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Wheat farmers polled

Wheat producers are being polled to determine whether they favor the imposition of mandatory limits on wheat production. The poll is required by the Food Security Act of 1985.

The poll is non-binding upon the secretary of agriculture and response by wheat producers is voluntary.

Producers are being asked if they favor imposition of mandatory limits on production of wheat which will result in wheat prices that are not lower than 125 percent of the cost of production.

Ballots were being mailed Wednesday. Responses must be postmarked by July 14.

Infant seats available

Haskell County Farm Bureau members can now buy infant car seats at a special price from the manufacturer, and in addition, be refunded the full cost.

Farm Bureau has made arrangements with Cosco, a well-known baby furniture manufacturer, whereby members may buy for \$20 a "Safe-T-Seat" infant car seat which normally retails for about \$60.

The seat may be kept or passed on to someone else when the child is older, or the member can choose to return it to the local Farm Bureau office for a full \$20 refund.

Any Farm Bureau member may pick up an order form at the county office in Haskell. The order form is to be filled out and sent along with a check for \$20 to the manufacturer. Texas Farm Bureau will pay the difference, plus shipping charges. The Safe-T-Seat will be shipped directly to the member. Those ordering are asked to allow about four weeks for shipment.

The seat, a convertible model, is suitable for small children up to 40 pounds or 40 inches, and meets all federal standards. It also is approved for most commercial and general aircraft.

Farm Bureau points out that car accidents are the leading cause of death for children under 5 years old, but that most of these deaths, as well as many serious injuries, can be prevented with child-restraint seats.

Child-restraint seats also are required by law in Texas.

The number of safety seats which can be ordered under the Farm Bureau program is limited to three per member.

Additional information is available at the Haskell County Farm Bureau office.

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Haskell Extension of WTC

Inexpensive college lures students

By Wendell Faught

They come from Haskell, and from Rule, Weinert, Rochester, Stamford, Knox City, Throckmorton, Munday, Hamlin and Anson, and other area communities.

They are the student body of the Haskell Extension of Western Texas College.

For the most part, the 174 students now attending four-hour night classes at Haskell Elementary School are young people—high school seniors, seniors-to-be and

college students home for the summer after completing their first year of college.

And for the most part, they're taking basic core college courses such as English, history, math and science, picking up three hours which are readily transferrable to just about any college or university they are attending or hope to attend. Many of them are taking more than one course.

Bill Blakley, Haskell Elementary School principal who has served as coordinator of the Haskell

Extension since its inception in 1973, says it's not uncommon for a student to have 15 hours of college credit by the time he or she enrolls as an on-campus freshman. Some have gotten as many as 24 hours at Haskell. This is possible by taking fall and spring courses, as well as summer offerings.

Students may enroll after completing their junior year in high school. They may also attend during the fall and spring sessions, and again the following summer after they graduate from high

school.

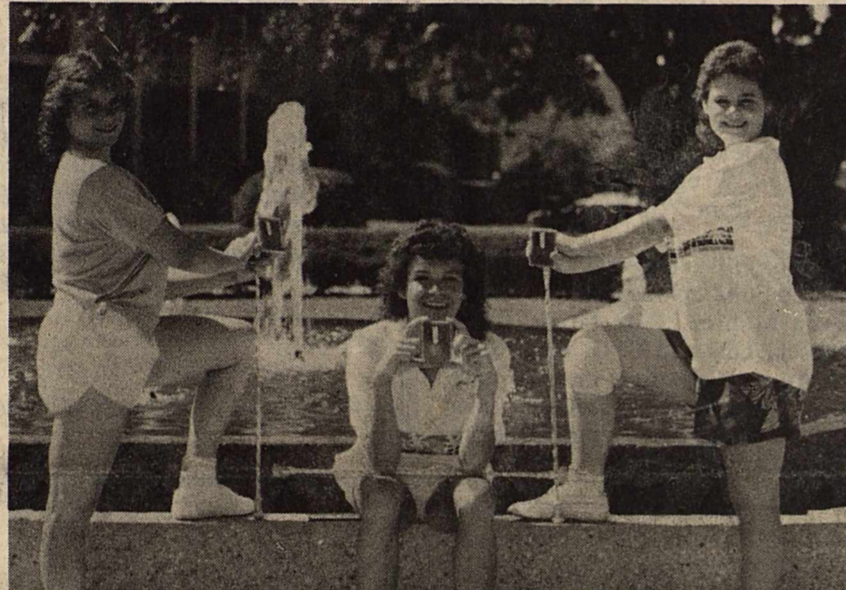
While enrollment fees here are the same as those for on-campus students in Snyder, plus a \$25 extension fee per student, Blakley says there is a tremendous saving to the student. He estimates that the total cost of 15 hours at Haskell, including books, is about \$600 to \$700. It costs on-campus students \$3,000 or \$4,000, he says.

Because of the high enrollment this summer an English course includes three classes and a math course has two classes.

Most instructors commute to Haskell from Snyder. Blakley said most of them like to come here. One instructor came here for eight or nine years, he said. On occasion, local and area teachers serve on the faculty.

Summer classes began May 28 and will continue until July 25. Classes run from 6 to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Completion of each summer session course earns the student three hours of college credit.

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OUTSTANDING

Haskell High twirlers Shanna Mueller, Dala Harris and Wendy Smith recently completed twirling classes at the Hardin-Simmons University Front Line Camp. The twirlers were named the outstanding twirling line at the camp, and Shanna was chosen as the outstanding twirler. The twirling line was selected to perform for the entire camp.

Registration opens for swim classes

Registration will be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week for the summer swimming classes at the Haskell City Pool.

Interested persons should register between 1 and 5 p.m. on one of those days. Fee is \$30.

Classes will be on a daily basis, Monday through Saturday (except

Friday) from July 7 through July 19.

Separate classes will be offered for beginners, novices, intermediates and advanced swimmers. If enough interest justifies it, an adult class may be offered at 5 p.m.

Swimming instructors will be Jim Lisle, Sandy Clay and Emily Cox.

Fourth trip to Haskell

New Zealanders visit

A New Zealand couple left Monday after spending six days here renewing a friendship with a Haskell couple which began in New Zealand in 1977.

Don and Jean Walker had visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinson since Tuesday of last week. The Swinsons took them to Kingfisher, Okla., Monday where they will visit other friends.

It was the Walkers' fourth trip to Haskell. They visited with the Swinsons in 1977, 1980 and 1983.

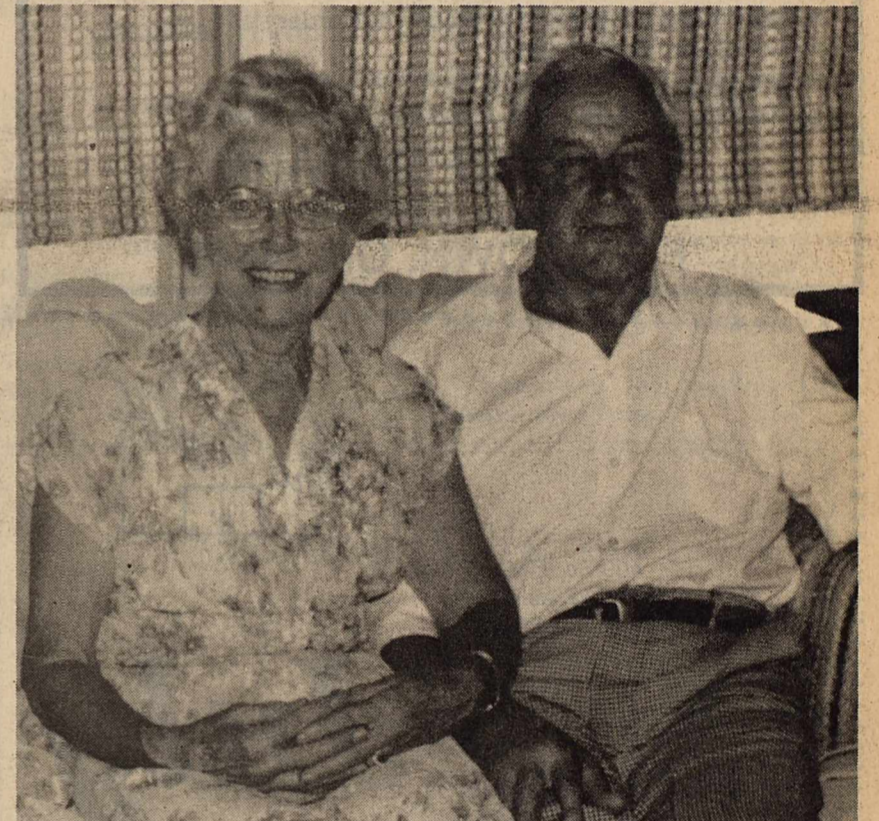
The friendship began nine years ago when the Swinsons were on a foreign tour sponsored by Progressive Farmer magazine. When the tour got to New Zealand, a group from a church in the town of Christ Church hosted the visitors. The Walkers were among that group.

