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Church celebrates centennial

Haskell Presbyterians will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the First Presbyterian Church of Haskell in special activities Saturday and Sunday.

Fellowship and registration will be held at the church between 6 and 7 p.m. Saturday. An ice cream social is planned to begin at 7 p.m., followed by hymn singing and "time for remembering."

Sunday's activities include fellowship and registration from 9 to 10:45 a.m., followed by worship/holy communion from 10:45 to noon.

Lunch will be served at noon. Reservations are necessary for the Sunday lunch. Those wishing to attend should call 864-8923 to make their reservations.

Alleged murderer recaptured

Law officers, using dogs, helicopters and horses, captured an accused murderer near Big Sandy Friday, two days after he took a sheriff's deputy hostage and broke out of Upshur County jail in Gilmer.

Jerry Walter McFadden, former Haskell citizen who was once sentenced to prison for the rape of a Haskell school teacher, was re-captured after an extensive manhunt.

McFadden is awaiting trial on charges of capital murder in connection with the May 5 death of an 18-year-old Hawkins girl who was sexually assaulted, beaten and strangled. He also is accused, but not yet charged, of the slayings of two of her companions.

McFadden, 38, has been convicted three times of rape. He was released from prison July 17, 1985, after serving five years of a 15-year sentence for an aggravated sexual abuse conviction.

He escaped from the Gilmer jail after taking sheriff's deputy Rosalie Williams as a hostage. She escaped Thursday, 16 hours after her abduction, when he left the boxcar where they were sheltered to get some water and was distracted by barking dogs.

McFadden's escape focused national attention on the East Texas incident.

Conversion acres signup Aug. 4-15

Signup for the 1987 Conservation Reserve Program will take place Aug. 4-15 at the county office of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Under the program, farmers may volunteer highly erodible cropland for entry into the Conservation Reserve Program under a provision of the Food Security Act of 1985.

Those putting land into the program are eligible for cost-share payments of up to 50 percent of the eligible costs to establish cover crops. Annual rental payments are for 10 years. The total amount of rental payments for any fiscal year may not exceed \$50,000, or the equivalent if in-kind payments are made.

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County schools appeal reduction in appraisals

By Wendell Faught

Three of Haskell County's five school districts have filed appeals with the County Appraisal District Review Board.

The appeals protest the Board's recent decision to grant a 10-percent blanket reduction in the

appraised value of all taxable property in Haskell County.

Filing the appeals were the schools of Haskell, Rule and Paint Creek.

A public hearing on the appeals is scheduled for 9 a.m. July 23 (Wednesday) in the Haskell County

Central Appraisal District office at 604 N. 1st.

Dr. James Kemp, Haskell school superintendent, said the schools contend the decision to reduce valuations was arbitrary and capricious because the reduction was made without supporting data, such as a study of market value, use value, etc.

Further, Dr. Kemp said, the schools feel the Board, in making the decision to reduce property values, assumed the duty of an appraising agency, a duty it is not empowered to perform.

The appeals call for the Review Board to rescind its earlier decision and let stand the 1986 evaluations submitted by the chief appraiser subject to individual changes allowed by the Review Board.

"What we're really asking for is the Board's help," said Dr. Kemp. "We know the Board's decision was made with the very best of intentions, but without the knowledge of the problems it will create for the county's schools."

One of the real disturbing aspects of the action, Dr. Kemp said, is that much of the public feels that lower evaluations will result in lower taxes. "This is not so," he said. "It simply means the schools will have to raise their tax rates to produce the same amount of money."

He further emphasized that earlier reductions in assessed values of mineral properties, plus another 10 percent under the Board's recent action, shifts a disproportionate share of the local tax burden to the homeowners, farmers and business people.

While the School Board has not yet discussed a tax rate for 1986, Dr. Kemp pointed out that the current rate of 78.8 cents will produce about \$60,000 less in tax revenue than the original assessed value. In addition to this shortfall, which would have to be made up with a higher tax rate, the Haskell School District is required by state law to increase teachers' salaries next year by approximately \$55,000.

The economic health of the State of Texas also comes into play, said the superintendent. A reduction in state aid to schools in the form of reduced services supported or a decrease in the amount of money distributed to school districts are two proposals being considered. A 10-percent reduction in state aid, as is being discussed, would shortchange the Haskell School District by \$150,000, Dr. Kemp said.

Should such reductions occur, the difference would have to be made up in local taxes. State limitations on tax rates then could create the problem of not being able to raise enough money to operate the schools.

Concessions...

The arrangement is akin to "I'm My Own Grandpa," but Haskell Band Boosters are going to get their new concession stand.

They will lease the land from the Haskell Independent School District, erect a building, lease the structure to the school, and then rent it back.

The multi-prong agreement will allow the Band Boosters to put up the kind of building they want on the 35X34-foot plot of ground without having to meet engineering, architectural and bid requirements which would have been necessary if the school erected it.

Since the school owns the land and will be leasing the building, the property will be subject to liability insurance coverage of the school just like any other school property.

Teachers promoted on career ladder

Two Haskell teachers, James Bevel and Paula Everett, were added to Step 2 on the career ladder by the School Board during its July 8 meeting. Bevel is a high school vocational agriculture teacher and Mrs. Everett is a fourth-grade classroom teacher.

The Board also renewed the appointments of all teachers who previously were on Step 2 and changed the career ladder salary supplement from \$1,500 to \$1,693.54 for full-time teachers and from \$750 to \$846.90 for half-time teachers for the 1985-86 fiscal year.

In other action, the School Board:

-Approved a contract with the Haskell Band Boosters Association whereby the organization will lease a 35x34-foot strip of land from the school to erect a concession stand, and another contract which will lease the stand back to the school which will rent it to the Band Boosters. (See separate story).

-Amended the discipline management plan by adding paragraphs written by the State Education Board for first-time serious offenses.

-Passed a resolution which recognizes elementary students making the sixth six-week honor roll.

-Approved the Appraisal District budget.

-Amended board policy having to do with teacher evaluation procedures and wrote two policies having to do with career ladder and placement.

-Set a salary schedule for the business manager and presented

the semi-annual appraisal of the superintendent.

-Authorized the superintendent to advertise for bids on a school-owned building at Avenue D and North 9th, by offering the salvage of the building to someone in exchange for clearing the property. If such an arrangement cannot be made, the superintendent will be authorized to have the building burned.

-Gave the superintendent authority to burn the old concession stand on school property when it is vacated.

-Authorized the superintendent to take bids on about 20 manual typewriters which are no longer used by the school.

-Voted to take bids on new carpeting for the primary wings of the elementary school, a ventilating system for the gym, heating and air conditioning for the school auditorium and three vehicles (two used and one new).

-Approved a number of summer projects which are not required to be bid out. These include the re-roofing of the bus barn, installation of a telephone system for the administration office, drapes for the auditorium and cafeteria and lighting for the secondary school.

-Heard a report from the superintendent on the new state-mandated teacher appraisal system.

-Named David Davis and Pat Henry as local delegates to the Texas Association of School Boards.

-Set the next School Board meeting for July 22.

Sales taxes take dip

Haskell received a check for \$8,924.46 this week, representing local sales taxes for the month of May.

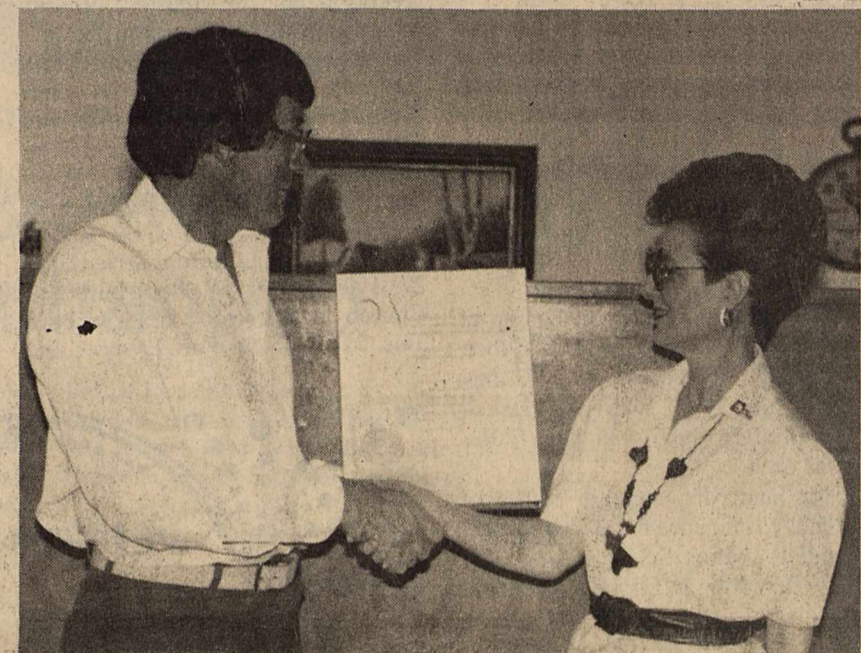
This week's check brought the 1986 sales taxes received to date to \$92,828.84. Collections so far this year are 2.26 percent below those for the comparable period last year when receipts totaled \$94,974.30.

The City of Rule received a check for \$1,748.46. Collections there are \$17,040.85 for the year so far, up

more than 30 percent over 1985 collections for the same period of \$13,056.76.

Rochester got a check for \$733.35. For the year, Rochester has received \$5,813.81, compared to \$5,480.06 for the same period in 1985.

Overall, Haskell County's five cities are about 2.5 percent ahead of last year. Haskell, Rule and Rochester, along with O'Brien and Weinert, have received \$118,036.03



CITY HONORED

City Administrator Robert Baker and Franciene Johnson, city/county coordinator of the local Keep Texas Beautiful organization, admire the plaque they received during the annual meeting of the state organization in Austin.

Citizen participation asked for projects

An appeal has been made for citizen participation in the Haskell chapter of the ongoing "Keep Texas Beautiful" campaign. Individual and organizational volunteers are being solicited by Franciene Johnson and City Administrator Robert Baker.

Mrs. Johnson, who has been serving as city/county coordinator of the program, has been appointed governor of district 8, a 13-county division of the state organization.

Mrs. Johnson was appointed by the board of directors of Keep Texas Beautiful, Inc., during the organization's 19th annual meeting in Austin July 2-3. She, along with Baker, attended the meeting. They were presented a plaque in recognition of Haskell's participation in the organization's program.

Approximately 600 delegates attended the Austin meeting. The governor spoke to the group.

The Keep Texas Beautiful campaign concentrates on the sources of litter in the community and focuses on drying up those sources through a combination of education and public awareness. It

stresses plans for improved sanitation practices, stricter enforcement of litter ordinances and involvement by individuals, businesses, civic organizations and local government.

