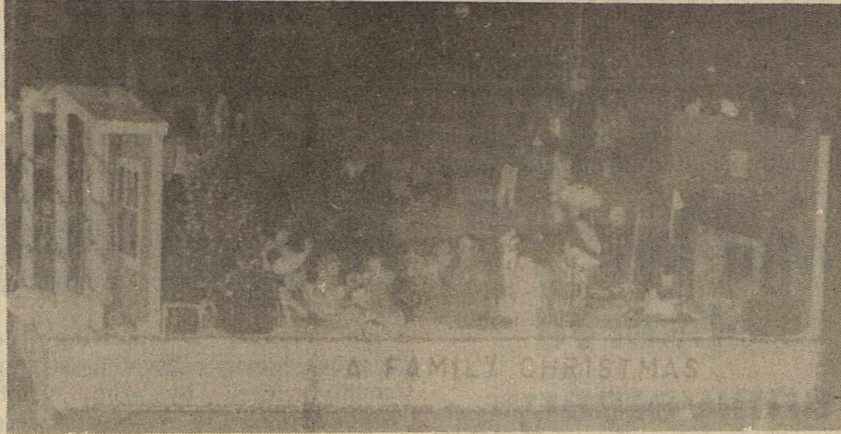


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'Fellows deadline approaches

The deadline for those wishing to make contributions of food, toys or coats to the Lions Club's Good-fellows project is Friday.

Boxes will be packed Friday and will be ready to be distributed Monday.

Monetary contributions can be made even after the boxes are delivered, so those planning monetary donations can still do so by leaving them at the Haskell Free Press.

Contributions as of Tuesday include:

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Two weeks off

All classes in the Haskell Independent School District will dismiss early this Friday and will not resume until Jan. 6. This will give students two full weeks for the Christmas-New Year holidays.



SAVE \$38

A sign at Wooten's Muffler Service reminds (or warns) motorists that they can save \$38 by buckling up in compliance with the state's new compulsory seat belt law. Minimum fine for not wearing a belt is \$25, plus \$13 court costs.

Yeary seeks funds for Hendrick house

J.C. Yeary is serving as Haskell community chairman for the Hendrick League House.

The Hendrick League House of Abilene, due to open early next year, will be a home away from home for families of patients confined to Hendrick Medical Center.

Plans call for \$2,500 to be raised locally to furnish a room in the house. It will be designated as a Haskell room and every donor's name will be acknowledged in the house.

Contributions to the fund may be made to Yeary or to Haskell National Bank. Checks should be made payable to Hendrick Medical Center Foundation.

Located on Hickory Street across from HMC visitor parking, Hendrick League House will have 30 rooms, including a large family living room with a television and comfortable couches and easy chairs for relaxing and visiting with other families. Private baths and a washer and dryer will add to the comforts.

It is intended to be a home away from home for families whose loved ones are patients in critical care areas. Though these families will be given priority, the house is open to anyone, as space permits, whose family member is being treated at HMC.

Security officers will be on duty each night to escort families to and from the hospital. In addition, telephones will be integrated with HMC's communication system to provide easier access to patient information. Nursing units can call families quickly if an emergency arises.

Modeled after a similar project in Austin at Seton Medical Center, the Hendrick League House seeks to reduce the stress families experience in critical times.

"Critical illness or injury or a patient's hospitalization many miles from home can be a staggering emotional and physical strain on families," Yeary said.

"They feel a need to stay close to their loved one. Motels are not only costly, but seem too far away for families keeping their vigil over patients. We want to help those families who need to be near by."

Hendrick Medical Center is a major referral base for a 19-county area and is expanding critical care areas and adding a cancer treatment and day surgery facility.

Communities served by the center are being asked to help in the Hendrick League House project. For a \$2,500 donation from a community, a city or town can purchase the furnishings of a room and the room will be named for the town.

First National Bank begins new building

Construction of First National Bank's new and modern facility has begun at 200 South Ave. E in Haskell.

The new facility will comprise approximately 6,000 square feet of floor area and will feature new and innovative banking services and equipment.

Building design will be basically traditional in appearance with brick arches and bronze glass and will have an attached drive-in facility service with two remote customer units. The parking area will be accessible from both sides at the corner of Ave. E and South 2nd Street and will add a touch of green to the streets of Haskell with its landscaped facades.

The building will house areas for banking services as well as a large public meeting room for the use of the people of Haskell and the surrounding communities for various functions. The community room will have its own separate entrance with restrooms, a fireplace, kitchen facilities and a landscaped courtyard outside the windows.

The bank lobby will feature a tellers' line and new accounts area near the entrance with offices for

administrative personnel. Customer conveniences will feature sit-down areas as well as conventional standing areas for teller services.

The vault entrance will be located adjacent to the lobby and will house a variety of sizes of safe deposit boxes. The vault door will be finished in brushed bronze color.

The public area ceiling will be high and the walls will be finished with stained hardwood panels to coincide in design with the basic motif of the building.

Offices and other administrative

areas within the bank will contain windows to the lobby, creating an open and accessible atmosphere throughout the building.

Construction will be of concrete and steel structural framework and the exterior walls will be built of masonry units and brick.

Will Parker, executive vice president of the bank, stated that the officers and staff were excited about the new facility and pleased with the contribution the new building will make to Haskell's business community.

Council approves repairs for pool

Haskell City Councilmen last week approved a proposal to sandblast the city swimming pool, remove the old tar from the cracks and fill the cracks with epoxy paint.

The proposal was made by Jim Allen, Breckenridge contractor who currently is involved in a water tower project in Haskell. Revenue sharing funds will be used to finance the project.

Completion of this project will be one step toward bringing the swimming pool up to state specifications. Still being studied by the City is a new filtration system for the pool.

Approval of the proposal came during the Council's regular meeting last Tuesday. During this meeting, Allen also told councilmen that work on the water towers is nearing completion.

Included in the water tower project is the outside painting, patching and float replacement of the old tower and the installation of draining system and the recoating of the inside of the North tower.

Dee Larned of bill Wilson Motor Co. addressed the Council concerning traffic in the vicinity of the automobile company. He requested that a left-turn lane be designated for south-bound traffic on US 277. Councilmen advised him to talk with the State Highway Dept., since any decision on the

matter would have to come from that agency.

J.C. Yeary sought the Council's endorsement of a local campaign to raise funds for a Haskell room in the new Hendrick League House. It would be available, he said, for families of Haskell patients at Hendrick Medical Center. The Council offered its enthusiastic support of the project.

In other action, the Council discussed the proposed plumbing ordinance for the City, and heard progress reports on the creek project and the new sanitary landfill.

The Council will not meet Dec. 24 due to the Christmas holidays. Next meeting will be Jan. 14.

Early deadlines to be observed

Advertising and news deadlines for next week's edition of **The Haskell Free Press** will be 5 p.m. Friday of this week.

Early deadlines are necessitated by an early printing schedule because of the Christmas holiday. **The Free Press** will be printed on Monday next week so that it may be delivered to subscribers on Tuesday (Christmas Eve).

City's tax take totals \$9,767.97

The City of Haskell has received a check for \$9,767.97 from State Comptroller Bob Bullock, representing the city's share of the one percent sales tax collected for the month of October.

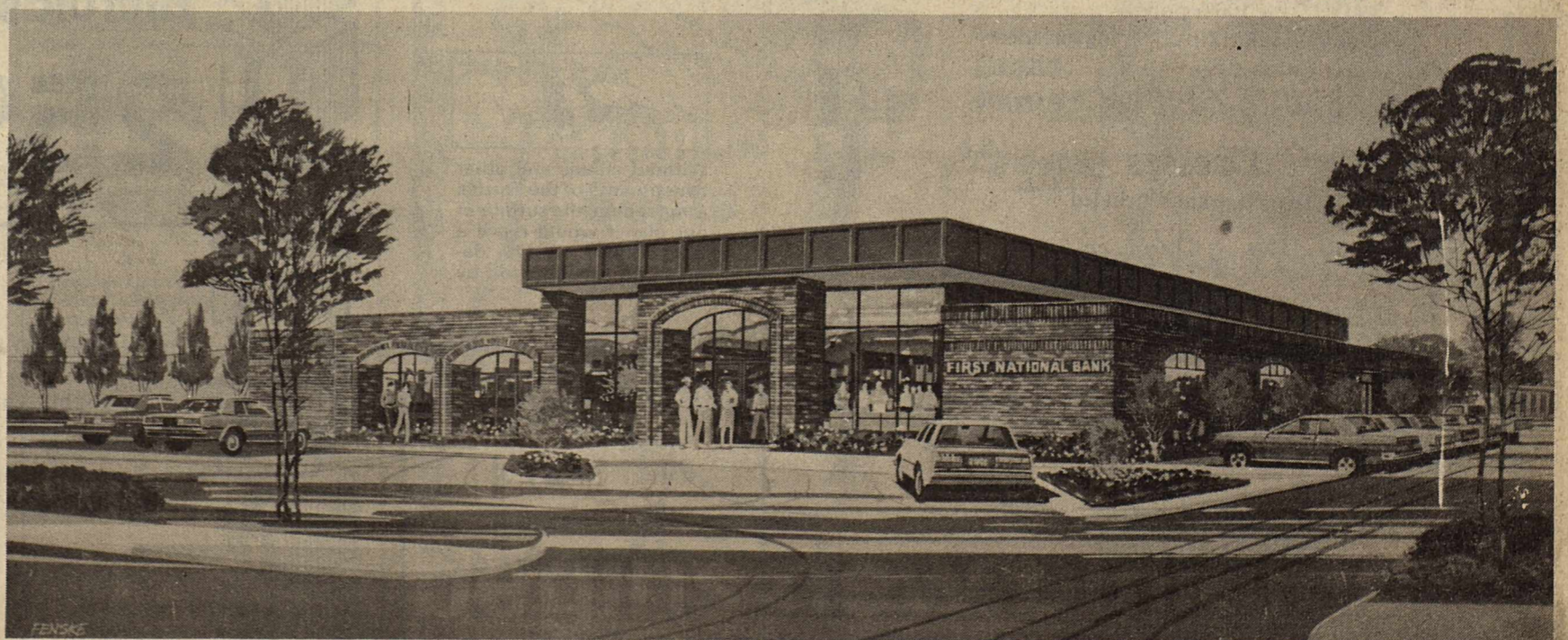
Total payments to Haskell during the 10-month period now stand at \$167,400.91. This is an increase of 4.69 percent over the \$159,893.91 received for the same period last year. The recent payment is also a substantial increase over the \$8,491.61 received from last October's collections.

The City of Rule received a check for \$2,221.57 for October collections, some two and half times

the amount received a year ago, \$894.81. For the year to date, Rule has received \$26,394.19, a figure which represents a 46.94 percent increase over 1984 collections for the same period, \$17,962.65.

Rochester's check for October collections was \$579.20, bringing that city's 1985 total to \$10,846.24, nearly a six percent increase over the 1984 figure of \$10,248.70.

Neither Weinert nor O'Brien received a check this month for October collections. So far this year, Weinert has received \$1,984.77 and O'Brien has received \$1,047.20.



Architect's drawing of new First National Bank.



RECEIVES AWARD

Jill Jennings of Haskell receives her Gold Star Award from State Rep. Charles Fimmel of Holliday.

Jill Jennings gets Gold Star Award

Jill Jennings of Haskell was among 36 outstanding members of 4-H Clubs in 21 Rolling Plains counties who were honored Nov. 19 with the coveted Gold Star Award at Benjamin.

Murrays to observe anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Murray will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Dec. 22.

They were married in the Weinert Methodist Church by the Rev. W.M. Callwell.

All friends of the couple are invited to a reception from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church in Rule.

The event will be hosted by their children and grandchildren, Myrtle and Tom Kutch, Christine, Allen and Kathleen of Rule; Edith and Ronald Hilliard, Jarred and Jason of Odessa; and Ed and Charlene Murray, Michael and Jeffery of Rule.

Miss Jennings is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jennings of Haskell.

Joining the youths at the affair in the Community Building were parents, government officials, leaders of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, fellow 4-H'ers, educators and other community leaders.

In addition to receiving the highest honor presented at the county level by the youth organization, the recipients were urged by Kit Horne, farm and ranch supervisor of West Texas Utilities Co., Abilene, to continue to use the leadership skills they have developed.

"You are going to be faced with many challenges, but with the experience you have gained in 4-H, you will be able to meet such challenges," Horne said as he welcomed the honorees and other guests.

Donnell Brown of Throckmorton County, public relations chairman for the Rolling Plains District 4-H Council, thanked Horne and the utility company for annually sponsoring the awards banquet and for providing awards and support for other 4-H activities throughout the district.

Honorees were introduced by Ed Garnett and Mrs. Elaine Houston of Vernon, district directors of the Extension Service. Four-H is the youth development program of Extension, and educational arm of the Texas A&M University System.

State Rep. Charles Fimmel of Holliday presented the awards to the boys and girls. Color photographs of each recipient were taken by Steve Thomas of West Texas Utilities.

Entertainment was provided by the "Six Pounds of Music," recording artists from Memphis, Texas. The country and western group is comprised of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pounds and four of their daughters.

Master of ceremonies was Gary Teague of Fisher County, president of the district 4-H council. Also on the program were Jennifer Oman of Shackelford County, council vice-president; Angie Partridge of Knox County, council secretary, and Audra Whitfill, Hall County 4-H'er.

Winning recipes in Pecan Show

Recipes of winning entries in the recent Haskell County Pecan Bake Show have been announced by Lou Gilly, county extension agent, home economics.

Grand champion in the adult division was Henrietta Rueffer's entry for orange slice date cake. Her recipe:

One cup butter, 2 cups sugar, 4 eggs, 1/2 pound chopped dates, 2 cups chopped nuts, 3 1/2 cups flour, 1/2 cup buttermilk, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 pound orange slices (chopped), 1 cup coconut.