Walker is a retired farmer, having turned over the operation of his "farm company" to his son 14 years ago. The son is a fourth-generation New Zealand farmer. Walker's grandparents came to the country from Scotland. Mrs. Walker's grandparents came from Scotland and Ireland.

The Walker farm produces wheat, barley, oats, small seeds, white clover and perennial grasses. It also has about 2,000 head of sheep and 500 hogs, as well as some cattle. Crops are irrigated from underground water. The Walker farm was the first in its district to install an irrigation system. Most irrigation in the area is the sprinkler type.

The farm economy in New Zealand at the present time is pretty much depressed, Walker said. Farm prices are low and costs have increased rapidly over recent years, presenting much the same situation that American farmers face. Gasoline costs \$4 a gallon and electricity costs have doubled in

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Jean and Don Walker

Civic Center gains from wagon train

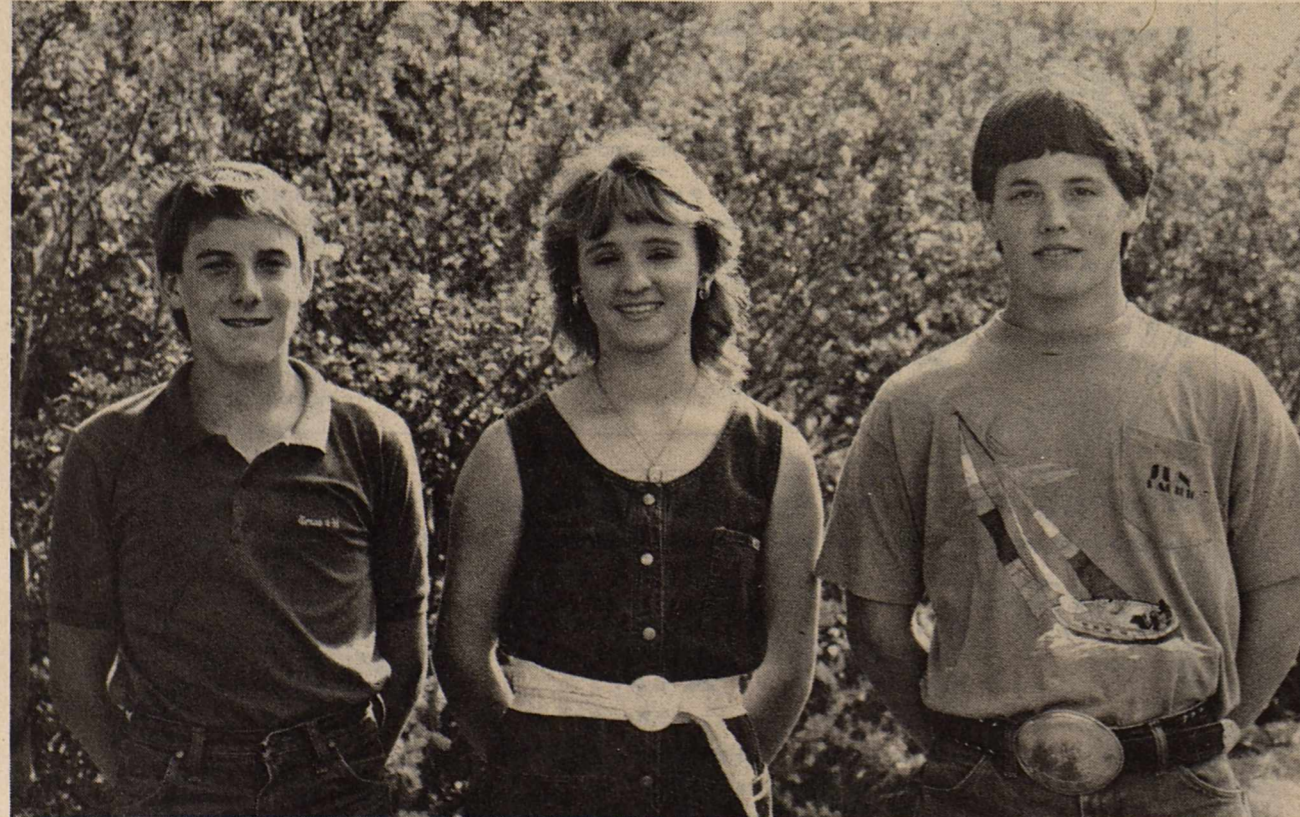
The Haskell Memorial Civic Center turned out to be a big beneficiary of the recent wagon train activities here.

Profits from the wagon train hamburger supper will be turned over to that project by the Haskell Sesquicentennial Committee. Members are awaiting a final accounting of expenses before knowing the exact amount of profits, but it looks like \$2,000.

On the same evening, the Civic Center took in \$852 from the

program by the home demonstration clubs and the gospel singers. And the next morning, the Lions Club kicked in its profits from the pancake breakfast.

With the enriched coffers, the Civic Center board has voted to proceed with plans to apply epoxy sealant and paint to the floor of the building and to purchase an air conditioner for the kitchen. This will be the eighth of 12 units needed to air condition the building.



AT SEMINAR

Participating in the 24th annual Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar at San Angelo June 16-20 were Chad Ballard, Janet Quade and Lance Sloan of Rochester. More than 400 high school juniors and seniors took part in the seminar designed to give them a better understanding of the various forms of government, the free enterprise system and their responsibilities as citizens.

Eligible for state contest

Students attend seminar

Three students from Rochester attended the Texas Farm Bureau High School Citizenship Seminar June 16-20 at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

By attending the seminar, Chad Ballard, Janet Quade and Lance Sloan are now eligible to enter the TFB Free Enterprise Speech Contest this year.

Those who attended the seminar must make at least five speeches concerning free enterprise between now and Sept. 12.

One speech contestant from each of the 13 TFB districts will be selected to compete in the state semifinals at the TFB annual meeting Nov. 30-Dec. 3 in McAllen. Six contestants will advance to compete in the contest finals. A state winner and a runnerup will then be chosen.

District winners will each be awarded a \$750 college scholarship. The state winner will receive a \$2,000 college scholarship, the runnerup will get a \$1,500

scholarship and each of the four other finalists will be awarded \$1,000 scholarships.

Those who win scholarships in more than one TFB contest in the same year will be awarded the largest scholarship. Only one scholarship can be won by one person during the year.

Awards will be payable directly to the college or university in two equal payments. Certificates will be mailed to all winners following the state contest.

Haskell Nursing Center

We would like to welcome back Mrs. Shaw. She has been on vacation and we have all missed her.

Rev. Hodge gave a Wednesday afternoon devotional.

Eleanor Blohm came Thursday morning for a sing a long. We enjoy her music so much.

Thursday for lunch, we had eight of our residents go to the East Side Baptist Church. We listened to a special music program given by the young Hanson boy. The residents enjoyed him so much.

We would like to thank April Isabell for passing the ice to our residents while Mrs. Shaw was away.

We would like to welcome Mrs. Piland back from the hospital. We have missed her and we are glad she is back.

Pauline Williams was visited by Windall Rose of California.

Dr. Post was visited by his son John Post from Tennessee.

A. C. Jeter was visited by his sister Nita from Pakistan.

58 attend reunion of Sanders family

The children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mrs. Jack Sanders of Weir met at Sherwood Park in Odessa Saturday and Sunday (June 21-22) for their 12th annual reunion. Mr. and Mrs. William (Martha) Maupin and their children, William Mark, Susan Marie and Loretta Lynn, were hostesses for this year's reunion.

All 11 of Mrs. Sanders' children were present except Eva Hardman and Rocky Sanders.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Mitchell, all of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Sanders of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Carrouth, ReNetha, Crystal and A.J., Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lambright, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Thomas, all of Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Poole and Candra of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harrington, Marcus and Amber of Mississippi; Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Slade, David and Stacey of Eagar, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Slade,

Ben and Seth, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders and Rex, all of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Kirkland of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox, Deborah and Junior of Daingerfield; Mrs. Scott Sartain and Casey of Daingerfield; Mrs. Scarlett Brazell, Edwin and Teresa of Cross Plains; and Shawn and April Sanders of Stamford.

Coming from towns in Texas, Arizona and Mississippi, 58 members were present for fun, fellowship and food. Sue Cox was emcee for a talent show where several participated.

