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City to code ordinances

The City Council entered into an agreement Monday evening with the Municipal Code Corp. of Tallahassee, Fla., to re-code and classify all city ordinances.

Action came during a Council meeting at which Dale Barstow of the Florida firm explained how the program works.

The project will take about 14 months. The City's cost will be approximately \$7,000 over two years.

When completed, all city ordinances be will coded and abstracted into a single volume. Obsolete and unusable ordinances will be deleted.

Councilmen discussed ways in which the City may assist in industrial development and expressed a willingness to work with any industry which may be interested in locating in Haskell.

The Council also authorized the sale of a used police car. The 1982 Plymouth will be advertised for bids.

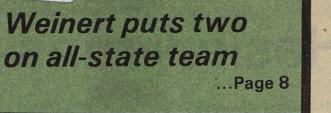
The rest of Monday's Council meeting was pretty well limited to discussion on subjects presented by City Administrator Robert Baker. Among them:

Preparations are being made to remove the old railroad depot from city property. The building was sold some time ago to Chief Escebabo.

An application to continue taxi service has been withdrawn. The City has been without taxi service since March 1 when the franchisor discontinued his franchise. Councilmen expressed their concern that the community has no cab service at this time and their hope that someone will be interested in providing the service.

West Texas Utilities will begin replacing 171 street lights in the city March 25. Old street lights will be replaced with energy-efficient sodium street lights. The project will begin in the northeast section of the city.

An inspection team from the State Parks and Wildlife Commission will inspect the local swimming pool in April and then make a recommendation to that commission concerning the city's request for a grant to renovate the pool. In the meantime, the State Health Dept. has notified the city that the pool will be allowed to be



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For Silver Haired Legislature

Haskell man is candidate

A retired West Texas Utilities employee from Haskell has filed as a candidate for the Texas Silver Haired Legislature.

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C. O. Holt, who retired as WTU plant superintendent in 1976, is one seven candidates for of representative of district 3, which includes Haskell, Knox, Kent, Stonewall, Throckmorton, Scurry, Fisher, Shackelford, Stephens,

Mitchell, Nolan and Callahan counties.

Other candidates are Joe W. Craig of Sweetwater, Delbert D. Downing of Snyder, Paul S. DuLaney of Clyde, Faye Nichols of Throckmorton, Hartense Spicer of Jayton and Willie A. Taylor of Loraine.

In addition, voters of those areas will help elect an at-large candidate

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to represent all 19 counties of the West Central Texas region. At-large candidates are Jaynie R. Bower of Abilene, Roy V. Cartee of Cisco and Jerome V. Ray of Comanche

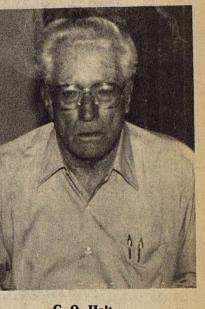
By law, candidates must be at least 60 years old. Only registered voters 60 or over may vote.

Tentatively, the local election will be held at the Experienced Citizens

Center in Haskell during the month of May.

Those elected will meet for a three-day training session in Austin in July, during which time they will be briefed on the legislative process, issues facing senior citizens and other issues and procedures.

Their legislative session is Continued on Page 2



C. O. Holt

regions with regard to land rental

payments, Harris noted. No more

than 25 percent of the cropland in

any one county will be accepted into

the program unless determined

otherwise by the Secretary of

Agriculture. Also, annual rental

payments will be limited to \$50,000

per farmer and will be in addition to

annual commodity program

For conversion program

Farmers signing up

Deadline for signing up for the of wind and water erosion." government's new program to take erodible cropland out of production is Friday, March 14, but farmers must take certain preliminary steps before they sign up.

The program has proved quite popular in Haskell County and agricultural officials expect several thousand acres to qualify for the conversion.

Before signing up, farmers are required to visit the local Soil Conservation Service office, and they must establish their cropping history on the land for the past five years, which means a visit to the local office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Once land is verified, landowners must submit a bid to their county ASCS office indicating the amount of annual rental payment they want from the government for keeping the land out of production. The bid should be based on returns from expected crop production on the land. Worksheets to help them determine a bid price are available at their County Extension office. Those who qualify must enter into a 10-year contract and must establish permanent cover (trees or grass) on the land to protect it from wind and water erosion. Costs involved in establishing and maintaining this cover will be shared 50-50 with the government. "The program is hailed by federal officials as being the greatest soil conservation effort in U. S. history," said Dr. Bill Harris, soils specialist with the Texas Extension Service. "Certainly, it has the potential for taking a lot of erodible cropland out of production and protecting it from the ravages

According to Harris, some 45 million acres are being targeted for the program nationally over a five-year period, with 11.5 million of those acres being in Texas. During the current year, 5 million acres across the U. S. and 825,000 in Texas are targeted.

Landowners will be bidding against other landowners in specific

It represented a substantial

This year's tax receipts to date

increase over the check for

\$10,010.55 received for the same

come to \$45,478.04, up slightly over

the \$45,256.33 which had been

Rule received a check for

\$2,277.54 last week, compared to

\$1,541.48 for the same period last

year. For the year, Rule has

received \$7,169.31, compared to

\$5,088.40 during the same period in

Rochester also showed a hefty

gain. Last week's check was for

\$1,161.12, while last year it was

\$632.98. For 1986 to date,

Rochester has received 2,996.85.

During the same period last year,

Rochester had received \$2,159.94

received at this time last year.

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period last year.

City tax revenues rise for January

open this summer, providing it meets the clean-water standards.

Three candidates for School Board

Three men, including two incumbents, are candidates for positions on the Haskell School Board.

Present board members Mike Guess and Pat Henry have filed for re-election to three-year terms. Also filing was Lonnie Hodgin.

The school election is scheduled for Saturday, April 5. Balloting will be in the Community Building of Haskell National Bank.

Seymour group performs April 12

The "Imitation Stats" of Seymour will be in Haskell April 12 for a benefit supper and musical for the Haskell Memorial Civic Center.

All money made from the event will go toward the air condition compressors at the Civic Center, which will cost about \$13,000.

Tickets are now on sale by officers and directors of the Civic Center.



Prairie dogs were a great nuisance in the early days of Haskell County.

The state passed a scalp law which went into effect in July 1891, providing a bounty on prairie dog scalps. Often, wagon loads of dogs would be taken to town and sold to merchants or others for them to scalp and put in claims against the county. During a single month in 1892, Haskell County paid bounties on 20,431 prairie dog scalps.

After about two years, the bounty law was repealed.

BEHIND THESE DOORS

Only teachers were permitted behind these doors Monday as the TECAT exam was given at Haskell Elementary School.

Teachers await results of TECAT

About 130 Haskell County educators traded places with their students Monday and took the controversial basic-skills test.

The testing program, required by the state's 1984 school reform law, went along smoothly, despite the fact that most teachers had objected to the requirement.

Dr. James Kemp, Haskell superintendent, said he felt most teachers did well on the test. The superintendent, who was required to take the test himself, was one of those who felt beforehand, and still

feels, that the test does little to measure a teacher's competence.

Most teachers seemed to feel that the test, known as the Texas Examination of Current Administrators and Teachers (TECAT) was a "moderate" one.

All teachers and school administrators must pass the exam to keep their jobs under the 1984 reform law. Those who tailed Monday's test will have another opportunity to pass in June.

Statewide, the failure rate after Continued on Page 2



FIRST CUSTOMER

Dub Harrison III became the first customer of Hale Farm Supply Feb. 24 when he came in while the firm was moving to its new quarters and purchased a John Deere battery. Accepting the first money in the new location is Robbie Peiser.

So far this year, the five county The City of Haskell received a communities have received check for \$11,648.20 last week from \$56,359.66. For the same period State Comptroller Bob Bullock as its last year, the total was \$53,439.21. share of local sales taxes collected

payments.

Haskell's check last week was the largest of any area city of comparable size. Stamford received \$10,9844.25. Seymour got \$11,111.08; Olney, \$11,185.73; and Post \$11,477.16.

Other area cities and the amount of their checks last week included Hamlin, \$6,013.54; Knox City, \$5,855.22; Anson, \$5,480.43; and Munday, \$3,249.63.

Welcome signs to greet visitors

Visitors coming into town will soon be greeted by attractive lighted signs, welcoming them to Haskell--"The Hub of the Rolling Plains."

Now under construction, the signs have been made possible by donations, including \$2,400 from the City of Haskell, \$1,200 from Haskell County and \$500 each from the Lions Club, Kiwanis Club and Rotary Club.

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce is in charge of fund raising, design, building and installation. Serving on a Chamber committee for the project are Tom Richardson, Sam Bitner and Bob Brandon.

Sports banquet

Tickets to the Haskell High School All-Sports Banquet are now available at The Drug Store, Sport About and the High School office. They are priced at \$6 each.

The banquet will be at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 19, at the Civic Center.

This year's banquet will be catered by Flora Pace of Haskell. Entertainment will be provided by a group of high school athletes.

14 to be inducted in Honor Society

Six Haskell High School seniors and eight juniors have been elected to the National Honor Society.

Induction ceremonies will be conducted at 7 o'clock tonight (Thursday) at the First Baptist Church. After the ceremony, new officers will be elected and senior members will host a reception for new members, parents and friends.

To be elected to the National Honor Society, a student must have at least an 85 grade average throughout his or her high school career. The faculty then votes on the candidates, considering such categories as leadership, service and character.

New senior members are Lynn Dewey daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dewey; Lance Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hanson; Tim Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine Johnson; Michael Wallace, son of Linda Wallace; and Pam Weise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weise.

Juniors include Kelli Gilliam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gilliam; Andy Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Griffith; Patricia Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Henry; Kelly Klose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Klose; Seth Pace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pace; Julie Roewe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Roewe; Mindy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith: and Joey Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas.

Sports

Weinert places two on all-state team

Weinert placed two players on the six-man all-state football team announced last weekend.

Ouarterback Shannon Forehand and end Ricky Perez were chosen for the offensive team.

It was the second year as an all-stater for Forehand, who helped lead the Bulldogs to the state semifinals. Perez, a junior, also had a big hand in the Bulldogs' big season which saw them lose only two games, both to state champion Jayton.

Still another Weinert standout, Ed Perez, received honorable mention.

Jayton put four players on the all-state team, including center Tim Carey, end Patrick Hamilton and running back Trey Richey on the offensive team and linebacker Ricky Martinez on the defensive unit.

FIRST TEAM Offense

Center: Tim Carey, sr., Jayton. Ends: Ricky Perez, ir., Weinert: Patrick Hamilton, sr., Jayton; Shane Altizer, sr., Cherokee. Quarterback: Shannon Forehand, sr., Weinert.

Running backs: Treyu Richey, sr., Jayton; Lance Clauson, sr., May.

Defense

Linemen: Brett Blackwood, sr., Higgins; Newell Bennett, sr., Walnut Springs; Paul Martinez, jr., Christoval.

Linebackers: Ricky Martinez, sr., Jayton; Jimmy Crafton, sr., May;

Andy Dean, sr., Woodscn. Safety: Tracy Douthit, sr., Christoval.

Punter: Benjamin Beaver, sr.,

Trent.7 Kicker: Ken Bode, sr., Harper.

8th Maidens take fourth at Hamlin

The eighth-grade Maidens were off and running last Saturday at the Hamlin Junior High Invitational Track Meet.

The team collected 58 points to earn fourth place.

The results:

Discus: Missy Davis, first place. Long jump: Christina Camacho, third place.

Shot: Davis, third; Jenny Hayes, fifth.

meter relay: Missy 400 Phemister, Camacho, Tonya Isbell,

Velma Castillo, fourth. 110 hurdles: Davis, first.

800 relay: Davis, Phemister, Camacho, Castillo, fourth.

200 meter dash: Castillo, fourth. 1600 meter run: Pam McGhee, fifth.

1600 meter relay: Jana Payne, Holly Reed, Isbell, Camacho, sixth. The eight-graders will participate in the McMurry Junior High Invitational this Saturday, March

All-district

Three Paint Creek girls

Kay Fischer of Paint Creek and Shonda Miller of Aspermont tied for most valuable player honors on the 25-A all-district girls' basketball team announced last week by district coaches.

Fischer was just one of three Paint Creek players on the team, the others being Rhonda Coleman and Gina Calk.

Rounding out the first team were Martisha Lewis of Aspermont, Marci Stevenson of McCaulley and Cherri Feagan of Roby.

Evonne Vanderbilt of Rule made the second team. Other second-team members were Tammy Mauldin and Dena Williamson of Roby, Carol Kirby of McCaulley and Lori McCoy and Marla McCoy of Aspermont.

Sharlene Grisham of Paint Creek received honorable mention.

Rule, Paint Creek boys honored

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Headed by Bobby Joe Walker, the co-most-valuable player, Rule placed three players on the district 25-A all-district basketball team for the just-completed season. Paint Creek had one.

Danny Carreon of Roby tied with Walker for most valuable player honors.

Joining Walker and Carreon in he all-star lineup were Rule players Glen Vanderbilt and Alfredo Valerio. Paint Creek's Jamie Braly also was on the all-district team, along with a couple of Aspermont standouts, James Baker and Victor Garcia.

Angela Tibbetts of Rule and

three players from Roby, Bruce

Williams, Jerry Carreon and Benny Carreon.

Another Rule player, Wade Welborn, received honorable mention, as did Jeff Branson of Roby, Brian Helmuth and Martin Farnsworth of McCaulley and Ken Hayes and Timothy Meador of Aspermont.

Tennis team opens season at Hamlin

The Indian varsity tennis team travelled to Hamlin to play Hamlin and Anson.

In the singles matches, Stephen Klose beat Hamlin's No. 1 player, 8-2. Klose took control of the match and never let Hamlin's player get untracked.

Johnny Wilson lost to Hamlin's No. 1 player, 8-2, and Anson's No. 2 player, 8-6.

Kelly Klose was then matched against Hamlin's No. 2 player. Although this was a close match, Klose fell short and was defeated,

He then teamed up with Stephen Klose to play Hamlin's No. 2 doubles team. Due to a mixup in scoring, the match was not completed. Hamlin was ahead, 6-5, when the match was stopped.

Scott Schaake and Tim Johnson had better luck in their doubles match. They faced Hamlin's No. 1 team, which proved to be an easy win as the Haskell duo prevailed, 8-3.

