp.

Mary Place of Rule and Mary Kay Place of California visited Mary Bradley and Charity Bradley. Also visiting Mary Bradley were Elsie Eastland and daughter Jan from Abilene.

Mrs. Gene Johnston of McKinney visited with Beulah Persons.

Visitors of Trudie Bush were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bristow of Rule, Clara Boyd of Dallas and Mrs. Ada Snyder of Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Post of Abilene, Rev. Dowden of Rule, Ruby Grace Goldin Brooks of Blue Ridge, Rae Marie Williams of Irving and Mrs. C. R. Clark, Kyle and Judson of Abilene visited with Mrs. Alma Cole.

Mrs. George Martin and sons from Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. Manley Branch Saturday.

Visiting with Mrs. Mae Belle Turnbow was her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Billy Trussell and children of San Antonio.

Mrs. Fred Kupatt and Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and Jana of Sagerton visited with Mrs. Hilda Kupatt.

Mrs. Mildred Faust of Rosco, Mrs. Connie Carson of Merkel and Mrs. Clarence Tucker and daughter Kara of Abilene visited with Mrs. Jessie Jones.

Mrs. Cliff LeFevre and Mrs. Etta Leach of Sagerton visited several residents in Rice Springs this weekend.



**Congressman**  
**Charles W. Stenholm**  
**Congressional Comment**

**Washington, D.C.** — Much of America's economic development in the early days of the Industrial Revolution can be attributed to the building of the railroads. Railroads are a safe and reliable form of transportation that could run in almost any kind of weather. During the latter half of the nineteenth century, owning a railroad was a sure road to wealth. European monarchs would pour millions out of the public coffers into American railroad stocks. Corporate wars were fought by robber barons over control of this transportation system.

Looking back on the history of the railroads it is hard to imagine that this once-thriving industry has fallen on such hard times. The idea that some railroads would one day become nationalized would have been considered heresy just 20 years ago. Railroadroading has been in decline and our whole economy is suffering because of it. This industry has been subjected to an extensive rate and service regulation system administered by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The ICC has been slow to act on numerous important cases, and often companies were not allowed to make a reasonable profit. Over the last several years the industry's rate of return has been around 1%, among the lowest for any economic sector in the Nation.

Not all of the blame, however, can be placed on the government. Railroads have lost much of their business to subsidized trucks, airplanes, pipelines, automobiles, and barges. The railroads did not stop growing because the need for passenger and freight transportation declined. . . that grew. The railroads are in trouble because often the need was not filled by the railroads themselves. Management has not been responsive to competition and has not shown a willingness to enter the 20th Century and compete. Labor is also to blame. Some labor rules that are in effect today date back to World War I. Prominent among these were rules

of the "100-mile day" and other featherbedding techniques such as the use of firemen. The 100-mile day refers to the option open to train crews to elect to be paid a full day's pay for working eight hours or for operating a train for 100 miles. The two methods yielded roughly equivalent results in the World War I era, but today many trains cover much more than 100 miles during an eight hour period. By the late 1950's the transition of locomotives from steam to diesel was nearly completed but firemen have remained on many trains.

As this industry has become cash starved, services have declined and capital improvements have been delayed. A particularly critical area is the rail car shortage. The rail car industry reports a backlog of 50,000 cars. Also, a tremendous backlog has built up in the maintenance and capital improvement of roadways and equipment. The shortage is particularly severe during intervals of unexpected demand or peak demand periods. Our farmers have produced an unexpected large grain crop. Many of our elevators are full and wheat is being put on the ground because transportation facilities are inadequate. Farmers and elevator operators are unable to receive payment and their loans are running out. Because the shortage is nationwide we have few options in the short term. But eventually it is going to be essential that we formulate a national railroad transportation policy.

If we do not adequately support our transportation services then our ability to market our produce will be limited. In this era of energy shortages and environmental concern, it is time we rediscovered that safe, reliable form of transportation that has helped build our industrial capacity — the American railroad. The time is now to begin solving its inhibiting problems.

## Men In Service

In a recent awards Ceremony First Sergeant Jackie L. Bevel was awarded The Meritorious Service Medal (2D OAK LEAF CLUSTER) for distinguishing himself by outstandingly meritorious service while assigned as First Sergeant, Anti-Armor Company, 2D Battalion, 8th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, during the period September 22, 1977 to January 1, 1979. First Sergeant Bevel's meticulous handling of assigned tasks was evidence of his high degree of proficiency and vast knowledge. His ingenuity aided immeasurably in the development of an improved missile gunnery program adopted by the division. First Sergeant Bevel's superior performance of duty was essential in the unit's successful completion of the Division Restructure Study Phase 2 test and the Army Training and Evaluation Program which unquestionably reflects distinct credit upon himself, the 1st Cavalry division and the United States Army. Sergeant Major Bevel graduated from the Sergeant Major's Academy at Ft. Bliss, July 20, 1979. After a 30 day leave he will become the Instructor for Reserve Officers Training Course at Mid-Western State University located in Wichita Falls. SGM Bevel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bevel of Haskell.