Plans are being made to have next year's reunion at Lake Whitney with Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Kirkland Jr. of Fort Worth and their children as hosts and hostesses.

It is hoped that each year relatives and friends of the Sanders family can meet and memorialize the people in whose honor these happy get-togethers are held.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. James Clifton Kolb of Snyder announce the birth of their son, James Brandon Kolb, born June 22, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 12 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Moore of Munday announce the birth of their daughter, Kayla Michelle Moore, born June 22, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs. 2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Purdy of Gallup, N.M., have announced the arrival of a son, Andrew Von Purdy, born June 17, at Gallup.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry V. Collins of Gallup and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Purdy of Neptune, N.J.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Collins of Haskell, Robert L. Barbee of Anson and Ethel Barbee of Lometa. Great-great grandmother is Mrs. James E. Barbee of Clyde.

Andrew also is welcomed by a brother, Charles Louis Purdy.

Rice Springs

Visitors for the month of June in our home have been:

Curtis and Ann Jackson with Mrs. John Clark; Jackie, Irene and Jacklyn Escoliedo with Maria Garcia; Lillian Hicks with Lois and Walter Speck; Roy and Oralia Garcia of Fort Worth with Maria Garcia; Ruben and Norma Garcia with Maria Garcia.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Bartley with Stella Bartley; Mrs. J. E. Kittley with Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Kreger; Mrs. Pete Kittley with Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Kreger; Mrs. Pete Kittley with Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Kuenstler; Trudy, Amy and Crystal Hunt with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Speck; Ava Covey, Eudora, Elyse and Jan from Abilene, Mae Speck, Keele Acres with Walter and Lois Speck; Beu and Margaret Clifton from Fort Worth with Catherine Clifton.

Charles Prater and Chris Prater with Alma Manzen; Billy Joe and Dood Speck, Leatha Flippo with Walter and Lois Speck; Gloria Malura and kids, Linda Bartley from Lubbock, Olen and Katherine Bartley and Cathy, Christi and Misti Bartley all visited with Stella Bartley.

Evelyn Chambers visited in our home. George, Geneva Bruton of Weatherford and Carol McBride of Warrensburg, Mo., with Della Bruton; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Millican of Greendiver, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Roberts of Kaufman visited in our home. Also Presto Hitt, Woodrow and Myrtle Turnbow, Rufino Escoliedo with Maria Garcia, Ethel Segal and Eula Orr. Barbara Messenger and kids. Earlene Griffith with Elvie Lefevre; Kristi Noyes, Karen Noyes, great-granddaughters from Mesquite visited with Mildred Tonn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gunnels of San Antonio with Edna Collins and E. W. and Elsie Kreger visited his brother, Jess Kreger, and Glen and Frances Kreger, son of Jess Kreger, from Willcox, Ariz., also visited.

Alpha Hill and Derryl Thornberry visited Edna Collins from Floydada; Reba Mahler, Dale Lewis, Jean Sollock, Lois and E. G. Post, Jane McAduo, Evalzene and Tommy Wilson all visited Alma Cole. Edna Collins visited over the weekend with Patsy and family.

Home cooling costs can be reduced

Summer cooling costs represent the largest annual utility expense in the typical home.

Peggy Rosson, chairman of the Public Utility Commission, suggests a "whole-house cooling strategy" to reduce summer cooling costs by as much as 30 to 40 percent. "But more is involved," says Rosson, "than just adjusting the thermostat up a few degrees, closing of unused rooms and installing ceiling fans. While all these actions can help, much more is possible."

The Energy Efficiency Division of the Public Utility Commission has a "Cooling Cost Reduction Package" with information ranging from keeping the air conditioning system tuned up to efficient exterior shading methods and cooling options for the different climatic regions of the state. The package contains a consumer guide and factsheets, to help design the most

effective strategy to combat Texas heat.

To learn more about cooling methods tailored to individual homes and local conditions, call 1-800-643-SAVE and talk to an energy specialist. Ask of the "Cooling Cost Reduction Package."

Veterans board increases benefits

The Texas Veterans Land Board has voted to expand the benefits available to Texas veterans by adopting the recommendations of the Sunset Commission, the state legislature and Texas voters.

"By adopting these recommendations, the number of state benefits for Texas veterans has tripled," said Garry Mauro, chairman of the Veterans Land Board.

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The family of Ida Walling would like to express our deep appreciation for the many acts of thoughtfulness shown during the recent illness and loss of our dear wife and mother. Special thanks go to the doctors and nurses at Haskell Hospital, and Bro. James Densman, Ford Cole, and Pastor Victor Andersen. Words can never express our love and thanks to each of you for the prayers, flowers, cards, and visits during our time of sorrow.

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Schwede family gathers

Descendants of Gottfried Schwede met for a reunion June 14 at the Zion Lutheran Church Parish Hall near Lockett.

Gottfried Schwede came to Colorado County, Texas, from Prussia in 1820. His wife and three children, Anna, Carl (Charley) and William (Bill) sailed with him aboard the ship Erna, landing in Galveston.

Approximately 150 attended the reunion, coming from California, New Mexico, Minnesota, North Carolina and Texas.

Erma Monke Liles of Weinert is the oldest grandchild of Carl Schwede. She attended the reunion in Lockett and also the Carl Schwede picnic at the Vernon Park the next day.

Complete genealogy albums were available for each descendant to browse through.

The Rev. and Mrs. Paris Barton of Haskell also attended the reunion in Lockett.

Furrh couple celebrates anniversary

Miller and Dora Montgomery were in Grand Prairie last weekend to attend a reception for Bob and Bettye Furrh on their 30th anniversary, hosted by their daughter and husband, Lee Ann and Jacky Hall.

The Halls live in South Grand Prairie and had the reception in their back yard, under the patio and around the pool.



Elisabeth Ann Richardson

Couple united in Austin ceremony

Elisabeth Ann Kemmerer of Austin became the bride of Douglas Lee Richardson in a marriage ceremony June 21 at the Crestview United Methodist Church in Austin.

The Rev. Bob Grimes of the Bethany United Methodist Church in Austin performed the ceremony. Jack Martin was organist and Cary Braffett was soloist.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Mary Ann Kemmerer. Parents of the bridegroom are A. C.

Richardson of Haskell and Becky Tubbs of Anson.

Matron of honor was Tina Kemmerer of Austin, sister-in-law of the bride. Bridesmaid was Paula Simpson, a friend from Fort Worth.

Clark Richardson of Fort Worth served as his brother's best man. Gil Richardson of Haskell, another brother, was groomsman. Ushers were Jonathan Kemmerer and Joel Kemmerer of Austin, brothers of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an elegant gown in white tissue taffeta. The slim fitted bodice featured an off-the-shoulder sweetheart neckline and pearls at the shoulders. The full soft skirt fell from the hip where a cummerbund encircled with a candy box bow at the back, and a full chapel train.

The shoulder-length veil attached to a crown of silk flowers. She carried an all-white bouquet of cascading baby's breath and roses, centered around an antique fan belonging to her grandmother.

Attendants wore full length, shrimp colored dresses. They carried long stem flowers of gerber daisies, ivory lilies and roses, tied with shrimp colored ribbons.

A reception at the Green Pastures Restaurant followed the wedding ceremony.

The bride is a senior at Southwest Texas State University. She will graduate next May with a degree in fashion merchandising.

The groom is a graduate of Southwest State University with a degree in business. He is employed by Interfirst Bank in Austin.

Following a wedding trip to Fort Myers, Fla., the couple will make their home in Austin.

Reunion honors Mrs. Dendy

On June 13 and 14, Mrs. L. B. Dendy was honored with a reunion of all of her descendants except three grandchildren. The reunion was held at Eisenhower State Park and the Holiday Inn in Denison.

Mrs. Dendy and her husband, the late L. B. (Leck) Dendy, reared their four children in Haskell and each of the children attended and graduated from Haskell High School.

Margaret Behne, a daughter, lives in Denison where she and her husband own and operate a plant nursery and greenhouse. Her two children, Sherry Brown of Houston and Paul Behne of Dallas, were also in attendance with their families.

Roland Dendy and his wife, Sharon, traveled from near Tucson, Ariz. Roland is a junior high principal in Benson, Ariz., where he has held that position for 20 years. Their two children, Bruce and Duron, both of Flagstaff, Ariz., were unable to attend because of job commitments. Sharon is employed as the secretary of the Presbyterian Church in Benson.

Douglas Dendy and wife, Barbara (formerly Barbara Thompson of Haskell) traveled from Lubbock where Douglas is a supervisor with the Bell Telephone system. Barbara is a credit manager. Their two sons, Keith and Randy, were there to honor their grandmother as well. Ashley Dendy, age 3, attended with her father, Keith.