Haskell has responded to these goals by initiating a new garbage collection system, constructing a new sanitary landfill, clamping down on owners of junk cars and entering into an agreement with the State Highway Department whereby the City can be reimbursed for each citation issued to a litter law violator.

It is hoped that a number of specific projects will be undertaken by local citizens and groups to reinforce the community's overall commitment to a renewed cleanliness ethic.

"There is no way we can have a clean city without citizen participation," Baker said. "The City doesn't have enough people to go around picking up litter all over town."

Mrs. Johnson said the State of Texas spent \$24 million last year just picking up litter. The

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Haskell students do well

For the most part, Haskell Independent School District students scored well above state averages in the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) tests administered during the past school year.

Results of the tests taken by students in the third, fifth, seventh, ninth and 11th grades show only third- and 11th-graders below the state averages, each by a slight margin.

A 72-percent mastery level in reading by Haskell third-graders was just below the state average of 74 percent. All other classes were above the state norm in each of the individual areas tested, but the percent of students mastering all test sections fell below state averages for third graders and high school juniors. The overall score of 48 percent for Haskell third-graders was short of the state average of 50 percent. Eighty-four percent of

Haskell's high school juniors mastered all test sections, while the state average was 85 percent.

In overall proficiency, Haskell freshmen were 16 percentage points above the state average, 69-53. Fifth-graders did nearly as well with 67 percent against a state average of 55. Haskell seventh-graders were two points above, 58-56.

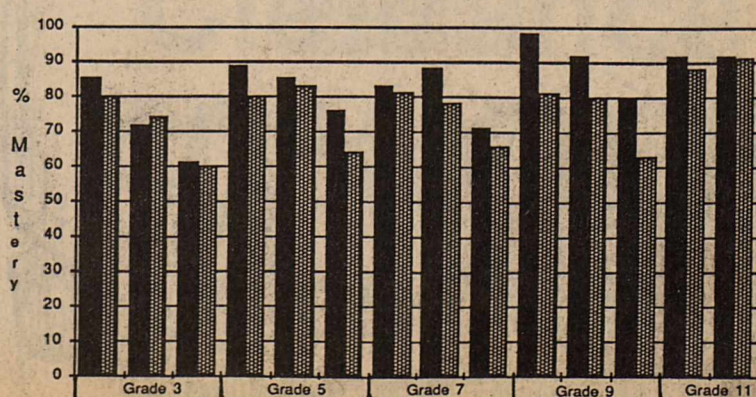
Though slightly below state averages in reading, Haskell

third-graders still beat state averages in the other two individual categories, mathematics (85-80) and writing (61-60).

Most spectacular showing by Haskell students was in ninth-grade mathematics where 98 percent mastered the test. The state average was 81. Freshmen also did extremely well in the other two test categories. Ninety-two percent of them mastered reading (state

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Mr. and Mrs. S.L. Griffith

Paint Creek couple to celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. S.L. (Sammie) Griffith of the Paint Creek community will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, July 20, at the Paint Creek School auditorium.

Hosting the celebration will be their children, Mrs. Bill (Emilee) Goff of Los Teques, Venezuela, Dan Riley Griffith of Paint Creek, Mrs.

Jim (Jo Ann) Poyer of Claremore, Okla., Mrs. Kenny (Wanda) Thompson of Paint Creek and Marilyn Griffith of Abilene. The Griffiths also have nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Sammie and Emma Dell were married July 25, 1936, in Abilene. Mrs. Griffith is the former Emma Dell Daniel of the Horn neighborhood north of the Noodle community. From the time of their marriage until 1945, the Griffiths lived northeast of Weinert. Since 1945, they have resided in the Paint Creek community. He is a retired farmer.

The Griffiths are members of the Paint Creek Baptist Church.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the reception. In lieu of gifts, the family asks for any interesting stories, anecdotes, incidents or remembrances of the couple which can be placed in a memory book.

Around town

John R. Roberts, known by his friends as "Roddy" was a recent visitor in the home of his mother, Mrs. S. M. Roberts of Haskell.

John Roddy was reared in Haskell, residing at 1201 N. Ave. L. He graduated from high school here before entering National Guard service, having been a member of the guard during his last year of high school.

He will especially be remembered by the Haskell Boy Scout program in which he was active through his youthful years. He trained as an automotive worker and is a bonded and accredited service man in this field. He is residing at this time in Carlsbad, N.M. for reasons of health.

His young son, John Vance, attended school at Haskell High.

Lisa Jones honoree at gift brunch

Lisa Jones, bride-elect of Christopher Scott Whiteley, was honored Saturday, July 12, with a gift brunch in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Browning.

Lisa is the daughter of Sara Jones of Haskell and Bill Jones of Norman, Okla. She is the granddaughter of Vivian Roberson of Haskell.

The registry and serving tables reflected Lisa's colors of pink and burgundy. With a centerpiece of various shades of pink silk flowers, the table was completed with crystal and silver appointments.

Sagerton News

The Faith Circle met in the Fellowship Hall of Faith Lutheran Church Tuesday at 2:30 with Mrs. Arthur Knipling being the hostess. Pastor Mel Swoyer had the topic and after the business meeting, Mrs. Knipling served the refreshments. There were ten ladies present and the Pastor. Those who attended were Mrs. Betty Balzer, Mrs. Frieda Knipling, Mrs. Lena Schaaake, Mrs. Lillie Lehmann, Mrs. Glyn Quade, Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mrs. J.B. Toney, Mrs. Sam Neinst, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer and Pastor Mel.

The Friendship Club met in the Fellowship Hall of Faith Lutheran Church Thursday at 11:30 with a fair crowd of people being there. Those who attended were Mr. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lammert, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Quade, Mrs. Franklin Mrazek, DeWayne Monse, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse, Mrs. Lillie Lehmann, Mrs. Edna Diers, Shane Diers, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. Clarence Stegemoeller, Mr. Alvin Bredthauer, Shane LeFevre, Mr. Larry LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Kinsey Brown.

Mary Neinst attended a tea honoring Suzanne Ford bride elect of Freddie Walker, in the home of Jane McKeever Saturday, July 12.

Doug McEwen is spending a few days with his grandparents, Sam and Mary Neinst.

Sunday visitors were Betsy and Laura Kate Neinst of Emroy, Texas.

Mr. Leo Monse Sr. celebrated his 84th birthday on Sunday at the Community Center.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek of Aspermont, Tommy Mrazek of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Howle, Jeff and Jill of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse, DeWayne of Sagerton, Mr. and Mrs. Donny Barbee, Mitzi and Eric of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehmann of Rule, Ricky Lehmann of Rowlete, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Don Smith, Hollie, Jack of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mills of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Vahlenkamp of Denton, John Vahlenkamp of Lubbock, Mrs. Lillie Lehmann, Mrs. Lena Schaaake of Sagerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lammert played 84 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark one night last week.

Kenneth Stegemoeller brought his mother Mrs. Henrietta Stegemoeller home after she had spent a week with them at DeSota.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gellner Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Toney spent

the weekend in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney.

The monthly Bredthauer grathering met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer Sunday afternoon with the group playing 84 then had supper. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bredthauer of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bredthauer of Rule, Mrs. Adela Niedieck of Sagerton.

Mrs. M.Y. Benton came home after spending nearly a month in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eldon Cook of Big Spring.

Those who helped Mrs. Ezetta Clark celebrate her birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. M.Y. Benton, Joe and Nancy Smith, her sister Vie, Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Lou of Holiday.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS

Walter Bell, Stamford; Mamie Arnett, Rule; Carl Hamilton, Munday; Mae Bell Turnbow, Haskell; Paul King, Rochester; Michael Rogers, Haskell; Eva White, Haskell; Letha Moody, Weinert.

DISMISSALS

Marvin Letz, Dorothy Hartfield, Joe Patterson, Elsie Jacobs.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Aguayo of Knox City, announce the arrival of their son, Amado Aguayo, born July 11, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 11 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kramp of Haskell, announce the arrival of their daughter, Tiffany Michelle Kramp, born July 10, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 1 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Refugio Nunez of Munday, announce the arrival of their daughter, Maria Sesita Nunez, born July 9, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 9 lbs. 7 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eddie Boucher of Snyder, announce the arrival of their daughter Amanda Jealon Boucher, born July 9, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 5 lbs. 7 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dale Lacey of Haskell, announce the arrival of their son, Michael Dale Lacey, born July 8, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 lbs. 12 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Andrew Boydston III announce the arrival of their daughter, Brithee Sloan Boydston, born July 7, 1986 at Haskell Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs 11 oz.



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling

Sagerton couple married 60 years

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling of Sagerton will observe their 60th wedding anniversary July 27 with a reception at the Faith Lutheran Fellowship Hall in Sagerton.

The reception will be from 3 to 5 p.m. and will be hosted by their daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Peel, both of West Columbia, and Mrs. J. B. Toney of Sagerton.

The Kniplings were married July 27, 1926, at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Sagerton. He was born Jan. 21, 1905, in Port Lavaca, and

she was born March 1, 1906, in San Saba. They both grew up in the Bunker Hill and Vernon communities near Sagerton and they have continued to live in the area since.

They are members of the Faith Lutheran Church. Mrs. Knipling has been active in the Sagerton Hobby Club and the Faith Circle of her church. They are retired farmers.

The Kniplings have four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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Weddings



Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robert Barnett

Peiser, Barnett vows exchanged

Christina Dawn Peiser became the bride of Tom Robert Barnett in a wedding ceremony performed June 20 in the Trinity Lutheran Church of Haskell. The Rev. Victor Andersen officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Hugh E. and Barbara Peiser and the bridegroom is the son of Tom Paul and Lee Barnett.

Ruth Ann Klose was organist and

Diana Jarred was soloist.

Maid of honor was Lori Peiser and bridesmaid was Tina Lacey. Fredrick Lee Barnett served as best man. Groomsman was Recial Adams and usher was Robby Peiser.

The bridegroom is employed as a welder for Leon Jones and the bride is employed at Rice Springs Care Home.



Mrs. Patrick J. Ramsey

Couple married in Arlington

Marina Janae Hester and Patrick James Ramsey of Arlington were married July 12 in a double-ring ceremony at the Most Blessed Sacrament Church in Arlington. Deacon Edward Bowden officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hester of Arlington are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsey of Durand, Mich.

Michel Frezza, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Best man was William Ramsey Jr., brother of the bridegroom. Bridesmaids were Michelle Martes and Laurel Hester.

Groomsmen were Jeff Sleeper and Mike Warner.

The bride attended the University of Texas at Arlington and her husband graduated from Central Michigan University. They will live in Arlington.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Grace McKelvin of Haskell.

Around town

Milze Brown of Abilene visited relatives in Haskell Saturday.