## Several factors determine comfort

**COLLEGE STATION** — A thermostat setting of 80 degrees can be fairly comfortable, reports a Texas A&M University professor who specializes in building energy audits.

Dr. Swiki A. Anderson, of the Texas A&M mechanical engineering department, says the key is the right combination of temperature, relative humidity and air movement.

From a pure comfort standpoint, the temperature, humidity and air velocity — or

combinations — can vary somewhat and remain in an "envelope" in which the average person is comfortable, Anderson observes.

A person can expect to be at ease with a higher temperature if it is accompanied by an increase in air movement and lower humidity. A temperature of 76 to 78 degrees is best for most people, given adequate air movement and moderate water vapor content of the air, Anderson contends.

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## STOCK MARKET

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction was steady on a run of 970 head of cattle, 200 hogs, and no sheep and goats at its sale July 28, 1979 according to Tom Nix reporter.

Other comments: Good demand on cow and calf pairs - Springers selling strong - Stockers feeders steady.

Butcher calves: choice, 68-73; good, 65-68; standard, 63-65; rannies, 55-63.

Cows: fat, 45-50; cutters, 43-48; canners, 38-43; stockers, 60-71.

Bulls: bologna, 60-63; stockers, 65-78; utility, 55-60.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice, 1.10-1.20; good, 90-1.10; medium, 80-90; common, 70-80.

Stocker Heifer Calves: choice, 80-90; good, 75-80; medium, 70-75; common, 65-70.

Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice, 65-70; good, 60-65; medium, 58-60; common, 50-58.

Feeder Heifer Yearlings: choice, 75-78; good, 73-75; medium, 70-73; common, 60-70.

Cows & Calves: choice 850-900; good, 750-800; plain, 500-650.

Top on Hogs 38.

Sows 24-28.

Boars 22-26.

Feeder Shoats 40-45.

Pigs by Head 17.50-20.00.

## College News

The College of Education at Texas Tech University has announced that Leesa Drinnon Toliver has qualified for the Dean's Honor Roll for the Spring semester. This is the second consecutive semester that Leesa has qualified for

the Dean's Honor Roll. She also qualified for the Fall semester. Leesa is a Senior student majoring in Elementary Education. She is the wife of Brian Toliver and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Biggon Drinnon.

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# American Ag News

**(EDITOR'S NOTE:** The following article is a product of representatives of the local American Agriculture Movement and any opinions expressed herein are those of the authors and not necessarily those of this newspaper.)

**BY BETTYE McBROOM**  
AAM's response to Agricultural Commissioner Reagan Brown as given by Mike McCathern in the July 24, 1979, issue of the AMERICAN AGRICULTURE NEWS, Box 100, Iredell, Texas 76649.

## New Law To Effect Access Roads

Frontage road traffic on Interstate and other multi-lane highways must yield to traffic leaving or entering the main lanes. That is the new law which becomes effective August 27, 1979.

House Bill 1421, passed by the 66th Legislature and signed by the Governor on June 11, 1979, provides that frontage road traffic shall yield the right-of-way to traffic entering an on-ramp or leaving an off-ramp on controlled access highways. It also applies to rural areas where two-way frontage roads exist.

The change may cause problems on two-way frontage roads for motorists who have grown accustomed to main lane traffic doing the yielding at exit ramps. A problem could be in store for other frontage road drivers who think vehicles about to enter the main lanes must yield.

Although the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will have new YIELD signs in place by August 27, the habits already formed will be difficult to break. Careful observance of highway signs will continue to be very important during the re-development of frontage road driving habits.

On Tuesday, July 10, the American Agriculture Movement delegates and their alternates met with Commissioner of Agriculture Reagan V. Brown at the Texas Department of Agriculture, Austin, Texas, for the purpose of discussing the Family Farms Security Act and the Agricultural Producer's Advisory Commission.

Mr. Brown has sharp differences with the family farmers of this state over this commission. We cannot understand why Mr. Brown opposes a commission that would have advisory capacity only. We cannot understand why this would pressure and harass him.