Don Dendy and his wife, Phyllis, drove in from Houston where Don works for a highway construction company. Their children and grandchildren arrived to spend the weekend with their grandmother and great-grandmother from Norman, Okla. and from Houston. Two of Don's sons were on leave from the armed services. Charles came from Germany and James from South Carolina.

A catered picnic at the park highlighted the first day of the reunion. A breakfast was served to the entire family at the Holiday Inn on Sunday morning.

A total of 21 descendants attended the family gathering.



Marsha Rhea Rodgers and Jamie Lawson Mickler

Rodgers, Mickler wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. Charley A. Rodgers are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Marsha Rhea, to Jamie Lawson

Mickler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Twain Mickler of Haskell.

Vows will be exchanged Aug. 16 at the First Street Church of Christ in Dumas.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Dumas High School and Abilene Christian University with a bachelor of science degree in nursing. She is employed at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

The future bride-groom is a graduate of Haskell High School and Texas Tech University with a bachelor of science degree in petroleum engineering. He is with Vista Energy Corp. in Abilene.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

Hospital Notes

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MEDICAL: Walter Bell, Stamford; Kathleen Felker, Haskell; Elva Kuenstler, Haskell; Sam Smith, Old Glory.

DISMISSALS
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Commentary

State spending continues to rise

AUSTIN—Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock reported last week that state spending rose for the third straight month, even as state government hedges towards its destined day of reckoning with a \$1.3 billion deficit.

Bullock's figures show total spending in May was over 80% higher than the monthly average for the fiscal year.

Bullock's office, which months ago began criticizing Gov. Mark White's voluntary austerity plan, made no comment on that issue.

But former Gov. Bill Clements, now seeking to oust White, called White's plan "a bust" that "did not reduce the spending habits of state government one penny."

White exchanged fire, accusing Clements of flip-flopping on the Panhandle nuclear dump issue. He remained optimistic that his austerity plan is working.

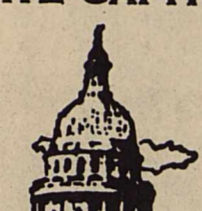
Cyclical spending causes some monthly reports to be higher than others, his office explained.

liam Kilgarlin, in a letter to that committee, said they have been politically targeted for removal from the court, apparently for siding too much with plaintiffs.

They charge the committee chairman with aiding their opposition.

The link, the letter pointed out, occurred visibly at a March meeting to plan the first committee hearing. It was held at the home of George Shipley,

STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Monitoring Spending

Neither White nor Clements had any new twists on the subject of a special session to balance the state budget.

One bright spot is that Bullock has joined together the top staff in several of his divisions into a new Economic Analysis Center.

He has directed them to combine data from the research, revenue-estimating, fund-accounting and debt-registration arms and compile an up-to-date picture of the Texas economy and its future in an ongoing process.

Clements Gains

Clements and U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, the state's top two Republicans, have apparently reconciled any differences they carried in the past primary election.

Their new alliance means peace, for now, between old line Republicans and new converts, particularly former Democrats.

Clements also won the straw vote preference of delegates to the state employees convention last week by 61 percent to White's 24 percent. White responded that while Clements may have the state employees' leadership support, he had the rank and file membership.

The Texas Public Employees Association made no official endorsement in that race, but voted to lobby for a nine percent pay increase next session.

Texas Supreme Court

Meanwhile, a House Committee continued investigating alleged misconduct on the Texas Supreme Court amid charges from two justices the probe is politically motivated.

Justices C. L. Ray and Wil-

a political consultant who jointly works for committee chairman Rep. Frank Tejeda and the pro-defense group Texas Supreme Court Justice Committee.

Ray and Kilgarlin questioned "the legislative purpose being served by your campaign manager (Shipley) directing the committee investigation from his home."

Shipley responded the informal meeting was to introduce a San Antonio reporter to possible sources.

Other Highlights

The Texas AFL-CIO last week said labor will lobby next session for state legislation imposing criminal penalties on contractors who do not enforce occupational safety standards.

Recent figures show Texas leads the nation in construction deaths, and violations of federal safety regulations were cited as factors in three of four deaths.

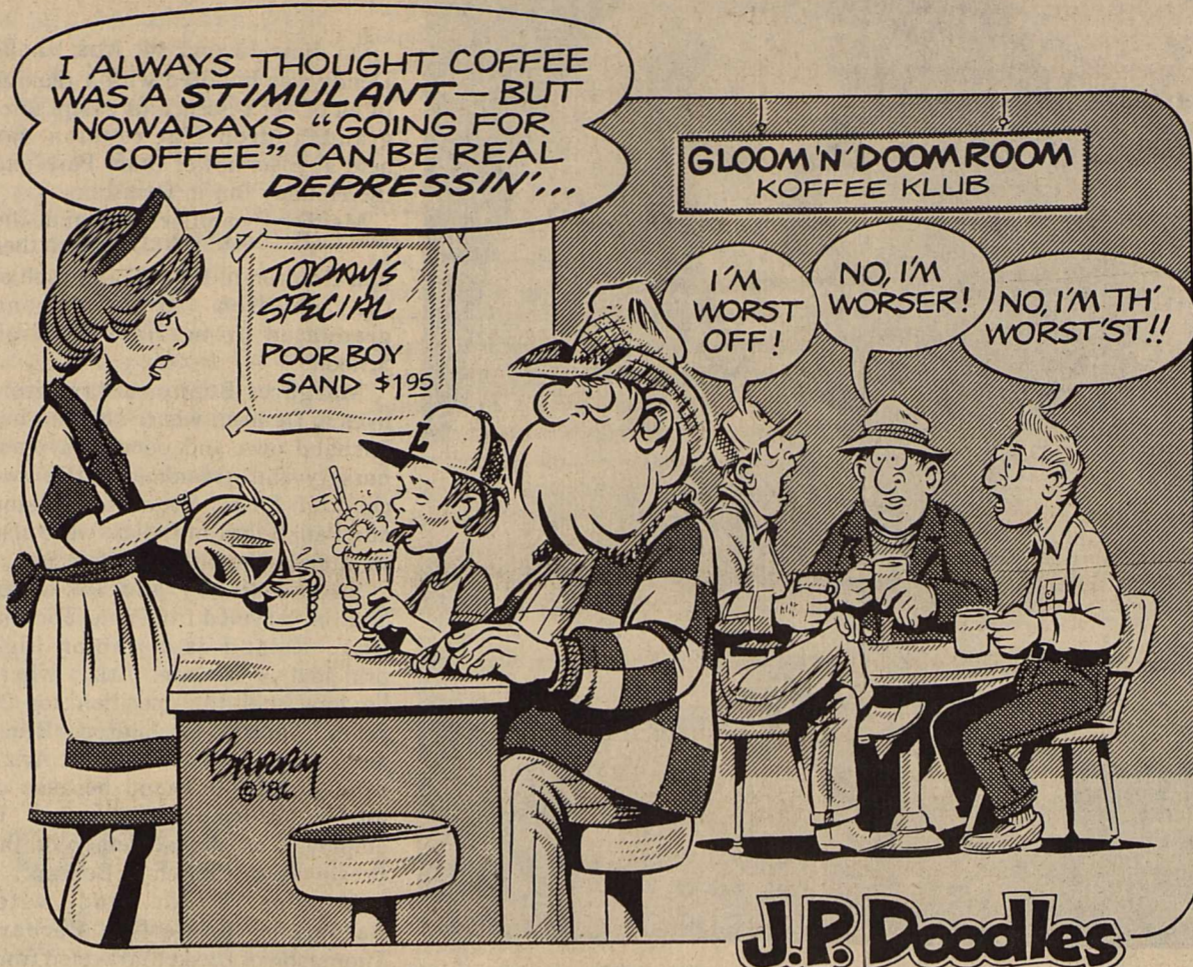
Recent survey results show most Texans are not optimistic about the state economy and their personal fortunes.

Fifty-four percent expect to be worse off next year, an impact of the oil patch crises.

The Texas Education Agency will study the possibility of public schools switching to a quarter system from the semester system.

In the quarter system, students would be required to attend school three quarters and have one quarter off. Vacations would be alternated by taking off three months at different times.

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BY WENDELL FAUGHT

Next to the Bible, "Gone With the Wind" is the all-time best-seller.

Margaret Mitchell's great Civil War novel still sells 250,000 copies a year. A new edition of the book is the No. 1 seller in Atlanta today. The book has been published in 25 languages in 37 foreign countries.

More people have seen the "Gone With the Wind" movie than any other movie in history. It's been re-released numerous times since it premiered in 1939. It's been on television a number of times.