Haskell runs at Munday

and girls, will be in Munday Saturday to compete in an invitational track meet.

It will be the second outing of the season for both squads, the boys having opened last week at Anson and the girls the week before at Stamford.

In Anson last Saturday, only six Indians competed, but Haskell turned in a respectable performance, finishing third in a field of nine teams.

The 440-yard relay team took first place in the meet with a time of 45:54. Making up the quartet were Stephon Brockington, Mark Young, Steven Rodriquez and Fred Shaw.

The same quartet combined to take second place in the mile relay with a time of 3:43.99.

Jayvee track team is second at Anson

Saturday, the JV boys' track team finished second in its first track meet of the season at Anson.

Coach Jimmy Lisle said that he was surprised by the whole team's results.

The Indians swept the long jump and the 220-yard dash.

Chan Guess, B. J. Mitchell and

Derrick Billington finished first, second and third, respectively, in t the long jump. Guess leaped 18-1 1/2 while Mitchell jumpted 18-1 and

Billington finished at 17-10. In the 220-yard dash, Billington crossed the tape first, followed by

Mitchell and Guess. Mitchell won the 100-meter dash

with a time of 11:86. Guess also won the high jump,

Haskell track teams, both boys three second places. Louie Torres was second in the 880, Shaw was second in the 100 and Brockington was runnerup in the 220.

Young took third place in the 440 with a 53:31 reading which was just a half second behind the winner. As a team, Haskell accumulated

69 points. Host Anson was the team winner with 100 points, and Hamlin squeezed out Haskell for second place with 70 points. Abilene Christian High was fourth with 48 and Rotan had 44 for fifth place. Three teams, Stamford, Trent and Winters, tied for sixth place with 36 points each. Aspermont was ninth with 31 points.

Coach Jimmy Lisle said he expected to have more participants in this week's event at Munday. The spring break, illnesses and Individually, the Indians took other distractions combined to

> while Michael Mendoza finished fifth. Eric Mullen was fifth in the

discus. Steven Gonzales finished third in the shot put and sixth in the discus. Mendoza had a strong finish in the 880 with third place. He also was third in the mile.

The sprint relay team of Mitchell, Billington, Cayce Reed and Guess finished second, but because of hand-off difficulty was disqualified. The mile relay team of Reed, Guess, Mendoza and Billington

finished a strong second. The next JV meet will be March

22 at Jayton. Although there were only seven members on the team Saturday, they scored 107 points and finished in second place.

curtail the number of available athletes for the Ansosn meet.

Coach George Martin's Maiden tracksters, who did not compete last weekend at Anson, will be going for their second team title in as many outings. Two weeks ago, the Haskell team easily won the Reunion Relays in Stamford, accumulating more than twice as many team points as any other school.

Two relay teams and eight individuals won first places at Stamford as Haskell took 10 first places in the 15 events.

Seventh grade track team opens season

By Lance Hanson

The seventh-grade tracksters traveled to Hamlin last Saturday to compete in their first track meet of the season.

The sprint relay won but was disqualified.

Jonathon Dever and Johnny Billington received second and fourth, respectively, in the 220. In the 110 high hurdles, Morgan

Kreger finished sixth.

In the 800 meter run, Renee Garcia and Bernie Gonzales finished second and fourth, respectively.

The mile relay team, made up of Billington, Dever, Renee Garcia and Jeremy Fuentes, received a first place ribbon.

Jay Miller received a second place ribbon for his effort in the shot put.

Rusty Stocks and Renee Garcia jumped for a fourth and sixth place, respectively, in the high jump.

In the mile, Carlos Mendoza finished fourth and Bernie Gonzales finished fifth.



Keith Medford of Paint Creek was chosen for the second team. Rounding out the second team were Ronnie McNeil of McCaulley and

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Social Security

The second-quarter schedule of the district Social Security respresentative's visit to Haskell has been announced by the Abilene office.

The representative will be at the City Hall Annex at 9:30 a.m. April 3-10-24, May 1-8-22 and June 5-12-26.

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The team then played Anson's No. 1 team. The score was tied at 7-7, but Schaake had his serve broken to put Anson up 8-7. The Anson team then went on to win, 9-7

The Indians will next be in action April 5 when they travel to Quanah for the Quanah Tournament.

Golf team schedules tournaments

By Kelly Strickland The Haskell boys' golf team will play its first tournament March 20 at Haskell Country Club.

The Indians have six tournaments scheduled for their season.

Members of the team this year are Sam Beakley, Brad Bevel, Jerry Davis, Kendall Larned, Eric Mullen, Jeff Neal, Kelly Strickland and Michael Wallace.

Returning lettermen from last year's district championship team include Davis, Larned, Strickland and Wallace.

The team is coached by Jim Dan Raughton.

Tax officers meeting here

Members of the West Central Texas Chapter of the Texas Assn. of Assessing Officers (TAAO)) held their quarterly meeting March 3 at the Port Hole in Haskell.

The program was brought by Jenny Brazell of the Paint Creek Independent School district and had to do with using records from the County Clerk's office.

A roundtable discussion on appraisal, assessment and collections was helpful to all.



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Sagerton planning another Jamboree

Another Double Mountain Jamboree, a country music show, will be held Saturday evening in Sagerton.

The decision to have another jamboree was made due to the huge success of a previous jamboree held several weeks ago.

More than 300 people, from throughout the Big Country, attended the first event.

This week's show, like the first one, will begin at 7 p.m. in the Sagerton Community Center.

The publlic is invited to come out and enjoy an evening of country music. There will be a concession stand with plenty of food and drinks.

The show will feature three bands, including Country Grass, a bluegrass band from Tye. Weldon Rogers of radio station KDWT in Stamford will again serve as master of ceremonies.

George Anderson of Aspermont, who originally organized the jamboree, said: "We are looking forward to the second jamboree, and we hope that it will be as successful as the first one. We have a lot of support from citizens and musicians alike in providing entertainment of this kind, in a good clean family environment for those who share a love for country music.

Roewe heads retail group of Chamber

Conrad Roewe has been named chairman of the Retail Trade Association of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

Roewe, owner of The Sport About, succeeds Donna Wilson of Video Vendor as chairman of the organization.

Members of the association have a breakfast meeting at 7 a.m. on the first Wednesday of each month when they exchange ideas, discuss joint activities and plan collective advertising for programs relating to retail trade.

Every business in Haskell is encouraged to participate in these meetings and assist the group in promoting retail trade in Haskell.

Chamber of Commerce board members praised Mrs. Wilson for her leadership as Retail Trade chairman for the past two years and commended her for the reorganization and continuation of the merchants' meetings.

Local group

in talent show

"The Four Friends" of Haskell

have been selected to appear in a

The show, which begins at 7 p.m.

Members of the Haskell group

Other participants will come from

Fort Worth, Breckenridge,

Newcastle, Eastland, Carson,

Albany, Woodson, Cisco, Graham

include Pam Gibson, Patsy Blakley,

Roberta High and Susan Pope.

to perform

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Teachers

Church to celebrate pastors anniversary

Members of the Haskell Foursquare Gospel Church will be celebrating, beginning Sunday, March 16, the third anniversary of the arrival of their pastors, David and Kathleen Green, and their children David Jr. and Alisa, to Haskell from Belfast, Northern Ireland.

The Greens took the pastorship of the Foursquare Church on March 17 (St. Patrick's Day) 1983.

The celebration will begin at 10 a.m. Sunday with Dr. S. O. Westbrook, district supervisor of the South Central District of the Foursquare Churches.

A special anniversary dinner will be provided by the ladies of the church immediately following the morning service.

The Sunday evening service, at 6 o'clock, will mark the start of a

C-C banquet tickets on sale

Tickets to the 50th anniversary banquet of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce, scheduled for 7 p.m. March 22, in the Civic Center, are available from the following firms and individuals:

Haskell National Bank, Haskell Free Press, Lanco Insurance, Olney Savings, Modern Way Food Store, Medford Buick and Pontiac, Bailey Toliver Chevrolet, Trammel Bit and three-day evangelistic crusade with Evangelists Marsha McDonald and Cindy Serrano. It will continue Monday and Tuesday evenings, beginning each evening at 7:30. The evangelists are well known

for their ministry to the whole body of Christ.



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.

ADMISSIONS MEDICAL: W.H. Patterson, Rochester; Fred Montgomery, Walker, Aspermont; Joyce Johnnie Cockerell, Weinert; Stamford;

DISMISSALS

Janis Turner, Fred Jones, Cecil Gulley, Jewell Havran, Kyle Darden, Deborah Curd.

Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Reynolds have announced the marriage of Linda Diane Mayes to James Ray Billington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Earl Billington, this Saturday in Knox City.

Linda is a 1985 graduate of Knox City High School and James Ray is a 1981 graduate of Haskell High School.

Legislature

Continued from Page 1

scheduled for three days in the fall, Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1. During this session, the group will function along the lines of a legislative body, passing legislation, forming committees, etc. Although the Silver Haired Legislature has no legal status, its actions and desires will be submitted to the State Legislature for consideration.

Silver haired legislators will receive no salary and will be responsible for their travel expenses to Austin for the session, as well as for the training session. They will not be officials of the state.

The Texas Legislature created the Silver Haired Legislature to:

-provide older Texans an opportunity to become knowledgeable about the legislative process through involvement, -develop a forum for older Texans

for discussion of senior citizens' issues, debating these issues and establishing legislative priorities for the Texas Legislature to consider, and

-Provide advocacy training enabling delegates to continue their role within the community and offering informed assistance to policy makers.

Holt has been a resident of Haskell since January 16, 1953, when WTU transferred him here from McCamey as its power plant superintendent. He had been with WTU 30 years when he retired.

He and his wife Ruby have a son, C. O. Holt Jr., who was reared here and graduated from Haskell High School and McMurry College. The younger Holt is now with the Federal Reserve Bank in Houston.

Want the memory of a loved one to live on? Give to the Haskell Co. Ambulance Memorial Fund. Let their memory live on in the lives of others who may be helped by the Service. Your contributions are appreciated.

Iron intake not always barometer

Getting enough iron in your diet is not simply a matter of eating iron-rich foods, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service nutritionist.

Iron intake is determined both by the amount of iron-rich foods eaten and how well the iron is absorbed into your body, says Dr. Alice Hunt.

'Generally, iron added to foods or taken in the form of supplements is not absorbed as well as that which comes from natural food," she explains.

Since many factors influence the absorption of iron from foods and additives, taking an iron supplement does not automatically insure you're getting an adequate amount, Hunt points out.

The maximize your body's absorption of iron, the nutritionist recommends the following:

•Eat red meats regularly. They are the best source of iron and also facilitate iron absorption when eaten with other foods. Select lean cuts and remove the visible fat before cooking.

•Eat fruits and vegetables rich in vitamin C such as citrus fruits and juices, dark green vegetables, and tomatoes. Vitamin C rich foods will substantially increase the absorption of iron from other foods.

•Look for processed foods that are enriched. Some white bread, rolls, crackers and cereals are enriched with iron. Check the nutrition labels on these and other refined grain foods to make sure you are getting an enriched product.

•When you cook acid foods, such as tomato sauce, use an iron pan. Significant amounts of iron can leach from the pan into the foods.

•Don't drink coffee and tea at meals. Coffee can decrease iron absorption by as much as 39 percent and tea, by 87 percent when consumed with a meal. But there is some research to show you can counter the effect by eating a food high in vitamin C along with these beverages at a meal.

•Don't go overboard on fiber. Bran and other high-fiber foods can interfere with iron absorption. However, you're only likely to run into problems if your diet is already low in iron and you regularly eat large amounts of high-fiber foods or bran supplements.

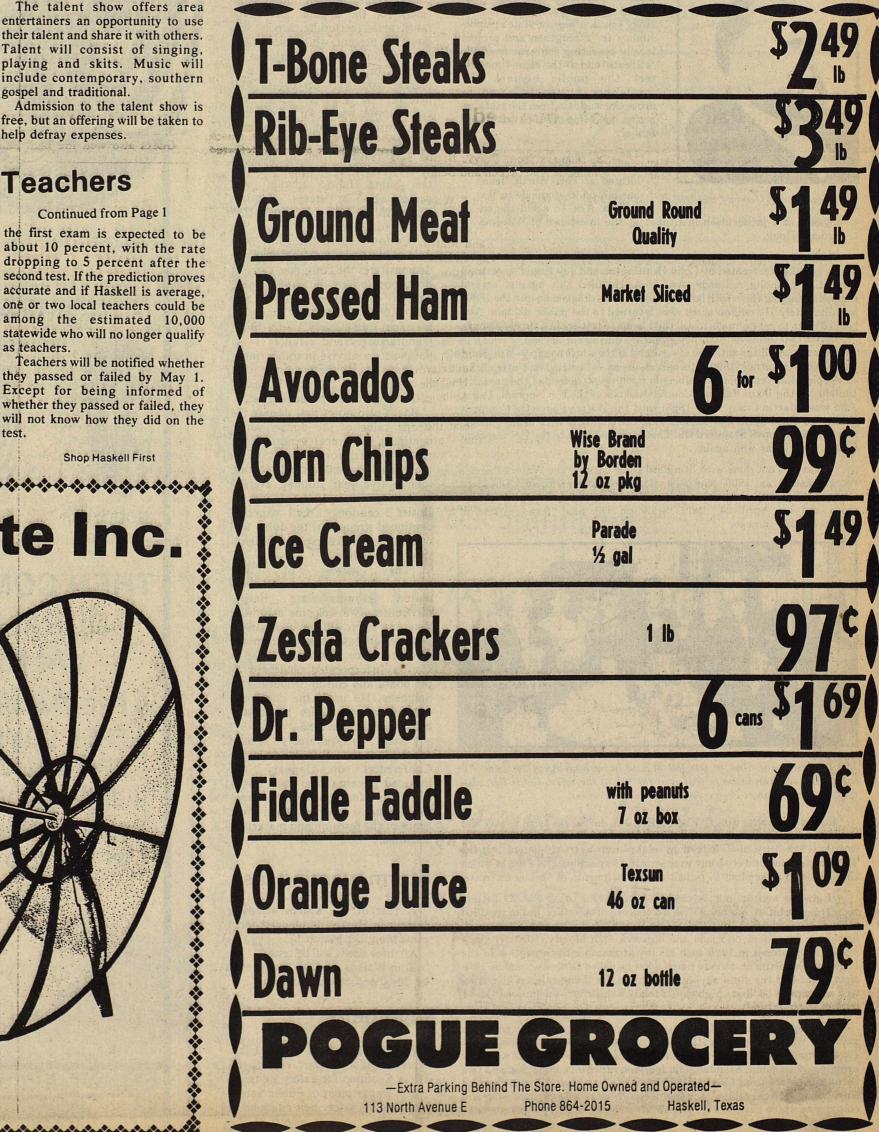
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Sears, Hayloft, Hartsfield Agency, Carousel, Tom Watson, Pat Casselberry, Tommy Watson, Perry's, Johnson Pharmacy, Haskell Nursing Center, Video Vendor and the Chamber of Commerce.