Cream butter and sugar; add eggs, one at a time. Dissolve soda in buttermilk. Dredge dates, coconut, orange slices and nuts in 1 cup flour. Add alternately with flour and buttermilk mixture. Fold in dates, coconut, orange slices and

nuts. Bake in large tube pan at 250 degrees for 2 hours or longer.

Make glaze from 1/2 cup powdered sugar, 1/2 cup orange juice and 2 teaspoons grated orange rind, mix well, then pour over hot cake.

Grand champion in the youth division was Kim Gilly's entry for cheese cookies. Her recipe:

One pound extra sharp cheddar cheese grated, 1/4 teaspoon red pepper, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 pound butter, 1 cup pecans chopped finely, 1/2 teaspoon paprika, 5 cups flour.

Cream cheese and butter. Add rest of ingredients, shape into small balls. Press with fork, bake at 375 degrees for 15-20 minutes on ungreased cookie sheet.

Last minute Christmas idea
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Christmas social enjoyed

Members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed their annual Christmas social in the Norman Nanny home Monday evening.

Holly, candles and lamps were used in the entertaining rooms. The dining table was most attractive with all appointments in crystal. Tables for four with red covers and holiday napkins added to the Christmas decor.

Mrs. Nanny welcomed the guests and following the invocation, strawberry punch, coffee, sandwiches, salads, relishes, chips, nuts, cookies and pecan tassies were served.

Mrs. Mary Martin led the group in singing Christmas carols with recorded piano accompaniment and later reviewed "The Little Angel Who Refused to Sing" by J. Chapman Bradley. Interesting pictures of mission work in Brazil were shown and a letter from Janelle and Lonnie Doyle was read. The Doyles are completing their 36th year in Brazil.

Gifts of appreciation were presented to Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Olevia Leonard, teachers of the class. In closing, the group joined hands forming a circle and repeated the Lord's Prayer.

Hospital Notes
 Visiting hours at Haskell Memorial Hospital are 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8:30 in the evening. No visiting hours in the morning. No children under 14.
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Sports

Indians' Larned, Torres named to all-district team

Kendall Larned and Joel Torres were first-team members of the all-district football team announced Monday by coaches of district 6-AA.

Larned was chosen as a down lineman and Torres was honored as a punter.

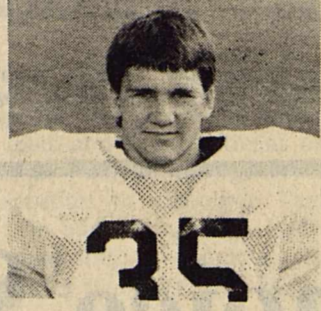
Five other Indians, including Torres, were named to the second team on defense and four Haskell players were on the second team on offense.

Tackle Andy Griffith was a member of the second team on both the offensive and defensive units.

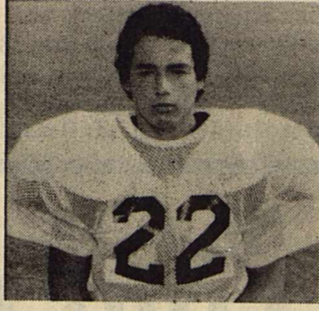
Guard Val King joined Griffith on the second team on offense, as did running back Stephon Brockington and Mark Young, who was chosen as a wide receiver.

On defense, second-team members included Griffith at tackle, Sam Baker at end, Felipe Arredondo at cornerback and Torres at safety.

District champion Hamlin



Kendall Larned



Joel Torres

dominated the first teams chosen by the coaches. Pied Piper center Matilde Garcia was a unanimous choice for the offensive team, as were tackle Rod Smith, tight end Ernie Piske and quarterback Mike Howerton. Only other unanimous choice for the offensive team was Stamford running back Timmy Delce.

Other first-team members on the offensive unit were guards Junior Garcia of Anson and Anthony Gomez of Stamford, tackle Frankie Cosby of Hawley, wide receivers Lew Mays of Anson and Tommy Chase of Hamlin, running back Coy McGee of Hamlin and fullback Curtis Woodard of Hamlin.

Joining Larned as a down lineman on the all-district defensive first team were Tommy Chase and Brooks Eoff of Hamlin, Jerry Schmidt of Hawley and Ward Hayes of Rotan.

First-team ends on defense were

Lew Mays of Anson and Piske of Hamlin. Linebackers were Anthony Gomez of Stamford, Mitch Hall of Hamlin and Curtis Woodard of Anson. Luke Torres of Anson, James Cook of Hamlin and McGee of Hamlin were the cornerbacks and safeties were Howerton and Phillip Sweeney of Stamford.

Torres was one of three punters chosen to the first team. Others were Robert Longoria of Stamford and George Ramos of Anson. Stamford's Delce was selected as return specialist and Hawley's Kelly Chittum as defensive specialist.

Unanimous choices included Piske, Gomez, Hall, Howerton and Delce.

Of the honored Haskell players, Larned, Baker and Arredondo are seniors. Young and Brockington are sophomores, while King, Hall Griffith and Torres are juniors.

Maidens thump Roby girls

The Haskell Maidens thumped Roby 64-26 at Roby Monday night in one of their finest performances of the season.

Haskell jumped into a 21-6 first-period lead and was never threatened.

"This was our last game before the Kiwanis Club Christmas tournament," said Coach George Martin. "Every girl did an exceptional job offensively and defensively. Our press looked the best it has all year."

Tamala Randle paced the scorers with 14 points and Julie Roewe was right behind with 13. Lori McGee scored 10 points and Donice Young had 8. Mindy Smith, Dana Hale and Sheree Dumas had 6, 4 and 4 points respectively. Feagan paced the losers with 8 points while Upshaw scored 7.

Leading rebounder for the Maidens was Smith with 7.

Haskell hit 23 of 65 shots from the field for a 36 percent efficiency rating. The Maidens were 18 of 31 from the free throw line.

Lori Peiser scored 14 points to pace the Haskell junior varsity girls over Roby by a 37-17 score.

Next game for the Maidens will be at 8 a.m. next Thursday when they meet Rule in the first game of the Haskell Kiwanis Club Tournament.

Haskell, Rule kick off tourney

Haskell and Rule girls will kick the lid off the annual Haskell Kiwanis Club's Holiday Invitational Basketball Tournament next Thursday morning (Dec. 26).

The game begins at 8 a.m. Boys' teams of Haskell and Rule will play the tournament's second game. It starts at 9:30 a.m.

Boys' and girls' teams from Roscoe, Munday, Hawley, Weinert, Stamford, Seymour, Rule, Haskell, Goree and Lueders-Avoca will compete in the three-day event.

Indians chalk up two more victories

The Haskell Indians avenged one of the two losses on their 1985 basketball record Monday night by defeating Roby 68-63.

But it didn't come easily for the Indians who were down 29-37 at halftime.

Mark Young scored 28 points to top the scoring. Sammy Baker had 14 points and Ponciano Lopez pitched in 12.

The victory brought the Indians' record for the year to 8-2. They had dropped their season opener to this same Roby team.

Last Friday, the Indians defeated Lueders-Avoca by a 60-41 score, again coming from a halftime deficit. Haskell trailed 28-29 at

intermission but stormed back to outscore Lueders-Avoca 20-2 in the third period.

Baker paced the scorers with 19 points, followed by Young with 16.

The Haskell junior varsity lost to Roby Monday by a 50-37 score. Paul Harvey was top scorer with 12 points.

Last week's tournament at Roby was cancelled because of bad weather. A game against Merkel, scheduled for this Thursday, also has been cancelled, meaning the Indians will be idle until Thursday of next week when they meet Rule in the first round of the Haskell tournament.

Hamlin, Munday finally fall

Electra defeated Hamlin, 35-19, last Friday to reach the finals of the state Class AA football playoffs.

The Tigers will meet Groveton, a 21-8 winner over Shiner, for the state championship. Both Electra and Hamlin were opponents of the Haskell Indians during the 1985 football season and each won easily.

Electra won its 14th consecutive game in handling Hamlin its first loss after 13 straight victories.

Meanwhile, another 1985 opponent of Haskell lost in its bid for a repeat championship. Munday, defending class A state champion and winner of 30 consecutive games, fell to Goldthwaite by a 23-7 score. The

Moguls played without the services of their starting quarterback, Dent Offutt, who suffered a broken collarbone in the victory over Wheeler the previous week.

Goldthwaite will play Runge, a 7-0 victor over Italy, for the state championship.

In the six-man finals Friday night, the Jayton Jaybird crushed Christoval 66-14 for their second straight six-man title. The game was called under the 45-point rule with 2:16 remaining in the third quarter. Jayton, which has never lost a six-man game, had to go into the fourth quarter only three times this season, two of those times being against Weinert.

Sam Toliver all-TIAA at Tarleton

Tarleton State University linebacker Sam Toliver, who played his high school football in Haskell, has been selected to the second team all-conference squad in the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Assn.

Toliver, a 5'10", 200-pound sophomore, played outside linebacker for Tarleton and was the fourth leading tackler on the team. He had 58 tackles, two quarterback sacks, four tackles behind the line, one interception, one caused fumble and one recovered fumble. He also recovered a fumble in the end zone for a touchdown.

The all-conference team was selected by the conference football coaches.

Haskell man to compete in rodeo finals

Terry D. Chapman of Haskell will participate in the 1985 Texas Circuit Finals Rodeo at the Taylor County Coliseum in Abilene Dec. 26-29.

Reserved seating for the rodeo is available for \$8 and general admission is \$6. Performances will begin at 8 p.m. on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Finals begin at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 29.

Information concerning tickets and special motel rates may be obtained by calling the Abilene Convention and Visitors Council (915-677-7241).

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Entries should illustrate (a) the need for conserving these resources, (b) methods used to overcome problems in their use, (c) outstanding examples of proper resource use or (d) benefits accruing to society as a result of efforts to conserve and develop natural resources.

Categories will be black and white print and color print and all prints will be 8x10 inches or 8x12 inches unmounted. A 3x5 inch card should be attached to each print with the photographer's name, address and title of the picture.

Prints for 1986 should be mailed or delivered to the Soil Conservation Service office in Haskell by March 28, 1986. Prints will be returned following judging. Questions concerning the contest can be answered by contacting the SCS office in Haskell at 510 South 2nd or by calling 864-3212.

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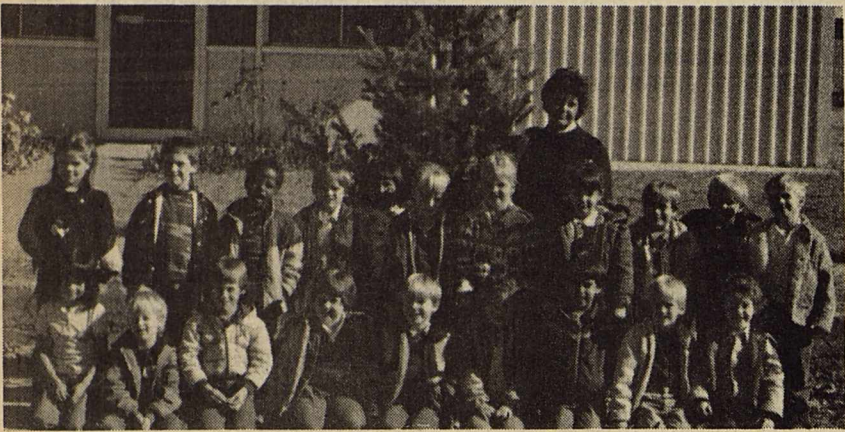
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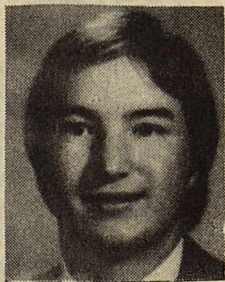
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COMPANY CARS

Employees who drive company cars were relieved when Congress rescinded the excessively detailed daily recordkeeping on company cars for 1985. The truth of the matter is that you cannot afford to relax very much. If you or your company were to be audited, your business use cars would have to be supported by documents. Internal Revenue Code section 274(d) disallows any deduction or credit for expenses incurred unless they are substantiated by adequate records or sufficient corroborative evidence.

Whatever system that was used for keeping track of business use of company cars prior to January 1, 1985 should probably be used for this year, but all employees provided with company cars should be made aware of their obligation to show to what extent the cars are used for business. Failure to do this could result in having the IRS add more to their income than is truly justifiable.

An employee will be taxed on the personal use of a company car. It's a taxable fringe benefit. The bases of the tax are:

1. The annual lease value of the car. (This varies by the make and model of the car.)
 2. The percentage of total vehicle use which was personal.
- Example: The IRS table shows the annual lease value of a company car to be \$2000, and the personal use as established by records of mileage was 25% of the total mileage, the employee will be taxed on a \$500 fringe benefit. This amount will be added to the compensation shown on his W-2.

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Knox County history book now available

"The Knox County History" is again being offered for sale, thanks to the Knox V County Sesquicentennial Committee, report co-chairmen Janice Tolson and Sue Oxford of Benjamin.

Making the book available to the public again will serve several goals for the county sesquicentennial committee. First, it will bring the county history to public attention in 1986, the 100th anniversary of Knox County as well as the 200th anniversary of Texas.

Second, money earned from this project will help meet the expenses of preparing for the county sesquicentennial celebration in July 1986. Third, any surplus earned from the sale of the Knox County History will go into a fund to help organize a Knox County museum.

At \$15 per copy, the "Knox County History" is priced far under county histories presently being printed. These copies were found in storage last fall when the committee organized and began searching for a money making project. The several hundred volumes were quickly made available to the committee on a consignment basis and several have been purchased for Christmas gift-giving.

The text is exactly the same as that found in the 1966 edition for which Mrs. Josephine Hooper Campbell was editor, under the sponsorship of Mrs. C.C. Hoge and other members of the Knox County Historical Survey Committee.