Now there's talk of a "Gone With the Wind II." Let's hope it never comes about. Every American knows the "Gone With the Wind" story. It ended long ago. There's not any more to it.

A Miami Herald reporter kept score on Miami Vice. In 21 episodes, 120 bad guys were killed.

In real life the entire Miami area police force killed only eight felons in all of 1985.

Sonny knocked off that number in one night and Rico got six in the same 30-minute episode.

The head of the city income tax division in Detroit has been indicted for refunding himself \$103,000.

As the Polish would say, that's like having a goat for a gardener.

While Jerry Falwell et al are trying to shut the gate on Playboy and Penthouse, a new monster is coming out of the woodwork.

It's estimated that 50 million Americans have seen sexually explicit movies, many of which, by comparison, make Playboy look like something out of Dick and Jane.

If you haven't yet learned to spell "sesquicentennial," you may as well forget about learning. When this year is over, you may never again have a need to write the word.

Last year, people with money to burn, spent \$150 apiece to ship Cabbage Patch Kids off to summer camp in Georgia.

Today, you can have your CPK fitted with a parachute and tossed from an airplane at 2,000 feet. And for only \$25.

A man in Titusville, Fla., is promoting it at the airport there. Just thought you'd like to know.

Gross sales top \$58 million here

Gross sales in Haskell County in 1985 came to \$58,670,370, according to a report issued Friday by State Comptroller Bob Bullock.

The figure represents a substantial increase over the \$53,867,092 in gross sales recorded in 1984.

Brightly colored — attention getting — Open-Closed Signs for your office or business. Comes complete with changeable letters in black or red. Also includes a sign for counter top use. See at the **Haskell Free Press**.

From Out of the Past

30 Years Ago June 26, 1956

Haskell County Hospital is receiving the addition of 25 new refrigerated one-ton air conditioning units. They are expected to be installed by the end of the week.

The rural telephone project now under construction by General Telephone Company of the Southwest and which will serve rural patrons in the area surrounding Haskell is due for completion by Aug. 1.

Miss Gloria Ratliff, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ratliff, is spending the summer in Granbury where she is teaching Red Cross swimming.

Haskell Saddle Tramps won second place in the riding club division of the opening day parade at the annual Baylor County Rodeo in Seymour Thursday.

Seven students from Haskell are enrolled in the first summer session at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. They are Rice G. Alvis, Hal L. Guess, Gladys O'Neal, Barbara Rhoads, Roy Don Rhoads, Opal Martin Richey and Christine L. Speer.

Jack Medford was honored at a birthday party at his home Sunday. Attending were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klose, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Klose and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adkins.

Rep. George Mahon has asked The Free Press to carry an announcement of his candidacy for re-election to Congress from the 19th Texas District.

50 Years Ago June 25, 1936

The new 150,000-gallon water tower finished last week officially became the property of the City of Haskell Monday night when the Council accepted the project as completed.

Miss Frankie Dorris Bledsoe has returned from Abilene where she spent a week with relatives and friends.

Miss Sue Kinney, who is attending Sul Ross College in Alpine, and Miss Annie Kate Ferguson, teacher in the college, spent Sunday in Haskell with relatives.

The new maintainer purchased recently by the city arrived last week and has been placed in operation grading city streets. Ralph Merchant has been employed to operate the machine.

Miss Margaret Kennedy of Abilene is spending the week in Haskell with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy.

Dr. J. F. Cadenhead and Supt. I. J. Duff of Weinert were business visitors in Haskell Monday afternoon.

W. C. Allen of Alpine, former sheriff of Haskell County, was here several days this week on business.

60 Years Ago June 24, 1926

T. E. Ballard, ranchman of this city, shipped three cars of fat Hereford steers to the Fort Worth market this week.

Oscar Oates of Oates Drug Store attend the state druggists' convention in Dallas last week and is spending this week in Galveston.

A horse belonging to Fred Monke of the Myers community was struck and killed by lightning last Thursday while the animal was grazing in a pasture.

Miss Marguerite McCollum was the weekend guest of Miss Kathleen Mabry of Munday, who returned to Haskell with her and will spend several days here.

Mrs. Sam T. Chapman of Rochester spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith, of this city.

Richard Sherrill, member of the faculty of Washington and Lee University in Virginia, and Earnest Sanders, a student, arrived this week for a visit with their parents here. They made the trip in Mr. Sherrill's car.

Mrs. W. N. Huckabee and daughter, Miss Eunice, left last week for Denver, Colo., where they

will spend the summer.

80 Years Ago June 23, 1906

J. N. Ellis, Booth English and Walter Marsh have purchased the lot adjoining Alexander's Mercantile Store and will erect a concrete stone building for a market house.

The Democratic Executive Committee has determined assessments to be made against candidates to cover expenses for the coming primary. The following fees will be charged: Candidates for sheriff and tax collector and county and district clerk, \$10 each; county judge, county attorney and tax assessor, \$7.50 each; county treasurer and public weigher, \$5 each; constable and justice of the peace, \$2 each.

G. L. Atchison of the Irby community was in town Tuesday and told us that crops were fine out that way. He thinks some of the wheat will make 40 bushels per acre.

Mrs. John Ellis and little daughter, Merle, returned Friday from Indian Territory where they visited the family of Mrs. Ellis' father, Rev. D. James.

Mrs. Theo Wright, owner of the Wright House, has let a contract for the erection of a 15-room hotel on the lot west of her present building. The new building is to be two stories.

C. W. Bell, who has been away taking a business course, has completed the required studies and returned home this week.

W. T. McDaniel has the building completed for his new cotton gin plant, and some of the machinery is being received.

Ground was broken this week for the new Neathery Building on the east side of the courthouse square. The building, 30x100 feet, is to be occupied by the firm of McNeil and Smith from Belton.

M. L. Lynch has completed a building on the south side of the square where he will open a restaurant.

Letters to the Editor

Editor: Don Crowder, a candidate for governor in the May Democratic primary, campaigned throughout Texas claiming a state lottery would provide a "quick cure" for the expected budget deficit Texas will probably experience because of falling oil prices. In reality, a state-sponsored lottery is neither "quick" nor a "cure."

Throughout his campaign Mr. Crowder estimated a state lottery would "bring between \$2 billion and \$6 billion annually into the treasury." By contrast, Comptroller Bob Bullock during the 1985 legislative sessions projected lottery revenues five years after passing the legislature to reach \$400 million—several billion short of Mr. Crowder's projections and a very small percentage of our \$37.2 billion biennial budget.

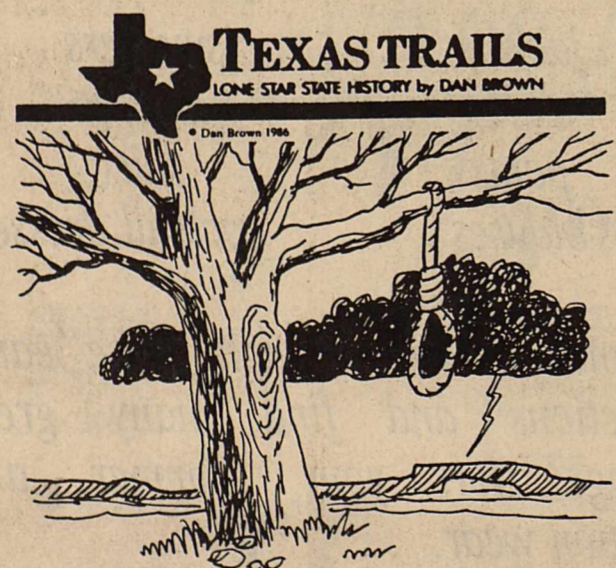
Often Mr. Crowder stated that "the lottery earns New Jersey \$1 billion a year in state revenues." A survey by "State Legislators" of state lotteries shows New Jersey

had \$924.6 million in gross revenue but netted only \$390.5 million in fiscal year 1985 after prizes and administrative costs were subtracted.

Mr. Crowder frequently stated that he based his \$2 billion to \$6 billion projection on the California lottery, but again he has misstated the facts. While claiming California and Texas were similar in population and size, he overlooked the fact that the Texas population is much smaller. He claimed California "raised" \$1.4 billion during its first four months of operation, but "Insights" magazine reported California's lottery had \$800 million in gross sales during that period and that the state actually raised \$272 million.

There is nothing quick about the adoption and implementation of a state lottery. Yet, Mr. Crowder proclaimed "one could be set up in

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WOMAN HANGED ...
The only woman legally hanged in Texas was Chapita Rodriguez. Although the evidence against her was largely circumstantial she was tried and sentenced to hang. The hanging took place at San Patricio on Friday, November 13, 1863, for the murder of a horse trader. A few years later a bolt of lightning destroyed the hanging tree.