Hance daughter to campaign here

The daughter of Kent Hance, Republican candidate for governor of Texas, will be in Haskell Monday.

Hance's office announced Tuesday that Susan Hance will spend some time in Haskell as she campaigns for her father.

one or two local teachers could be among the estimated 10,000 statewide who will no longer qualify as teachers.

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Teachers will be notified whether they passed or failed by May 1. Except for being informed of whether they passed or failed, they will not know how they did on the test.

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A Sesquicentennial View From The Attorney General's Office: 150 Years The People's Lawyer

The Convention of 1836 created the Office of the Texas Attorney General on March 17, 1836, and chose David Thomas to fill it.

Texas law combines Spanish and Mexican legal traditions—particularly in the areas of community property, homestead exemptions, water rights and debtor relief—with Anglo-American common law. But neither the Spanish colonial regime nor government as organized under the Acta Constitutiva of Mexico had a corresponding official; thus, David Thomas was the first Attorney General of Texas.

His term lasted one day short of a month. Thomas died on April 16th, the victim of an accidental gunshot wound he suffered while traveling to join Sam Houston at San Jacinto. Texas President David Burnet appointed Peter Grayson in Thomas's place. Nine men served the Texas Republic as Attorney General and all but Thomas were presidential appointees.

Texas became a state in 1846. The first four AGs after statehood were also executive appointees. A constitutional amendment in 1850 made the office elective, however, and Ebeneezer Allen was the first Attorney General to win at the polls. Except for a brief period under the Constitution of 1869 during Reconstruction, the AG has been an elective office ever since.

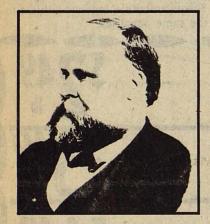
According to political scientists, AGs in British and American legal history are different from lawyers in private practice because they "really have only one client—the people, or the state." Many Texas AGs have admirable records as the lawyer for Texas and *all* Texans, although as Texas has grown and changed, so too have the responsibilities of the People's Lawyer.

Texas came into the Union cash poor but land rich. And the primary way that AGs served as lawyers for the people was to prosecute those who made fraudulent claims for land from the public domain.

Making sure we get our money's worth from our public lands—the lands that support our public schools and universities—continues to be a major part of the Attorney General's job. But with the end of Reconstruction after the Civil War, Texans worried about a number of issues, particularly about the growing power of large corporations like banks and railroads. Because of their concern, when they wrote the Constitution of 1876 they included the instructions that the Attorney General must:

especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations, and ... take such actions in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power ... not authorized by law.

With these instructions, the AG's Office took on one of its most important modern features, what former Attorney General Will Wilson called being a "corporate policeman." And the first AG to really police corporations was James Stephen Hogg (1886-1890).



Jim Hogg, Attorney General 1886-1890.

noyance of a prosecution instituted at the insistence of Attorney General Hogg.

Railroads were next. Hogg sued the Texas Traffic Association for being a combination created by Colin Huntington and Jay Gould to restrain competition among railroads. And won. He filed suit against several railroads charging them with land fraud. The suits dragged on into the 1890s but ultimately 1½ million acres were returned to the public domain. And he filed suits to get-railroads to sell their lands to settlers in a timely fashion. After two terms as Attorney General—during the second of which he helped write the Texas antitrust law, second in the whole country—Jim Hogg was elected Governor (1890). His successors as AG carried on the tradition of People's Lawyer. Charles Culberson (1890-1894) defended the constitutionality of the Texas Railroad Commission before the U.S. Supreme Court. And won. Martin Crane (1894-1898) sued the Waters-Pierce Oil Company under the Texas antitrust law, charging the company with being nothing more than an arm of Standard Oil. That case also went to the U.S. Supreme Court. And Texas won again.

New uses of cotton are hailed

The introduction of 100 percent cotton slacks offering a permanent press and a durable crease and the continued success of all-cotton bedsheets in the home fabrics market highlighted Cotton Incorporated's annual report at the Beltwide Cotton Conferences in Las Vegas.

The 100 percent cotton slacks, which require only minimum care, represent an effort by Cotton Incorporated to revitalize textile technology originally developed more than a decade ago. The improved process is now available in fabrics from mills, including among others, J.P. Stevens, Burlington, Graniteville, Greenwood Mills and Springs Industries, as well as manufacturers and retailers including Sears Roebuck, J.C. Penney, Farah Apparel Company, The Thomson Company, The Seminole Haggar Company, Manufacturing and Troutman The introductions Industries. followed intensive marketing programs by Cotton Incorporated's staff to promote the new durablepress process to the textile industry. Similar efforts by Cotton

Incorporated's home fabrics marketing department helped fuel mill interest in 100 percent cotton sheets. Five mills introduced six allcotton easy-care bedsheet products in 1985, including Fieldcrest's Royal Velvet collection and Martex's Perry Ellis designer line. Additional product introductions for the massmerchant market appeared from Stevens' Tastemaker and Lowenstein Company's Pacific Division.

Despite a generally difficult year for the textile industry, Cotton Incorporated reports gain in overall market share for U.S. Upland cotton. Total consumption of all fibers for the apparel and home fabric areas (excluding carpets) was down 2.8 percent, while cotton fiber consumption was up almost 2 percent, bringing cotton's share of market from 41.7 percent to 43.3 percent. In apparel, total fiber consumption was down 1.4 percent, with cotton fiber at a 2.6 percent increase, raising its share of market to 42.7 percent from 41 percent. While total fiber consumption for the home fabric market was decreasing 5.2 percent, cotton's share of market rose from 46.9 percent to 47.6 percent.

"Cotton's continued gains in a depressed marketplace demonstrates the consumer's strong predisposition to our fiber," says

Motorcycles can be dangerous

Motorcycles are fun, inexpensive to run and easy to ride. They also are dangerous, and injuries are almost 100 percent guaranteed in the event of an accident.

In one large-scale study by the Texas Dept. of Tansportation, it was discovered that 98 percent of motorcycle accidents resulted in injury to the rider. The University of California Davis Medical Center reviewed the medical records from 1980 to 1983 on patients injured in motorcycle accidents. The findings

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showed that injured motorcyclists were hospsitalized for an average of 21.2 days. The average for a patient with an open fracture and a non-motorcycle cause of injury was 13.1 days.

"The extended length of hospitalization underscores the severity of most motorcycle accidents," the report stated. Other findings:

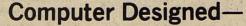
Thirty-nine percent of the victims were younger than 20; 82 percent were younger than 30, 92 percent

were male and 75 percent of the injured motorcyclists had no insurance.

Use of safety helmets and motorcycle training courses should reduce the incidence and severity of injuries, the report concluded.

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His first targets were the unlicensed insurance companies that preyed on unsuspecting Texans. As Hogg saw it, it was the state's responsibility to "strengthen and protect legally operating concerns from the 'wildcats' and at the same time protect the public against any fraudulence whatsoever." And he drove the wildcats from the state, an action one company took with good humor:

The Masonic Mutual Benevolent Association, formerly located at Fort Worth, Texas has moved its domicile to Texarkana, Ark. to avoid the anl at the insistence of Attorney

Texas was not done with Standard Oil. Charging the Waters-Pierce's reorganization in 1900 was just paper shuffling. Robert Davidson (1904-1909) sued them again under the Texas antitrust law Texas won once more and on April 24, 1909, Standard Oil paid Texas a fine of \$1,808,483.30-in cash.



The Waters-Pierce Fine, \$1,808,483.30 paid in cash on April 24, 1909. Attorney General Davidson is seated at the left of the table. To his left, also seated, is the Waters-Pierce Attorney. Judge Perkins.

Robert Davidson won 135 antitrust suits during his term as AG and his successors, particularly Jewel Lightfoot (1910-1912) and Benjamin Looney (1913-1919), also chalked up solid records as trust-busters. But the Texas population and economy were growing, expanding the areas in which the People's Lawyer had to fight the encroachments of special interests.

Highways were among the first of the new areas to get the AG's attention. Transportation has always been a concern of the office, but in the 19th century railroads were the problem. By World War I, however, Texans were becoming dependent on roads and higways. Dan Moody (1925-27) made statewide headlines in 1925 with his investigation into corruption in the Highway Department. Moody found what he called "unconscionable" contracts that had the state paying three times the going rate for construction and repairs on Texas highways. Moody's suits recovered more than \$1 million in state funds.

After Spindletop, the oil industry took on a power and significance that made the Waters-Pierce litigation seem unthinkable. But on November 12, 1931, Jimmie Allred (1930-1934) shocked the nation's business world by bringing suit against Standard Oil, fourteen other oil companies, and two petroleum associations for violating Texas antitrust laws. Allred earlier had sued public service corporations that illegally did retail merchandising and cotton gins whose charges were too "nearly uniform." "Those were only practice suits," wrote the *Austin American*, "but the big gun was held in reserve. It was fired Thursday." Cotton 'ncorporated president and CEO Robert J. Boslet. "That's the message we carry to mills, manufacturers and retailers — if you want to survive in tough times, you have to give the consumer what he or she wants, ε id that is quality cotton apparel and home fabrics."

Boslet also notes that despite the strong value of the dollar, which continues to hamper exports, U.S. cotton exports for 1984-1985 were more than one million bales higher than a five year running average beginning with 1945. However, Boslet cautions the expected continued strength of the dollar will continue to make exports difficult throughout 1986.

"The news of our accomplishments, at a time when cotton growers are having difficulties, is a welcome assurance that our fiber will be in a strong position once we emerge from the current price situation," says Cotton Incorporated chairman of the board and cotton producer J.S. Stephens. He urges the continued support of producers to further cotton advances in 1986.

Cotton Incorporated's annual report at the Beltwide Cotton Conferences on January 6th included presentations from Boslet and Cotton Incorporated chairman, J.S. Stephens, as well as department heads of the research and marketing divisions.

Storm warning test

A test of the storm warning system in Haskell is planned for 5 p.m. Monday, March 17.

All three sirens will be tested. Tom Watson said the test should

be 30-60 seconds in duration.

Seat belts

Enforcement of the new belt law is off to a vigorous start, reports the Texas Coalition for Safety Belts.

The Department of Public Safety issued 5,797 safety belt citations in December, the first month of the penalty phase.

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25 attend meeting of **Hobby Club**

The Rochester Hobby Club met March 4 for an enjoyable day. An especially delicious meal, hosted by Mae Speck, was served to 15 members and 10 guests.

Two quilts were finished. Then a king-sized, cross-stitched "American Sampler" was put into the quilt frame.

The club quilt, a very pretty, colorful "Pioneer Patch," made by Annie Marshall, was placed in the first frame. It will be for sale by the club.

Club members congratulated Eron McGuire who has recently been notified that her quilt has been selected as one of the finalists in the Great Texas Quilt Round-up. Shelly Speck will be hostess for

the March 18 meeting.

BIRTHS

Jan and Art Briles of Georgetown, formerly of Hamlin, have announced the birth of a daughter, Staley Nicole, born Feb. 25. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Welcoming her home were Janey and Kendal. Grandparents are Wallace and

Helen Allison of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Washburn announce the birth of their son, Christopher Bryan, Thursday, March 6, at 1:40 p.m. weighing 7 lb 12 oz and 19" long, at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Paternal grandmother is Mrs. C.R. Washburn of Abilene. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Mapes of Abilene.

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Milk Wednesday Frito Pie Pinto Beans Applesauce Peanut Butter & Crackers Cornbread & Butter Milk

Thursday Chalupa's Grated Cheese Lettuce & Tomatoes Corn Spice Cake Milk Friday

Fish Portions Tartar Sauce or Catsup Macaroni & Cheese Slaw **Carrot Sticks** Cornbread & Butter Fruit Jello Milk

BREAKFAST Monday **Apple Juice** Cereal Milk Tuesday Grape Juice Malt-O-Meal **Buttered Toast** Milk

Wednesday Orange Juice Scrambled Eggs **Toasted Rolls** Milk

Thursday Fruit Juice **Buttered** Rice Milk Friday

Fruit Juice Cereal Milk

Mrs. Cobb honored on birthday

A reception in honor of Myrtle

Oscar Tooley to celebrate 90th birthday

The 90th birthday of Oscar W. Tooley, a Haskell resident 43 years, will be celebrated Sunday, March 23, at the Haskell National Bank Community Building.

The families of his children, Kenneth Tooley and Lodena Tooley Cone, will host a reception from 2 to 5 p.m. All his friends and relatives are invited.

It is requested that no gifts be brought. Those desiring to note a fond memory of their association with him may bring it to the reception, send it to his home address, or mail to Kenneth Tooley, 7604 Glenhill Cove, Austin, TX 78752. Cards and letters will be included in a book for presentation to him.

Tooley came to Haskell April 12, 1943, as a rural letter carrier and served until retirement on his 70th birthday March 24, 1966. He was a rural letter carrier at Boyd and Covington from 1941 to 1943.

From 1920 to 1941, Tooley owned and operated a grocery store in the Tolbert community of Wilbarger County and was the last postmaster to serve that community before the post office was closed.

In Haskell, Tooley has been active in the Methodist Church, the Haskell Lions Club and the Senior Citizens Club.

Young Homemakers program March 10

The Young Homemakers Chapter of Haskell met March 10 in the home of Pat Grand.

Mayre Hollis of the Depot displayed a train load of country decorating ideas and shared the history of many of her favorite pieces.