Those too broke or too young to purchase the 1966 book at \$7 will have a chance at the book under this new offer. (The publisher's last volume of the 1966 book was sold for \$20 several years ago, and it seems likely that this printing will also become a collector's item).

This printing differs from the first only in having a surname and subject index. This index should help a reader find any name mentioned in the book.

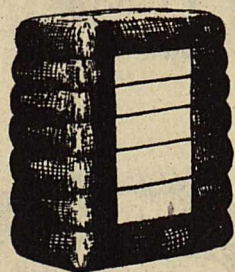
The subject reference will help readers find information about land prices, mules, businesses in county communities, buffalo, Indians, ranches, the Civil War, storms, railroads, camp meetings, typical salaries and water.

Communities and schools listed include Blackburn, Brock, Chigger Hill, Coyote, Cold Corner, Cottonwood Hole, Dixon, Dunbar, Gillespie, Kasoga, Hefner, Hood, Johnson, Orient, Lake Creek, League, Maud, Lone Star, Medlin, China Lake, New Hope, Oxford, Reeder, Sunset, Union Grove, Washburn, Antelope Flat and the communities existing today.

The book tells about life in the Brazos and Wichita country from the late 1870s when cattlemen began pushing west from the Cross Timbers, up until 1966.

The history is available from committee members Thelma Coulston of Vera, Lula Baty of Gilliland, Dixie Elliott and Billie Bess Angle at the Knox County News, Philip Homer and Paula Schur of Munday, Jessie Roberts, Benjamin and Judy Perfue of Knox City.

They have the books on hand.



HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT

By: Max Stapleton
County Extension Agent

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Total	48,831



A "watch" of nightingales is how you refer to a big bunch of those birds.

Young Homemakers want to drill well

School Board members last week granted permission to the Young Homemakers to drill a water well at the elementary school. The well will be used to irrigate the lawn.

Members will work with the Young Homemakers in selecting the site and working out other details.

Action came during the regular monthly meeting of the Board last Tuesday.

In other action, the Board:
• Was informed a 35 of the 38 students who took the TEAMS test earlier this year passed the test.
• Adopted a new set of Boasrd

policies, revoking all old policies. (This was done to comply with HB 72 and HB 246.)

• Adopted an elementary teacher handbook and an elementary student handbook. These will be amended to include discipline management procedures which will be decided between now and the January meeting.

• Passed resolutions recognizing 'A' honor roll students of both the elementary and secondary schools.

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Church plans holiday service

The annual Christmas Candle-light Service of the Trinity Lutheran Church will be at 11 p.m. Dec. 24.

Favorite Christmas hymns will be sung and candles will be lighted by everyone during the singing of "Silent Night."

"The congregation invites you to come and celebrate the birth of our Lord," said the pastor, Victor E. Andersen.



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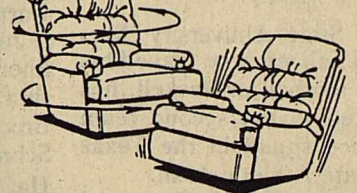
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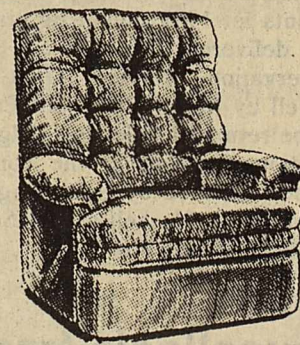


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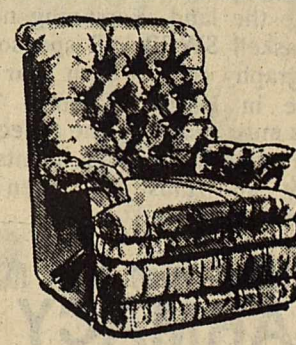
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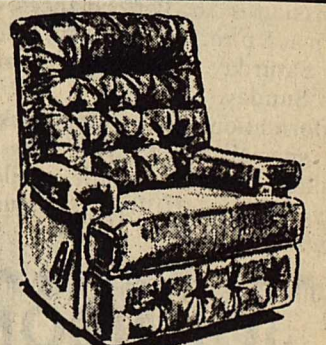
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"Sheer economics tells us the vacationer can save money by traveling in Texas before going out of state," says Larry Todd, executive director of the Texas Tourist Development Agency. "We have everything to offer from the lush East Texas forests to the sparkling coast to the rugged beauty of the Big Bend and the simple attraction of the High Plains and the lure of the big cities. We simply have it all right here in Texas."

Todd's agency, urging people to "have a big time in Texas," is encouraging residents of the Lone Star State to encounter the different types of scenery—from a pine-shaded lake to a metropolitan skyline. The agency also suggests an encounter with history—from the Alamo in San Antonio to the Alibates Quarry in Potter County where ancient Indians came to chip flint arrowheads. Urging people to have a big time in Texas, Todd suggests exploring museums as up-to-date as space travel and cities with their opportunities for shopping and entertainment. "The state's forests, lakes, canyons,

paris, cities, coastline, prairies and mountains can bring home to Texans their own colorful heritage," Todd says.

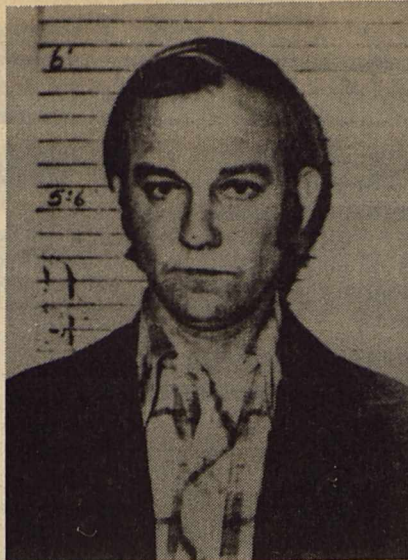
Deserving special note is the state's 150 birthday party, which will mean special events in all parts of Texas throughout 1986, Todd says. "We have a great opportunity to keep Texas money within our borders during the year as our citizens celebrate the Sesquicentennial along with out-of-state visitors who also have chosen Texas as a vacation spot."

Texas offers "something for youngsters, young couples, middle-aged folks and senior citizens and we hope they will give full consideration to traveling Texas first," he adds. "In a way, we've been planning everyone's next vacation for more than 150 years."

Host families are needed for foreign students

Host families are needed for teenagers from Germany, Spain, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Japan who are arriving in January and early spring to participate in the academic year in America program sponsored by the American Institute for Foreign Study Scholarship Foundation of Greenwich, Conn.

For details on how you can become a host family and "Share America with the World," write: American Institute for Foreign Study Scholarship Foundation, Dept. PR 10, 100 Greenwich Ave., Greenwich, CT 06830 or call toll free, 800-458-7100.



Dale Ray Waller

'One-man crime wave' added to list

Dale Ray Waller has been described as a one-man crime wave by law enforcement authorities in four states.

The 37-year-old Waller is wanted by 14 law enforcement agencies in Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas on a wide variety of charges ranging from burglary to fraud, theft and embezzlement. Even the federal authorities want to get their hands on the travelling fugitive, since he is wanted by the U.S. Marshal's office for parole violation.

This week Waller has been added to the Texas Most Wanted list. A reward of up to \$1,000 is being offered by the Governor's office for information leading to the capture of this most wanted fugitive.

Waller, whose list of aliases almost matches the number of charges against him, is wanted by no less than nine law enforcement agencies in Texas.

A typical case involving Waller is the Jan. 3, 1984, theft of a camper shell from a Victoria recreational vehicle dealer. A man identifying himself as Roy L. Matthews bought a 1982 Viking brand camper shell, using a \$2,500 check drawn on an account with First State Bank in Port Lavaca. However, a week after the purchase, the Victoria business was notified that there was no account with First State Bank listing Roy L. Matthews.

Investigators, with the assistance of the Department of Public Safety's Crime Analysis Unit, were able to identify Waller as the suspect in the case. Roy L. Matthews, it turned out, was just another alias used by Waller.

On March 5, 1984, Waller was indicted by the Victoria County Grand Jury for felony theft.

In addition to the Victoria County charges, Waller is also wanted by the following Texas agencies:

--Howard County Sheriff's Department for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

--Grayson County Sheriff's Department for theft by check and fraud.

--Kerr County Sheriff's Department for forgery of a \$2,500 surety bond.

--Reagan County Sheriff's Department for forgery and burglary.

--Yoakum County Sheriff's Department for larceny.

Comanche County Sheriff's Department for larceny and theft.

--Rusk County Sheriff's Department for larceny and theft.

--Hunt County Sheriff's Department for larceny and theft.

In addition to all the Texas charges, Waller is also wanted for embezzlement by law enforcement agencies in McAlester and Eufalia, Okla.; fraud in Batesville, Ark.; and fraud and forgery in Clovis, N.M.

Waller is described as a white male, 5-11, 175, with brown hair and blue eyes. Among the aliases he has used are Donald Braden, Doyle Carpenter, Daniel L. Sewell and Wayne Davis.

Anyone who might know Waller's whereabouts is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council toll-free at 1-800-252-8477.

Texas Most Wanted is a cooperative program between the Department of Public Safety and Texas Crime Stoppers.

Sagerton Community News

Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton will have their annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 7:00 p.m. next Tuesday. The Luther League will help read the Christmas lessons, provide special music, and light the individual candles that worshippers will hold during the singing of "Silent Night." Pastor Mel Swoyer will preach Christmas Eve on "A Humble Birth" (Luke 2:1-7). On Christmas Day there will be a Service of Holy Communion at 10:00 a.m. and Pastor Swoyer will preach on "The Shepherds Praised God" (Luke 7:8-20). At the Christmas Day service Daryl McEwen, grandson of Sam and Mary Neinst, will receive the God and Me award of Cub Scouting.

Daryl, the son of Roy and Judy McEwen, completed the requirements of the God and Me religious emblem and is a member of Pack 219 of the Chisholm Trail Council.

Last Sunday the Christmas tree was decorated in the sanctuary of Faith Lutheran Church under the direction of Mrs. Beverly Davis, Sunday School Superintendent. Those helping decorate the eight foot live pine tree were: Jimma Vahlenkamp, Mrs. Ronnie (Kathy) Teichelman, Melanie Teichelman, Mrs. Helen Lammert, Paige Lammert, Jonathan Lammert, Pastor Mel Swoyer, Gaile Swoyer, Stacey Swoyer, Jennifer Swoyer, Marcia Swoyer, and Beverly Davis. The tree is decorated with all gold Christmas balls and garland and has an angel at the top of the tree.

To be baptized on Sunday, December 22nd, at Faith Lutheran Church is William Karl Smith, son of Sam and Karla Smith of Old Glory. "Will" is the grandson of Bill and Margie Hertel of Sagerton. The sacrament of Holy Baptism will be administered and his family will receive a Baptismal Candle as a reminder that Jesus is the Light of the world.

At 7:00 p.m. next Sunday, the

Christmas Program will be performed by the children of the Sunday School at Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton. The public is invited to this service on the birth of Jesus and His good news for all people. Punch and cookies will be served after the Christmas Program.

Baptized last Monday at Faith Lutheran Church was Laci Leigh Townsend, the daughter of Rod and Velvet Townsend. Christmas is a time for children and for remembering that we all enter the Christian family through Holy Baptism.

Making a shopping trip to Dallas last Saturday was Pastor Mel and Gaile Swoyer. After checking on their house there, they made visits to several malls and clothes outlet stores.

The adult Sunday School class of Faith Lutheran Church is studying Paul's Letter to the Romans currently and will begin a study of The Gospel of Luke in January. They also will begin a "Home Bible Study" in January on "How to Deal With the Farm Crisis." About 30 to 40 adults meet each Sunday at Faith Lutheran Church to study God's Word and how it relates to daily living.

Farabees honored by magazine

State Sen. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls and his wife, Helen, have been named to share the title "Texan of the Year" for 1985 by Texas Business magazine.

The statewide business magazine annually honors the individual it considers to have had the greatest impact on Texans throughout the state during that year. Senator Farabee was honored for his role, as chairman or as a member of four Senate committees, in pushing through repeal of the Texas blue law, indigent health care and other key legislation during this year's regular and special sessions of the Texas Legislature.

Helen Farabee was honored jointly with her husband for her voluntary activism in chairing or serving on various state committees concerned mainly with the development of programs for the poor and disadvantaged, notably those charged with drafting an indigent health care plan and a mental health code.

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To the First Baptist Church, with our new pastor, the Rev. James Densman who has come to lead us at this time.

To Ford Cole and Mrs. Carl Bailey for the beautiful music.

To the ladies who prepared and served the wonderful meal to our family at church.

To the East Side Baptist Church and the Rev. Darrell Feemster for his beautiful eulogy to Jetty.

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Obituaries

Slydell Henson

Slydell Wyche Henson passed away Dec. 8 in Phoenix. She was a sister of Mary Bischofhausen of Haskell and was a former Haskell resident.

She was born Dec. 13, 1891, in Riesel, Texas the oldest of nine children.

She was married to Calvin J. Henson, a law student at the University of Texas, on June 4, 1911. Their first child, C.J. Jr., was born in Throckmorton. From there they moved to Mexia, then to Dallas and later to Lubbock.

During the 1930s they lived in New Mexico, later settling in Haskell where they ran a successful law office handling oil leases and land titles. Her husband died in January 1951. Since April 1984, Mrs. Henson had lived in her granddaughter's nursing home in Phoenix.

Funeral services were Dec. 11 at Restland Wildwood Chapel with the Rev. Joe Shafter officiating. Interment was in Restland Memorial Park.

Mrs. Henson is survived by two daughters, Marguerite Alderman of Midway City, Calif., and Elise McKibben of Shreveport, La.; six grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and her sister, Mrs. Bischofhausen of Haskell.