Weinert

By Myrtle Phemister

Mrs. Ila Moody was added to our sick list recently, with pneumonia-like symptoms. She is in the local hospital.

All our other sick are improving.

Marcus Phemister was honored on his 16th birthday July 8th with a dinner at the Porthole. Enjoying cake and ice cream with him were his parents, David and Peggy Phemister and brother Greg, his grandparents, Marvin and Myrtle Phemister. Other guests included Edith and Richard Davis, Coy and Retith Keahey, and Helen Boykin.

Francis Mahan was delighted to have her great-granddaughter Sarah Marshall of Lubbock visit last week. Sarah's mother is enrolled at Lubbock Christian College, where her father, Tim, teaches. They too, were present.

Other guests included Leonard and Linda Mahan and children of Lake Coleman.

Dacia Holmes spent the weekend in Weinert. She was amazed at the many people who knew her mother, Lisa Dutton Phemister. Considering that three generations of her family were raised here, including her grandmother, Thelma Pearl; her great-grandparents, the Frank Oman families, and her great-great-grandparents, the Caddell and Oman families, people could have told her many stories about her forefathers. Come again, Dacia.

The Ted Jettons had an enjoyable visit in Dallas with their daughter, Jackie and Ernie Frantz family. With all the activities and things to do in a city, the Jettons came home needing rest and quiet.

The Yates family gathered for their annual reunion at Bass Hollow on Possum Kingdom Lake this past weekend, with 41 in attendance. Those who attended from Weinert were: Mr. and Mrs. Toby Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy and children, Mrs. and Mrs. Joe Yates and children, Linda Stewart and her friend, Charlotte Dehnel, of Abilene.

The Cypert family will get together this weekend at Ft. Phantom. The Jerry Hester's and his parents, Bobby and Rowena Hester of Haskell will host the event.

Approximately 65 descendants of Jim and Ophelia Alexander's family gathered July 13th at the Kiva Inn in Abilene for their annual reunion, with Donna and Wright Carter of Graham acting hosts. Donna is granddaughter of Ellen Redwine, oldest daughter of Jim and Ophelia.

All of the surviving children were present, and were presented corsages at the business meeting. Oldest one present was Ina Stewart, and the youngest was Zachry Wood, great-grandson of Rene Vojkufka.

Next year's host will be Mr. and Mrs. Larry Caddell, son of Jona and Glenn Caddell.

Attending from Weinert were Rene Vojkufka, Ina Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Alexander of children and Mr. and Mrs. Tiffen Mayfield, with Mondy and Mitch.

Kevin and Kippie Ward were in Pabelo Co. for a few days, and Woody McClung of Abilene was guset speaker at the Church of Christ on Sunday. He has a daughter, Mindy, age 8. His wife died in May of cancer. They spent the afternoon at the Phemisters. Other guests of the Phemisters were the Glasscocks of San Angelo, who also attended worship services at the Church of Christ.

Weinert residents will have a special interest in the All-State, East-West, football game in Stephenville on Sat. July 19. Shannon Forehand, who has been all-state quarterback for the past two years, will be one of the players in the game. Shannon left Sunday for a weeks training in Stephenville.

Engagements



Darrell Lee Taylor and Gayle Lavon Byers

Byers-Taylor wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis C. Byers of Hot Springs, Ark., are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gayle LaVon, to Darrell Lee Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lee Taylor of Dallas.

The wedding will be at 7 p.m. July 19 in the Cedar Temple Baptist Church of Dallas.

Gayle is a 1982 graduate of Irving

High School and is self employed. Darrell is a 1980 graduate of Kimball High School of Dallas and is in customer service for Altenator Service Co. of Dallas.

The future bridegroom is the great-grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hise and the late Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas Sr. of Haskell.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Strickland of Haskell are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Cheryl Lynette to Randy Allen Hibbits, son of Nick Hibbits of Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Hutchinson of Knox City. A November 14th wedding is planned at the First Baptist Church of Knox City with the Rev. Ronnie Travis officiating.

State spending

State spending in June remained above the average monthly spending for the first six months of the state's budget year, State Comptroller Bob Bullock reported Friday.

Spending from all funds was 37.8 percent over the the six-month average. General revenue spending in June was 3.3 percent above the base average.

U. S. debt

The United States has become the world's largest debtor nation, with a 1985 deficit of \$107.4 billion.

80 attend Medley reunion

The Medley reunion was held July 13 at the Haskell Country Club.

More than 80 descendants of Marshall Fate Medley, Jesse Wiley Medley and George Riley Medley gathered together to renew family ties.

This was the largest gathering of the clan in many years, with the states of Arkansas, Alabama, Colorado, Illinois, Oklahoma, Virginia and Texas being represented.

The Medley brothers settled, with their families, near Weinert in the early 1900s.

The Medley family originally moved to Texas from Amory, Miss., in 1891.

Josselet members make quilt

Members of the Josselet Club met July 8 for their regular club meeting at the Extension office.

It was an all-day meeting as the club members had a quilt up and members came early in the day and quilted. Each brought a covered-dish for lunch.

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 p.m.. Roll call was answered by 10 members and two visitors with: "My favorite houseplant I have success in growing."

Retha Mullins, club president, appointed two members for the leader training program on "Finding Time for Fitness."

Ermal Bevel served delicious refreshments of peanut butter sticks, cookies and lemonade.

Next meeting will be Aug. 12 in the home of Mrs. Helen Owens.

Club gets certificates from state

Mrs. R. W. Herren received in the mail this week four certificate awards from the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

One award was for second place to Mrs. Herren personally as state chairman of Creative Arts for her report.

The other three awards were to the Progressive Study Club, Mesquite District.

The club received a first-place award for its yearbook cover in the sesquicentennial category. Another award was in "recognition and grateful appreciation" for support of Girlstown USA, and the fourth award was for the club's participation in the M. D. Anderson category.

For a number of years, the club has sent old nylons and wigs to M.D. Anderson. Toys for children are stuffed with the hose and they have people there who redo the wigs. Anyone who would like to help in this way may contact Anita Herren or another club member. They will get them to M. D. Anderson.

Japs like beef

Demand for U.S. beef in Japan is tremendous, but the market must be opened more if the U.S. beef industry is to benefit, says Phillip Seng, Asian director of the U.S. Meat Export Federation.

Japanese per capita beef consumption has risen to 13 pounds in 1986 from 7.7 pounds in 1976.

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Commentary

Mail-order firms get \$100 million ride

This year, large out-of-state mail-order companies will legally avoid collecting Texas sales taxes on \$3 billion worth of merchandise. The purchases are taxable to the tune of \$100 million, but Texas has no effective way to get the money. State efforts to collect the tax are stymied by a 1967 United States Supreme Court ruling.

In that ruling, the court held that while states can impose a tax on mail-order sales made by out-of-state companies, they cannot make the companies collect and remit the tax.

That 19-year-old ruling hobbles states such as Texas which are trying to keep their tax structures in line with their changing economies.

The ruling also hurts Haskell merchants and all Texas merchants by giving an advantage in price to out-of-state mail-order companies.

But help may be on the way. A bill introduced in Congress by U.S. Rep. Jack Brooks of Beaumont would require large mail-order retailers to collect and remit state sales taxes. The bill would also give equal footing to local merchants struggling to keep pace with rapid changes in the way Americans shop.

Mail-order sales are booming nationwide and in Texas. Industry analyst Arnold Fishman says national sales surged 10 to 14 percent between 1983 and 1984 to reach \$82.3 billion. Texas sales account for about seven percent of the national total.

The typical American spends between \$186 and \$228 each year buying mail-order goods. Most frequently purchased through the mail are clothing and footwear, magazines, gifts and books.

The boom in mail-order sales is expected to continue, fueled by technological advances such as electronic fund transfers, "800" toll-free telephone numbers and the looming potential of shopping by home computer. The Marketing Science Institute expects mail-order

sales of consumer goods to increase by nine percent a year until 1990. The state's potential tax loss increases as the volume of mail-order sales grows.

The state's inability to collect sales tax on mail-order sales results from a 1967 Supreme Court decision in "National Bellas Hess v. Illinois Department of Revenue." The court, citing the commerce clause of the U.S. Constitution, held that "states are prohibited from imposing the duty of use-tax collection and payment upon a seller whose only connection with customers in the state is by common carrier or by mail."

Simply put, states can tax sales, but they cannot make the retailers collect or remit the tax. Except for a few narrowly defined exceptions, the court has not wavered from that decision, leaving states in a quandary as to how to collect sales taxes on these transactions.

To remedy this situation, Brooks has introduced a bill in Congress—H.R. 5021—that would require large, out-of-state mail-order companies to collect and remit sales taxes on transactions made in states that have such a tax. They would be collected only by firms with national sales exceeding \$12.5 million, or sales in a single state exceeding \$500,000. The bill would not require out-of-state mail-order firms to collect local taxes.

National mail-order firms claim this would impose a harsh administrative burden on them, but several big companies who both own stores in Texas and conduct mail-order operations have been collecting the tax for years. There is no more burden on these mail-order operations than there is on any other multi-state business.

Passage of the bill would enable Texas to get the \$100 million in sales taxes that go uncollected each year, money that Texas now has to get someone else each year.

Letters to the Editor

Editor: Rarely does a government revenue measure come along that is both good for business and good for government.

But I firmly believe that we have just such a rarity in H.R. 5021, federal legislation proposed by U.S. Representative Jack Brooks of Beaumont, to require the big national mail-order operations to collect and remit state sales taxes.

Texas spend more than \$3 billion a year on mail-order goods—from catalog sales to the TV ads with their toll-free "800" numbers. We are losing \$100 million a year on mail-order goods. All other states are losing too.

And your hometown merchants are losing. They are paying taxes at

home, taxes to the state—and trying to compete with an out-of-state firm that starts off with a five-percent unfair advantage.

There's a lot of talk in Texas now about broadening our tax base. I suggest that mail-order goods is the place to start. Simply, \$100 million a year is a lot of money for your state—and \$3 billion a year in sales is a lot of competition for your merchants.

Congress will not act on Rep. Brooks' bill unless there is a lot of hometown support, and frankly, I want you to help me drum up that support.