Hostesses included Pat Grand, Pam Mathis, Sheilah Griffith and Selina McGuire.

The annual tour of homes is planned for April 14, and will include the homes of Pam Mathis, Jill Druesedow and Peggy Lane.

Ever need an ambulance? What if you did, and there was none available? Don't wait until this happens. Give to the Haskell Co. Ambulance Memorial Fund tody. The life you save may be your

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Rice Springs Care Home

everyone to get to know Ethel Bradford better. Ethel was born Nov. 15, 1899, in-

Van Zant County as Ethel Benight. She had four brothers and three sisters, all of whom are now deceased.

She went to Peacock in 1919 with her family. She married Dec. 3, 1922, at the age of 23 to Sam Bradford on their front porch.

Sam and Ethel had three children. One daughter passed away at birth. Another daughter, Faye Cox, and a son, G. A. Bradford, both live at Peacock. They have two grandchildren, Donnie Cox and Brenda Bradford, and one great-granddaughter. Carrie Ann.

Sam and Ethel were farmers in

This week we would like for Peacock before retiring and coming to Rice Springs Care Home in 1972. Sam passed away in February 1985. Ethel is still active and tries to attend as many activities as legs will allow her to walk to. She is an encouragement to everyone, and everyone should get to know her.

> We regret the loss of Katy Casey this last week. Our prayers and sympathy go out to her family and friends.

Ex-teachers meet

Haskell County Retired Teachers will have their first spring meeting next Wednesday, March 19. They will meet at noon at

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Cobb on her 90th birthday was hosted by her children Sunday afternoon at the Haskell National Bank Community Building.

All seven of her children were present. Twenty-three of her 24 grandchildren 29 and great-grandchildren attended, in addition to a large number of other relatives and friends.

States represented by those attending included Washington, California, Utah, New Mexico, Michigan, Oklahoma and Texas.

Mrs. Cobb was born in Glen Rose, Texas, in 1896 and moved to Haskell County in 1907. She was married to Truett Cobb in 1916. He passed away in 1965.

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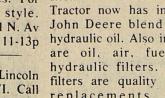
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MEETING 11-13p hydraulic oil. Also in stock HASKELL NATIONAL are oil, air, fuel and BANK of Haskell, Texas hydraulic filters. These will be held in the Bank filters are quality factory Lobby of said Bank in the by City of Haskell, State of Texas on the third Friday in March, A.D. 1986, the 11-12c same being the 21st day of said month, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing board of directors for said bank and the transactions of such other business that may be properly come before said meeting.

Bettie Wainscott Vice Pres. and Cashier 11-12c

STOCKHOLDERS / MEETING

· Notice is hereby given that a meeting of THE HASKELL BANCSHARES, INC. of Haskell, Texas will be held in the Bank Community Building of said Bank in the City of Haskell, State of Texas on the third Friday in March, A.D. 1986, the same being the 21st day of said month, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transactions of such other business that may be properly come before said

meeting. Andrew P. Gannaway Vice President & Sec.

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Trustees. Location of WHEREAS, on the 24th polling places: Community day of January, 1986, Building Haskell National Robertson Oil Company Bank Avenue F and South recovered in the 42nd First Street Haskell, Texas District Court of Taylor 79521. Absentee voting by County, a judgment personal appearance will against Leo Leibowitz Trust be for the sum of \$8,819.60 weekday at Administration (includes attorney's fees) Offices, Haskell ISD, 605 with interest thereon from North Avenue E, Haskell, the 24th day of January, Texas between the hours of 1986, at the legal rate; and, 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. WHEREAS, the said beginning on March 17,

Public Notice

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION To the Registered Voters of the City of Haskell,

Texas: WHEREAS, on the 24th Notice is hereby given that day of February, 1986. the polling places listed Rilla Mahoney, Clerk of the below will be open from 42nd District Court of 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Taylor County, Texas, April 5, 1986, for voting in issued an Order of Sale a general election to elect 1 commanding the Sheriff or Mayor, 2 Alderman. any Constable within the LOCATION OF POLLING State of Texas to proceed to PLACES: City Hall Annex seize and sell the above Building.

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ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on March 28, 1986. Issued this the 11th day of

February, 1986. Abe Turner, Mayor AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL

A los votantes registrados del Cuidad de Haskell, Texas:

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THENCE North 2628 feet to a point for the NW corner of this tract; THENCE East 1437.75 feet to a point for the NE corner of this tract; Community Building THENCE South 2628 feet Haskell National Bank to a point on said South Avenue F and South First boundary line and for the Street Haskell, Texas SE corner of this tract; 79521. La votacion en THENCE West 1437.75 ausencia en persona se feet to the place of llevara a cabo de lunes a beginning. viernes en Administration TRACT TWO: Beginning Offices, Haskell ISD, 605 at a point where the West North Avenue E, Haskell, boundary line of the Texas entre las 8:00 de la Wichita Valley Railroad manana y las 4:30 de la right of way and the South tarde empezando el 17 de boundary line of the Marzo de 1986 McHenry Winburn League terminando el 1 de Abril de No. 121 intersect, said 1986. Las solicitudes para point of intersection being boletas que se votarian en the SE corner of this tract; ausencia por correo THENCE West 613 feet deberan enviarse a: along the South boundary Roberta Jenkins, 605 North line of said McHenry Avenue E, Haskell, Texas Winburn League No. 121 79521. Las solicitudes para for the SW corner of this boletas que se votaran en

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We would like to thank Dr. Thigpen, and all the people at the Rice Springs Care Home, who helped take care of our Mother. Also the ones who did the singing, provided food, and sent the beautiful flowers. Also John and Ohreanna Greeson, for their caring. May God's richest blessings be on each and everyone of you. Leroy, Lamar, Maxine and their families. 11p

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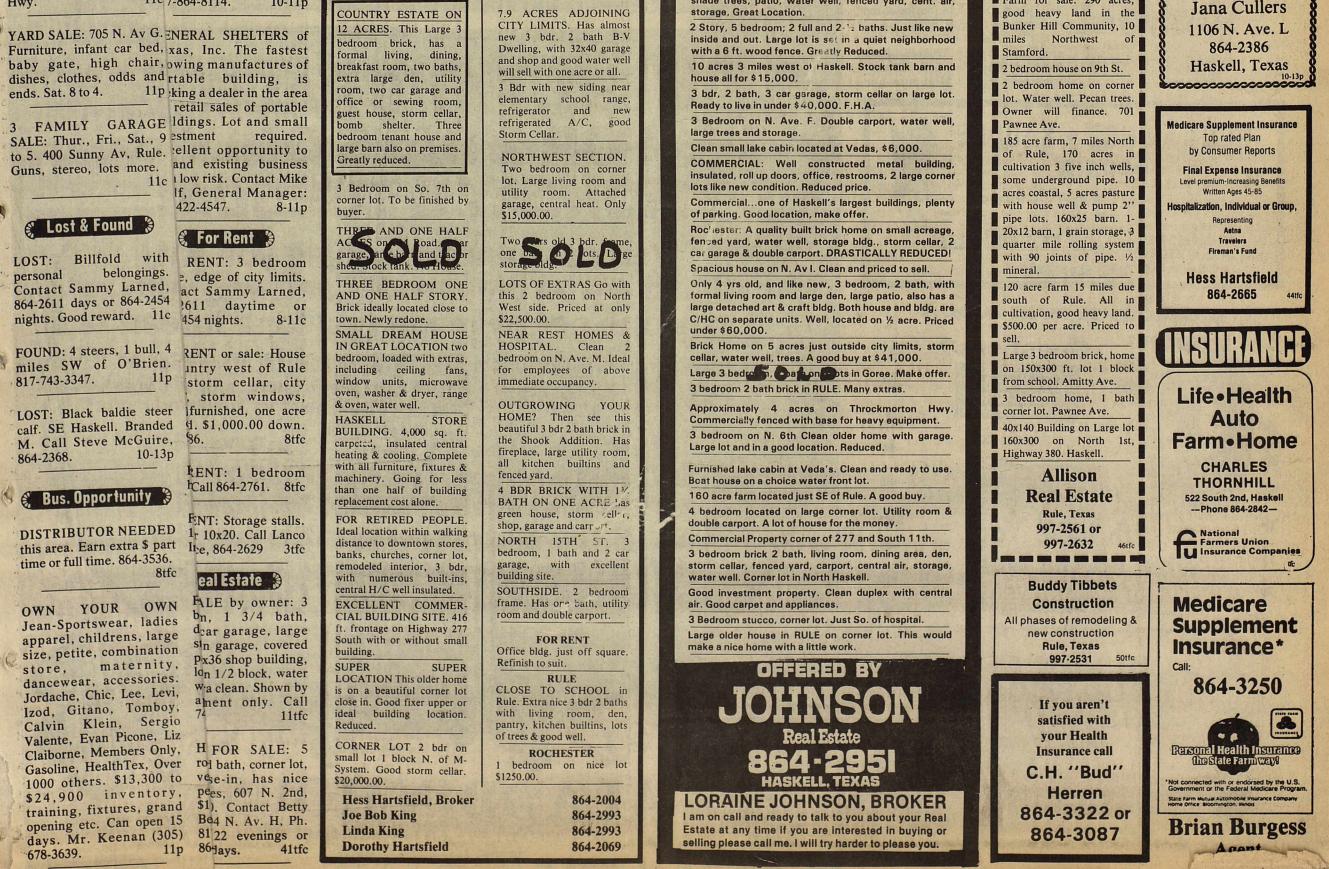
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Obituaries

Mrs. Noah Lane

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church for Mrs. Noah (Luphia) Lane, a Haskell County resident since 1938.

Mrs. Lane, 89, died March 6 at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Officiating were the Rev. Cecil Shirey, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and the Rev. H. O. Abbott of Abilene. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Andy Duce, Bill J. Lane, Gary Lane, David Lane, Les Lane, Lee Lane, Shawn Lane and Matt Lane.

Mrs. Lane was born Dec. 31, 1896, in Brown County. She married Noah S. Lane in Munday in 1911, He preceded her in death Dec. 19, 1960. She moved from Goree to Haskell in 1938 and was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Sylvia Wynette Duce of Dallas; four sons, H. L. Lane, Bill Lane, Buddy Lane and Kenneth Lane, all of Haskell; two sisters, Fannie Malicoat of Hobbs, N. M., and Edna Ballard of Houston; two brothers, Robert E. Walling Jr. of Brownfield and Emra Walling of Eastland; 19 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Bobby (1934); two daughters, Mamie June (1925) and Geraldine Alveretta Frierson (1959); and a son-in-law, James E. Frierson (1982).

Johnny Sargent

Funeral services for John Wesley (Johnny) Sargent, 51, of Amarillo were held Wednesday, March 5 in Schooler-Gordon Bell Avenue Chapel in Amarillo.

The Rev. Jim Smith of St. Stephen's United Methodist Church and the Rev. Shad Rice of Paramount Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery in Amarillo. Sagrent died Saturday, March 1,

of an apparent heart attack.

He was a graduate of Weinert High School and a long-time employee of Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

He is survived by a daughter, Kelli of Amarillo; two sons, Kimberley and Kory of Amarillo; two brothers, Charles Sargent of

Elizabeth Killion

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Farwell for Elizabeth Moss Rowland Killion, 78.

The Rev. W. T. Perry officiated at the services, conducted at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery in Texico, N. M.

Mrs. Killion, who had lived in Odessa since January of this year, died Sunday at Medical Center Hospital in Odessa.

She was born Nov. 7, 1907, in Oklahoma and was a housewife. She married Donald O. Rowland Oct. 22, 1933. He died June 17, 1967. She married Marvin Leon Killion March 24, 1979, in Farwell. She is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mary Joyce Hardin and Doris Ann Darby, both of Odessa; two sons, Donnell (Pete) Neal Rowland and Edward Winston Rowland, both of Amarillo; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Lee Corzine

Lee Corzine of Lubbock died Sunday, March 3, in a Lubbock nursing home.

Funeral services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Resthaven Chapel in Lubbock. Interment was at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Rule Cemeterv.

Corzine had lived in Lubbock since 1978. He was born in Wise County Aug. 29, 1897. He was married to Thurl Cook Aug. 4, 1917, in Dublin.

A retired farmer, Corzine was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mary Hessler of Myrtle Creek, Ore., Doris Lowrey of Lubbock and Betty Woodward of Farmington, N.M.; two brothers, Lonnie Corzine and Oscar Corzine, both of Rule; two sisters, Laura Pinkerton of Fort Worth and Climmie Cottle of Eastland; 11 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Beulah Mae Trussell

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) for Beulah Mae Trussell, 86.

Mrs. Trussell died Monday at Rice Springs Care Home.

Services will be at East Side Baptist Church with the Rev. Darrell Feemster, pastor, and the

Gary Tidrow.

Burial will be in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home. Mrs. Trussell came to Haskell

County in 1940 from Van Zandt County and settled in the Gant community. She and her husband owned and operated Trussell Grocery and Service Station until they retired in 1959. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Born Aug. 16, 1899, in Henderson County, she was the daughter of Josua Roberson and Margaret Ballard Roberson. She was married to R. C. Trussell in Van Zandt County April 29, 1917. He preceded her in death Dec. 19, 1971.

She is survived by six daughters, Leatha Marie Culberth of Haskell, Altha Howeth of Abilene, Opal Mae Tidrow of Haskell, Jimmie Darden of Haskell, Betty Hegwood of Tye and Lennie McEntire of Diamond Bar, Calif.; four sons, R. V. Trussell of Anson, J. I. Trussell of Haskell, Robert Trussell of Lorenzo and Billy Ray Trussell of San Antonio; three sisters, Lucille Davis of Mabank, Opal Roddy of Mesquite and Addie Thompson of Longview; 24 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Game night

The Haskell Country Club will host a game night and chili supper Saturday, beginning at 7 p.m. The event is for members and

their families. Members are invited to bring their families. There will be no charge.

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Sagerton Hee Haw has been scheduled for April 4 and 5 at the Sagerton Community Center. Reserve seat tickets will go on

Reserve seat fickets will go on sale at noon Tuesday, March 18. They may be obtained by contacting J. B. or Dorothy Toney in Sagerton at 817-997-2688. All tickets are

at 817-997-2688. All tickets are \$2.50. The Hee Haw Cafeteria opens

at 5:30 p.m. Music will start at 7 p.m. and the show begins at 8.