Friday at the First Baptist Church in Ardmore.

Ayles, 57, died Dec. 10 in Oklahoma City. Born in Idabel, Okla., Nov. 26, 1928, he was a veteran of World War II. He was married to Dorothy Wheeler in Haskell on March 2, 1954.

An engineer with the Magcabor Company, Ayles is survived by his wife, Dorothy, of Ardmore; six daughters, Tyna Scholtz of Anahuac, Joni Wood of Spring, Janet Gothard of Lone Grove, Okla., and Kay, De Ann and Beverly Ayles, all of Ardmore; two sons, Karle and Bruce of Ardmore; his mother, Elsie Ayles of Ardmore; a sister, Hazel Thompson of Sico, Ore., and eight grandchildren.

Church youth plan program

Trinity Lutheran Church youth, from the nursery class through high school age, will present their annual Christmas Sunday School program at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Entitled "Golden Chains of Love," the program is under the direction of Eunice Koehler and Jo Anne Watson, with the Sunday School teachers assisting.

The public is invited to attend.

Emmette Cross

Emmette Cross, 79, of Rochester died Monday at a Haskell nursing home.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Rochester Church of Christ, directed by Smith Funeral Home of Knox City. Owen Aiken and Mark Embree officiated.

Born Jan. 20, 1906, he married Clara May Hall Oct. 30, 1927, in Rochester.

He was a retired Justice of the Peace for Precinct 1 in Haskell County. He moved to Rochester 16 years ago from Muleshoe. He was a member of the Rochester Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife of Rochester; a daughter, Yvonne Egger of Morton; a brother, Elmer Cross of Plains; a sister, Della Butler of Odessa; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

John Dale Ayles

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. here Saturday for John Dale Ayles of Ardmore, Okla. The Rev. Darrell Feemster, pastor of East Side Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Funeral services had been held

Children fire victims far too often

In the time it takes to read the next few paragraphs, several homes in this country will catch fire. A residence burns every 45 seconds, adding up to 1,900 a day and almost 700,000 a year. Nearly 7,000 persons die in these fires and at least one-fourth of the victims are children under 14.

Most children are pathetically helpless to save themselves in a fire. Through lack of knowledge and practice, they make deadly mistakes such as rushing into smoke-filled hallways or down burning stairways when they could go safely out a window. Some don't even try to escape. They wander in bewilderment or panic. Many hide in closets or under beds and firemen find them dead, waiting in vain for parents to rescue them.

The tragedy is that youngsters could get out alive if parents would take a few minutes to show them how. Parents would be appalled to discover that their child's school did not hold fire drills. Yet, have you ever held a home fire drill with your child? He is about 200 times more likely to be caught in fire at home than at school.

A child who has practiced what to do in a fire is much less susceptible to panic and has a better chance of surviving, fire authorities unanimously agree. This has been proved by thousands of pupils who, fire-drill trained, have calmly escaped from burning schools.

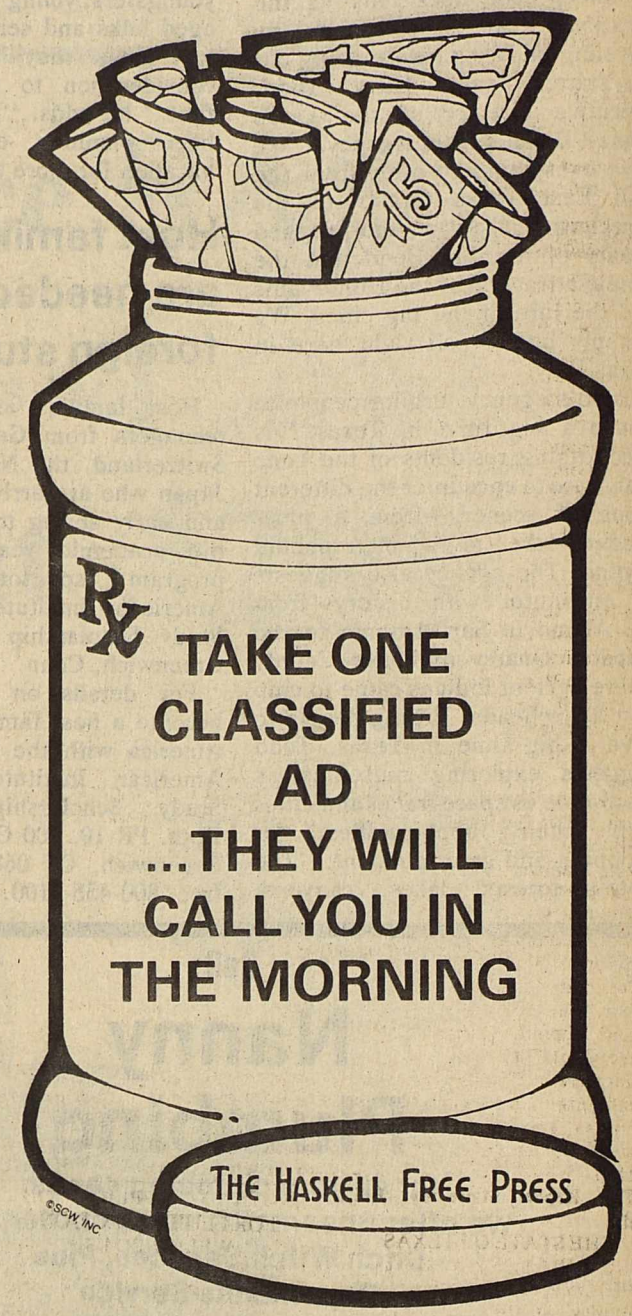
A home fire drill could be done "straight" like a classroom exercise. On the other hand, there is value in capitalizing on a child's imagination. Drills conducted as a "let's pretend to be firemen" game may stimulate more interest and impress the information more firmly in the child's mind.

Below is the first of several home fire drills to be offered in this series designed to teach children how to survive a fire. In the fifth part of this series, a final "rookie" examination will be presented to determine whether your children qualify as "firemen."

The first drill is "Meet the Fire Chief." In this drill, the entire family, called the "fire department staff," gets together to make escape plans. A "fire chief" is elected to draw a rough diagram of the house. He asks the other "firemen" to help map out two separate escape routes from every room in the house. There must be a main route, and in case that is blocked, an alternate. Pay special attention to escapes from bedrooms where fire is most likely to trap you. Don't depend much on stairways as these are often flooded with heat and deadly smoke.

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<p>For Sale</p> <p>NOTICE The deadline for Classified Advertising is 12 noon on Tuesday. Haskell Free Press</p> <p>PECANS FOR SALE: \$3.00 lb shelled. \$1.00 unshelled. Call Cary Headstream, 864-3505 or come by after 6 p.m. 305 N. Av L. 50-52p</p> <p>PRESCRIPTIONS, COSMETICS, Gifts. Shop Johnson Pharmacy where the savings are real. 43tfc</p> <p>FOR SALE: Good upright piano. Call after 6 p.m., 864-2764. 43tfc</p> <p>FOR SALE: Travel trailer, 26', fully self-contained. Call 864-2993. 44tfc</p> <p>KNOX COUNTY HISTORY \$15.00. Perfect Christmas gift. Contact members of the Knox County Sesquicentennial Committee. Sue Oxford and Janice Tolsen, Benjamin, Chairmen. Available now. Phone 817-454-3231. 50-52c</p> <p>FOR SALE: 1983 Lincoln Continental. Loaded with options. New battery. 48,000 miles. Must see to appreciate. Will consider trade for a good pickup. \$11,500. Call 864-3513. Ask for Lisa. 50tfc</p> <p>FIREWOOD FOR SALE: \$65.00 a cord, delivered. Call Kelly Strickland 864-2502 or Michael Wallace 864-2587. 49-51c</p> <p>FOR SALE: 1979 Chev. Monte Carlo; 1980 Olds Toronado; 1982 Dodge van. Call 997-2216. Ask for Pat or Lou. 47tfc</p> <p>FOR SALE: 5/8-3/4-7/8 sucker rods. Call 864-2721. 38tfc</p>	<p>For Sale</p> <p>HASKELL MEDICAL Equipment Supply. 864-2258. Buy or lease walkers, wheelchairs, crutches, hospital beds, oxygen, etc. Medicare approved. Free deliveries. 6tfc</p> <p>SHAKLEE products, 100% NATURAL VITAMINS, herb lax, food supplements, and cosmetics. Products in stock at 300 N. Ave. H. 864-3330. Free deliveries in Haskell. 26tfc</p> <p>FOR SALE: Firewood, \$65.00 cord. Delivered & stacked. Call 864-2883, Mike Rea. 50-51p</p> <p>FOR SALE: HydroAir Whirlpool products. Portables fit in your tub, start \$149.95. Tubs start \$990. Builder discounts. For information, call 915-695-6160. Therapeutic Bath of Abilene. 51-52p</p> <p>FOR SALE: 4010 JD tractor with 282 cotton stripper mounted on it. 3-8"x24' cotton trailers. All in excellent condition. \$5000.00. Dave Miller, 864-3039 after 5 p.m. 51-52c</p> <p>FOR SALE: Shelled pecans. \$2.50 lb. 864-2734. 51p</p> <p>FOR SALE: 1978 Mazda GLC, 4 speed, good condition. Best offer. Call 989-2924. 51-52p</p> <p>FOR SALE: 2-350 Chev. motors. 2,000 miles on one with complete overhaul, \$500.00; 1 new complete overhaul, \$575.00. Call 823-2272. 51p</p> <p>FOR SALE: 14x70 mobile home (Windsor). 1 1/2 baths, 2 bedroom, central A/H, total electric. Call 743-3493 before 2 p.m. 658-3535 after 3 til 11 p.m. Victor and Gloria Davenport. 51-52c</p>	<p>Jobs Wanted</p> <p>HOUSE LEVELING Floor bracing. Free estimates. References. Call 864-3993. Ask for David. 21tfc</p> <p>LOT SHREDDING. \$10.00 and up. Call Tony Williams, 864-3674 anytime. 43tfc</p> <p>POODLE GROOMING. Saturdays only. Call 864-3920. 50-1p</p> <p>PLANNING A TRIP, but need someone to take care of your favorite pet or animals? Your pet will be treated like a member of the family—no pens, but a nice, fenced backyard if the pet is used to going outside. Call 864-3920. 50-1p</p> <p>CUSTOM ROUND BALE Hay Hauling. Wainscott Hay Hauling. 658-3221 or 864-2449. 46tfc</p> <p>WANTED: Will do housework. Come by 1407 N. Av G or write Box 465, Haskell. 51-52p</p> <p>DO YOU WANT to give your child a present that will last? Come by or call the LEARNING CORNER. 864-3920. 51p</p> <p>PETITE ROLODEX: the perfect file for telephone numbers and addresses. Typewriter spaced lines. Replacement refills. Decorator colors and styling for home and office. Haskell Free Press</p>
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Garage Sales

PRICES ARE down at the Little Flea Mart. Most half price. One to \$5.00 off. Wooden toys. 10 miles S.E. on road going to Lake Shore Sites at Stamford Lake. First house on right. Sign in yard. Sat. & Sun. 51p

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Public Notice

NOTICE OF ESTRAY
Date: December 4, 1985
PERSON REPORTING STRAY ANIMAL:
Name: Billy Smith, Swenson Land & Cattle Co.
Address: Swenson Flat Top Ranch, Stamford, Texas
Telephone: 1-915-773-3614
LOCATION STRAY ANIMAL FOUND:
Owner: Swenson Land & Cattle Co.
Address: Flat Top Ranch, Stamford, Texas
Telephone: 1-915-773-3614
Approximate Location: FM road going West from Stamford—in Haskell Co. (near Haskell, Jones, & Stonewall Counties)
LOCATION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMAL:
Person in Charge: Billy Smith, Swenson Flat Top Ranch
Address: Swenson Flat Top Ranch, Stamford, Texas
DESCRIPTION OF LIVESTOCK:
Breed: Longhorn bull
Color: Multi-color, white, yellow, red
Sex: bull
Age: Approx. 6-7 years
Weight: 1100 pounds
Earmarks, Brands and other identifying Characteristics: No earmarks, Letters "L S" left hip
Underneath numbers "355" also left hip
This Report Made By: Billy Smith

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL
BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Johnny L. Mills, in and for Haskell County, Texas, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:
That on the 4th day of December, 1985, he was notified by the above described person of the above described livestock which was found running at large in Haskell County, Texas, at the above described location and pursuant to the stock laws of the State of Texas, Chapter Four, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, impounded said livestock, said impoundment being at the above described location.
Johnny L. Mills
Sheriff of Haskell County, TX
SWORN TO AND
SUBSCRIBED before me this the 10th day of December, 1985.
Jean B. Kemp
Notary Public in and for Haskell County, Texas 50-51c

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\$100.00 REWARD for the return of a Ritron 2 channel walkie talkie serial number 14315. No questions asked. Call 864-2788. 50ffc

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CARD OF THANKS
The family of Donald E. Morrow acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy. To Rev. Darrell Feemster and family and our Christian family at East Side Baptist Church; at Haskell Hospital, board and staff, administrator and assistant administrator; Hendrick Medical Center Hospital; Radiology Associates of Abilene; and family, neighbors and friends. 51p

Card of Thanks

The family of W. E. Lowrance wishes to express our deep appreciation for all the thoughtful ways you have remembered us in the loss of our loved one. May God richly bless each of you who have shared in our sorrow. Alice, Jerry, Melba, Lyndal, Dawn and Melissa. 51p

Public Notice

Until January 8, 1986 the Rochester County Line Independent School District will be accepting bids for the purchase of gasoline and oil from a bulk dealer.
Bids should be mailed to Ben Daws, Supt., Drawer 97, Rochester, Texas, 79544.
Rochester County Line Independent School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to award the bid considered the most advantageous to the school district. 51-52c

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

ARCO Oil & Gas Company, P.O. Box 1610, Midland, Tx 79702 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.
The application proposes to inject fluid into the Breckenridge Lime, H.L. Robertson D, Well Number 3. The proposed injection well is located NW 3 miles from Stamford in the Stamford, N.W. Field, in Haskell County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2289 to 2313 feet.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27-of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application

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should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/445-1373). 51c

PUBLIC NOTICE
North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority is now accepting bids on the cash purchase price of two 1/2 ton pickups and/or two small size pickups. For details and specifications, contact Jerry Atkinson at 817-422-4051. All bids must be received by Friday, January 3, 1986. North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 51-52c

PUBLIC NOTICE
As required by the General Revenue Sharing Regulations (31CFR 51.12 1977) the County of Haskell has available for public inspection, bureau of the Census Form F-28A, collection of General Revenue Sharing Data and Form RS-9. The general public is invited to inspect these documents at the office of the County Treasurer, County Courthouse, Mondays through Fridays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Willie Faye Tidrow
County Treasurer
Haskell County, Texas 51c

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OUTGROWING YOUR HOME? Then see this beautiful 3 bdr 2 bath brick in the Shook Addition. Has fireplace, large utility room, all kitchen builtins and fenced yard.