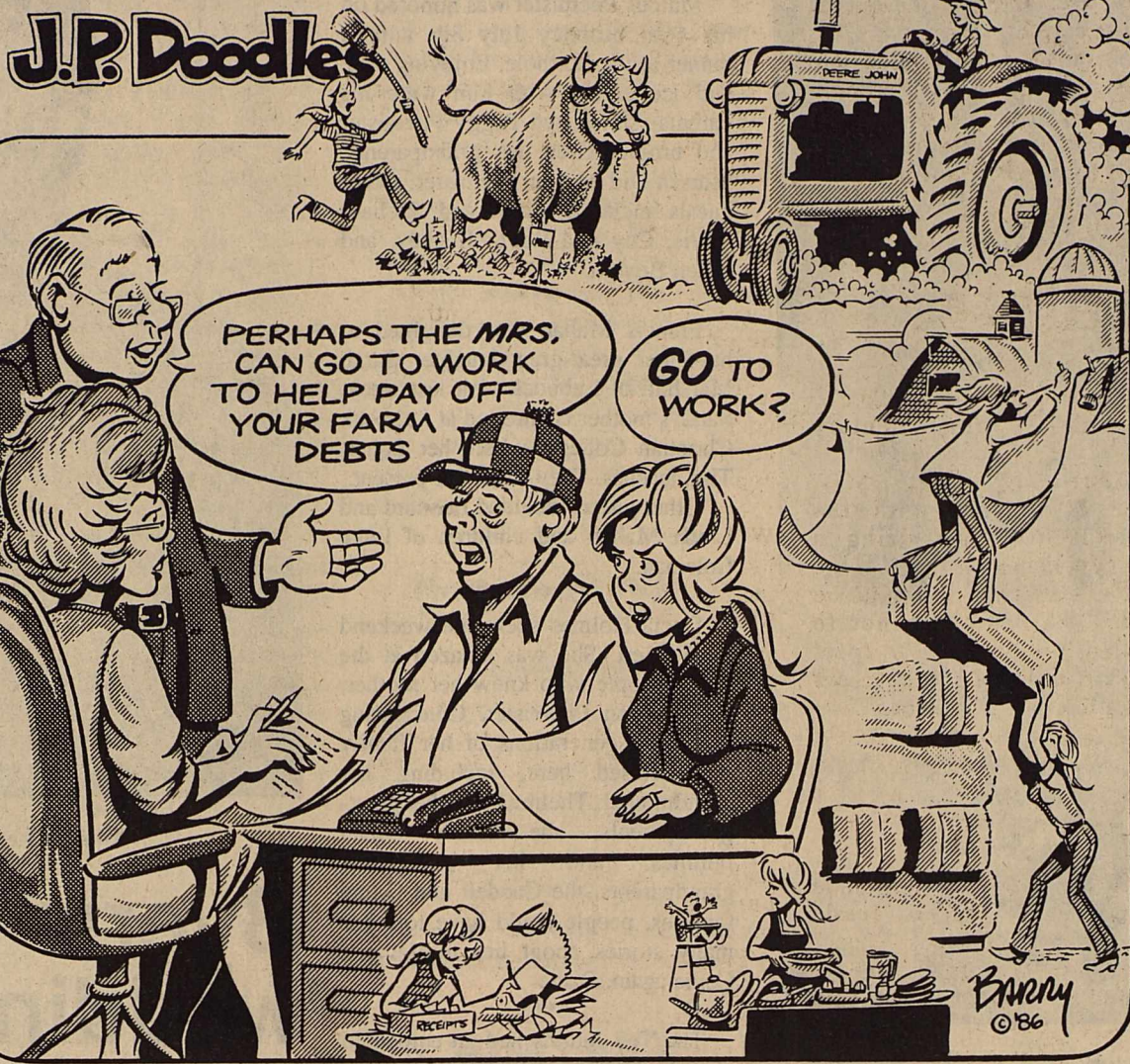
Bob Bullock
State Comptroller

Enjoys the newspaper

Editor: I really enjoy the Free Press. It's the next best thing to being in Haskell. I loved your coverage of the Wagon Train. I shall treasure my edition always.

I've found your paper to be very informative on politics and I love "Out of the Past", and Wendell Faught's column is great.

Jean Bass Taylor



From Out of the Past

30 Years Ago
July 19, 1956

Unofficial returns from the first primary election will be posted on a large bulletin board on the night of the election, County Judge Alfred Turnbow said this week.

A meeting to complete the organization of a Ground Observer Corps in Haskell County will be held in the district court room Monday night, July 23.

Attending the annual short course for firemen held last week at Texas A&M College were Floyd (Satch) Lusk, Olen King and Sonny Reynolds.

Receiving the Lone Star Farmer awards at the state FFA convention in Dallas this month will be Douglas Brown Jr., David Frierson and Tom Alvis.

A meeting of farmers to discuss the Mexican Nationals labor problem has been scheduled in Rochester July 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dunnam of Snyder spent the weekend in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. (Bob) Dunnam.

50 Years Ago
July 16, 1936

Several hundred persons attended the political rally and basket picnic held at Irby Wednesday afternoon. Brief talks were made by all candidates for county and district offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sprowls and

daughter of Happy spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Foote.

Jones Cox & Company has delivered a new International school bus to the Weinert School. The bus has a capacity for 40 passengers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gilliam and son and daughter, Fred and Annie Bess, accompanied by A. C. Boggs and R. C. Couch Jr., spent several days in Dallas this week. They attended the Centennial and visited relatives and friends.

Rev. David Stitt, pastor of the Presbyterian Church accompanied a group of young people from this section to Montreat, N.C. where they are attending a Leaders Training School of the Presbyterian churches.

Haskell County farmers and landowners have received a total of \$1,404,941 in rental and benefits payments and profits on cotton options made in connection with the commodity program from the beginning of the programs through Feb. 29, 1936.

60 Years Ago
July 15, 1926

Web worms have caused extensive damage to the cotton crop on the large Chas. McGregor farm on the Brazos in the northeast part of the county. He has 2,000 acres in cotton and estimated the worms have destroyed at least 400 acres.

The Hon. C. C. McDonald of Wichita Falls will speak here Saturday afternoon in the interest of Gov. Miriam Ferguson's campaign.

Ray Greenway of the Center Point community cut two of his fingers severely last week while at work on some broken parts of his separator. Although the injury is painful and inconvenient, Ray is still making a part-time hand on his threshing.

R. C. Montgomery left Monday for Carrollton, Mo., for a visit with old friends. He formerly lived there.

While returning home Saturday evening, Mrs. T. P. Morgan of Center Point lost control of her car and the machine ran into a ditch beside the road.

A majority of Haskell County candidates spoke at a rally held at Bunker Hill Thursday night. A large crowd attended the program.

80 Years Ago
July 14, 1906

Miss Mamie Meadors of Fayetteville, Ark., arrived in Haskell Tuesday for a visit in the home of her brother and family, J. M. Meadors. Miss Mamie grew up in Haskell and has many friends here.

Mr. Norman has just completed a neat residence in the west part of town.

Mark Whitman, who has developed into an enterprising farmer, says he will not have to eat

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plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

Most of us dream of the day we'll answer a rap on the front door and be greeted by Ed McMahan and two Brinks guards.

Most people don't even know of anyone who ever won anything more than a cheap camera at a shopping center grand opening.

My wife belongs to that small minority who actually won something in a national contest. It was many years ago on a television program called "Musical Bingo."

Object of the game, as I recall, was to fill in the squares on a self-made bingo-like card with the names of songs which were played on the program. You mailed your completed cards to New York or somewhere.

They'd show the prizes each week. There were new cars, boats, houses full of furniture and the like. The smallest prize displayed was a television set.

Pat played the game several times. Filling in the squares wasn't too difficult, but that was only part of the requirement. In addition to having all the right answers, you had to be lucky on the "draw," since judges, or who ever ran the contest, would draw the entries until they had one with the right answers. Perhaps many thousands of entries with the right answers were never drawn.

The good news arrived one day. "You're a Winner!" shouted the message on a post card. "Your prize is being shipped to you from Providence, R.I., and will be reaching you in a few days."

It turned out to be the longest "few days" of our lives. "We'd keep the new car, sell the old one, and pocket the cash," we told ourselves. Or if it was a boat, we'd just sell it.

As those few days wore on, we began to take a more realistic approach. "What if it's only a new television set?" we asked ourselves. "It certainly won't be anything less. We could use another TV. Let's try to convince ourselves that that's what it will be. And then if it's a bigger prize, we'll just be that much better off."

We decided to give them a week to send the prize. Nothing arrived in that time span. More days went by, followed by a long holiday weekend. "We should get it Tuesday," we thought, reasoning that it would have been shipped before the holiday. But Tuesday came and went with no shipment from Providence.

We wanted to call and try to find out what had happened to Pat's prize, but we didn't know who to call.

About the time we decided to give up, it came. "It" was in a box about the size of a Snickers bar. It

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O'Daniel predicts sweep of primary

From the Free Press, July 19, 1956

W. Lee O'Daniel, ex-Governor and former U. S. Senator from Texas in the early 40s who is again seeking nomination for Governor in the Democratic primaries, addressed a crowd estimated at more than 2,000 people here Friday night.

Although O'Daniel has lost none of his political adeptness in making a crowd-pleasing campaign talk, his audience gave frequent scattered applause but there was none of the enthusiastic response given the former flour salesman in his first political appearances when he was swept into the Governor's office by an avalanche of votes.

O'Daniel's Hillbilly Band, however, seemed as popular as ever with the crowds cheering for encores.

O'Daniel described his campaign for Governor as "Not much of a race because there is not much opposition. There's nobody running against me that amounts to much," he said. Continuing, he admitted "Oh there are three or four, but not 13 like the gang of professional politicians we beat the first time you elected me your Governor."

Only opponent referred to was "the little Junior Senator from

Texas," whom he did not call by name. Discussing the Land Board scandals, he told his audience that the Attorney General, Governor and Land Commissioner all were members of the Veterans Land Board. "One of them has been sent to prison, and it's all being hushed up," he said. "The people want me to go down there and look into this mess and find out who stole what, and how much."

A cash bonus for Texas war veterans equal to that paid by any other state, higher old age pensions, a huge and almost fantastic water development program for Texas, and continued segregation were pledged by O'Daniel if elected. "As long as I am Governor we will continue to have segregation just like we have always had."

Several times during his talk, O'Daniel repeated his popular first campaign theme, "There ain't going to be a runoff," predicting he would defeat all of his opponents in the first primary.

O'Daniel and his party spent Friday night here. Saturday they traveled to Knox City, Benjamin, Seymour and to Granbury.

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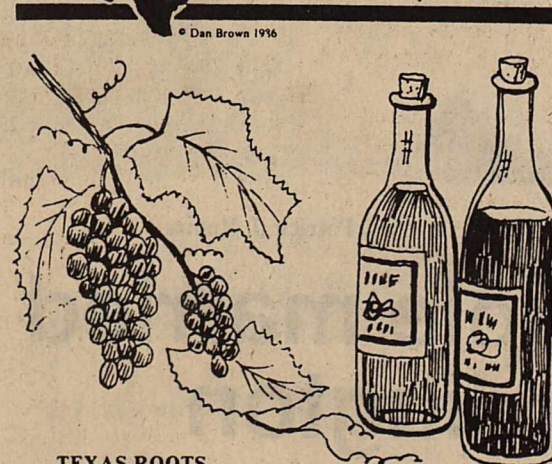
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Students do well...