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Pleasanton and Bob Sargent of Arlington; and four sisters, Doris Moore of Spur. Quida Shubert of Wichita Falls, Bernice Adams of Munday and Willa Cook of Springfield, Ore. Rev. James Densman, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Pallbearers will be her grandsons, Verlon Trussell, Jerry Darden, Roy Trussell, Donald Hegwood, David Highnote and

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Kristy Lee Arellano has been selected as one of Dillard's models for 1986-87. She is the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Arellano. Her first modeling performance will be Saturday.

Steady market on stocker cows

Lightweight stocker steers and heifers held fully steady while other classes sold lower at Saturday's livestock auction at Haskell Livestock Auction.

Carter Fore reported that there was a run of 1,363 head of cattle, 15 hogs and three sheep offered.

Butcher calves: choice 50-55; 45-50; good, standard,

50-60; utility 35-45. Stocker steer calves: choice

75-90; good 65-75; medium 60-65; common 55-60. Stocker heifer calves: choice

65-75; good 60-65; medium 55-60; common 50-55.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 56-62.50; good 50-56; medium 45-50; common 40-45.

THE HASKELL FREE PRESS Section 2

HASKEELL, TEXAS 79521, MARCH 13, 1986

History surrounds Texas fort

sheltering trees only a mile away,

Fannin ordered a halt to the

procession in a small depression on

General Urrea's army attacked.

For the entire day, under a

sweltering sun and from below the

level of the Mexican army, the

Texas force fought well. The large

Texas cannons were useless since

there was no water to cool the

The next morning, completely

surrounded by Urrea's superior

force and unnerved by the cries of

his suffering wounded, Fannin

considered surrender. When first

light brought a bombardment from

large Mexican field guns, Fannin

surrendered. Unconditionally. The

Texas force was marched back to

Presidio La Bahia and held in the

Fannin knew of Santa Anna's and

the Supreme Government's

standing orders that "anyone

captured bearing arms against

Mexico would be shot." Still,

Fannin and his men believed they

would be permitted the honors of

On Palm Sunday, March 27,

Fannin's men were divided up into

three columns and marched outside

the fort. The Mexicans, on orders

from Santa Anna, massacred 352 of

Fannin's troops. Miraculously, a

handful of Texans bolted into the

woods and somehow eluded the

war. Santa Anna did not.

pieces after they were fired.

the open prairie.

By O.C. Garza **Media Chief Texas Tourist Dev. Agency**

It sits on a small knoll outside of Goliad, fenced in limestone much like it was in 1749 when the Spanish built Presidio La Bahia at its present site. Throughout its two centuries, the fort has seen some interesting history.

Presidio La Bahia is the most fought-over fort in Texas history, having sustained blows from six national revolutions or wars for independence. America's cattle industry had its beginning at La Bahia with the soldiers protecting and overseeing the vast herds of the nearby Rosario and Espiritu Santa Missions.

The heart of Presidio La Bahia's past, however, is tied to the Texas Revolution. On Oct. 9, 1935, one week after the "Come and Take It" battle at Gonzales, a group of Texas militia entered Goliad and attacked the Mexican garrison at the presidio. They were victorious. Later that year, on Dec. 20, the first **Declaration of Texas Independence** was written at La Bahia, signed by 92 citizens and distributed throughout Texas settlements.

Col. James Fannin was in command of the Presidio La Bahia on Feb. 16, 1836, when a message, requesting aid, from Commander William Travis at the Alamo was delivered. Fannin refused this request in writing. The refusal was delivered to the Alamo the day Santa Anna and the Mexican army approached San Antonio. Travis again sent a message to Fannin requesting reinforcements. This time Fannin and his troops began the march to San Antonio only to turn back when a supply wagon broke down. They returned to the presidio.

Fannin sent a third of his force to Refugio to help evacuate Anglo settlers. This force was confronted by General Don Jose Urrea's army of a thousand Mexican troops. The Mexican army was too strong; the Texas force retreated to the woods.

Word of the Mexican victory at Refugio reached Fannin. On March 19, Fannin decided to abandon the walls of Presidio La Bahia and fall back to Victoria.

cavalry that was waiting to chop them down. They lived to tell the tale of the Goliad Massacre. Fannin and his officers did not. After finding out the fate of his men, Fannin and his officers were also

chapel.

massacred. Later, at the Battle of San Jacinto, the wary cry 'Remember the Alamo! Remember Goliad!' would inspire the Texas army to defeat Santa Anna's army and win Texas independence. The men killed at Goliad were not forgotten. Today, the fully restored Presidio



A reenactment of Col. James Fannin's 1836 occupation of Presidio La Bahia and a memorial service honoring him and his troops will be held March 22-23. This "living history" weekend will take place at the site of the fort, just south of Goliad. Texas Tourist Agency photo.

finest example of a Spanish frontier fort. On March 22-23, Presidio La Bahia will hold a living-history tribute in honor of Fannin and his men. Reenactments of battles, a memorial dedication to Fannin and

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his men, and night tours of the presidio will be held.

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The army, shielded by a ground fog, moved out that morning. The sun burned, the fog lifted, and Fannin's pack animals, exhausted from too many heavy guns, weakened. With Coleto Creek and





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Commentary

Heat slacks off state budget crisis

AUSTIN-The Governor's race is heating up, especially in the Democratic primary, and a fire of unknown determination damaged part of the Texas Supreme Court Building last week, but the heat slacked off the budget crisis for the first time in weeks.

Funds from two sources were moved closer to help state government make up a projected \$1.3 billion shortfall. The U.S. House of Repre-

sentatives passed legislation to



split oil and gas revenues by the feds and coastal states, with about \$424 million in off-shore oil dollars marked for Texas immediately. The Sen-

ate is expected to concur. And Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox said Texas may be able to use almost \$157 million in refunds from Exxon Corp. collected last week for pricing violations.

Meanwhile, the Texas House cut 19 percent and the Texas Senate 13 percent from their budgets, totalling \$11 million in savings.

Briscoe and White

The governor's debate that wasn't going to be . . . is now on. Governor Mark White made it official at his press conference, but not the way he would have liked.

His chief Democratic pri-mary opponent, Andrew Briscoe, went to the Capitol press conference and reporters quietened down to let hi im nersonal ly ask the question, "When are you going to debate, Mr. White?"

around" in Crowder's business and making other political threats to keep him out of the campaign.

GOP Race Heating

The Republican race is heat-ing, too, and no one really be-lieves that the "speak no evil of fellow Republicans" pact is still intact.

Kent Hance is running television ads criticizing both his opponents, but stops short of naming them. He implies that Tom Loeffler is too inexperienced and Bill Clements is too old.

Hance last week also said publicly for the first time that he endorsed liberal Democrat Lloyd Doggett in '84 because of party pressure, which was why he switched to the Re-publican party.

House Investigation

A Texas House committee investigating claims that Texas Supreme Court Justice C. L. Ray gave favored treatment to a San Antonio attorney may subpoena Ray to testify.

Ray was reported as saying he sent word he would sign statements in exchange for not being subpoenaed.

The committee chairman, San Antonio Rep. Frank Tejeda, aims at keeping the hear-ing public. Tejeda is involved in a state Senate race with Rep. Tommy Adkisson.

Teacher Testing

A state district judge last week refused to halt the teacher literacy test expected to go ahead as planned this week. More than 200,000 Texas

teachers are expected to take the test, and a good many of them are angry at the idea. The Texas Education Agency esti-mates about 10,000 will fail the basic skills exam.

Capitol watchers are wondering whether angry teach-ers, who carried White to the Governor's Mansion in '82, will defect to either Briscoe or Crowder and force White into a primary runoff or defeat. Briscoe and Crowder have been getting lots of cheers

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ed as the third member.

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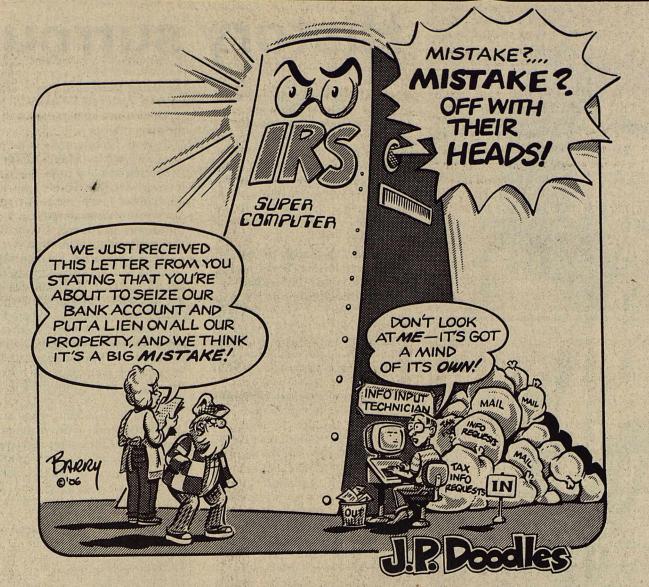
end of May. Delays in casting

the replica of the old, deterio-

rating statue and brisk March

winds have caused Capitol architects to wait until then.

ers meet this days.



Out of the Past

20 Years Ago March 10, 1966

An eleventh hour flurry of political excitement Friday stirred Haskell on the eve of the deadline for filing for a place on the ballot in the April 5 city election, with two seeking the mayor's post and six in the running for the three councilmen slots.

Candidates for mayor are incumbent J. E. Walling Jr. and the Rev. Douglas B. Finch. Announcing for councilmen were incumbents R. L. Stephenson, Otho Nanny and Raymond Davis, along with Carl Anderson, Buster Gholson and Jim Sampson.

Luther Walker, Haskell Chamber of Commerce manager for the past 14 months, has resigned that position to serve in a similar acity in Plano. Incumbents Dr. Frank Cadenhead and Mrs. B.B. Gilmore are the only candidates for election to the school board Perry Turnbow, 6-5 senior from Haskell, was a unanimous selection for the all-district basketball team. Also making the team was Ronnie Josselet of Haskell. The Lon Pate Chapter of Quill and Scroll presented sweaters for scholastic achievement Monday to Jerre Colbert, English; Steve Munday, history; Keith Chapman, math; and Darrell Davis, science.

one-year term at a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees. Re-elected were George W. Wimbish, high school; Mrs. Labry Ballard, South Ward; and Miss Madalin Hunt, North Ward. Supt. C. B. Breedlove was elected for a two-year term.

Cast members of the senior play are R. C. Couch Jr., George W. Fouts, Robert Barnett, Durward Boggs, Robert Wheatley, Bill Reeves, Artie Pippin, Geraldine Norris, Anabel Stanton, Helen Ballard, Martha Head, Gladys Fouts, Gayle Roberts and Ruth Josselet.

A \$10,000 road bond election will be held in Commissioner Precinct 2 on Saturday, April 11.

Milam Diggs, a student in Texas Tech, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Diggs.

grade between Seymour and Munday and began this week grading on the section between Munday and Haskell.

Haskell's building boom continues and you can't look anywhere without seeing a new house.

Messrs. S. W. Scott and R. E. Sherrill went to Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. J. A. Clendennen, one of the old timers of the west side, was in town Thursday.

Mr. S. R. Rike gave a dinner Wednesday to the bachelor friends of his pre-nuptial days.

At a called meeting of the Commissioners' Court Thursday, C. D. Long tendered his resignation from the office of county and district clerk, which was accepted. The court appointed J. W. Meadors

Phone ring translated 'important'

By Wendell Faught

It's difficult to imagine today how people of all those past centuries got by without telephones.

It's also easy to envy them. I never cease to be amazed at how Alexander Graham Bell's invention can take precedence over face-to-face contact.

Wait 30 minutes in someone's outer office for an opportunity to visit with him about something, finally get your turn, and immediately someone "bucks the line" with a telephone call to the guy you've been trying to see. For some reason, the ring of the bell is translated "important."

You don't have time to eat lunch, but decide to get a quick hamburger on the run. By the time you get your order and start to pay for it, the phone rings. The cash register takes a timeout, while the cashier talks to Aunt Susie, or whoever.

Those are just a couple of examples of how a phone call to someone else can irritate you. Even more demoralizing are those calls to you

Schedule a lunch with someone and it's almost 10-to-one that the phone will ring a couple of minutes before noon. If you decide to ignore it and go on to your date, you won't get to the front door before you" succumb to the repeated sound of urgency emitted by the ring.

Usually, and especially in small towns, people don't seem to mind a telephone call-if it's from someone they know. Even local salesmen don't bother local people since most of them realize it's just a means of contacting the greatest number of people in the shortest possible time.

But the guy from E. F. Hutton who tries to talk you into putting five grand in Advance Investors when you don't know how you're going to make the next house payment can be a bore.

Remember when they pumped your gas, cleaned the windshield.

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An angry, tight-lipped White told Briscoe he would show up at the League of Women Voters televised debate.

Runoff Ahead?

bate invitation a few weeks ago, both Briscoe and Don Crowder have been accusing White of ducking, and Democratic Party insiders say the gap is apparently closing be-tween them and White. A runoff is in range.

brand grassroots organizer Kent Olson, is thought by most to be gaining support. Crowder wages an even heavier campaign war.

Last week he accused party chairman Bob Slagle of show-ing favoritism to White, which Slagle denied.

Crowder also accused White of under-handed tactics: hiring a law firm to "snoop



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voted Jim Nugent as chairman, replacing retiring Buddy Temple at the gavel. Temple's aide, Clark Jobe, was appoint-

Since White declined the de-

Briscoe, sparked by fire-**ID** required Editor: The Texas Department of

Human Services (DHS) has announced that all DHS employees will carry photo identification cards with them while carrying out their job duties in local communities.

If, at any time, a person has reason to suspect that someone who identifies himself as an agency employee is not a DHS staff member, they should request to see a photo identification card. Individuals can also call the local DHS office to verify employment of any DHS employee. They may also contact the local police or law

enforcement agency for assistance. Barbara Evans

Public Information Officer Dept. of Human Services

Lonely

Editor: I hope this letter finds you in the best of spirits. I wish to request that you allow me to publish a correspondence in your paper. I will answer all questions and letters. It hurts deeper than mere words can express as the guards pass my cell with no mail at all here.