NORTH 15TH ST. 3 bedroom, 1 bath and 2 car garage, with excellent building site.

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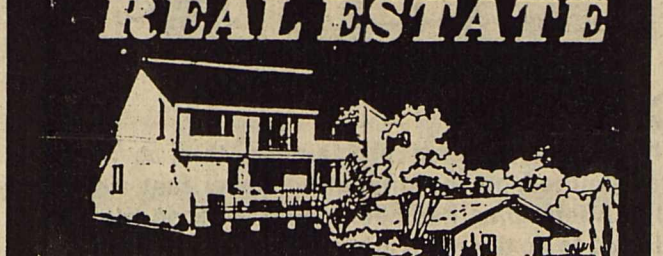
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3 bdr, 2 bath 3 car garage, storm cellar on large lot. Ready to live in under \$40,000.

Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath on 3 lots in Goree. Priced too cheap \$15,000. Extra Clean.

Clean 2 bedroom in Rule. Good location on corner lot. Ready to live in, fenced yard and carport. Reduced to \$8,500.

Small little cottage on So. Ave. C. Clean: carport, cellar and water well.

3 bedroom brick 2 bath, living room, dining area, den, storm cellar, fenced yard, carport, central air, storage, water well. Corner lot in North part of Haskell.

3 Bedroom brick on corner lot, fenced yard, storage bldg. and carport on paved street and priced unbelievably low.

3 Bedroom stucco on large corner lot on N. Ave. F. Needs some work but priced right. Double carport, water well, large trees and storage.

3 Bedroom 2 bath brick in RULE. Central air, large trees, double carport. Water well, fenced yard, garden plot, patio. Good Location.

Furnished lake cabin at Veda's. Clean and ready to use. Boat house on a choice water front lot.

289 Acres, 1/2 minerals. This is a top producing, irrigated sand loam acreage with 7 wells, sprinkler system, booster pump, underground pipelines, located in North West Haskell County, approximately 4 miles East of O'Brien. Reduced to \$650.00 per acre.

Clean small lake cabin located at Vedas. Priced at only \$6,000.

Clean 2 bedroom, garage, corner lot with big trees. N. Ave. L.

160 acre farm located just SE of Rule. A good buy.

Good investment property. Clean duplex with central air. Good carpet and appliances. This property will pay for itself in a few years.

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IN KNOX CITY: Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fenced yard, fireplace, water well. Many extras. Shown by appointment only.

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4 bedroom located on large corner lot. Utility room & double carport. A lot of house for the money.

Quality Built home on 3 acres located 3 miles So. of Haskell. Approx. 2526 sq. ft. living area. 3 bdr, 3 bath, sunken den with fireplace; game room. A beautiful house that could make you a beautiful home.

Rochester: A quality built brick home on small acreage located just west of Rochester. This lovely home has a fenced yard, water well, storage bldg., storm cellar, 2 car garage & double carport. You can't find a more quality home than this DRASTICALLY REDUCED!

Clean 3 bedroom frame with central H/C, shower, water well, garage and fenced back yard. Large corner lot. Also has 70x140 ft. adj. lot open.

3 Bedroom on N. 6th. Clean older home with garage. Large lot and in a good location. Price reduced for fast sale.

3 bedroom 2 bath on North Ave. B. Paved street & nice yard—A Bargain!

SEVERAL Good Lots in Haskell.

Commercial Property on corner on 277 and South 11th, has small house on property.

3 Bedroom stucco, corner lot. Just So. of hospital.

Clean home on N. 6th St. with many extras. Large shade trees, patio, water well, fenced yard, cent. air, storage. Great Location.

Spacious house on N. Av I. Clean and priced to sell.

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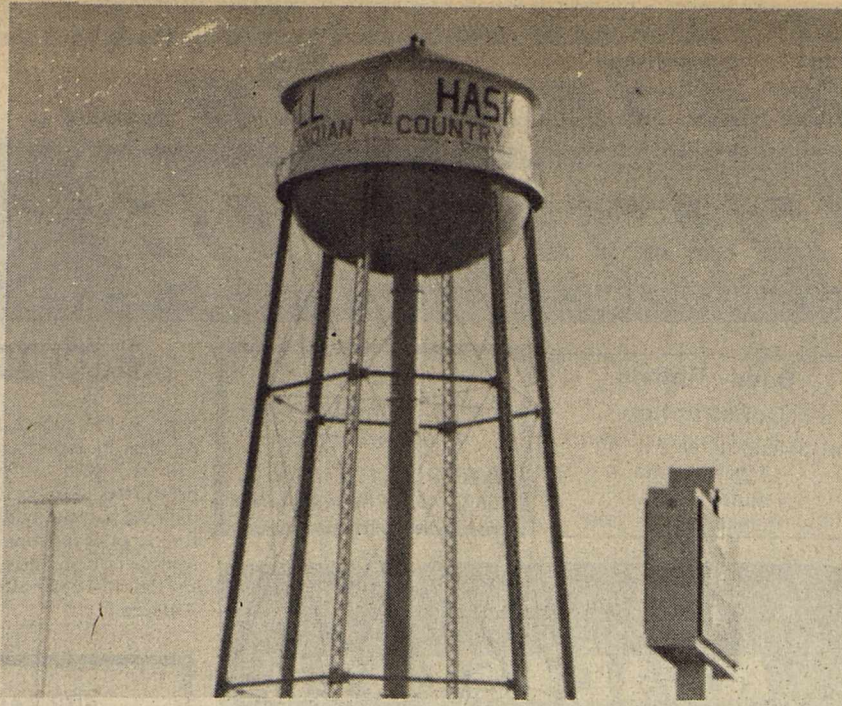
Council receives \$100 check

The Beautify Haskell Council received a check for \$100 from Ervin Unger in response to its recent project to collect junk cars and metal to make Haskell a more beautiful place to live.

Council members expressed their appreciation to all who donated metal to the project.

Unger expressed regret that due to scheduling conflicts with his equipment he was not able to contact everyone who called.

The Beautify Haskell Council plans to use this money for landscaping around the new Civic Center in the spring.



INDIAN COUNTRY

An Indian head and lettering proclaiming this as "Indian Country" was painted on the city water tower last week by contractor Jim Allen. Allen has been doing work on the water tower and offered to do the extra art work.

Haskell man has tax refund

A man with a listed Haskell address is one of 5,800 Texas citizens with an income tax refund which is undeliverable.

Richard Scott Hahn filed for a refund on his 1985 taxes, but his refund check was returned as "undeliverable."

The IRS says that the 5,800 refund checks it has not been able to deliver total \$2,683,322. The average refund is \$460.

Hahn, and others on the list, may call 800-424-1040 to claim their refund.

Debts require credit strategy

If you've piled up credit card debts to pay for Christmas expenses, now is the time to plan a first-of-the-year strategy for paying them off, says a family economics expert.

"Without a concerted effort to reduce credit use, consumers can easily find themselves still paying for big-ticket Christmas gifts the following December," cautions

Nancy Granovsky, a specialist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

If you take on \$800 in credit charges in December, and then charge more purchases on top of that original debt without ever paying it off, you'll owe \$945.27 by the end of the following December, noted Granovsky.

Your original debt of \$800 will have grown by \$145.27 due to the 1.5 percent interest charged on the debt balance each month. That adds up to 18 percent interest per year, she adds.

The specialist points out that some credit card companies charge more than 18 percent interest per year and that you would also be paying interest on the other unpaid charges in addition to those levied against the \$800 debt.

"There are two ways to reduce your credit card debt load," says Granovsky. "You can charge less than you pay off each month, which will reduce your debt over time. Or you can simply stop using credit cards and make payments until the debt is eliminated."

Planning to use one of these strategies beginning in January can help you meet become debt-free, she says.

Start by calculating your fixed expenses, such as rent or mortgage, utilities, and car payments. Then figure your living expenses for food, clothing and personal items. Subtract these two sets of expenses from your monthly income and you'll know how much money you have available for payments to reduce credit card debt, explains the specialist.

"It's most critical not to charge more purchases than you are paying off each month, otherwise you'll be unable to pay the debt off and it will actually rise because of interest charges," says the specialist.

She recommends leaving credit cards locked up at home to curb impulse buying that can ruin your debt repayment plans.

Planning how to reduce credit card debts and following through on your plan, can help you more effectively manage your money in the new year, advises Granovsky.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James Randal Kimmell of Benjamin, announce the arrival of their son, Kyle C. Kimmell, born December 10, 1985 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 5 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Hernandez of Haskell, announce the arrival of their daughter, Debbie Lee Hernandez, born December 8, 1985 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 lbs. 6 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Q. Lerma of Knox City, announce the arrival of their daughter Suzan Lerma, born December 8, 1985 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 lbs. 2 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Lee Myers of Munday, announce the arrival of their son Joshua Daniel Myers, born December 8, 1985 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 12 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Bryan Kemp of Kermit announce the birth of their son, Joshua Giles Kemp, born December 16, 1985 at 12:45 p.m. weighing 9 lbs. 8 oz. and was 21 3/4 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Giles M. Kemp of Haskell and Mrs. Brigida G. Castillo of McAllen. Paternal great grandparents are Mrs. Giles Kemp of Haskell and Mrs. B.L. Bickham of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry McDonald of Iowa Park are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Lee Colbert McDonald.

She was born at Wichita General Hospital Dec. 13 at 4:13 p.m. and weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces. She was welcomed home by a big brother, Keith.

Maternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Bob Colbert of Haskell and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude McDonald of Hamlin.

Record cotton supplies keeping lid on prices

Record supplies of cotton worldwide combined with weak demand can mean only one thing to farmers—low prices.

Carryover from the 1985 crop is projected at a record 52 million bales, almost double the annual world carryover for the past four years, points out Dr. Carl Anderson, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. China is expected to account for about half of the carryover stocks.

With 1985 U.S. production estimated at about 13.9 million bales and a weak export demand, stocks in this country may more than double to some 9 million bales by next summer, Anderson notes.

"World cotton production is increasing faster than consumption, and therein lies the problem," says Anderson. "U.S. exports are suffering because the continued strong dollar makes foreign cotton a better buy. In fact, exports may fall far short of the 3.5 million bales

from this year's crop as estimated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture in mid-November."

Where does that leave prices for U.S. farmers?

"Cotton prices should continue near the Commodity Credit Corp. loan level or loan redemption level," notes the economist. "Chances remain good that eligible producers will receive a maximum deficiency payment (target price minus loan rate) of 23.7 cents for 1985 cotton."

Anderson advises producers to study market price changes, plot futures and cash prices, and learn how to use commodity options to reduce price risk.

"Producers cannot control the price level, but they can decide how and when to price," he points out. "The pricing alternatives of cash, forward contracts, hedging with futures, hedging with options and the CCC loan program all have advantages and disadvantages that should be considered."

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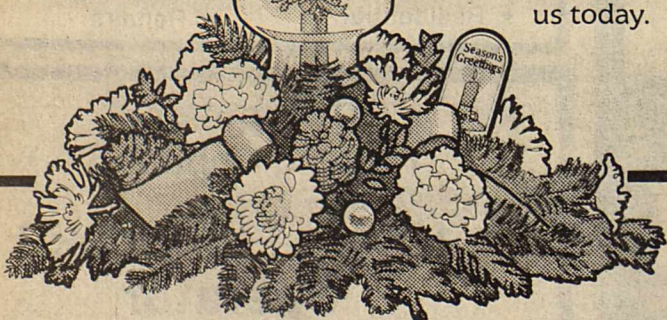
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Holden son-in-law wins top honors

A technical paper written by Dr. Mehrdad Ehsani, Texas A&M assistant professor of electrical engineering, and Jim T. Bass, a graduate student, has won top honors from the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Industry Applications society.

Dr. Ehsani is the husband of the Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Holden of Haskell.

The paper, entitled "Development of a Unipolar Converter for Variable Reluctance Motor Drives," received the highest honor given a technical paper in power electronics by the society.

The research that prompted the paper was conducted in connection with General Electric Co. and involved development of circuitry of

make variable-speed operation of reluctance motors competitive with the present-day AC motors, Ehsani says. He is the founder of A&M's Power Electronics Laboratory.

Power electronics is a fairly new field that applies solid state electronics to large electrical currents and large voltages. Ehsani's work has applications in high performance aircraft, uninterrupted power for computers, power for the space station and for high-voltage transmission facilities, as well as the reluctance motor.

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To commemorate the 100th anniversary of the **Haskell Free Press**, this newspaper will publish a huge centennial edition next summer to coincide with the Texas Sesquicentennial.