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average was 80), and 80 percent of them mastered writing (state average was 63).

Fifth-graders beat state averages in mathematics (89-80), reading (85-83) and writing (76-64), and seventh-graders were above the norm in mathematics (83-81), reading (88-78) and writing (71-66). Haskell juniors also were above state averages in the two test categories for juniors, mathematics (92-88) and language arts (92-91).

TEAMS tests are "criterion

referenced tests" (CRT) which measure the individual students' mastery of specific skills which they are expected to have mastered, at the specific grade level tested. The TEAMS tests may also be used as an indication of strengths and weaknesses in the school's overall basic curriculum.

The examination is divided into three areas, mathematics, reading and writing, for third-, fifth-, seventh- and ninth-graders, and in two areas, mathematics and language arts for juniors.

WTU refund requested

Haskell retail customers of West Texas Utilities Co. will share in another fuel cost refund and a significant decrease in their future electric bills if a request filed Tuesday in Austin is approved by the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

WTU is asking permission to refund a total of \$5.7 million in retail revenues collected in excess of actual fuel costs, and to lower its fuel charge rate for the months of September, October and November. The total refund includes \$5,425,372 in actual fuel cost savings which have accumulated from March through June, plus \$306,511 in interest.

This would be the third time for WTU to make a refund and to lower its fuel cost factor since its last rate increase in November 1984. Over \$17.6 million was refunded in August 1985, and \$9.3 million was refunded in May 1986.

"This is not an actual rate case filing," WTU President Glen Churchill explained. "It is an adjustment possible because the price of our boiler fuel has been declining. Any savings we can make on fuel cost is passed on to our customer as soon as permitted."

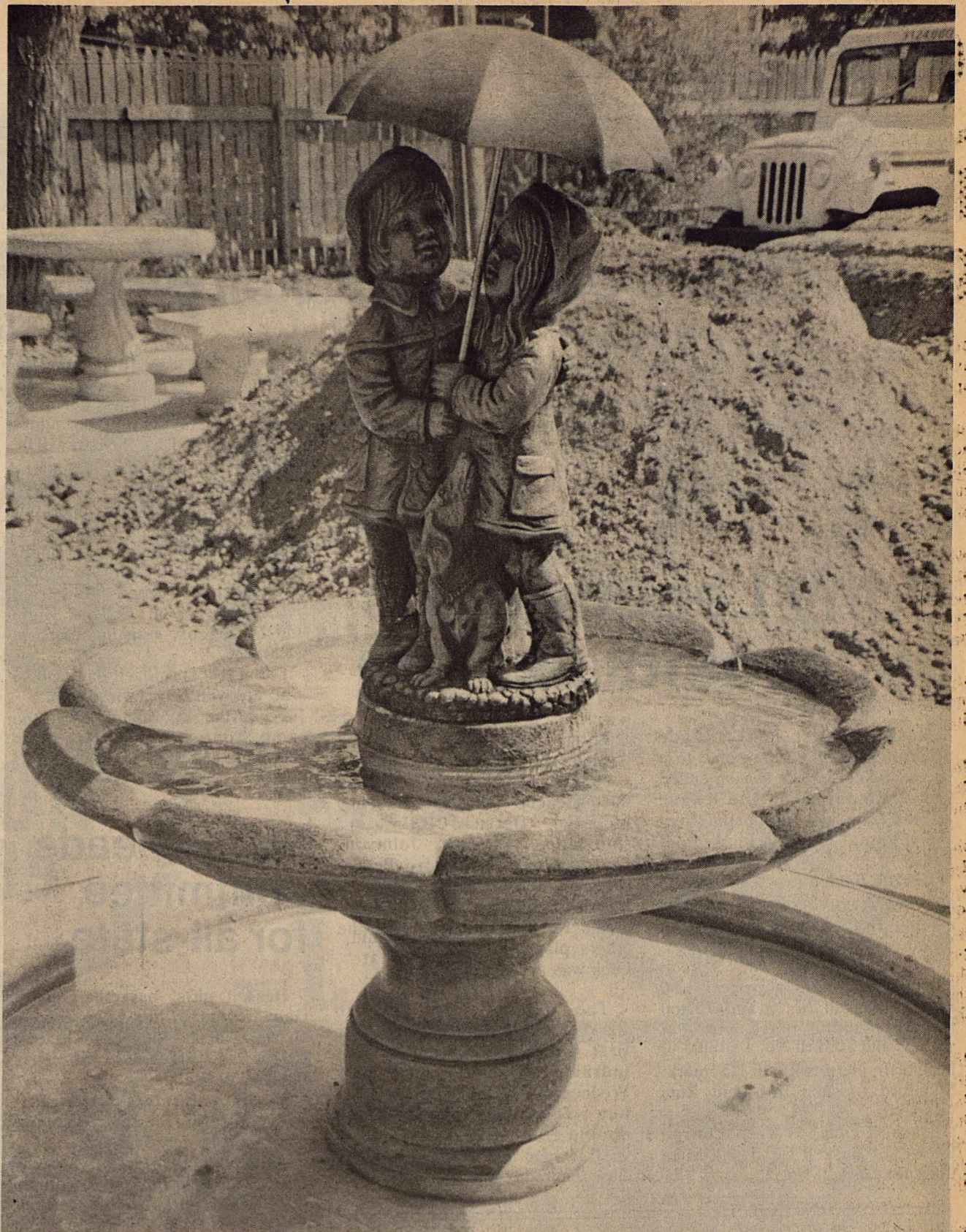
The due amounts on customer bills include both fuel costs and base rates. Utility companies are not allowed to make money on fuel. WTU has had no change in its base rates since 1984.

If a reduction in fuel rates, technically known as the Interim Quarterly Fixed Fuel Factors, is approved, WTU officials estimate the fuel cost charges to its customers will drop by 24 percent, or \$7.9 million, during the three-month period beginning in September.

After the state's Public Utility Regulatory Act was amended in 1983 the PUC ordered the use of the fixed fuel factors and their use was recently re-adopted in an emergency fuel rule. Previously, an automatic fuel adjustment matched fuel billings to fuel expense each month. These immediate adjustments prevented over-recoveries of fuel costs and made refunds unnecessary.

Under WTU's proposal, all existing retail customers would receive refunds through one-time credits to their bills in the billing month of September. A typical residential customer would receive about \$11.

Natural gas is the principal fuel for all of WTU's eight major power generating stations. In recent years, fuel costs have amounted to more than half of the company's total operating costs, but have dropped from an all-time high of \$3.18 per million BTU in 1983 to \$1.88 in June 1986.



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS UMBRELLA?

The umbrella from the fountain in Thanksgiving Place Park in Hamlin has been stolen. It was last seen on the Aspermont highway, US83, about four miles north of Hamlin. Park directors say they think someone may have innocently picked up the umbrella from the highway, not knowing where it belongs. A reward fund has been started for the return of the umbrella. The fountain which the umbrella adorns was presented to the park by the Hamlin Ex-Students Association in memory of all deceased ex-students. Anyone with information about the stolen piece is asked to call 915/576-3611.

Citizen participation

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expenditure is increasing by 17 percent each year, she added.

Among suggestions for projects was the "Adopt a Highway" program, sponsored in conjunction with the State Highway Department district offices, which is gaining popular attention statewide and is becoming a major program of the Keep Texas Beautiful volunteer network.

Another was the distribution of study guides to all elementary schools.

As district governor, Mrs. Johnson is charged with the responsibility of organizing a network of volunteers in each of the district's counties. It will be necessary, she said, for her to relinquish her position as local coordinator, so one of her first tasks will be to find her successor.

Out of the Past...

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packery next year as he has several six months old pigs that will weigh 200 pounds each.

Haskell has a proposition for the establishment of a cotton oil mill here, which will probably be accepted. R. C. Montgomery has the matter in hand.

Hall Morrison and family of Graham are visiting Mrs. Morrison's mother, Mrs. J. S. Rike and other relatives here.

A large party of the "frying size" boys and girls had a jolly picnic and day of fun on Mule Creek Tuesday. They were well supplied with such eatables as youngsters delight in and a big freezer of ice cream. The party was chaperoned by Misses Cecil Hughes and Eula Poole and

was composed of Misses Mamie Simmons, Bessie Lemmon, Jessie Wright, Ruby Poole, Lee Couch, Dolly Wheeler, Deron Neathery, Lelia Odell, Lelia Sprows, Maggie Williams, Julia Winn and Masters Earl Odell, Lennis Jones, Frank Baldwin, Matthew Alexander, Charles Parsons, Wallace Meeker, Chester Jones, Clark Dennington and Jesse Foster.

The finishing touches are being put on Judge McConnell's handsome building on the northeast corner of the square. The large plate glass front was placed in the lower story this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Scott went down on California Creek Tuesday to join Rev. J. H. Chambliss and a party of friends who were encamped there fishing.

Plain Talk...

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had to be some kind of jewelry. It was. The costume bracelet was worth perhaps a few bucks to someone who digs that type of stuff, but pretty well worthless to the bank and file to which we belonged. I felt like suing for mental anguish.

I had almost forgotten about the incident until that still-unworn bracelet showed up the other day. It was wedged among the pages about midway through a paperback of "A Texan Looks at Lyndon," obviously inserted years ago as a book mark.

I let it lie. All these years it has dutifully fulfilled a function. If I ever want to finish reading the book, I'll know just where I left off in 1964.

Some cities will go to great lengths to create new images.

Years ago, Hot Springs, N.M., accepted a challenge from TV game show producer Ralph Edwards to change its name to Truth or Consequences.

I'm not sure it had any serious effect. The town's name takes up more space on the I-25 exit sign, but things in general are probably about the same as they would have been if the name had been changed to Tic Tac Dough or Wheel of Fortune.

Now comes a more scientific name change. Hamilton, Ohio, now is known as Hamilton! Ohio. City fathers were convinced by a public relations firm that the exclamation point will give the town a more dynamic image.

Don't bet on it. Exclamation points don't always produce the desired results. I remember the time a neighbor woman left her husband a note on the refrigerator: "I've gone to the doctor. Take out the garbage!" When she got home, he had not taken out the garbage. He was taking a nap! Period.

Summer sun causes problems

The combined effects of sun, exercise, heat and excessive perspiration can cause the loss of fluids and salts in the body. These conditions may, in turn, cause heat exhaustion, heatstroke and sunstroke.

Rice Springs Care Home

By Judy Wolsch
Activity Director

This week RSCH would like to express a huge thank you to all the many volunteers during the last week. Judy would like to express her thanks to all the good folks who filled in for her while she was on vacation.