In this meeting, he lost his composure completely, and made remarks about the farmers and Black citizens of this state that are totally unacceptable to our views. We accept Mr. Brown's apology to the general public, but we feel that he owes a public apology specifically to the Black citizens and family farmers of this state.

Mr. Brown has forgotten that the people are the government, and not the other way around. To slur the Blacks and belittle the farmers is beyond our comprehension.

It is a sad day when an elected official not only slurs the people he is elected to serve, but tells them they have no right to question his actions; that he alone knows what is best.

Mr. Brown evidently has great opposition to the Agriculture Producer's Advisory Commission. He has refused to tell us what specific problems he has with this commission. He only says that he was elected to run the Texas Department of Agriculture. We call upon him to make known to the public and to the farmers of Texas why he is so violently opposed to this commission.

Mr. Brown administers a department that enforces our grades, weights and standards that we have to sell our

products under, and which regulates the products going to the consumers.

Something is wrong with the system when farmers are going broke producing and consumers cannot buy. We ask "Why?"

We are concerned when bread prices go up because wheat prices are up. But when wheat prices go down, bread prices do not go down. The public is told that wheat prices are up, but are they told about the dockage imposed on the farmer so that he does not get that price? This is a dockage that will give no reason for. We can find out nothing from our Texas Department of Agriculture either. Mr. Brown is certainly fearful of a citizens advisory commission for agriculture.

The public has the right to know.  
\*\*\*\*\*Remember to save Monday night, August 20, for a County American Agriculture meeting.

## Rx for your child's safety

Electricity is the lifeblood of many modern household appliances which can make a mother's job a little bit easier.

But, according to Dr. Albert H. Domm, child safety specialist and former medical director of the Prudential Insurance Co., that same electric current

can cause serious injury or even death for a curious toddler if precaution is not taken.

He urges all parents to inspect their homes for electrical danger spots and take prompt corrective action if any exist.

Dr. Domm suggests these safeguards: (1) Keep all electric outlets covered when not in use. Curious children can stick conductive objects into uncovered sockets. (2) Be sure you have no worn extension cords. (3) Place all electrical machinery and appliances out of the reach of toddlers. (4) Light switches, electrical appliances, or outlets should not be within reach of the bathtub.

"The bathtub requires special attention from parents since many electrical accidents take place there," he said. "Wet hands and feet increase the possibility of shock."

If such a mishap occurs, shut the current off immediately and remove the victim from the contact using a stick or gloves, but not bare-handed. Call an ambulance or doctor and administer artificial respiration until help arrives.



Dr. Albert H. Domm

# Haskell Foursquare Church Plans Relocation

August 3, 1978 as Hurricane Amelia, one of the seasons tropical storms, raged through the Gulf Coast, heavy rains fell throughout the State of Texas. By noon August 4 areas of West Texas were declared disaster areas.

Among the hardest hit by the unrelenting flood was the little Haskell Foursquare Church which had 27 inches of water inside. Yet one year later the church has been remodeled and the members are planning to relocate in the near future.

As the pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Kardokus looked at the silt filled church, the feeling was one of total despair. The water had risen to the bottom of the windowseals, covering the pews, all the carpeting was completely destroyed, song books which the church had purchased two years before for their 25th anniversary were ruined, there was danger of the organ

and piano being damaged by the water, at least one room was irreparable and the floor of the sanctuary had buckled from the large amount of water. The cost of damage was estimated at over \$2,000 besides labor.

As news of the flood began to reach different churches within the South Central District covering Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico congregations began sending money to their sister church to help the members here in their task of remodeling. Members of the San Angelo, Weinert and Knox City Foursquare Church sent members down to donate their labor.

As most of the men had to work during the day, the women began the remodeling which continued many times to well after midnight. They tore down the walls between the damaged storage room

and the platform, repeneled and even brought fill dirt in to build up the foundation. Many of the men worked vigorously sanding, texturing, and painting.

Now the church has been completely refurbished with new carpet covering the main sanctuary, and the platform being enlarged. Although this was by far the worst, the church has been under water 3 times during her 28 year history. As the members evaluated the damage and continuing potential for high water it has been decided to move the present building to higher ground.

At the present time members are involved in various projects to raise money for relocation. Two of the projects are selling snow cones across the street from M-System and collecting aluminum cans. A container has been placed on the side of the church for anyone interested in helping.

As the Church looks over the last year they concur with one of the local merchants whose store was also severely damaged. "I looked at that church surrounded by water and kept asking myself why it didn't go down. The only

reason it could be is that God wanted that church here." Truly the members of the Haskell Foursquare Church can say, "The House built on the Rock, Jesus Christ will stand, no matter what adversity can happen."

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