We are calling upon our readers to assist us by supplying photographs, newspaper articles, family histories, recollections of newsworthy events, old yarns and the like.

We also are interested in histories of Haskell County churches, schools and clubs, as well as stories about pioneers and other interesting people and histories of businesses and business people.

If you wish to write a story about something pertaining to Haskell

County's past, we invite you to do so and submit it for publication. Or, if you just have the idea and do not wish to write the article yourself, please let us know and we will write it for you.

Beginning in January, the editor the **Free Press** will set aside a period every week during which he will be free to have county residents relate stories and experiences which will be included in the special edition.

Please be thinking about it. We need your help in making this an issue which will be interesting and enlightening to past, present and future generations of Haskell countians.

Letters to the Editor

Editor: The Texas travel industry is the State's second largest industry resulting in \$14.5 billion spent by travelers during 1984. Our goal for 1986 is to reach \$16 billion. The Sesquicentennial should help us bring 40 million out-of-state, overnight visitors to Texas next year.

Since we are prohibited by law from advertising in Texas, we must depend upon you to communicate the need for Texans to travel Texas before they leave the state. In fact, that is the theme of our new program—"Texans Traveling Texas".

As you know, travelers contribute to our economic base through expenditures in the sales tax, motor fuels tax, hotel-motel tax, and alcoholic beverage tax. Additionally, tourism means more jobs and direct expenditures in all of our communities.

We know you will be covering local events and Sesquicentennial

happenings. We ask that you urge your readers to see Texas first! We want Texans to enjoy this great state and keep their travel money within our borders.

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Larry Todd
Director
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New weight plan

Beginning in January, Weight Watchers will introduce an innovative new weight reducing food plan to its members. The new program, Quick Start Plus, allows Weight Watchers members to more fully tailor a food plan to their lifestyles, while continuing the Weight Watchers tradition of easy, fast, flexible—and permanent—weight loss.

This is no *Trivia* Question:

Q What's one way to avoid a possible fine of \$25 to \$50?

A Wearing a safety belt.

Make the Connection
It's the Law in Texas!

A message from the Texas Department of Public Safety

Out of the Past

30 Years Ago
Dec. 15, 1985

Jennie Viola Flowers, 19-month-old daughter of Jessie Lee Flowers Jr., of Sagerton died at 1:20 a.m. Friday in the Haskell Hospital. The little girl was the fourth member of her family to die from burns of a fire which destroyed the Flowers' farm home near Sagerton on Nov. 27.

The Haskell Indians placed five men on the district 8-A all-district team selected by coaches. Haskell's strong defensive line was represented by tackles Wayne Connor and Oris Gibson, guard David Strickland and center John Holt. Halfback Frank Don Mullins was the fifth Indian choice.

Members of the Lions Club were given a financial report from the Goodfellows at the regular club meeting and lucheon Tuesday, and they heard an urgent appeal for additional money to provide Christmas cheer for needy families in Haskell.

50 Years Ago
Dec. 12, 1935

Jack Richey spent the weekend here in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey.

S.A. Hughes left Tuesday for Dallas where he will spend the winter months with his daughter,

Mrs. McWhorter.

Football Coach Bill Richey has announced the following lettermen on the 1935 squad: S.A. Moser, Henry Stanton, Carl Henshaw, James Akins, Weldon Smith, Frank Thompson, Bill Reeves, Frank Kirkpatrick, Eugene Rose, Lloyd McMillan, Duffer Crawford, Jack Kimbrough, Albert Barnett, Eugene Rogers, Lon McMillan, Thomas Kaigler and Rogers Phippen.

80 Years Ago
Dec. 18, 1905

W.E. Bland of Cedar Point was in town Tuesday. He said he had good luck with his turnips this year. In addition to raising enough for his family and neighbors, he has beaded several bushes for winter use.

Work on the new Haskell Hotel building has been started ahead of schedule

Odds & Ends

By Wendell Faught

At Christmas time, it's the little personal things that choke you up. This week's mail brought a Christmas card—forwarded from Deming, N.M.—to Albuquerque; to Haskell—from something called "Capital Reports."

I couldn't have been more thrilled if it had been from Grant's Tomb.

Haskell High School is one of 34 high schools in Texas which use the mascot name of "Indians" for their athletic teams.

Most common mascot name in Texas is Eagles, used by 83 schools. Bulldogs is used by 79 schools. Next comes Tigers, represented by 62 schools. There are 48 Panther teams and 43 Mustang squads.

Three-fourths of the Texas high schools use 25 mascot names.

At least, that's what the **Quanah Tribune-Chief** said the **Seminole Sentinel** said that somebody said.

You never know how people will react to the weather.

The folks at First National Bank must have been pretty well concerned when their open house Thursday coincided with the season's first blast of frigid temperatures, sleet, ice and snow.

But the turnout was excellent, said the bank people. And it continued good throughout the second day of festivities Friday, even though the weather was only slightly more tolerable.

Two long-time Haskell businesses are featured in the

syndicated "Eyes of Texas" television program.

Jones-Cox and Co. and Lane-Felker are subjects of two different segments of the program.

They have been shown by a number of Texas television stations. Although they haven't been seen in Haskell, there has been feedback. Both stores report they have heard from several people who have seen the program.

Rick Craig, publisher at Hamlin, called Friday and said he had been told that some Haskell business was boosting the Hamlin football team in its semifinal game against Electra with a marquee sign. He wanted to know if we could find it and get a picture for his newspaper.

It didn't take long. We found the sign at The Drug Store and shot a picture of it for Rick. He's publishing it this week.

Walter Buckel of Lamesa is the philosophical type.

The other day he wrote: "The shape of a football really doesn't make any sense. It looks like it was invented by someone who flunked 'round."

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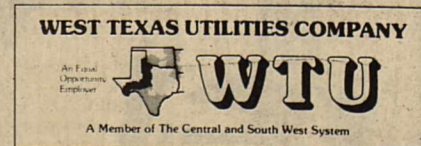
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Letters to the Editor

Editor: You know, there are all types of people in this town, both good and bad. There are the good Christian people; the ones who call themselves "good Christian people," the ones who think they are better than everybody else; and the lowlifes.

It's these last three categories of people that give the first category a bad name and it's the last three categories that this letter is aimed at—you know, all the bigots and hypocrites in this town.

I don't claim to be "without sin," but neither are any of you out there. The Bible says "Let he who is without sin cast the first stone." I have listened to all the ugly lies and malicious gossip told on me for the past few years and, now, you are aiming it at my innocent daughter.

Cassie does not take drugs; she is not sexually active (she is not even dating yet), and she is not going to a "reform school."

You know, I think it's awfully strange that every time a man and his wife split up, it's automatically the woman's fault. The man could go out every night, get drunk, mess around with wild, wicked women, come home and verbally and physically abuse his wife and children, and somehow, it's still his wife's fault! And why blame innocent children for the sins of their parents? You all ought to be ashamed of yourselves.

Some of you may remember my father, J.C. Bartley. I was only nine years old when he was killed in an automobile accident in 1963, but I still remember him vividly. Daddy always saw the good in people. He was the type of man who would have given his last dime to someone, if he thought they needed it. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Haskell Jaycees and the Goodfellows. If there is one thing he taught me, it's not to pass judgement on people. Yet, some of you have already tried and convicted me, but your cruelty didn't stop there; now you have aimed your verbal abuse at my daughter.

Why can't you all just leave my

children alone? What have they ever done to you to deserve your cruelty? I honestly believe that some of you thrive on other people's misery. Some of the kids at school have driven Cassie to the verge of a nervous breakdown with their cruelty. It makes me wonder what kind of parents they have. Leave her alone! Hasn't she suffered enough?

God forgive you for what you've done to my little girl, because I sincerely doubt that I ever will.

Sandy McGhee
907 South 1st

Stewart promoted

Bill Stewart has been promoted to the position of vice president-sales of Richardson-Vicks Home Care Products Division, effective Jan. 1.

Stewart is the son of Ernest L. Stewart, 904 North Ave. G in Haskell.

He joined Richardson-Vicks in 1970 as a division salesperson. In 1974, he was promoted to division manager in Los Angeles. He managed the successful test of the dual sales force which led to the creation of the Health Care and Personal Care Sales forces. A Richardson-Vicks announcement states that Stewart has successfully handled a progression of increasing responsible assignments, including regional manager, national sales manager of broker operations and field sales manager. He has played a key role in the development and successful implementation of many of the programs which contributed to the Health Care Products Division's reputation for excellence and professionalism.

Stewart was Division Salesperson award winner four times and also won the Division of the Year award.

He is now in the process of moving from Stamford, Conn., to Memphis, Tenn., where he will assume his new duties.

Farmers due deficiency payments

Eligible wheat farmers will receive approximately \$1.5 billion in deficiency payments for the 1985 crop, a U.S. Department of Agriculture official said.

Everett Rank, administrator of the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, said deficiency payments of about \$150 million and \$10 million, respectively, will also be made to eligible barley and oat producers for this year's crops.

Rank said that about \$700 million already has been received by wheat producers and \$63 million by barley producers who requested advance payments.

Deficiency payments are required under the 1985 wheat, barley and oat programs because average market prices received by farmers during the first five months (June through October) of the marketing year were below established target price levels of \$4.38 per bushel for wheat, \$2.60 per bushel for barley, and \$1.60 per bushel for oats.

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Rice Springs Care Home

Someone you should know

Mae Ray is an 85-year-old lady who was born Nov. 21 1900, in Erath County, Texas. She was No. 10 in a family of 11 children. Only two of the children are living, Mae and one sister who lives in Rule.

Mae lost her parents while very young, and lived with her brothers and sisters all her growing-up years. She lived in Texas until 1922, when she moved to Oklahoma. She married Joe Ray in 1917 at Stephenville. Her husband went into service in 1918.

They had one daughter, born in 1920, who passed away in 1977. She has three grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

In 1942, Joe and Mae moved to Mexico due to their daughter's health, moving back to Rule in June 1977.

Joe came to Rice Springs Care Home in 1979 and passed away in 1980. Mae lived in Rule by herself until also coming to Rice Springs on Dec. 28, 1982.

Mae says she knew the home before coming here and knew she wanted to spend the rest of her life at Rice Springs Care Home. Mae says she wants to thank Mrs. Klose, the administrator, and all the staff

for all the help they have given her. She thinks they are the best.

Mae is not able to take part in exercise, but likes to play bingo, participate in crafts, and especially enjoys all the religious events. She is also real good to visit the sick and to help welcome all new residents to the home.

Mae has just finished a big project, writing a 1489-page biography for one of her granddaughters. She wrote of her life from the age of four until present.

Mae encourages anyone needing a place to go when they get to where they can't take care of themselves to come to Rice Springs Care Home. She says one would never get bored around here; there is always something going on to include each and every one.

Mae is a very fine person and everyone should get to know her.

Dividends announced by Olney Assn.

Olney Savings Association has declared a dividend for the second year in a row on its common stock in the amount of \$1 per share.

The dividend is to be paid on Jan. 2 to stockholders of record as of Dec. 10, as announced by the board of directors following its November meeting.

Alan D. Myers, Jr., chairman and chief executive officer of the association, noted that Olney Savings has grown from a \$754,829,000 financial institution at Sept. 30, 1984 to \$938,555,000 as of Sept. 30, 1985. The association converted from mutual to stock form in November 1983.

Olney Savings Association is one of the largest savings and loans in Texas with 36 branches in Abilene including one in Haskell.

Balanced budget

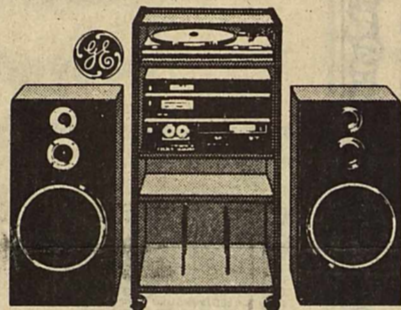
Congress, by votes of 61-31 in the Senate and 271-154 in the House, has passed the landmark Gramm-Rudman-Hollings bill which mandates a balanced federal budget by 1991.

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas, the author of the legislation, called the action "the completion of the Reagan program."

Veterans' bonds

The Texas Veterans Land Board has approved the sale of \$250 million in general obligation bonds to CitiCorp Investment Bank of New York at an effective interest rate of 8.26 percent to continue funding for the Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program.