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90 days and be generating money for the state treasury in 120 days. His time frame neglected the following: The Texas Legislature by a two-thirds vote in each house would have to pass a constitutional amendment to be voted on by the people of Texas. Unless the legislature voted to hold a costly special election, the vote to authorize a lottery most likely would be in November of 1987. It took California (a state Mr. Crowder liked to use for comparable data) 11 months from the time the electorate approved a state lottery (November 1984) until it actually started (October 1985). Obviously, a state lottery would not be a quick cure for the current biennium since it would not even be in operation until the fall of 1988!

While a candidate is free, as he should be, to advocate whatever campaign issues he or she chooses, our system of democracy works best when a candidate presents accurate information on each issue. Such was not the case with Mr. Crowder and the lottery.

Sue Cox
Director
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Sagerton Community News

The Sagerton Hobby Club met Thursday, June 19 in the home of Christine Stremmel with 8 members present. Christine called the meeting to order in the absence of Margie Hertel. Club decided to go to Abilene July 9 for a fun day. Members present were Freida Knipling, Ev Ulmer, Dorothy Toney, Mondy Teichelman, Wilma Teichelman, Rachel Teichelman, Aline Summers and the hostess.

Mildred Kitley, Mrs. Henrietta Stegemoeller, Mrs. Minnie Monse, Jim Brown, Clarence Stegemoeller, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. Alvin Bredthauer, Mr. Herbert Rinn, Mr. Larry LeFevre, Shane, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mrs. J.B. Toney.

Mrs. Peart Schwartz of Snyder visited in the home of her mother Mrs. Lillie Lehmann for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson of Martindale spent a few days in their mobile home here in Sagerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark were in Houston recently where they attended the Sesquicentennial concert of the Houston Lutheran Choral. Their daughter Peggy Adler and granddaughter, Anna were participating in the program. Others attending the concert and spending the weekend in the Adler home included Mrs. Leon Stegemoeller of Sagerton, Mrs. Emma Raphelt and Mrs.

Laverne Stanhope of Stamford, Clyde and Clifford Stegemoeller of Dallas and Arlington. The Clarks brought their grandson Christopher Adler home with them to visit for 2 weeks. While here he enjoyed visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and Phillip of Lueders and his great grandmother Mrs. Emma Raphelt of Stamford and Mrs. J.A. Clark of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark visited in Denton with Mr. and Mrs. Don Bivins, Coleman, Tom and Emmalee. They met Mrs. David Adler and Anna there who had come to take Christopher back home with them. Peggy and Anna had been on a weekend choir tour last weekend with the Houston Lutheran Choral. They visited Temple. On Tuesday afternoon a group of relatives gathered at the Sons of Hermann hall for a supper and visiting with several of the relatives who live around here. Those from El Campo were Frank Popp, Bill Popp, Mary Kovar, Jerry and Rosie Hlavaty, Wayne Popp. All from El Campo area were here several days last week visiting relatives, they

come especially to visit their 93 year old aunt Rosie Stremmel who resides in Teakwood Manor in Stamford.

Those from around here were Melvin and Wanda Thane of Abilene, Johnny and Mary Kainer, Bertha Bounds, Evelyn Kainer of Stamford, Leland and Janet Thane, Marc and Janet Thane and Chelsea of Haskell, Jeff and Rhonda Thane of Knox City, Herbert and Christine Stremmel, Jack and Lois Monse, Mitch Kupatt, Jana Manske and Jace and Larry Stremmel of Sagerton.

Sunday for Fathers Day at Leo Monse's home where Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Marzek from Aspermont, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mills and John Vahlenkamp from Lubbock, Fred Monse of Dudley, Mrs. Novell Lehmann and Joshua Smith of Rule, grandson DeWayne Monse of Sagerton.

The Friendship Club met at the Fellowship Hall of Faith Lutheran Church Thursday at 11:30 with a good group being there. Those who attended were Mrs. Franklin Mrazek, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mr. and

Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, Mrs. M.Y. Benton, DeWayne Monse, Stacey and Marcia Swoyer, Mrs. Christine Vahlenkamp, Mrs. Jessie Pilley, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. Tyler, San Antonio and Fredicksburg.

Mrs. Martha Macon, Mr. and Mrs. James Gellner visited in the home of Mrs. John L. Broaks Saturday afternoon. Also stopping by to visit a few minutes in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in Wagner, Okla over the weekend with their son Harold who

works in Tulsa Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lammert, Mr. and Mrs. G.W. LeFevre played 84 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenor Summers visited in Rochester Sunday afternoon

BIRTHS

Mike and Leeta Collier and Sheree and Kristen Marr are proud to announce the birth of their daughter and sister, Jennifer Michelle, born June 7 at Stamford Memorial Hospital.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Collier of Coahoma and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Pharris Jr. of Haskell.

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Haskell Extension...

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The student makeup of the fall and spring sessions is somewhat different from that of the summer term. Enrollment is considerably less, and older adults make up more of the student body. Quite a few adults start out taking a course or two with no long-range intentions, but then get back in the school routine and go on to get degrees or associate degrees.

Whereas 174 are enrolled in the summer classes, the fall term averages 65, fluctuating from a low of 35 in 1982 to a high of 88 in 1984. There were 38 last fall.

A course will be offered in any subject if as many as 15 students enroll. Although no vocational courses are available, the school offers a number of non-credit courses, but Blakley said there is not much interest in them.

Fall and spring students attend classes from 6:30 to 9:30 on Monday through Thursday evenings. Although these classes are an hour shorter than the summer classes, students still get the same number of classroom hours over a longer period and still

earn three college hours.

Fall registration is held about the third week in August and classes are completed by Christmas. The spring term begins in mid-January.

The Haskell school furnishes the building, utilities and maintenance, but WTC pays the rest of the expenses.

The Haskell Extension has been the largest of WTC's extensions during several of the years of its existence, including the last two. And it has certainly been one of the most successful. Of seven extensions the school has operated over the past decade, only Haskell and Sweetwater have enrolled enough students each year to qualify for an extension campus. Other extensions have been in Colorado City, Rotan/Hamlin, Post, Crosbyton and Ballinger.

Blakley explains that the school has gone through three cycles of enrollment. At first, he said, students were mostly veterans. As this phase passed, a new law requiring college training for law-enforcement personnel created a lot of interest. And today, the school's top attraction is to young people interested in getting basic college course requirements more conveniently and more inexpensively. While the first two phases of interest ran their courses, Blakley feels that the present interest will be a permanent attraction for the school.

Pleasant Valley reunion Saturday

The annual Pleasant Valley Reunion and salad supper will be Saturday, June 28, in the Haskell National Bank Community Building. It begins at 7 p.m.

Dyess AFB open house Saturday

Dyess Air Force Base will once again open its gates to the public at 10 a.m. Saturday for the annual Abilene Appreciation Day open house. Admissions and parking are free.

Activities scheduled include an Army 6th Cavalry Brigade helicopter rappelling demonstration team from Fort Hood; static display aircraft, a military working dog demonstration, Confederate Air Force aerial demonstration, flying demonstrations, a civilian aircraft fly-in and the Lackland Band of the West Country and Western music combo.

Several squadrons will sponsor displays of their unit mission. Also, nearly three dozen booths and displays, all sponsored by base squadrons and organizations, will sell many types of refreshments and Air Force related items.

The Fort Hood helicopter rappelling demonstration team, better known as the Pathfinders, will rappel in full combat gear from a helicopter at a height of some 90 feet. The rappelling demonstration will involve a rapid deployment from a rope attached to a Huey helicopter—used usually from a hilltop or other rugged terrain where a helicopter cannot land.

For more information about this year's Abilene Appreciation Day open house, call the 96th Bomb Wing Public Affairs office at 915-696-2864.

While it may be true that money can't buy love it can buy life, especially when you give a contribution to the Haskell Co. Ambulance Memorial Fund. Your contribution is tax deductible, and will be useful for years to come. Don't hesitate. Make arrangements now to give. Thank you.

New Zealanders...

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He blames the government for many of the farmers' woes, calling the present Labor administration of Prime Minister Lange "kinda socialistic." New Zealand is a British Commonwealth. Most residents are descendants of British settlers. The country sees a lot of American tourists, but foreigners are not allowed to buy land.

While many ways of life are similar to what they are in America, there are some striking differences. Mrs. Walker explained that the government-run post office, for instance, operates the telephone and telegraph service. It also issues radio and television licenses and runs a bank and a savings institution (there are traditional banks in the country, however). "For a while, we paid our income taxes at the post office," she said.