Please allow me to introduce myself: I am Jim Miller 143611, Box 69, London Ohio 43140. I am single, six feet, 190 pounds with brown hair and brown eyes. I lift weights, compose poems, draw and read. Jim Miller

London, Ohio

50 Years Ago March 12, 1936

Mr. Hassen returned Tuesday from Dallas where he had been to purchase new spring merchandise for Hassen Bros. Store.

Principals for the three Haskell schools were named for an ensuring

Ask VA

Q-When the New Improved Pension was first enacted I was advised that it was not to my advantage to switch. Is it possible that is might be to my advantage now?

A-It my be. The income limits have increased steadily and are tied to social security increases. You should check with your nearest VA regional office.

Q-If a person who is eligible for Survivors and Dependents Education Assistance Benefits marries, how is eligibility affected?

A-The marriage of an eligible child will be no barrier. The remarriage of a surviving spouse will terminate entitlement. If the remarriage is ended by death or divorce, eligibility may be restored.

Q-What rating must a serviceconnected disabled veteran have in order to claim additional compensation for a wife, child or parent?

A-You must be rated thirty percent or more.

Q--May a veteran who is eligible for education benefits under two different laws receive benefits concurrently for the same educational program? A--No.

80 Years Ago March 17, 1906

The Free Press has been informed that the Wichita Valley Railroad forces have completed the

to fill the unexpired term. A grading outfit of the Wichita Valley Railroad has established a

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Group warns of smoking ills to the unborn

The American Lung Association of Texas has set aside the month of February to remind women who smoke during pregnancy that they are smoking for two: Their unborn babies and themselves.

Studies covering 500,000 births have shown that a woman who pregnancy smokes during significantly increase her risk of having a miscarriage, a stillbirth, a premature baby or baby with low birthweights. The new born infant faces incrased risks from respiratory disease syndrome and Sudden Infant Death Syndrome. In addition, children of smokers tend to be smaller and shorter and have more respiratory ailments and to score lower on math and verbal tests than children of nonsmokers.

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The Lung Association has an information kit for pregnant women who smoke. Questions such as: "What are some specific effects of smoking during pregnancy?" are answered in the comprehensive question and answer portion of the kit. The kit will be distributed free of charge during February.

Workshops for nurses and other healthcare professionals will be held at three locations around the state. Physicians will present physiological information concerning smoking during pregnancy. Each hospital or clinic represented will receive extensive information and materials to be used when counseling expectant mothers about the hazards of smoking

For more information about smoking during pregnancy contact the American Lung Association of Texas, 3520 Executive Center Drive, Suite G-400, Austin, Texas 78731-1606 or call toll-free 1-800-252-LUNG.

Did you know?

Commercial manufacturing of cheese started 135 years ago in Rome, New York. In 1851, Jesse Williams, a Rome dairy farmer, revolutionized the dairy industry by starting a cheese factory. A cheese museum has been established in Rome to chart the history of cheese.

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Senator Lloyd Bentsen Watching Washington



A lengthy illness can wipe out the financial resources of an elderly person -even someone of means who has worked and saved for a lifetime. Medicare isn't much help in these situations.

A 71-year-old Houston man ran up \$95,000 in hospital and doctor charges. After Medicare benefits were paid, he still owed \$43,000.

In East Texas, a 70-year-old woman was left with a \$26,000 debt when an illness exhausted all of her Medicare coverage.

Long-term illnesses such as these people experienced strike fear in elderly persons across the United States. They know that with the increasingly sophisticated and costly array of medical services available today, they might survive their illness only to be ruined financially.

Medicare currently covers all reasonable hospital fees for up to 60 days, once a \$492 deductible charge is paid for each period of hospitalization. After 60 days, patients pay a share of the costs which increases with the

length of the hospital stay. After 150 days, the patient must pay all charges. The Medicare and Medicaid programs are designed to help those most in need of medical care-the elderly. Although persons 65 and older make up 12 percent of our population, they account for 33 percent of all health care expenditures. They consume 31 percent of all hospital services, 28 percent of physician services, 24 percent of all prescription drug sales, and 80 percent of nursing home costs.

But it is these very people-the elderly living off savings or fixed incomes -that Medicare fails to help with the overwhelming expenses that can result from a serious, long-term illness.

In 1984, I introduced—and have since continued to push for-legislation that would protect older Americans against such catastrophic medical costs.

I am pleased that the President recently expressed interest in developing a plan to extend Medicare coverage to long-term hospitalization. Members of my staff already have met with White House representatives to discuss the details of my proposal.

The Bentsen Catastrophic Insurance plan is self-financing and will not add to the solvency problems facing the Medicare trust funds.

Its increased hospital benefits would be financed by an additional Medicare premium of some \$3.75 a month. But in return, Medicare recipients would be covered for all reasonable hospital charges after the deductible is paid, no matter how long their stay. In addition, the \$492 deductible charge now required for each hospital stay would be limited to two such payments a year.

My bill would provide optional coverage to pay 100 percent of all reasonable doctors' fees, after a deductible and initial out-of-pocket expenses are satisfied. The increased physician benefits would be financed by another premium of some \$10 to \$12 a month, assuming full participation. This is a sound, reasonable and low-cost approach to providing such Medicare coverage for long-term hospital care.

Older Americans need to know they are protected from the financial ruin that can accompany a lengthy, serious illness.

Medicare deductible increases to \$492

The Medicare hospital insurance deductible, the amount a Medicare patient is responsible for when he or she first receives hospital inpatient services in a benefit period, increased to \$492 in 1986, Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene, has announced.

Also scheduled to increase are the per-day amounts patients are responsible for after specific lengths of stay in a hospital or skilled nursing facility, Hammons said. After 60 days of inpatient care in a benefit period in 1986, Medicare will pay for all covered costs except \$123 a day. The 1985 figure was \$100

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For each reserve day, Medicare will pay for all covered costs except \$246 a day. The 1985 figure was \$200.

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The medical insurance annual deductible will remain \$75, unchanged from 1985.

day. The 1985 figure was \$50

The basic monthly premium for

Medicare medical insurance will

not change from the 1985 rate.

Some people pay more than this

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The monthly premium for hospi-

tal insurance for those people who

are not otherwise eligible for this

protection will be \$214 in 1986. The

tection but did not.

premium was \$174.

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More information about Medicare and Social Security can be obtained at the Abilene Social Security office, located at 142 South Pioneer. The telephone number is 698-1360. Free publications can be obtained there which give more information.

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Weight control presents problems

recognized.

Maintaining the proper body weight for the best of health is hard work. Just ask anyone who is overweight or obese how many times he or she has tried to lose weight by eating and exercising properly in order to feel healthier.

Overweight is defined as excess weight up to 20 percent more than the individual's desirable weight. Obesity is excess weight beyond 20 percent of desirable weight.

Determining what body weight is desirable varies from person to person. There are a number of ways to calculate how much a person should weigh, some more accurate than others. Variations in body frame types, metabolic rates, lifestyles, age, sex and ethnicity are important factors in calculating an individual's desirable weight.

The Texas Dept. of Health has launched a common-sense information campaign called "Lean for Life" identifying four important elements of weight loss, which an individual can apply to his or her own circumstances. They are: (1) know yourself; (2) eat smart; (3) get moving; and (4) get together (get help and support from others). By following these guidelines you can better plan and implement the kind of weight loss you need to be lean for the rest of your life.

"Know yourself," means that anyone wanting to lose weight should take inventory of why he or she is overweight, what kinds of foods and eating habits contribute to being overweight, and how much weight to lose for good health. By keeping an accurate diary of everything he or she eats, complete with the time and circumstance of each item, such as a bowl of ice cream while feeling despressed, the individual will be able to identify tendencies to eat too much food. Such tendencies are easier to change when they are clearly

"Eat smart" is making a habit of eating nutritious foods in sensible quantities. Many people who are overweight pay too little attention to the nutritive values of the things they eat. An inexpensive pocket-sized calorie counter booklet lists the number of calories and other items in the more common types of foods. Nutrition information on food labels gives specific numbers of calories, sugar, salt and cholesterol per serving. These are two ways weight

more about what they eat. "Get moving" means to begin and maintain a regular exercise routine. Exercise is essential for using extra calories and for burning stored body fat. It is wise for a person choosing an exercise program to consult the family physician first. Whatever the exercise, it should be started slowly and increased to a 20-30-minute session, at least three times a week. Pick an exercise program that will be fun for you.

conscious individuals can learn

"Get together," the fourth part of the weight-loss program, stresses the cooperation of friends and family members. Persons closest to the individual who wants to lose weight can offer support and encouragement by serving or sharing low-calorie foods compatible with the individual's diet, and by joining in exercise sessions.

These four elements of the Lean for Life program are flexible and for a good reason. The TDH Lean for Life Advisory Committee, which designed it, wanted to recommend the basic elements all overweight people need to help them become slimmer and healthier. The program acknowledges that each individuals weight problem is unique.

Program on bush control set

knowing more about chemical brush control are invited to a match. meeting Monday at the Knox

County Courthouse in Benjamin. Sponsored by the Knox County Livestock and Range Committee business manager, conducts about and the Wichita-Brazos Soil and Water Conservation District, the meeting will begin at 9 a.m.

The program will cover all aspects of chemical brush control. cal items that are useful around the J. F. Cadenhead, extension range and brush control specialist, will discuss present recommended and equipment, paint, hand tools, chemicals for brush control and Dr. electronic gear and photo equip-Bill Dahl, professor of range ment. Some sales feature more exomanagement at Texas Tech, will talk on the timing of chemical applications for brush control.

will be presented by Ronald launching pads. Bertrand of the Texas Dept. of Agriculture.

A question and answer period will follow the program.

Rat control demonstration to be today

A demonstration on the control of rats in barns will be conducted today (Thursday) in Munday, and methods. In all cases awards are all those interested are invited to attend.

The demonstration begins at 9 a.m. at the barn of Larry and Cindy ing veterans and religious organiza-Thompson, behind their house northwest of the Munday football field.

Randy Smith and Judy Loven, wildlife damage control specialists, will conduct the program.

Government offers bargains

Amid the flurry of post-holiday sales many consumers may be unaware the federal government can be one of the better places to Haskell countians interested in shop for good values on a range of products shopping malls can't

> The U. S. General Services Administration (GSA), the federal government's multi-billion dollar 1,000 surplus property sales nationwide every year featuring items no longer needed by the government.

Sale merchandise includes practihouse, such as furniture, appliances, laundry and cleaning supplies tic items--ideal for that hard-tobuy-for person on everybody's gift list--like electric generators, polar Permit requirements and liability ice breakers or portable missile

The most popular item is what the government refers to as "vehicles," Last year GSA sold some 34,000 of them--cars, station wagons, light trucks and other special-purpose vehicles, including vans---at public auctions. The vehicle sales brought proceeds of \$54 million to the government, most of which was used to replenish the government's automotive fleet. The balance went into the U.S. Treasury's coffers. GSA sells surplus government

property to the general public by competitive bid, using one of three made to the highest responsive bidder. No preference is given to individuals, dealers, or groups, includtions.

Condition of merchandise varies. Some items may be in excellent condition, while others may need repair or have value only for salvage or scrap. GSA informs pro-

spective bidders when an item is deficient, but the agency also cautions would-be buyers to inspect items before making bids. Ample inspection periods are provided in advance of all sales for the convenience and benefit of the shopper. GSA generally replaces cars and other vehicles in the government's fleet after six years of 60,000 miles. The vehicles are maintained consistent with manufacturers' recommendations and usually are equipped with air conditioning, power steering, brakes, radio, automatic transmission and radial tires. A person who buys a used gov-

ernment car or truck can expect to pay market value. Prices are keyed to various used car guides published periodically by trade associations and commercial firms.

Consumers should heed GSA's warning to beware of private firms which advertise and sell information on how the government disposes of its surplus property. No matter what these companies claim, it is absolutely impossible to buy a new Word War II jeep, still in its original packing crate, for \$49.

These firms often ask \$10, \$15, or even \$20 as fees for promises of savings which may never be realized. Information about GSA government surplus property sales is free---and there is no charge to participate.

To obtain the necessary information, simply call or write: Surplus Sales, Federal Supply Service Bureau, U. S. General Services Admin istration, 819 Taylor St., Fort Worth, Texas 76102.

State sanctions promotional goods

"Buy Official." That is the phrase you will hear often as the Texas Sesquicentennial celebration shifts into high gear in 1986.

"The Texas Sesquicentennial Commission has officially sanctioned more than 70 commemorative and promotional products to be sold during the Sesquicentennial celebration," says Lynn Nabers, the commission's executive direc-

"Texas earns a royalty from the sale of these products, royalties that go to support tourism, the arts and activities associated with the Sesquicentennial," Nabers said. "So look for the official logo on products before you buy. You'll be helping Texas when you do."

"Buy Official" public service announcements have been pro-

duced and distributed to the 650 television and radio stations in the state.

With more than 7,000 events scheduled in the 254 counties of Texas during 1986, Nabers indicated that some manufacturers may claim, overtly or implicitly, to have a product sanction that does not exist.

"The Attorney General's office is prepared to move swiftly against counterfeit operations and level fines amounting to \$5,000 per day for violations," Nabers added.

If the cone you are using for an afterschool snack has a hole in the bottom, push a piece of banana down in the base before scooping the ice cream.



Stamford Electric sets annual meet

Election of three directors to fill p.m., said President John E. expiring terms will highlight the Youngquist. 47th annual meeting Saturday of the Stamford Electric Cooperative. expiring. Leroy Lundgren of the The meeting will be in the Stamford Ericksdahl community and Robert High School auditorium.

Terms of three directors are L. (Bobby) Reves, Jr., of the

The cooperative, a rural electric Berryhill community have been distribution facility, furnishes nominated for Place 1. Nominees electrical energy to parts of six for Place 2 are incumbent Carl counties, including Haskell, Jones, Thompson, who lives south of Fisher, Shackelford, Stonewall and Anson, and Leon Blankenship of Throckmorton. The cooperative the Union community. Incumbent serves more than 6,000 meters and Sam Turner and John Pike, both of has over 2,300 miles of line, says whom live near Rule, have been general manager Jerry Terrell.

Saturday's meeting will begin business meeting will follow at 6:30 meeting.

nominated for Place 3.