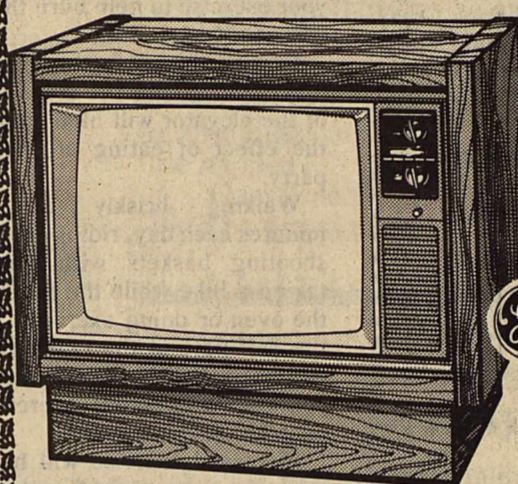
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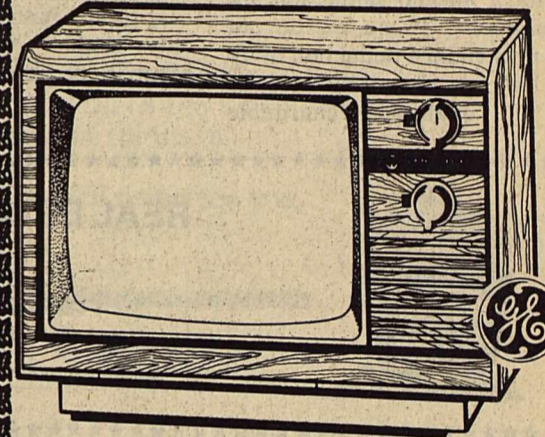


25" Diagonal CONSOLE COLOR TV

MODEL 25PF680Z

- Lighted channel numbers for easy viewing
- Color Monitor™ System automatically adjusts color
- Distinctive styling
- Cabinet constructed of vinyl-clad wood composition board

WAS \$529.95
NOW \$499⁹⁵

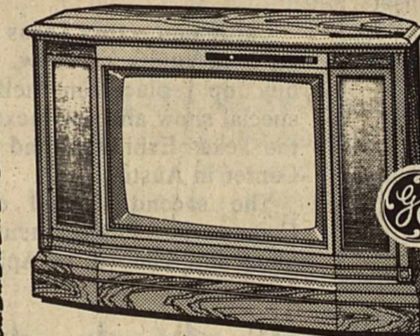


13" Diagonal PORTABLE COLOR TV

MODEL 13PF550B

- Neo-Vision™ Picture System with black matrix picture tube
- Color Monitor™ System automatically adjusts color
- 82 channel mechanical tuning system
- Contemporary woodgrain styling

WAS \$249.95
NOW \$219⁹⁵

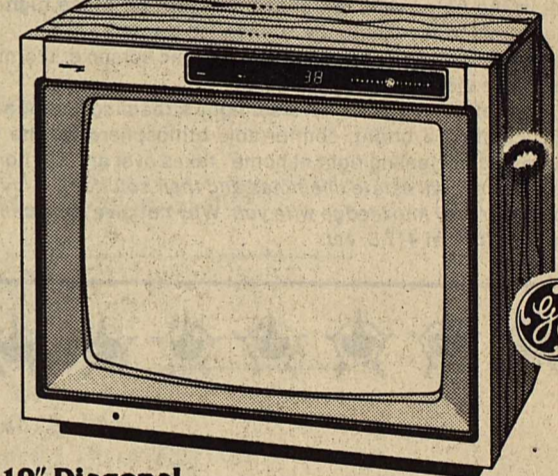


25" SPACE STYLER STEREO CONSOLE COLOR TV

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WAS \$839.95
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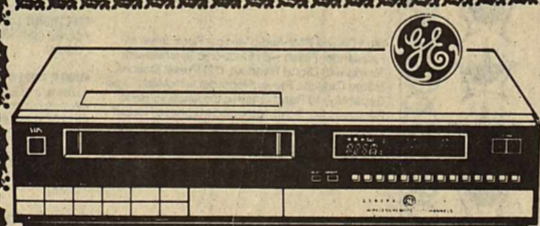


19" Diagonal PORTABLE COLOR TV

MODEL 19PF5764K

- Neo-Vision™ Picture System delivers high contrast, rich colors
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- 130-Channel cable connection ready electronic tuning
- Direct channel selection or channel by channel scan remote control
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WAS \$499.95
NOW \$399⁹⁵

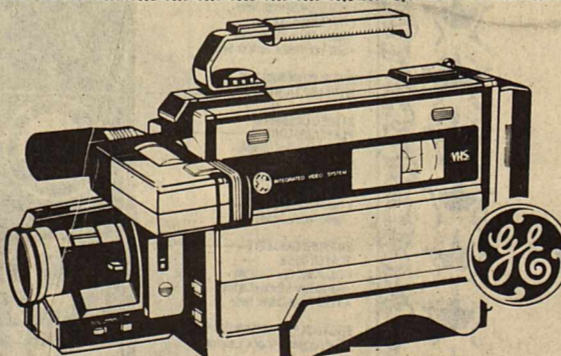


VHS VCR

MODEL 1VCR6010X

- 15 Function Wireless Infrared Remote Control
- Cable Connection Capability, Electronic Tuning - 14 Position, 107 Channels
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WAS \$429.95, NOW \$409⁹⁵

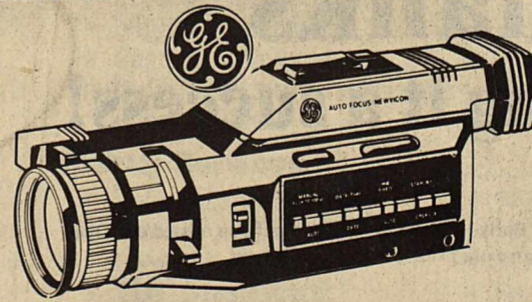


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- Records onto standard VHS Tape
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- Newicon Pick-up Tube

WAS \$1750.00, NOW \$1595⁰⁰

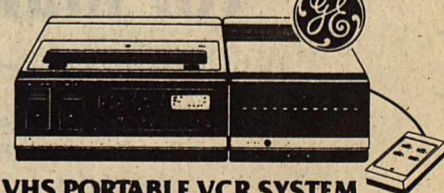


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MODEL 1CVC6033E

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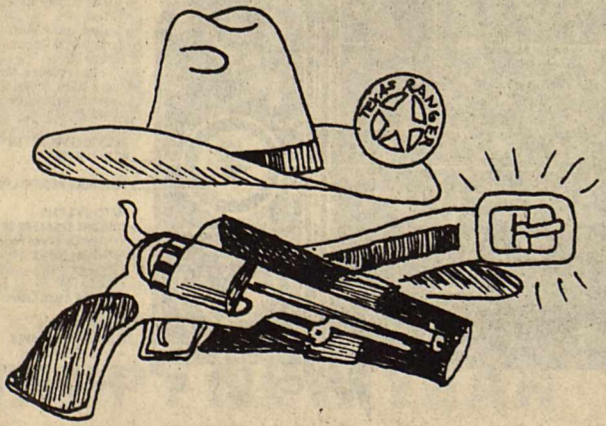
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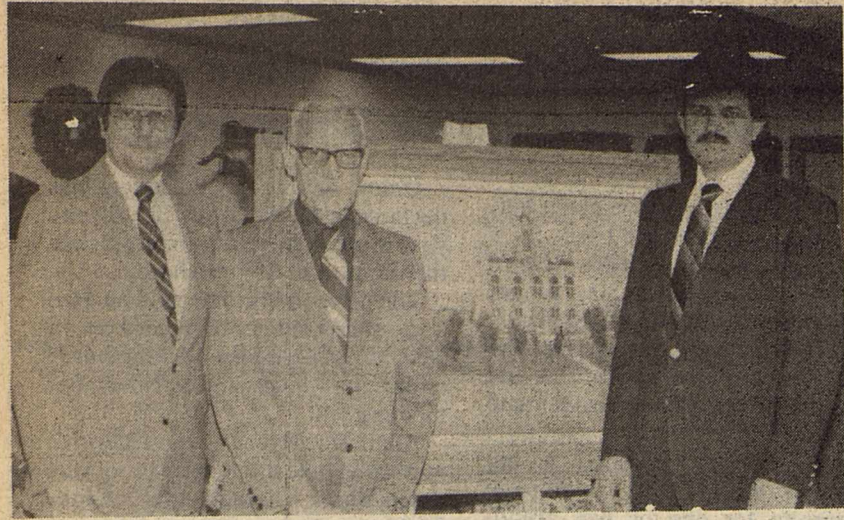
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PAINTING OF OLD HASKELL

Artist George Kovach, right, stands in front of his painting of the Haskell County court house as it was in 1912. Autographed prints of the oil painting were given out Thursday and Friday to those attending the open house of the First National Bank, which commissioned the artist to paint the scene as the first in a Heritage Art Series. At left is Will Parker, executive vice-president of First National. To his left is long-time district judge Ben Charlie Chapman, who headquartered in the court house for many years.

Donations deductible

Taxpayers have until Dec. 31 to make charitable contributions to claim the deduction on their 1985 tax return.

The IRS notes that even those who do not itemize their deductions can claim a special deduction for such donations. Those who do not itemize may claim a deduction of up to one half of what they actually gave to qualified charitable

organizations such as churches, United Way and non-profit schools and hospitals.

Those who contribute to a charitable organization and received a benefit from it, such as magazines sold by a school or a charitable function dinner, may only deduct the amount that exceeds the benefit value.

Exercise your way to holiday weight control

"Instead of dieting during the holidays, additional exercise may do more for your weight control program," say nutritionist Dr. Alice Hunt.

"The year-end holidays are probably the worst time of the year to be on a weight-reduction plan," she says. "With all the high-calorie food around and social pressure to eat, it's easy to break a diet."

People who have been on crash diets or fad diets to lose pounds before the holidays are especially likely to go off the diet, overindulge and wind up gaining those pounds—and more—back by the end of the year, Hunt maintains.

"Unfortunately, breaking a diet may also make the person feel guilty and reduce their enjoyment of the holidays," says the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service specialist.

Hunt recommends that dieters stick as closely to a balanced diet as they can, including moderate amounts of protein foods, fruits and vegetables, dairy products, and cereals and grains each day.

Moderation should also be the key to indulging in the desserts, candies, chips and snacks that will be on hand at holiday dinners and parties.

"Rather than totally denying yourself holiday foods, increase your exercise to help burn the extra calories," says Hunt.

Parking the car further from your office and taking the steps instead of the elevator will help counteract the effect of eating at the office party.

Walking briskly for 30-40 minutes each day, riding bicycles or shooting baskets with the kids, taking a hike while the turkey is in the oven or doing exercises during the half-time of the televised bowl games, are just a few of the ways you can work more exercise into your holidays, she adds.

Increased exercise will help you maintain your weight rather than gain during the holidays. And by making added exercise a habit you carry on into the new year, you may be able to lose pounds once you get back on a weight-loss diet, says the nutritionist.

Heifer show, sale

Cattlemen across Texas will have an opportunity to show, sell and buy top replacement heifers at a special show and sale next April at the Texas Exhibition and Heritage Center in Austin.

The Second Capital of Texas Commercial Replacement Heifer Show and Sale will be April 9-10.

Hospital memorial fund contributions are listed

The Haskell Memorial Hospital maintains an ongoing memorial fund to which people in the community can contribute in lieu of sending flowers or gifts.

The fund is used to purchase additional equipment needed for the hospital. Currently, the fund is going toward the purchase of a new heart monitor.

Recent memorial contributions include:

- Ben Anderson**
Doyle and Roberta High, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guess, Potpourri.
- O.P. Collins**
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Guess, Carlton

- and Jana Cullers.
- Mary Coppedge**
Hospital Staff.
- Paul Cothron**
Charles and Leatrice Swinson, C.A. Wheeler.
- Annie Jones**
Mr. and Mrs. James Isbell.
- Maude Jones**
Charles and Leatrice Swinson, C.A. Wheeler.
- Lee Roy O'Neal**
Raja Hassen, Mrs. Fadwa Hassen, Mr. and Mrs. A.B. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. A.D. Frierson.

- Beulah Ratliff**
Paul and Pauline Dick, Mr. and Mrs. M. Price, Hospital Staff.
- J.L. Reid**
Hospital Staff
- Lela Stewart**
Charles, Leatrice and Hilah Swinson.
- Frances Waldrip**
Polly Marion, Darrell, Cathy and Family; Butch, Marie and Marian Duke.
- Burnis Williams**
Lewis Thomas Family, Carlton and Jana Cullers, Dorothy Cox, Mrs. Tim Everett, Alma Terrell.

Superfund

The U.S. House of Representatives recently voted to reauthorize the Superfund program, which provides for the cleanup of the nation's hazardous waste sites.

Congressman Charles Stenholm said, "Despite some onerous tax and regulatory provisions contained in the bill, there are a number of provisions which are important for the long-term cleanup of the nation's hazardous waste problems."

The Superfund bill contains two of Stenholm's legislative proposals.



NEW SIGN

Workmen apply the finishing touches to a large new sign Monday afternoon at Boggs and Johnson Furniture.

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 Then turn on every light in the house, even in the closets where available. And leave every closet door wide open too. That makes the room appear larger than life. In the bathrooms, go ahead and turn on those high powered heat lamps and spots that are actually intended to warm the room.
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Sagerton Community News

The Sagerton Hobby Club had its Christmas dinner Tuesday night at the Community Center with Mrs. Adela Niedieck, Mrs. M.Y. Benton and Mrs. Zenor Summers as hostesses.

Everyone enjoyed the delicious meal, games were played and gifts exchanged. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hertel, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lammert, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. J.B.

Toney, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipping, Adela Niedieck, Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. M.Y. Benton, Aline Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Toney Letz visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zenor Summers Sunday.

Mrs. Zenor Summers attended the Christmas party for the Grandmothers Club in the home of Odene Spitzer Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Tim McCloskey of McCloskey Florists and Catering in Abilene gave a demonstration of floral decorating and Christmas gift wrapping to the Altar Guild and

Faith Circle at Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton on December 10th.

Ladies present were Norma Tredemeyer, Velma Lou Lammert, Mary Neinast, Joyce LeFevre, Louise Stegemoeller, Ethel Quade, Frieda Knipping, Dorothy Toney, Alice Bredthauer. Pastor Mel Swoyer introduced Mr. Tim McCloskey who demonstrated decorating Christmas trees with flowers, antique toys, teddy bears, ribbons and other items. Tim McCloskey recommended decorating your Christmas tree with clear lights, ribbons and ornaments all in the same color. He and his wife Carrie have decorated homes and businesses in Snyder, Abilene, Brownwood and the surrounding big country area.

Refreshments were served on a red Christmas table setting with food provided by Dorothy Toney, Frieda Knipping, Velma Lou Lammert, Louise Stegemoeller and Ethel Quade.