The Walkers are members of the Presbyterian Church in Church Light where he served 30 years as church organist.

The New Zealanders said they always enjoy visiting in Haskell. They saw their first cotton gin here and also saw cotton growing in the field for the first time. Friday night, the Swinsons took them to the Fort Griffin Fandangle in Albany and on Sunday, they were guests of the Swinsons at First Baptist Church services.

Walker says this is his last trip to this country, but the Swinsons quickly remind him that is what he said the last time. "He'll be back in '89," said Swinson, noting that the Walkers' four trips have been at three-year intervals.

Every Christmas the Walkers call the Swinsons. They place the call about 3 a.m. in order to reach their friends at a suitable hour for them.

The Haskell couple say they would like to visit New Zealand again, but responsibilities to their aging parents forbid them from making a lengthy trip. "I'd like to go salmon fishing with him," said Swinson. "I think I could teach him something." The Haskell man adds that New Zealand was his favorite of the countries they visited on the 1977 tour. "The people there are good people, very friendly, and they speak our language," he added.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker arrived in

Sen. Gramm to be in Abilene Sunday

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm will be in Abilene Sunday to hold a public agriculture forum on the Abilene Christian University campus.

The forum will be from 8 to 9 p.m. in the living room of ACU's McGlothlin Campus Center. A 15-minute press conference will precede the forum.

At the forum, Gramm will address current agriculture issues facing West Texas farmers. He also will discuss the effects of national agriculture policy in this area in particular.

His visit to Abilene is one of several he will make across the state.

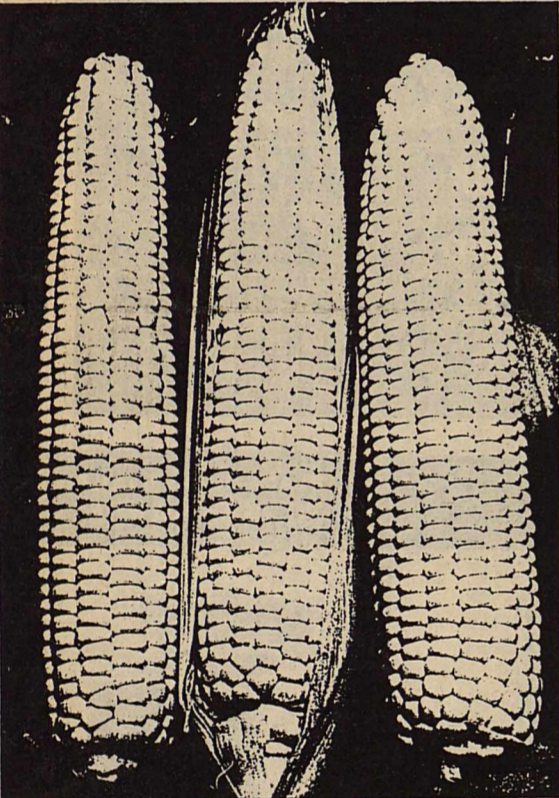
Cub Scouts

Cub scouts will have a pack meeting Saturday at the City Pool. All Cubs are urged to attend and bring their families.

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Former Amarillo detective on list

After a long, distinguished career in law enforcement, LaFayette Russell Wynne is now running from the same police department whose badge he once wore.

Wynne, who will celebrate his 57th birthday on June 28, retired from the Amarillo Police Department in the early 1970s after achieving the rank of chief of detectives.

Now some of the same men he commanded are hunting for him for the 1982 murder of Erle Mathis on a downtown Amarillo street.

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

Police reports indicate that on the afternoon of Oct. 15, 1982, Mathis was shot several times with a .41-magnum revolver while his car was stopped at a traffic light.

Wynne was arrested a short time later, although a motive for the slaying remains somewhat of a mystery. He was convicted of the killing on two different occasions. The first conviction was overturned. The second trial ended Sept. 13, 1985, when a district court jury found Wynne guilty once again.

The trial judge allowed Wynne to remain free following the conviction and told the ex-officer to return the next day for sentencing.

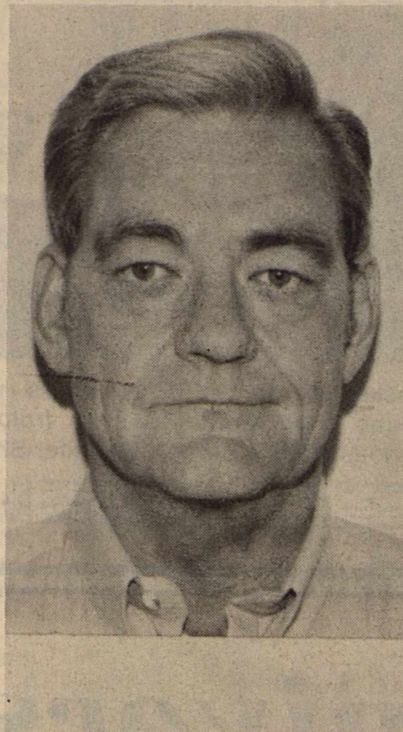
Not surprisingly, Wynne failed to show up the next day. He received a 50-year prison sentence in absentia.

Investigators discovered that Wynne, who was an experienced pilot, fled Amarillo via a small airplane. They theorize he flew

south, possibly into Mexico or even as far away as South America. He has not been seen by authorities since.

Wynne is described as a white male, 6-0, 200 pounds, with grey hair and blue eyes. He has some tattoos on his right arm and usually wears glasses.

Anyone who might have information on Wynne's whereabouts is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council toll free at 1-800-252-8477. Callers do not have to identify themselves.



LaFayette Russell Wynne

Overseas markets eyed for wheat

Faced with sagging prices and large carryover stocks, the Texas Wheat Producers Board is laying plans to capture and increase foreign markets which may add to greater demand and higher prices for the farmer.

During the month of June, three foreign trade teams made up of industry and government leaders world-wide have scheduled study visits to Texas to learn more about types and quality of wheat available for marketing, as well as storage, handling, grading and exporting facilities.

Trade teams are here under the national auspices of the U.S. Wheat Associates, through which the TWPB and similar boards and commissions in other states, conduct their foreign market development work.

Social Security cards should show changes

New brides, along with anyone else who has had a recent name change, should contact the Abilene Social Security office to arrange to have their names changed on Social Security records and to apply for a new Social Security card showing their new name.

Unless the bride plans to use her maiden name after marriage, the record should be changed so that earnings are correctly reported, said Glyn Hammons, Abilene office manager.

To apply for a new Social Security card, which will show the person's new name, but old Social Security number, a person needs evidence showing both the old and new name. For brides, the original or certified copy of the marriage license is the best evidence. If the bride is foreign born, she also needs evidence of U.S. citizenship or current alien status. This service is free. Social Security does not make any charge.

Safety urged for driving over holiday

"Everyone should know that the most dangerous time to drive is on weekends, during the summer and on holidays. This July 4th holiday is going to combine all three."

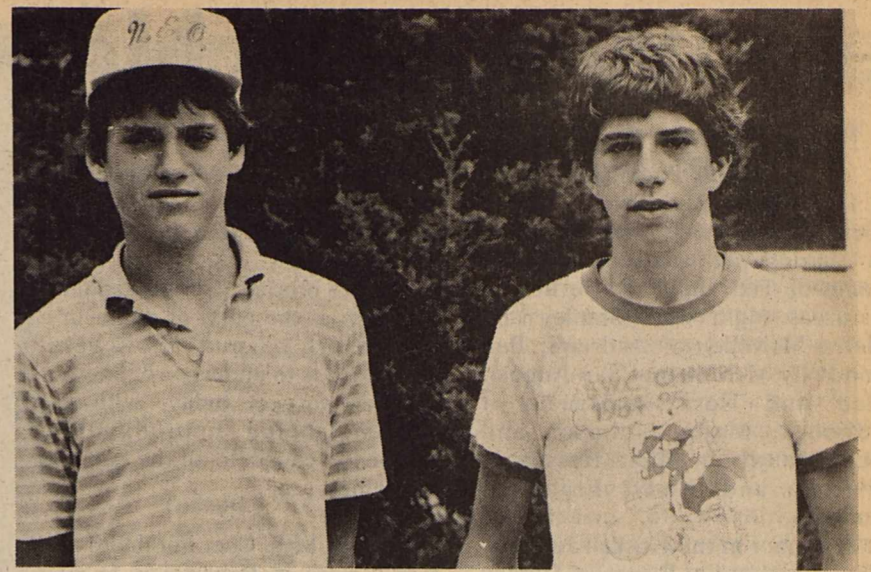
That was a reminder this week from Major V. J. Cawthon, Texas Department of Public Safety commander for region 5, which includes Haskell County.