For the 17th time, The Round-Up with a barbecue at 5 p.m. for Boys will provide 'musical members and invited guests. A entertainment for the annual

> **ABOUT YOUR CHILD** by Kathie Boatman, B.S., M.E. Certified L.L.d, M.R., Ed. Diagn.

IS YOUR CHILD FAILING ONE OR MORE SCHOOL SUBJECTS?

In our rapidly moving and changing society, it is only natural that. school is progressing in giant strides. Children are expected to learn more at an earlier age than when we were in school. The importance of education is so apparent in today's world, that children are feeling a great deal of pressure. Sometimes, this pressure may come from parents, teachers, or peers, but more frequently, it is a pressure that the child feels and places upon himself. Even the extremely bright child can feel this way.

And a vicious cycle begins. Pressure leads to anxiety-anxiety leads to one bad grade-one bad grade leads to a lack of confidence-a lack of confidence leads to more pressure, more anxiety-more pressure, more anxiety leads to more bad grades-and soon frustration becomes another part of the vicious cycle, and the cycle produces failure, and the child falls further behind regardless of his aspirations and true abilities.

Let's break the cycle! Give your child the opportunity to find out that a problem in school does not mean that you are "dumb", "stupid", "spoiled", or "lazy". Give your child a chance to re-new his confidence in himself and his abilities. Sad but true, most parents have trouble "working with" their child on school-related matters.

Let me help you and your child. I have 16 years of teaching experience. I have the necessary qualifications and certifications. More important, I have developed a program that is child-proof. Children, little or big, enjoy their classes and results are proven by grade improvement, test scores, and observable behavior.

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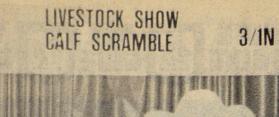
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BIG WINNER

HOLJON

Haskell FFA member Jerry Davis receives a round trip ticket for himself and his parents to any Continental Airlines destination from the airlines' Ray Dickens for his efforts in wrestling a calf across the finish line in the calf scramble at the Houston Livestock Show. He also received a \$600 calf purchase certificate from Danaco, one of the sponsors of the event.



Two win in calf scramble event

came out winners in the calf Astrodome. Contestants are scramble at the recent Houston Livestock Show.

Jerry Davis and James Bradley Bevel each captured a calf to become winners in the scramble.

For winning, both Davis and Bevel received \$600 calf purchase certificates to buy a registered beef or dairy heifer to be fed, fit, groomed and brought back to the 1987 Houston Livestock Show for special showring competition.

In addition, Davis will receive a free round trip for himself and his parents from Continental Airlines to any Continental destination in the United States, Mexico or Canada in recognition of his efforts in wrestling his calf across the finish line.

The calf scramble event involves 28 youngsters chasing half as many

Farm credit banks restructure debt portfolios +

An announcement from the Farm Credit Banks of Texas indicates that the three agricultural lenders took some of their earnings for the last 11 months of 1985 and restructured their debt portfolio, contributing to a net loss of \$67 million for the Texas banks and affiliated associations.

This restructuring, however, allowed the banks to pass on savings in interest rates to many Texas farmers and ranchers who borrow money from the \$4 billion agricultural lender, according to James A. Rogers, the bank's president.

Two FFA members from Haskell calves on the floor of the Houston required to catch a calf, halter it, and drag it across the finish line in order to win.

Those winning \$600 purchase certificates are required to keep accurate records of their animals and to submit monthly progress reports to both the Houston Livestock Show and to their individual sponsor throughout the

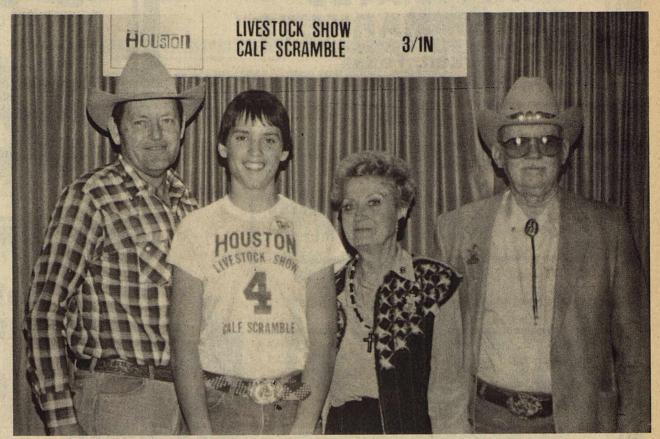
following year.

The entire project is supervised by the winner's vocational agriculture teacher or county extension agent. The project officially ends when the winner brings the animal to the following year's Houston Livestock Show.

With support from numerous sponsors, the Houston Livestock Show has put more than 10,000 quality animals valued at more than

\$2 million into the hands of Texas youth.

A research study conducted by two Stephen F. Austin State University professors reports that through the purchase of feed and supplies, as well as the purchase of calves from purebred herds, the calf scramble program generates more than a half million dollars in economic activity each year throughout the state.



SCRAMBLE WINNER

Brad Bevel is flanked by his ag teacher, James Bevel, left, and Mary Francis and Robbie Robertson of Longhorn Machine Works after he won a \$600 calf purchase certificate in the calf scramble at the Houston Livestock Show. The award was sponsored by Longhorn Machine Works.



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Heart attack signals important to know

Knowing the early signals of a heart attack and how to help a possible heart attack victim are important. The most common symptom experienced by heart attack victims is chest pain, but this can differ among individuals. Most often the pain is in the midchest; sometimes it radiates to the neck or left shoulder or goes down the left arm. Victims often experience weakness and shortness of breath. A patient acutely ill with a heart attack will appear pale and cool, but may be sweating profusely.

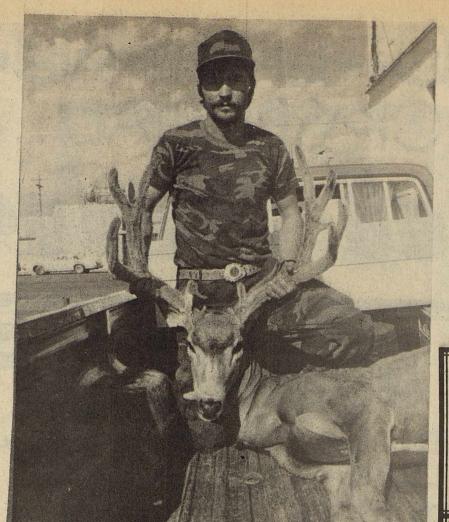
If some one around you experiences heart attack symptoms, you can best help--possible save a life--if you know several things: 1) the fastest route to a hospital equipped to handle heart attack emergencies; 2)how to do CPR; and 3)how quickly to call a doctor, the hospital and/or an ambulance.

CPT is a technique that can keep a heart attack victim alive until an ambulance and medical treatment is available. It can be learned in only two or three hours and requires only minimal practice thereafter. In your own area, you can find out where CPR instruction is available through your local American Red Cross chapter.

Gramm calls for implementation of new farm bill

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm has urged the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture to implement the 1985 farm bill as rapidly as possible to benefit Texas farmers.

"Time is of extreme importance to many farmers in Texas and I urge the department complete implementation as soon as possible."



BAGS DEER

Rich Brazell of Vernal was able to down a deer on Taylor Mountain on the last day of the recent archery season. The buck had three points on one side and five on the other. Brazell, a biologist for the Forest Service, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brazell of Paint Creek.

Booklet gives guide to government acts

In most cases, you can get information from the federal government simply by writing to the right agency. But sometimes the agencies are not willing to give out the information you need.

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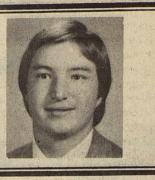
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Written By Gerald Rodgers, CPA



SOME IRA TIPS

Individual Retirement Accounts are becoming increasingly popular as a way to shelter some income from taxation while building funds for retirement. Here are some facts that may be helpful.

• Your 1985 IRA contribution cannot be made any later than April 15, 1986. You can no longer get an extension for making your contribution simply by extending the filing date for your income tax return.

• There is no minimum IRA contribution requirement; the maximum contribution is \$2,000 per year. You can skip a contribution for any year if you wish, but you cannot make up missed contributions in future years.

• Pay the trustee's fee separately and not out of your IRA funds. You can then take the fee as a miscellaneous itemized tax deduction and leave more money to grow tax-free in your retirement account.

• You can't contribute to your IRA after you reach age $70\frac{1}{2}$. But if you have a non-working spouse under $70\frac{1}{2}$, you can make a contribution of up to \$2,000 to his or her IRA.

• Alimony payments are considered earned income for purposes of determining allowable IRA contributions.

• Advisors sometimes suggest that you borrow money to make an IRA contribution if you don't have the cash. Before doing so, compare the yield in your IRA and the borrowing rate. Also, give thought to whether you'll have funds later in the year to repay the loan. If you won't have, don't borrow.

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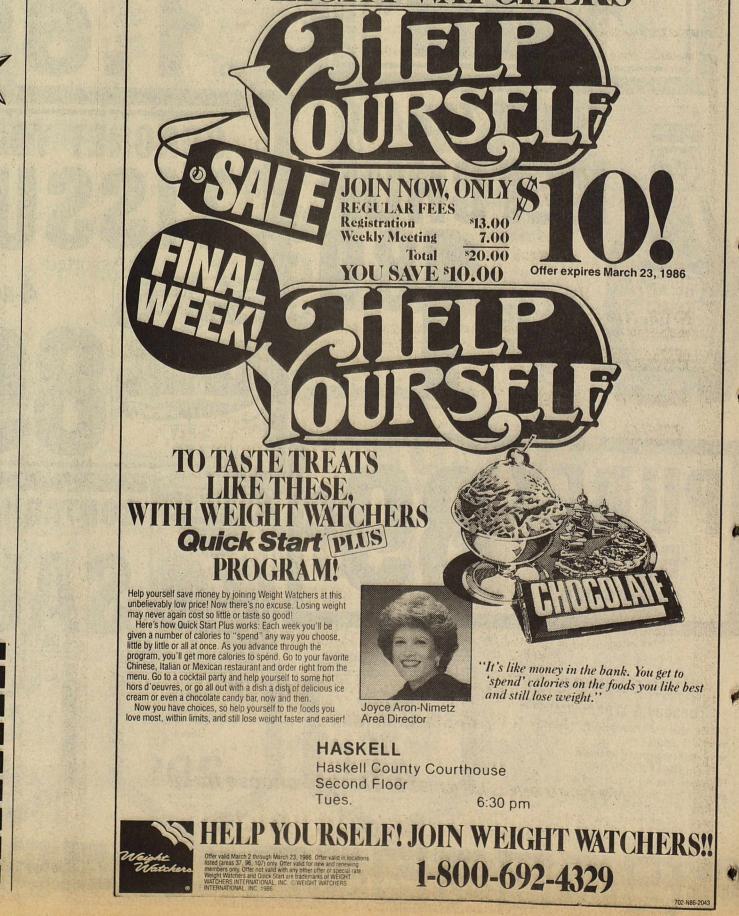
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Incorporated President Bob Boslet. With industry observers linking Cotton Incorporated in part to the dramatic incrase in domestic mill use (an estimated 6.4 million bales compared to USDA's first for the 1985-86 crop), the need for aggressive research and promotion is urgent, he said. "It's working for cotton."

market research, Calcot Ltd., said the amount of cotton moving on the cotton system (the spindles that can spin cotton) has gone from 57 percent in 1981 to nearly 65 percent today.

favorable cotton prices relative to synthetics and Cotton Incorporated.

1985, cotton's share of all fibers (excluding carpet) was 43 percent, compared to 40 percent in 1984 and 34 percent in 1975," he said.

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Weed population should be heavy

Texas ranchers can expect to see heavy weed populations on rangelands in 1986.

Weeds were plentiful last year following the drought of 1984 which reduced competition from grass cover points out Dr. Tommy Welch with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University system, and good rains last fall should get weeds off to a fast start in 1986.

"Many winter annuals have germinated and are currently in the rosette stage," notes Welch, a range brush and weed control specialist. "Among these is annual or common broomweed, one of the most common weed problems in Texas. Another weed that infests many acres in western ragweed, a perennial. Both of these plants can be controlled easily with herbicides.

"Controlling weeds with herbicides is a practice that will produce substantial returns for cattlemen," says .Welch. "Dense weeds will significantly reduce production of desirable forage on rangeland. In addition, a heavy week infestation will cause considerable livestock losses."

However, Welch points out that with the exception of poisonous weeds such as bitterweed, sheep and goat raisers may not want to control weeds since they are important part of sheep and goat diets.

Weed research and weed control result demonstrations have shown that grass production will increase when unwanted broadleaf plants are controlled, the specialist emphasizes. Generally, a pound of grass has been produced for every pound of weeds controlled. An increase in grass production of 750 pounds per acre will pay for a herbicide application.

If a weed problem is identified

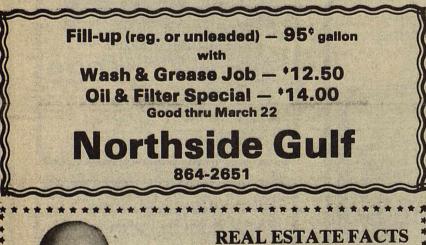
early in the season, herbicides may be applied to provide efficient and economical control, says Welch. He encourages ranchers to check rangeland for week infestations in January and February.

"Most troublesome annual weeds and western ragweed are easy to control if a herbicide is applied at the proper time and growth conditions," Welch points out. "Weeds such an annual or common broomweed, camphorweed, bitter sneezeweed and western ragweed are easily controlled with 2,4-D when plants are small and growth conditions are good."

Herbicide mixtures are available for plants that are more difficult to control, especially many of the perennial poisonous plants. These mixtures include the commercial formulations Weedmaster (1:3 mixture of dicamba and 2,4-D) and Grazon P+D (1:4 mixture of picloram and 2,4-D). Banvel (dicamba) and Grazon PC (picloram) may be tank mixed with 2,4-D at the same 1:4 ratio.

"Proper grazing management combined with weed control will help improve grass cover," Welch points out. "And good grass cover on rangeland will reduce the potential for future weed problems. Weed control is a practice that will provide both short-term and longterm returns when used properly.