PAINT CREEK INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1985

Revenues:	
Local Taxes Collected	\$333,435.35
Other Local Revenue	24,232.69
Revenue From Intermediate Sources	1,671.78
State Program Revenue	169,688.00
State Distributed Federal Funds	18,497.96
Non-Revenue Receipts	25,740.06
Total Revenue	\$573,265.84
Expenditures	
Instruction	286,059.97
Instructional Administration	4,919.81
Instructional Resources and Media Resources	6,076.48
School Administration	12,901.95
Health Services	3,809.49
Pupil Transportation	25,657.48
Co-Curricular Activities	14,492.87
Food Services	28,362.55
General Administration	73,888.37
Plant Maintenance and Operations	75,131.17
Other Uses	25,740.06
Total Expenditures	\$557,040.20
Excess Of Revenue Over Expenditures	\$16,225.64
Fund Balances - August 31, 1985	
General Fund	\$169,451.50
Special Revenue Fund	0.00
General Fixed Assets	506,989.73
Total Fund Balances - August 31, 1985	\$676,441.23

Name changes need reporting to Social Security

Newlyweds and others who changed their names last year should report their new name to the Social Security Administration (SSA). The name and Social Security numbers on tax returns are matched with those of the SSA in processing the returns. Refunds will be delayed if the name and Social Security number do not match, the IRS says.

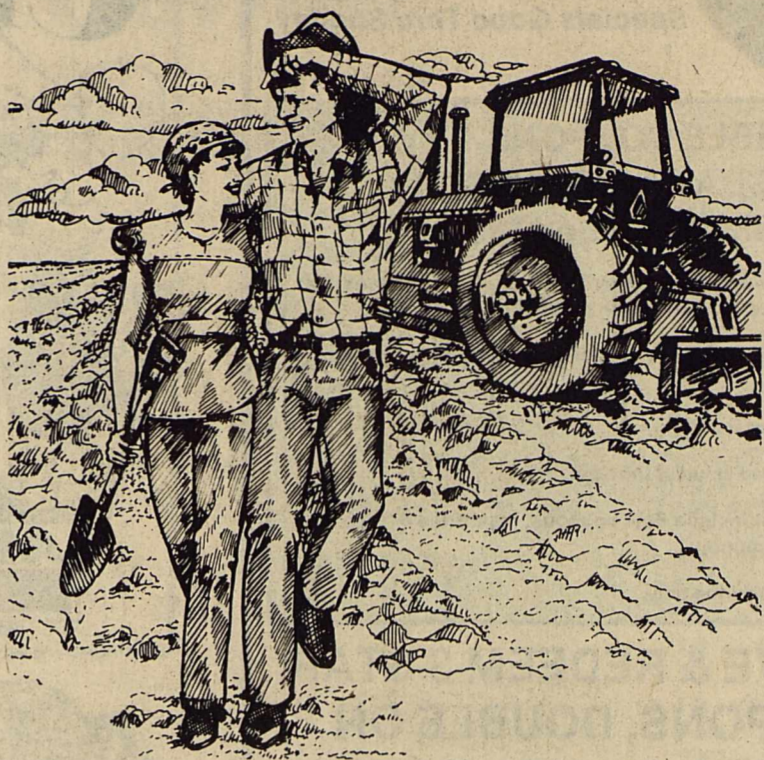
Other good ways to avoid refund delays, the IRS says, is to use the peel-off identification label and the pre-addressed envelope provided with the tax package. If the name, address, or Social Security number is incorrect, changes can be made directly on the label.

Beef boycott

Senator Lloyd Bentsen has urged that the Administration respond quickly to a "virtual boycott" of U.S. beef exports planned by the European Common Market for next year.

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- Earns 5¼% interest if balance is below \$1,000

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Tax Sheltered Retirement Account

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- Married—save up to \$2,250 per year
- Self-employed—save lesser of 15% or \$30,000 per year

Loans

- Mortgage
- Consumer
- Automobile
- Home Improvement
- Household furnishings
- Major appliances

Commercial Services

- Real estate planning & site development
- Real estate and equipment loans
- Commercial checking accounts
- Visa & Mastercard
- Treasury tax depository
- Night deposit bags
- Payroll savings plans
- Individual retirement plans—Simplified Employee Pension Plans

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- Money orders and travelers checks
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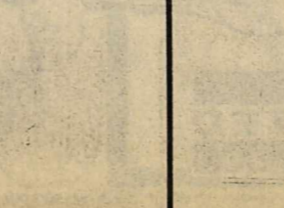
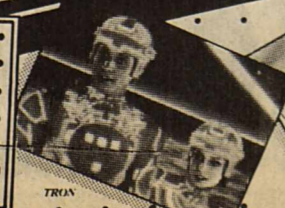
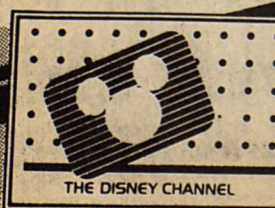


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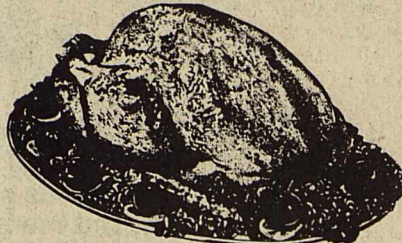


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LARGE WALNUTS lb. **89¢**
YELLOW ONIONS 6 lbs. **\$1.**

Richardson attends Chicago trade show

Gil Richardson of Richardson Truck and Tractor of Haskell attended the Parks Conference and Trade Fair in Chicago Dec. 9-10. The trade show was for Case

International dealers. More than 100 products were displayed, ranging from electronic switches to major components, Richardson said.

TSTI to offer degree program on feedmills

In response to industry's difficulty in finding trained individuals to operate feedlots, feedmills and grain elevators, Texas State Technical Institute in Amarillo will offer a degree program in feedmill operations beginning in the fall.

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Purpose of the trade show is to allow all Case International dealers to buy merchandise as a group, giving each individual dealer the buying power comparable to national chain stores. The result, Richardson said, is the ability to offer better prices to consumers.

Richardson said that Case International is supporting its dealers in attracting the parts after-market.

"This allows us to branch out and become a more complete agriculture-type store," Richardson said.

The trade show also featured seminars in merchandising and selling.

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Don't let an accident ruin holiday

"Christmas is a joyous time of the year. Many families only get together once a year, so Christmas is a very special time for them," stated Major V.J. Cawthon, regional commander of the Texas Dept. of Public Safety.

"For some, their joy will be shattered by a traffic accident," he stated. Last year more than 40 people lost their lives in traffic accidents during the Christmas holidays, and 25 of these were under 26 years of age.

Almost 98 percent of those killed last year were not wearing seat belts. "Parents and other responsible persons need to set a better example and teach their children that safety restraints will help them to survive a crash," he said. "It only takes two or three seconds to buckle a seat belt, but those seconds could be the difference between joy and sadness at Christmas.

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'Unsung Heroes of Texas' reveals untold stories

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State Distributed Federal Funds	37,305.15
Non-Revenue Receipts	15,243.93
Total Revenue	\$532,758.06
Expenditures	
Instruction	231,906.73
Instructional Administration	228.00
Instructional Resources and Media Resources	6,910.63
School Administration	3,455.89
Guidance and Counseling Services	5,517.71
Health Services	3,454.20
Pupil Transportation	19,837.29
Co-Curricular Activities	35,740.26
Food Services	24,739.66
General Administration	108,567.21
Plant Maintenance and Operations	41,465.54
Other Uses	26,653.11
Total Expenditures	\$508,476.23
Excess Of Revenue Over Expenditures	\$24,281.83
Fund Balances - August 31, 1985	
General Fund	\$112,071.99
Special Revenue Fund	0.00
General Fixed Assets	337,401.82
Total Fund Balances - August 31, 1985	\$449,473.81



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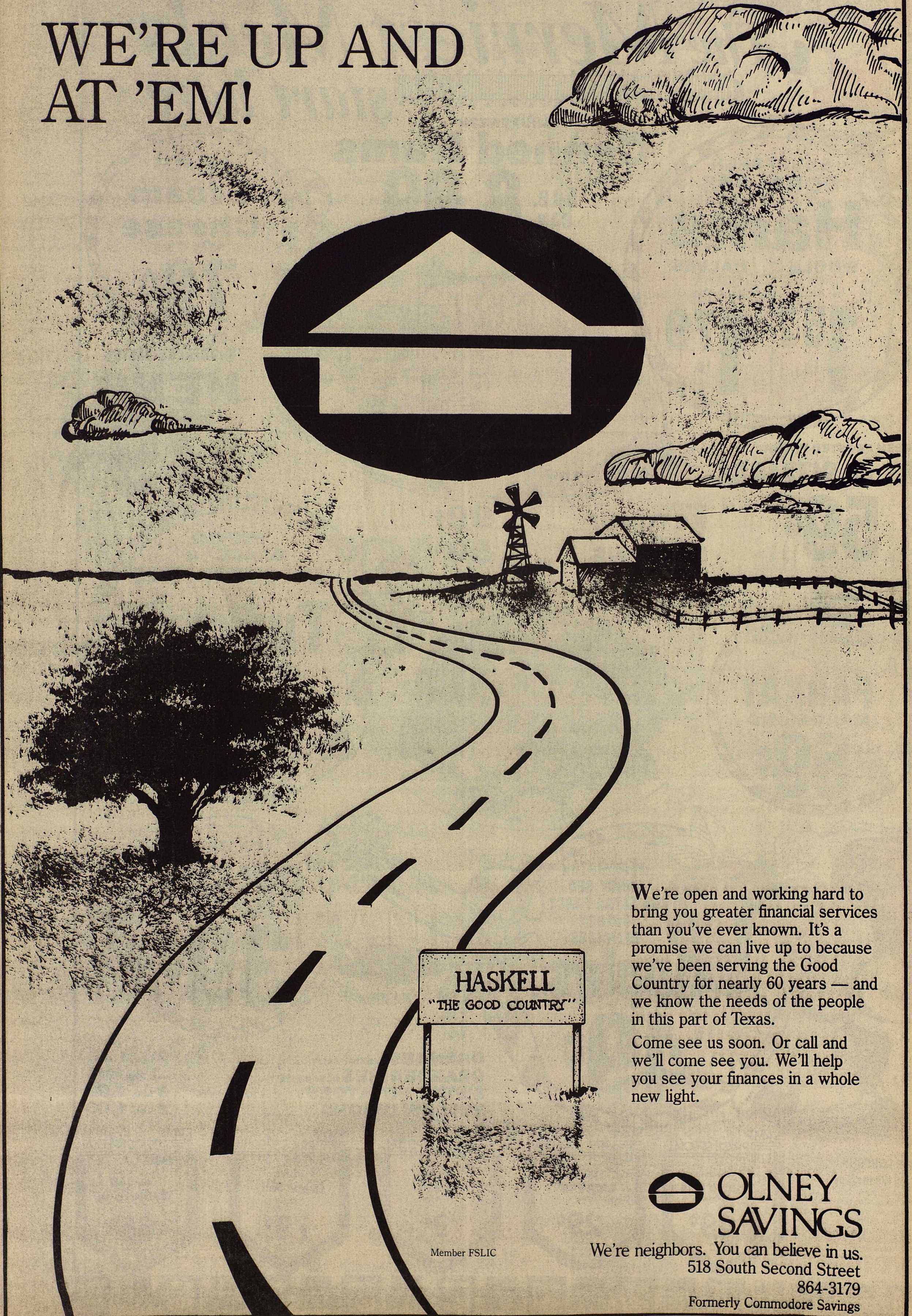
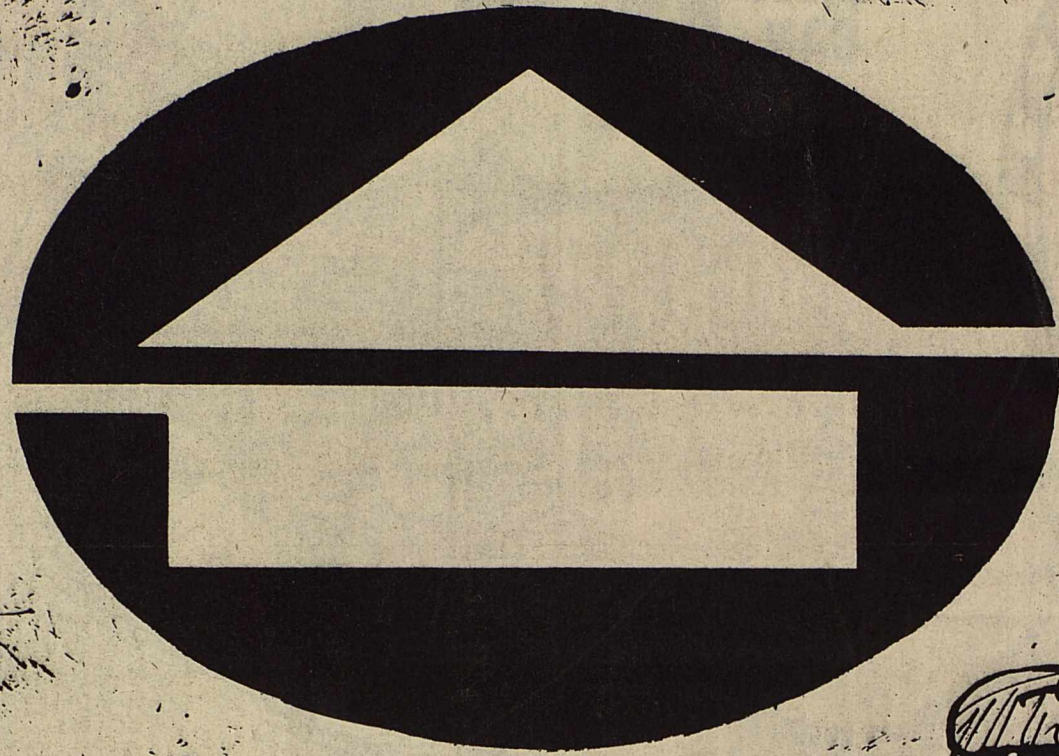
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