The department will be conducting "Operation Motorcade" from 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 3, until midnight on Sunday, July 6.

During this time all available troopers will be working to assist motorists so they might have a safer and more enjoyable holiday, Major Cawthon said. These same troopers, he added, will be on the alert for the motorists who continue to be traffic hazards for everyone—the drinking and speeding drivers.

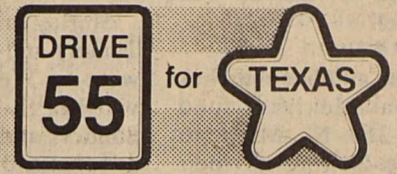
"Motorists also need to be on the lookout for people who are using the back road areas to discharge fireworks," said Cawthon. "The people who drive out into the country to discharge fireworks need to be especially cautious, watch out for fires and protect other people's property," he added.

"So whether you plan a trip across town, or maybe across the state, by observing all traffic laws, not drinking and driving and as if your life depends on it, you can make this July 4 holiday safe and more enjoyable for everyone," he concluded.



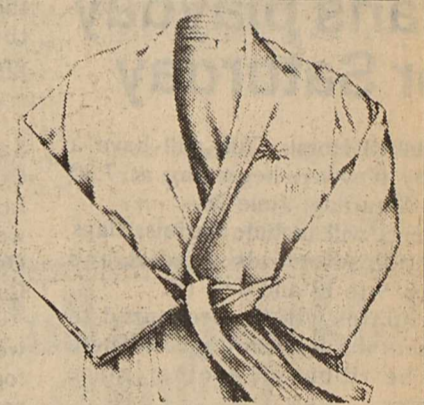
LIVESTOCK CAMP

Brad Bevel, left, and Kirk High of Haskell were among 75 participants during a recent week-long livestock judging camp at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M College in Miami, Okla.



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Market report

Haskell Livestock Auction

Prices were higher on all classes of cattle at the Haskell Livestock Auction Saturday, Carter Fore reported. There was a run of 702 head.

Butcher calves: choice 50-55; good 45-50; standard 40-45; rannies 34-40.

Cows: fat 32-37; cutters 36-42; canners 28-34; stockers 35-45.

Bulls: bologna 45-50; stockers 45-60; utility 40-45.

Stocker steer calves: choice 75-85; good 65-75; medium 60-65; common 55-60.

Stocker heifer calves: choice 62-72; good 57-62; medium 52-57; common 45-52.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 50-56; good 46-50; medium 41-46; common 38-41.

Feeder heifer yearlings: choice

48-54; good 43-48; medium 38-43; common 35-38.

Cows and calves: good 550-640; plain 425-550.

Munday to host vegetable show this Saturday

Do you think you grow the world's best vegetables?

Then you need to enter them in the vegetable exhibits at the Knox County Vegetable Festival Saturday, June 28. Entries will be accepted between 8 and 9 a.m. at the Firemen's Meeting Room in the Munday Fire Station. Jim Dillon, chairman of the Knox County Horticulture Committee, invites all area gardeners to enter.



Anna Maria Alberghetti, the flashing eyed Italian beauty of stage and screen, will appear in concert in Abilene Saturday, Sept. 27, when the Abilene Philharmonic season opens at Abilene's downtown Civic Center. Eight concerts are scheduled for the season.

Famed Austin hotel turns 100 this year

Back in 1886 when Austin was a sleepy cattle town, Texas cattle baron Col. Jesse Driskill opened a hotel heralded as "The Southwest's Finest." He gave the hotel his name, and 100 years later the Driskill's reputation for elegance and service has become nationally recognized.

Throughout 1986, the Driskill Hotel celebrates its 100th anniversary at the crossroads of Texas' capital city. During that timespan, the Driskill has witnessed Austin change into a thriving high-tech business and political center, and has undergone some changes itself.

Lincoln Hotels purchased the Driskill in 1983, immediately initiating a \$4.5 million renovation. It went far beyond a mere facelift. The revitalization focused on recapturing the ambiance and atmosphere of the Driskill in 1886. Guests can once again step through the original Brazos Street entrance, the largest arched doorway in Texas, into the spacious column-studded main lobby.

"Restoring the Brazos Street archway entrance set the keynote for our entire effort to preserve the Driskill for the future," said Chris Bush, general manager. He believes the Driskill has accomplished the most difficult feat in renovating historic properties: blending modern day amenities with cherished traditional features.

The decor is reminiscent of the 1880s. Under the direction of New York interior designer Sarah Tomerlin Lee, the wallpaper, chintzes, furniture and upholstery center on jade greens and warm beiges popular in 1886. Even the carpeting is of special weaves first milled in London in the 1880s.

"My objective was to keep every possible memory intact," said Lee. "I didn't have to build romance into the Driskill, only uncover it."

The attention to detail is evident in the 35 columns adorning the upper mezzanine. Malcolm Robson, a master grainer/marbler, marbled the columns in the same elegant finish as he applied to columns at Buckingham and Kensington palaces and the houses of Parliament in London.

The Driskill has certainly seen its share of important guests. President Lyndon Baines Johnson and his family stayed at the Driskill while awaiting election results in 1964, and frequently thereafter. The LBJ Suite, one of the hotel's most luxurious, captures and retains the personality of the President and Mrs. Johnson.

The Driskill was recognized for its historic importance in October 1966 when it was dedicated as a State Historical Landmark, and was named to the National Register of Historic Places.

Today, as in 1886, the Driskill is considered one of the country's finest hotels. Its special position at the political crossroads of Texas, as well as its deep-rooted western heritage and recent renovation, gives the hotel an atmosphere that is modern and traditional, efficient and luxurious, stately and romantic. It is a certain ambiance rooted in 100 years of gracious Texas hospitality. This year's celebrations are as much a tribute to the Driskill's past as a promise to its next century.

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

Wheat provisions announced

A 27.5 percent wheat acreage reduction and other provisions of the 1987 wheat program have been announced.

Other provisions include —Producers will be required to maintain in acreage conservation reserve an area equal to 37.93 percent of planted wheat.

—The established target price will be \$4.38 per bushel, the same as for the 1986 crop.

No marketing quotas will be in effect for the 1987 crop. A marketing quota would require producers to limit the quantities of wheat they could market.

The USDA is required to announce by June 15 each year whether a marketing quota will be in effect for the following wheat marketing year.

The remaining 1987 wheat program provisions, the loan level and whether a diversion program will be required, will be announced by July 1.

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Obituaries

Johnnie Adkins

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday for Johnnie G. Adkins.

Adkins, 78, died Sunday morning at Haskell Memorial Hospital. The Rev. Kenneth Blair officiated. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Truman Therwanger, Allen Strickland, Cecil Pitman, David Burson, Jimmy Owens and Ray Acosta.

A retired farmer and cotton gin manager, Adkins was born Oct. 9, 1907, in Hill County. He moved to Haskell County in 1916.

He was married July 27, 1926, to Ethel Tempe Tankersley in Eastland. She preceded him in death July 1, 1982.

Adkins is survived by a son, Bobby Joe Adkins of Haskell; a grandson, John Adkins of Abilene; two sisters, Alieen Sturdy of Grand Prairie and Lucille Harris of Del Rio; and two step-great-grandchildren.

Two are winners at State Roundup

Dalyn Gilly and Penny Peden placed fifth in the natural resources division during the State 4-H Roundup recently at Texas A&M.

They presented an illustrated talk entitled "Water Conservation Hits Home."

Others from Haskell County participating in the Roundup were Chad Ballard and Michelle Scoggins of Rochester.

Vets warned of insurance refund hoax

Veterans are warned about an "application" being circulated that purports to offer refunds on GI insurance premiums.

The "hoax" has been going on for at least 20 years and seems to be self-perpetuating, said Robert L. Berko, executive director of the non-profit Consumer Education Research Center.

The "application" is addressed to World War II veterans and says that a bill passed recently gives WWII veterans a dividend of 65 cents per hundred on their GI insurance for each month of service and that the refund is due regardless of whether any insurance is still carried. It further states that the dividend cannot be received unless it is requested.

Ozzie Garza, a Washington spokesman for the VA, advises veterans that this offer is a hoax and that refunds, when and if issued, would be sent automatically.

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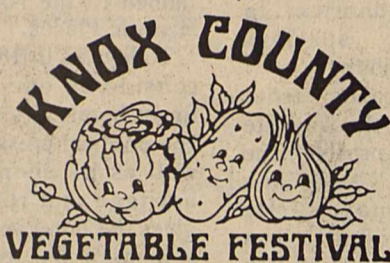
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