This week, residents are looking forward to the Haskell Methodist Ladies, the Rule Methodist, Wm. Hodge, Jo Simpson, Suzanne Jones' Bible Study, Eastside luncheon, the Country Band and Peggy Darden's Sing Along and Baptist WMU next Tuesday.

We express our love and prayers to the family of Maria Garcia who we lost early Sunday morning. She hadn't been in our home long, but like all of the rest of our residents, she was a member of our huge family at RSCH and was an inspiration to all.

Water usage baffles City

By Wendell Faught

The City of Haskell isn't coming close to purchasing the minimum 16 million gallons of water monthly it is required to pay for.

Over the past 12 months, while being required to pay for 16 million gallons, the city has averaged buying 14.48 million gallons. During the previous 12 months, the figure was 16.654 million gallons.

Somewhat bewildering is the fact that the City has sold about the same amount of water—an average of 10,919 million gallons over the past 12 months, and 10,591 million gallons over the previous 12-month period.

There is always a sizable gap between water purchased and water sold by the city, that gap for the most recent 12 months amounting to 25 percent. For the previous 12 months, the gap was 36 percent.

At least partially responsible for the larger gap between water bought and water sold is the City's own efficiency. It was discovered late last summer that a malfunctioning pressure valve was resulting in the City being debited for some water it was not actually

receiving. Correction of this and repairs of several leaks reduced substantially the amount of water being charged to the City.

But City officials are not certain that these corrections have accounted for all of the difference. City Administrator Robert Baker points out that renovation of the water towers and the recharging of the water system following the installation of new water lines in the southwest section of the City consumed enormous amounts of water, but still the City did not reach its minimum "during the months of these occurrences."

The contract with the North Central Municipal Water Authority calls for the City of Haskell to purchase a minimum of 16 million gallons of water per month. In other words, the City pays for this amount of water, whether used or not. There is a provision in the contract that allows the City to be granted credit in future months for water paid for and not used. But these credits are usable only in the months when the City goes over its minimum and are not accumulative from one year to the next.

As a result, the City now has 26

Texans favor statehood

While Texans take a great deal of pride in their state, a recent poll conducted for the Foundation for Education on Free Enterprise, Inc., revealed that four out of five Texans do not feel Texas would be better off as an independent country.

The poll, taken by the firm of Arthur J. Finkelstein & Associates, revealed additional information regarding Texans' attitudes toward the agriculture industry and immigration.

At the same time that Texans do not want to be independent of the United States, they do blame the federal government for problems being experienced in farming and agriculture. State government intervention, foreign competition, lending institutions and farmers themselves were believed to be less responsible for the problems of

Texas farmers than the federal government.

The findings of the poll, according to Foundation spokesman Joe Wyatt Jr., indicate that Texans want to allow the free market to determine farm prices and prefer that government become less involved in farming.

On the subject of immigration, more than seven out of 10 Texans believe illegal immigrants hurt rather than help the U.S. economy, with blacks having the widest margin of those who feel immigration is bad for the economy by a 10-1 ratio.

By only a slight margin, Texans believe the U.S. should help the anti-communist freedom fighters in Central America. At the same time,

however, they believe that the population explosion in Mexico is almost a greater threat to Texas than the Soviet Union.

"It is interesting to note that the vast majority of Texans (by an 8-1 margin) agree that millions more refugees will enter Texas if communism spreads in Central America," Wyatt said.

Further poll results indicate that most Texans oppose amnesty for illegal immigrants who entered the United States before 1981. However, these results are reversed among the Hispanics polled who favor granting amnesty by about a 5-3 ratio.

You're reading The Haskell Free Press, and we thank you!



POSTER WINNER

Wendi Watson of Haskell has been named a second-place winner in the State Fire Poster Contest. The Haskell eighth-grader was an earlier winner in local and district contests. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Watson.

Sports

Basketball Camp

Sessions open to Haskell girls

Super Camp II, a basketball camp for girls with no varsity experience, is open to girls from the sixth grade to high school at Haskell.

The camp will be July 28 through Aug. 1 at McMurry College in Abilene. It is under the direction of Carlos Ratliff, head girls' basketball coach at Abilene High

School.

Haskell Coach George Martin says the camp should prove extremely beneficial for any eligible girl who is interested in refining her skills in basketball. He also said that if several girls from Haskell are interested, it should be possible to work out carpool transportation to

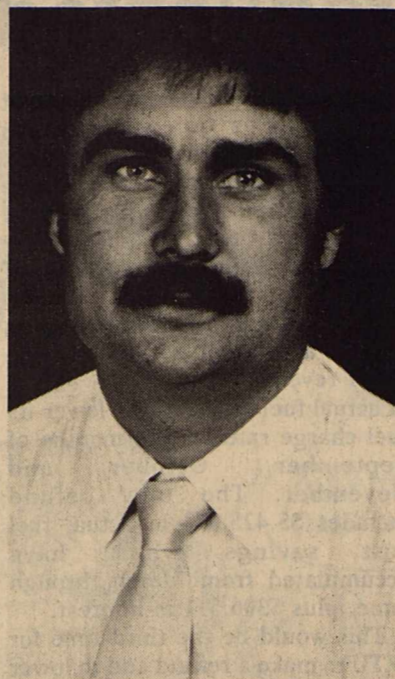
Abilene during the five-day session.

Cost of the camp is \$60. For those wishing to stay in the dormitory during the five days, the cost will be \$145, which includes room and board.

Assisting Ratliff in the operation of the camp will be Dub Pierce, former Abilene High coach; Bobby Pierson, former coach at Olney High School; Fran Edwards, assistant coach at Abilene High; and David Cox, assistant coach at McMurry.

Camp will start each day at 8:30 a.m. and will be over at 5 p.m.

For further information about the camp, contact Coach Martin in Haskell at 864-3124 or Coach Ratliff in Abilene at 915-691-1848.



Randy Stone

Paint Creek coach named to TGCA board

Coach Randy Stone of Paint Creek has been elected to serve on the board of directors of the Texas Girls Coaches Association of Texas. He was chosen during the 1986 summer clinic held last week in Fort Worth.

The TGCA is a 2,000-member organization covering all school classifications, colleges and universities in Texas. Serving four-year terms, board members are responsible for all activities in volleyball, basketball and track in the TGCA. Stone will represent all classifications in Region II which covers an area from Fort Worth to Lubbock.

Stone, who has been coaching for nine years, has been at Paint Creek School for the past seven years. While at Paint Creek his basketball teams have won 123 games while losing only 61. His Paint Creek teams have won a district title, a bi-district title and a runnerup title. His track teams have won two district championships. He was the coach of all-star player Julie Coleman.

Stone is a 1971 Haskell High School graduate. He is married to the former Janie Henderson. The Stones have one son, Cody.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

Martin heads committee for all-state

Haskell girls' basketball coach George Martin has been named chairman of the Region II All-State Committee of the Texas Girls Coaches Association.

His appointment came last weekend during the annual summer clinic held in Fort Worth.

As chairman of the All-State Committee, Martin will coordinate the selection of all-state basketball teams in all classifications, from Class 1A through Class 5A.

The Haskell coach is also an alternate member for track.

Churches prepare for area Crusade

Eleven area churches are presently gathering weekly for prayer and for the up and coming Area Wide Crusade Aug. 3-8, to held at the high school auditorium in Stamford.

Evanglist Suzann Jones of the Foursquare Church in Haskell and chairman for the Crusade, said she believes these meetings are essential for the effectiveness of the Crusade.

Pony League ends successful season

Haskell's first Pony League program since 1980 has come to a successful close. The season ended last Thursday when the league all-star team was eliminated from the regional playoffs in Wichita Falls.

Haskell fielded two teams in the six-team league, with other teams coming from Knox City, Jayton, Stamford and Rule.

Knox City won the season championship with a perfect 12-0 record. Haskell No. 2 and Jayton tied for second place with 8-4 records and Haskell No. 1 wound up in fourth place with a 7-5 mark. Stamford finished fifth and Rule was sixth.

Haskell coaches were Conrad Rowe for Haskell No. 1 and Mike Cook for Haskell No. 2.

Thirty boys, ages 13 to 15, participated in the program.

Four Haskell players were chosen for the league's all-star team. They included Derrick Billington, shortstop; Rodney Johnson, centerfielder; Baltimore Perez, third baseman; and Michael Mendoza, pitcher. Billington was a member of Haskell No. 1 team, the others played for Haskell No. 2. Cook was an all-star coach.

The all-star team lost to Burkburnett by a 21-3 score in the first game of the Wichita Falls tournament. They came back Wednesday to beat Jacksboro 14-4, but were eliminated from the double elimination event with a 10-3 loss to Sheppard Air Force Base Thursday.

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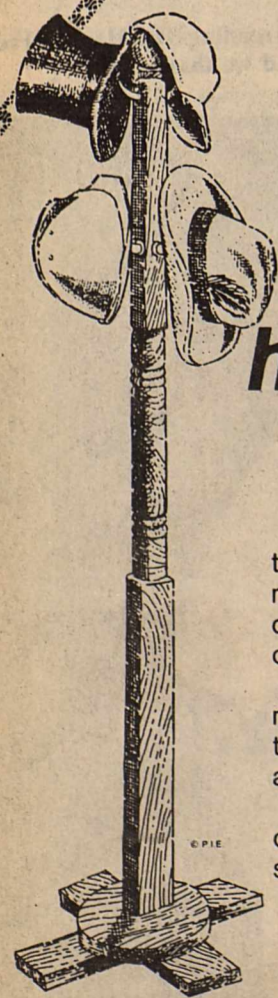
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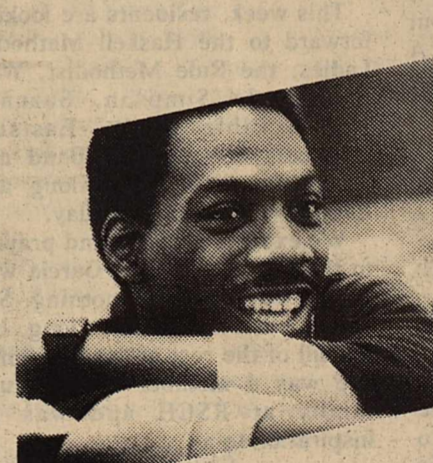
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The interim rules for the Sodbuster, Swampbuster and Conservation Compliance sections of the 1985 Farm Bill were published in the Federal Register June 27. Publication is now followed by a 60-day comment period, however the interim rules take effect immediately.

Under the provisions, farmers will be ineligible for certain government programs if they produce agricultural commodities (defined in the rules) on highly erodible lands, wetlands or newly converted wetlands brought into production after Dec. 23, 1985, unless they have a conservation plan that will bring erosion down to acceptable levels—"T" in most cases. The conservation plan must be approved by the local conservation district in concert with SCS and ASCS.