As long ago as 1801, giant cheeses have been presented to U.S. presidents. The cheese given to President Jefferson that year was made on the village green by the townspeople of Cheshire, Massachusetts. President Andrew Jackson received 2,000pound wheels of cheese regularly from a cooperative in the state of New York.



Vietnam vets eligible for assistance

According to C. H. Herren, Veterans Service Officer for Haskell County, Vietnam era veterans are still eligible to receive Veterans Readjustment Appointments (VRA) with any Federal government agency that has openings for employment.

appointment to Federal employment given to Vietnam era veterans who agree to participate in a training and/or educational program while working. Appointments are made only for veterans of the Vietnam era from Aug. 5, 1964, to May 7, 1975, and who were discharged or released from service under other than dishonorable conditions.

Eligible for the appointment is the veteran who has completed no more than 14 years of education (no more than two years beyond the high school level) and who agrees to take an approved course of education or training while working.

Eligible veterans being appointed to jobs at grades, 1, 2 and 3 will not be required to take written tests. For jobs at grade 4 or higher, the veteran will be required to meet the minimum qualifications which may include taking a written test.

VRA appointments may be made by any Federal agency, so an interested veteran may contact the personnel office of the agency where he may desire to work. Complete information can be obtained through such contact.

Ford Parker offers view of early history

Almost every Texas school child has heard the story of Cynthia Ann Parker, daughter of an early Texas settler, who was captured by the Indians and became the mother of Chief Quanah Parker.

A visit to Old Fort Parker, five miles south of Mexia on SH 14 makes that history come alive to the visitor

In 1836, at the age of 9, Cynthia was captured by the Comanches who raided the fort. She lived with the Indians for 25 years, married Chief Pete Nocona and became the mother of Quanah Parker. She was can end if a person is gainfully recaptured by Capt. Sul Ross in the Texas Panhandle and held in from medical advances or captivity till her death in 1864.

Her son, Quanah Parker,

Escapee among most wanted

This is the same tune, second verse, for John DeWayne Christie. Christie was selected for the Texas Most Wanted list back in November but was captured shortly before his story could be featured by media throughout the state.

Now he has been placed back on the fugitive list.

Christie and two other inmates at This is a noncompetitive the Hopkins County Jail escaped from custody Jan. 30. One of the inmates was quickly captured.

However, Christie-who is wanted for the rape of a 14-year-old girl and the assault of the girl's mother-reamins at large.

Hopkins County law enforcement officials say Christie, Milton Wilemon and James Corley escaped sometime around 10 and 11 p.m. Jan. 30. They theorize that Wilemon, who was a jail trustee, obtained a key and then unlocked an outside door to allow the inmates to escape.

Corley, 27, who was being held on charges of possession of a prohibited weapon, possessions of a

Social Security changes processes

A new Social Security continuing review process is beginning, according to Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene. The old process stopped in April 1984 while new rules were developed.

"The Social Security Disability Benefits Reform Act of 1984 and later regulations will make the process more effective, fair and easily understood," Hammons said. "Cases will be carefully and completely developed, and decisions to stop benefits will be well supported and uniform at all levels nationwide.'

Hammons said that the biggest change is the new medical improvement review standard. 'Benefits generally will continue unless there is substantial evidence of both medical improvement and ability to work. Before, only ability to work had to be shown."

There are some limited exceptions where benefits may stop without medical improvement, but they will apply in relatively few cases. For example, entitlement employed or has clearly benefited vocational therapy related to ability

controlled substance and felony theft of property, was arrested a short time later.

Wilemon, 21, who had been jailed on burglary charges and violation of parole, has eluded capture along with Christie.

Officials do not believe that Christie and Wilemon are still together.

Christie, 33, was arrested at a Rockwall truck stop on Nov. 21, 1985, on warrants stemming from the sexual assault of a 14-year-old Sulphur Springs girl on Sept. 1.

He had been scheduled to stand trial early this month.

.Police reports indicate the 14-year-old victim of the sexual assault was attacked by an intruder armed with a butcher knife.

However, the intruder ran into more than he bargained when he tried to attack the girl's mother. She bit the intruder on the neck and forced him to flee the house.

The September incident was not the first time that Christie had run afoul of the law. He had two prior

who receives disability benefits be

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know more about disability reviews

should contact the Abilene office at

142 South Pioneer, phone 698-1360.

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of \$59 a person for cosmetics and

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amount they spent for cheese.

reviewed regularly.



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John DeWayne Christie

convictions for sexually related offenses and had served time in the Texas Department of Corrections for indecency with a child.

Christie is a white male, 6-0, 170 pounds, with a light complexion, brown hair and brown eyes. He has a number of tattoos over his body, including a three-leaf clover on his left arm and a butterfly on his chest.

In addition to the aggravated sexual assault, assault and burglary chargess he faced from the September incident, Christie now also faces escape charges.

A reward of up to \$1,000 is being offered by the Governor's office for information leading to Christie's recapture.

Anyone with knowledge of his possible whereabouts is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council toll-free at 1-800-252-8477. In all cases, callers do not have to reveal their identities.



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If you were ready to buy, which home would you choose? Most likely your answer was House #1. Most buyers would feel the same way, and it points out an important selling tip: Always complete all fix-up, paint-up, replacement work before you try to sell

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originally fought the whites but later became friends with Col. Charles Goodnight and President Theodore Roosevelt. He and his mother are buried side-by-side in Oklahoma.

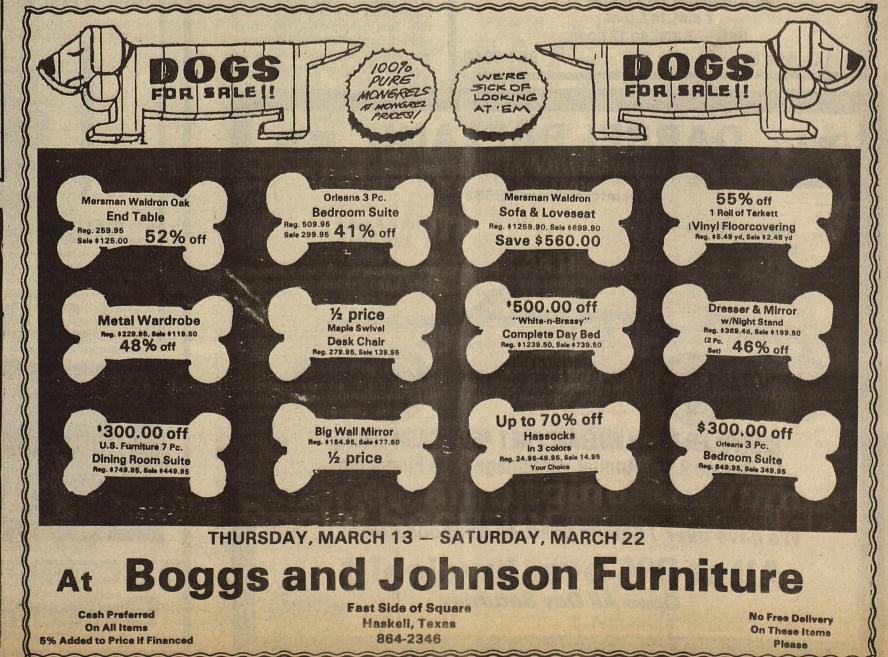
The completely reconstructed fort, with its high log walls and primitively furnished cabins, is a wonderful example of pioneer days in Texas. Cynthia's father, John Parker, is buried in the center of the fort's parade ground.

to work. Another important change provides revised rules for more realistically judging a mentally impaired person's ability to work. A beneficiary who appeals a decision that he or she is no longer

disabled can have checks continue through a decision by an administrative law judge. If the appeal is unsuccessful, though, benefits must be repaid unless a waiver is granted.

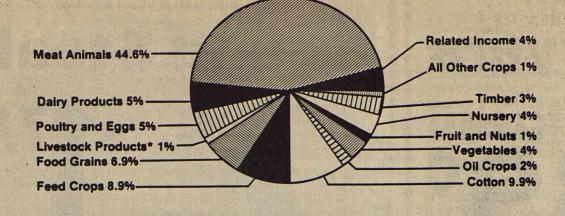
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Percentages of Cash Receipts by Commodity Groups in Texas, 1985.

Texas farm income takes dip

Texas farmers sold about the and cottonseed, \$977.22 million; same level of agricultural commodities in 1985 as a year earlier, but net income continued to decline.

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Cash receipts from the sale of farm and ranch products totaled about \$10.1 billion last year, according to estimates by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of Texas A&M University. At the same time, net income dropped to about \$1.4 billion, down from just over \$2 billion in 1984.

While the level of cash receipts has been fairly steady over the past five years, net farm income for 1985 is estimated to be the lowest since 1980.

"Large crop and livestock supplies and reduced exports again resulted in low prices to farmers and ranchers during 1985," points out Dr. Carl Anderson, extension service economist. "At the same time, costs of energy, chemicals, interest and other production inputs remained high and pushed farm income lower.'

Good yields resulting from favorable weather conditions boosted cash receipts from crops in 1985 while a weak market hurt the livestock industry, notes Anderson. Receipts from greenhouse and nursery stock, fruits and nuts, and agriculturally related enterprises such as outdoor recreation and hunting posted sizeable gains.

Estimated 1985 cash receipts from major commodiities were as follows:

poultry, \$548 million; dairy, \$530 million; wheat, \$528.5 million; sorghum, \$447.7 million; vegetables, \$412.9 million; related income (horses, fish farming, hunting leases and recreation), \$409.9 million; nursery, \$400 million; corn, \$332.6 million; forestry, \$225 million; sheep and goats, \$189.5 million; rice \$144 million; peanuts, \$108 million; swine, \$75.3 million; soybeans \$50.1 million; pecans, \$36 million; peaches and plums,\$11.2 million; and citrus, \$4.2 million.

Texas is expected to rank second among states in cash receipts in 1985 as it did in 1984, notes Anderson. It ranks first in sales of cattle and calves, sheep and wool, goats and mohair, cotton, cabbage, spinach, value of farm real estate, number of farms and ranches, and farm and ranch acreage.'

"With a strong livestock and crop base, the future for Texas agriculture is favorable when compared to other states,' emphasizes. Anderson 'Agriculture is one of the most important industries in Texas as it provides jobs for more than 20 percent of the state's work force. Including all agribusiness phases, agricultural production added some \$32 billion in economic activity to the state in 1985." "The potential for Texas agriculture remains strong," adds the economist. "Major efforts by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Beef cattle, \$4.4 billion; cotton the Texas Agricultural Experiment

Station, both agencies of the Texas A&M system, support the development of the sate's agricultural industry to its greatest potential. Agriculture in Texas enjoys a relatively warm climate, productive soils, and excellent export and transpsortation facilities."

TFU president blasts budget

Texas farmers will have to tighten their belts another notch if Reagan's proposed 18 percent cut in the Agricultural Department's budget is approved in his national budget proposals for 1987, says the president of Texas Farmers Union.

"The administration is going to try to pay for their defense increase by taking funds from agriculture programs, which is at the bottom of the priority list," said Joe Rankin, president of the Texas Farmers Union.

Did you know?

One artist who "paints what he sees," in and around the city of Baltimore, sometimes shows dairy products in less than their best light. One of James Voshell's unglamorous scenes is a huge bag of garbage, its green plastic ripped open and oozing milk cartons and orange skins.

Sagerton Community News

the home of Mrs. Emma Raphelt in Stamford Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark went to San Antonio to visit in the home of their daughter Glenda and her husband Pete Bryan. Also visited with their grandson Clark and his wife Mary Terrell. Then went to Corpus Christi to see Mr. and Mrs. Artie Tonnon and baby Chelsea. Chelsea Tonnon is the great grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, the great great grandmothers are Mrs. Alva LeFevre, Mrs. John Clark. Then the Clarks' went on to Houston to visit in the home of Mrs. Ladain Anderson on their way home went to Wortham to visit with an uncle Clarence LeFevre who is 95 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. G.W. LeFevre went to Springtown to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gibson over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer played 84 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. LeFevre.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stegemoeller and son of De Soto visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Henrietta Stegemoeller over the weekend also attended the 35th wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller.

Mrs. Jessie Pilley and Margret Kittley visited in the home of Mrs. M.Y. Benton Sunday.

Mrs. M.Y. Benton had a birthday party for her daughter, Mrs. Charles Clark Saturday. Those who

Hot baked potatoes stuffed with a wedge of Cheddar cheese can be wrapped in a napkin for eating outof-hand. Eaten at an ice rink, they'll warm the hands until the last bite.



Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in attended were Mr. and Mrs. Charles City on a kidney machine. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Clark and Shawn.

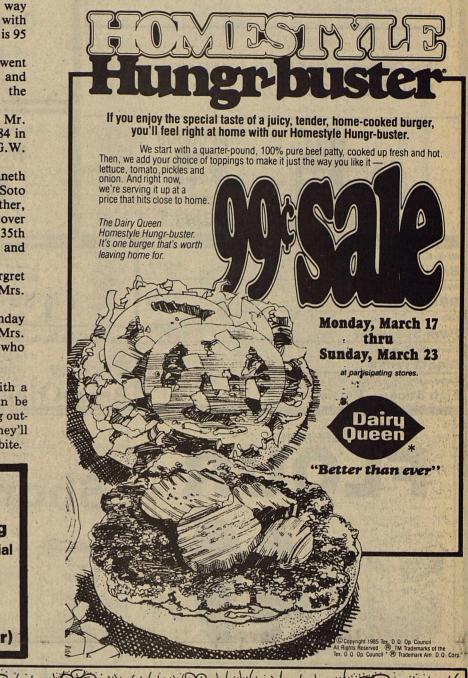
Saturday night went to Abilene to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark and family for supper.

Mrs. Glyn Quade and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer helped Mrs. M.Y. Benton quilt on Thursday. Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller came later to visit in the home of Mrs. M.Y. Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Cook from Big Spring came by to see Mrs. M.Y. Benton on their way to Coffeyville, Kansas to see their daughter and family Sunday. Their grandson is in the hospital in Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kieke, Mrs. Adela Niedieck, Mr. Herbert Rinn played 84 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling Tuesday night.

The monthly Bredthauer family get together was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bredthauer in Stamford Sunday. The afternoon was spent in playing 84 and double nine. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bredthauer of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bredthauer of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mrs. Adela Niedieck of Sagerton.





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