Specifically, they will be ineligible for participation in commodity price support or

production adjustments, payments, farm storage facility loans, disaster payments, payments for storage of CCC grain, and federal crop insurance. Loans made, insured or guaranteed by FmHA that will be used for any purpose that will contribute to sodbusting or swampbusting will also be denied.

The interim rules contain the definitions of highly erodible land (and what constitutes a predominance of highly erodible land in a field), wetlands and converted wetlands. Specific activities that will lead to a producer's becoming ineligible for program benefits, and exemptions contained in the Farm Bill are included as well. Implementation procedures for each involved agency and the process for appealing determinations are also spelled out.

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Mary Capetillo

Completes training

Mary Capetillo has successfully completed Allsup's Assistant Manager Training course at the company's home office in Clovis, N.M.

The three-day course included instruction in customer relations, company policies, operational procedures and management skills.

Allsup officials say the entire training program represents an effort by Allsup's to provide better service to its customers and prepare assistant managers for a rewarding career in the convenience store industry.

Mary has returned to her store at 1000 N. Ave. E in Haskell.

Haskell Nursing Home

Residents were all out for the Country Band. They had a nice time. They play many of our favorite songs. We enjoyed them coming out.

Mrs. Eleanor Blohm came out and played the piano for us Thursday morning. We are so glad she takes the time to come out.

On Wednesday of this last week Rev. Hodge came out for a special service.

We would like to thank the Church of Christ for coming out each Sunday.

We would like to thank Nelda Lane for all the clothes. We can sure use them.

We would like to wish Mrs. White a get-well wish. She is in the hospital.

We had a birthday ice cream party for Haney Stanfield, Fannie Hargrove, Velma Hill and M. R. King. All the residents came out for it. We would like to wish them a Happy Birthday and many more.

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April, May, June
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	BALANCE MARCH 31 1986	RECEIPTS APRIL, MAY, JUNE 1986	DISBURSEMENTS APRIL, MAY, JUNE 1986	BALANCE JUNE 30 1986
GENERAL	\$876.08	\$140,193.59	\$113,347.12	\$27,722.55
JURY	2,766.82	10,287.00	4,752.52	2,767.66
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT	274.32	.00	.00	274.32
OFFICER SALARY	31,052.07	68,593.92	86,848.51	12,797.48
LAW LIBRARY	251.80	350.00	655.40	53.60
ROAD & BRIDGE # 1	73,388.92	37,640.69	45,000.00	66,029.61
ROAD & BRIDGE # 2	42,120.89	36,744.64	38,389.68	40,475.85
ROAD & BRIDGE # 3	79,837.85	37,043.32	21,810.79	95,070.38
ROAD & BRIDGE # 4	52,471.74	36,744.64	22,134.44	67,081.94
LATERAL ROAD # 1	343.16	.00	.00	343.16
LATERAL ROAD # 2	2,319.00	.00	2,242.12	76.88
LATERAL ROAD # 3	25.72	.00	.00	25.72
LATERAL ROAD # 4	87.18	.00	.00	87.18
F M L ROAD # 1	33,094.05	82,344.69	103,987.42	11,451.32
F M L ROAD # 2	22,173.81	161,689.83	171,639.16	12,224.48
F M L ROAD # 3	41,420.42	81,674.77	115,425.58	7,669.61
F M L ROAD # 4	16,359.90	1,339.83	8,310.53	9,389.20
SOCIAL SECURITY	489.46	22,962.01	22,962.01	489.46
GROUP INSURANCE	73.55	752.94	752.94	73.55
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	6,409.93	3,301.13	2,452.50	7,258.56
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	1,100.90	620.00	479.70	1,241.20
COMP TO VICTIMS OF CRIME	2,526.00	1,773.00	1,347.75	2,951.25
ARREST FEES	1,599.00	1,962.00	1,593.00	1,968.00
JUD. & COURT PERS. TRAIN.	561.50	621.00	472.50	710.00
GEN. REV. SHARING	30,956.79	1,258.26	15,430.60	16,784.45
REV. SHARING # 1	14,025.11	5,575.00	.00	19,600.11
REV. SHARING # 2	13,780.94	5,575.00	8,765.16	10,590.78
REV. SHARING # 3	6,307.23	5,575.00	.00	11,882.23
REV. SHARING # 4	12,307.82	5,575.00	17,000.00	882.82
VOTER REGISTRATION	1,411.87	1,649.60	764.55	2,296.92
ADULT PROBATION	9,645.95	2,802.06	1,605.59	10,842.42
JUVENILE PROBATION	7,160.69	.00	.00	7,160.69
39th JUD. DIST. JUV. BOARD	7,390.30	7,755.13	7,214.71	7,930.72
COUNTY ATTORNEY	5,605.23	670.25	1,051.14	5,224.34
DISTRICT ATTORNEY	125.00	.00	.00	125.00
T.C.D.R.S.	.00	19,653.24	19,653.24	.00
COUNTY LIBRARY SPECIAL	1,969.52	45.90	.00	2,015.42
HASKELL CO. SCHOOLS	10,172.09	2,121.85	.00	12,293.94
MONEY MARKET	146,989.34	1,608.54	140,000.00	8,597.88
E.C.C. BUILDING	206.36	893.70	874.05	225.91
E.C.C. NUTRITION	1,274.77	10,362.77	9,807.92	1,829.62
TOTALS	\$675,419.34	\$797,760.30	\$986,770.63	\$486,409.01

INVESTMENTS OF HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS

SOCIAL SECURITY FUND		
Certificate of deposits	\$ 22722	88.30%
Dated January 3, 1986 and Maturing July 3, 1987		\$5,500.00

HASKELL NATIONAL BANK HASKELL, TEXAS PLEDGES SECURING COUNTY DEPOSITS	
Federal National Mortgage Assoc. Bonds	\$265,000.00
Everman Ind. School Bond	50,000.00
Thurston County Washington (Escrow in U.S. Government)	100,000.00
Tarrant County, Texas G.O.	200,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association Bonds	125,000.00
Federal National Mortgage Association Bonds	35,000.00
	\$775,000.00

HASKELL NATION BANK HASKELL, TEXAS CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSITS	
C.D. #9086 District Clerk's Coat Account (case set, money paid but not disposed of) 30 No. @ 11.75%	
Dated May 23, 1983 and Maturing November 23, 1986	3,000.00
Money Market Account # 61-788-01	8,597.88
Certificates of Deposit Dated 2-28-86 and Maturing 8-29-86	
# 23184	\$10,000.00
# 23185	10,000.00
# 23186	10,000.00
# 23187	10,000.00
# 23188	10,000.00
# 23189	10,000.00
# 23191	15,000.00
	\$86,597.88

On July 14, 1986 A.D., the Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas met in a regular session, compared and examined the Quarterly report for the quarter ending June 30, 1986, and found same to be true and correct.

THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 394 P.C. HAVE BEEN COMPLIED AND A TABULAR STATEMENT HAS BEEN FILED AS REQUIRED

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COUNTY CLERK, HASKELL COUNTY TEXAS

Fortified foods sometimes deficient

The food industry is now marketing a number of calcium-fortified foods to nutrition-conscious women who believe they may be at risk for developing osteoporosis.

Osteoporosis is a disease of brittle and porous bones that affects millions of middle-aged and elderly women, making them more prone to fractures.

Calcium-fortified foods currently on the market include some brands of diet carbonated soft drinks and non-carbonated soft drink mixes, bread and flour. "Eating calcium-fortified products in a balanced diet that still includes dairy products may be helpful,"

says nutritionist Dr. Alice Hunt, "especially since the recommended daily allowance of 800 milligrams of calcium is thought by many medical experts to be too low."

However, she cautions that when dairy products are replaced with calcium-fortified foods, other important nutrients from dairy products such as protein, vitamin D, riboflavin, B-6 and B-12 are lost. It's especially important that teenagers and children eat dairy products both for the calcium and the other nutrients they provide, stresses the Texas A&M University Extension Service specialist.

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CREDITORS' AGREEMENT

Many small businesses have cash flow problems. If the cash shortage is excessive and the condition continues for a long time, the creditors could create a squeeze that brings about the failure of the company.

If you are unable to pay your creditors on time, at least keep in touch with them. If you extend credit to your customers, you know what it's like to send monthly statements and get no response. Put yourself in your creditors' shoes. Most business people are willing to lend a helping hand to their customers if they think they're being treated fairly.

If you can see a future for your company and want your creditors to give you some breathing room, consider using a creditors' agreement.

Most unsecured creditors realize that if your company fails, they will receive little or nothing on their account. If all the creditors agree to forestall any formal collection procedures for a year or two, your company might get back on its feet. The unsecured creditors have a choice of forcing collection now and receiving nothing, or agreeing to wait and perhaps getting partial or total payment.

If all unsecured creditors are treated equally in terms of future partial payments, you should find them willing to participate in an agreement.

Your secured creditors, such as the mortgage holder on your building, may be less patient since they have specific assets which they can sell to satisfy your obligation to them. If you have an agreement from your unsecured creditors to postpone formal collection procedures, you may find your secured creditors willing to go along with your plan.

Some dying companies do not warrant the time and effort it takes to secure this agreement. Meet with your business advisors to determine your best course of action.

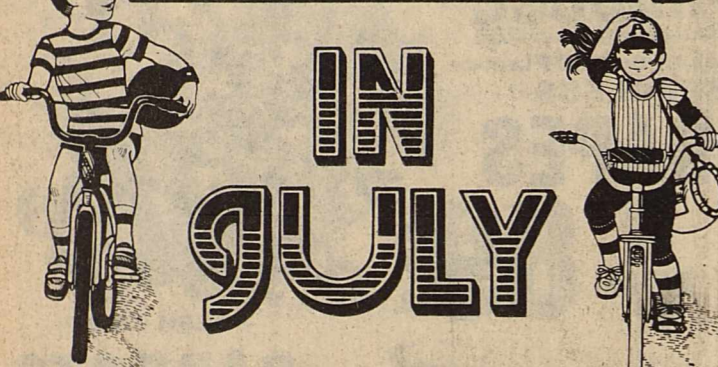
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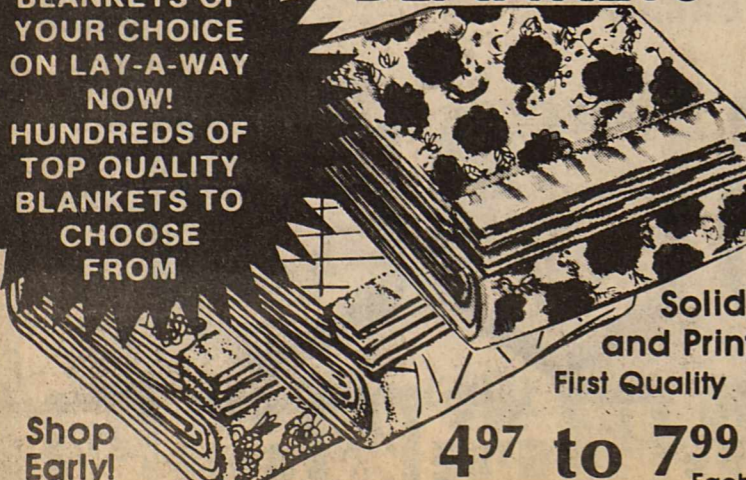


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Obituaries

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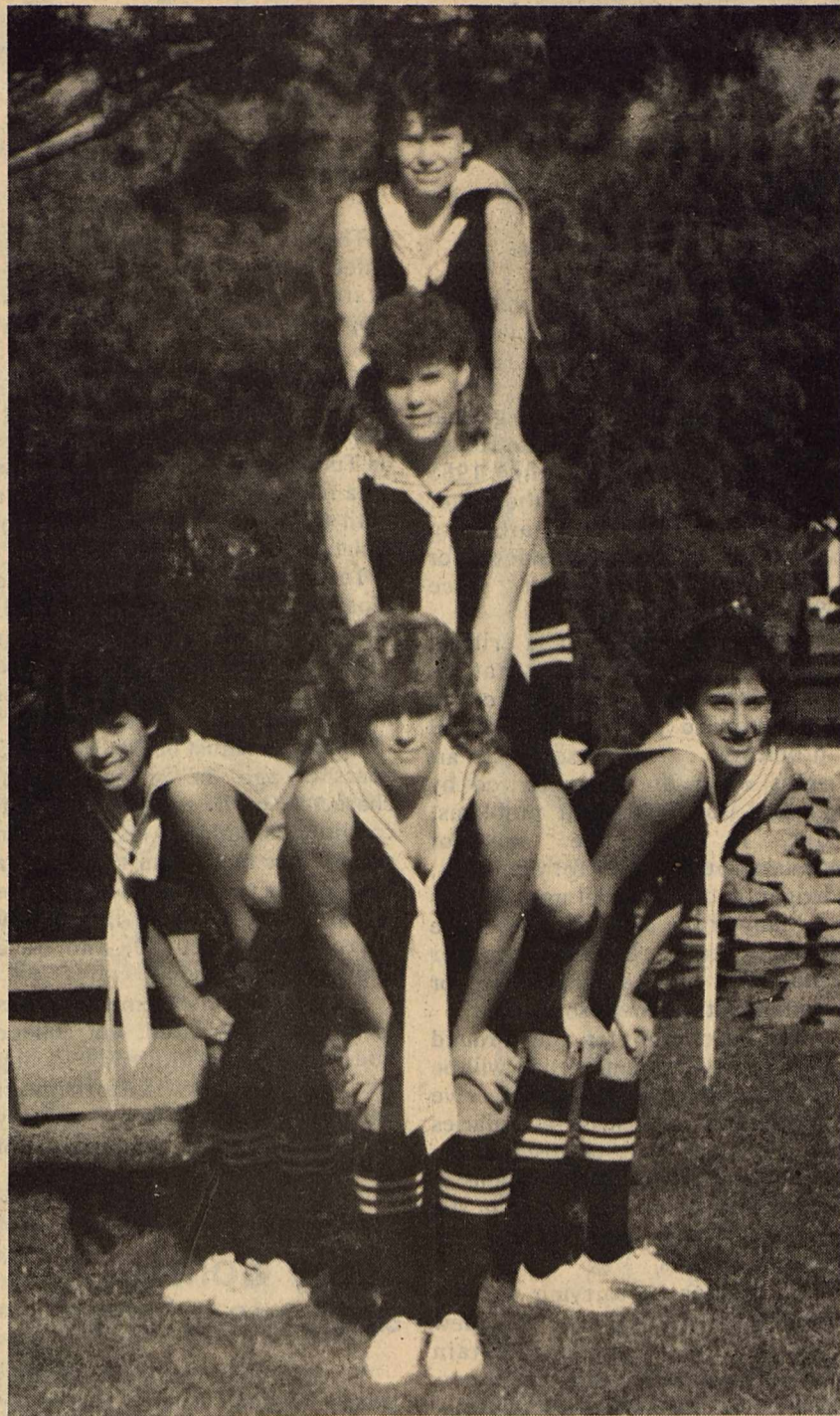
Funeral services for Maria Garcia were at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rotan with the Rev. Joseph Egan officiating. Burial was in Hobbs Cemetery, west of Rotan, directed by Weathershoe Funeral Home.

Mrs. Garcia, 72, died Sunday at a Haskell nursing home.

She was born in Uvalde and was a long-time Fisher County resident. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and was the widow

of Madaleno Garcia whom she married April 17, 1931, in Roby. He died in 1975.

Survivors include three sons, Oscar Garcia of Camp Springs, Raul M. Garcia and Madaleno R. Garcia, both of Fort Worth; four daughters, Mrs. Fidencio (Olga) Escobedo and Mrs. Rufino (Irma) Escobedo, both of Haskell, Mrs. Tony (Hortencia) Perales of Rotan and Mrs. Adon (Dora) Lopez of Lubbock; two brothers; a sister; 29 grandchildren; a step-grandson; and 25 great-grandchildren.



JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS

Haskell Junior High cheerleaders attended the 1986 Big Country Cheerleader Camp at Hardin-Simmons June 23-27. They were taught new cheers, stunts, chants and spirit ideas from a professional staff. The cheerleaders are Amanda Diaz, Becky Cline, Corie Brzozowski, Tiffany Williams and Kim Gilly.

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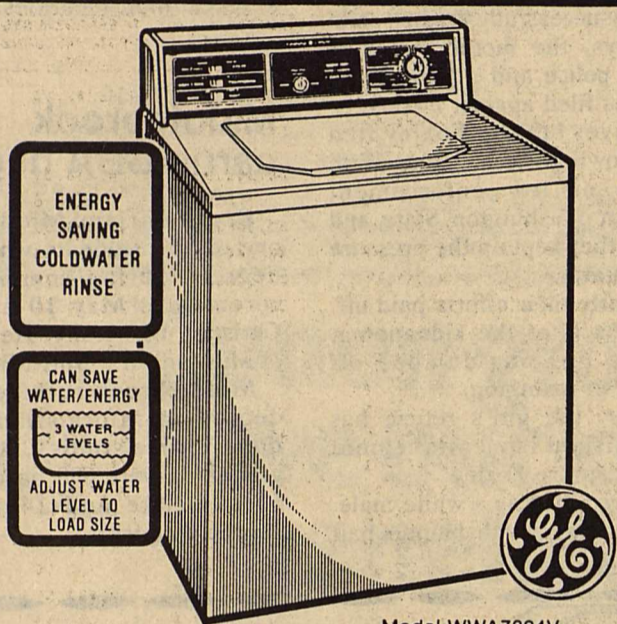
It's called the Problem Resolution Program (PRP) office

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Haskell designated critical water area

The Haskell and Knox county area is among 17 areas in the state which have been designated as critical ground water areas by the Texas Water Commission.

Delineation of the areas is the first official action of a newly created Ground Water Conservation Section of the Water Commission.

The new section will consolidate most of the agency's ground water activities. It will be headed by Bill

Klemt and will be in the agency's Water Rights and Uses Division.

Executive director Larry Soward said the commission "recognizes that ground water is becoming a significant water issue and is of concern to Texans." He said he believes the consolidation is the commission's response to that increasing concern.

"We think that this new section will facilitate better focus on ground water issues and provide citizens a

place to get information and have input into the various decision-making processes relating to ground water," Soward said.

The listing of the critical ground water areas is in response to House Bill 2, passed by the 1985 legislature. Klemt said the water commission has been gathering information on areas considered for inclusion in the list since September.

According to Klemt, a critical area means an area that is experiencing or is expected to experience critical problems. These are areas which are characterized by ground water overdraft problems, due to extensive use of underground water for drinking, irrigation or industrial uses.

Many of the areas' problems are complicated because other situations, such as subsidence or contamination, are also present.

The next step for the Ground Water Conservation Section will be to hold public hearings to receive information, to discuss boundaries of the areas and to discuss the problems and potential solutions in the critical areas. A schedule of the hearings will be published later this summer.

In addition to carrying out the mandates of state law, this new section will have certain responsibilities relating to the new ground water language contained in the federal Safe Drinking Water Act reauthorization, which was signed by President Reagan June 19.

Activities of the new section will include technical support for creation of underground water districts, ground water protection, part of the state's underground injection control program, the underground storage tank program, work with the Texas Water Well Drillers Board, and permitting of shafts for mining and waste disposal.

Reserve program adds more acreage

Almost 280,000 acres of erodible Texas cropland were accepted into the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) during the second 1986 sign-up period in May.

That total, coupled with 29,052 acres accepted into the new government program in March, brings Texas' total to more than 300,000 acres involving some 1,200 farms. Accepted bids on the land statewide averaged just over \$41 per acre for the second sign-up period, compared to about \$39 for the first round.

DPS seeks applicants for troopers

The Texas Department of Public Safety is accepting applications for State Trooper positions. Applications may be picked up at any DPS office.

Entrance examinations are being administered in the Lubbock, Amarillo and Wichita Falls offices on Tuesdays and Thursdays for this area of the state and will continue until Oct. 16 for the recruit school which begins some time in 1987.

Tests start at 8:30 a.m. and take most of the day to complete. Applicants are advised to wear comfortable running footwear and be prepared to give their best mental and physical efforts.

Applicants must be 20 through 35 years of age, be of good moral character, be in excellent physical condition, weigh not less than two pounds nor more than three and a half pounds per inch of height; have visual acuity no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/30; and be a United States citizen.

A minimum of 60 semester hours of college is required, but college hours may be substituted by having two years of law enforcement experience or two years of military experience or any combination of the three.

Most Wanted

Ex-con wanted for kidnapping

You can't really say that Richard Lance Foxley has lived up to the adage of being "as smart as a fox."

In the past eight years, Foxley has been in and out of trouble with the law. He has been convicted for burglary on two occasions and spent some time in the Texas Department of Corrections system.

Now he is in trouble again. Foxley is wanted on Tarrant County warrants charging him with the May 1985 kidnapping of his biological daughter. He is also wanted in Texas on warrants charging him with possession of marijuana, probation violation and on a misdemeanor warrant for driving with a suspended license.

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

Foxley's latest problems with the law began May 5, 1985, when he allegedly failed to return his 5-year-old daughter after a weekend visit.

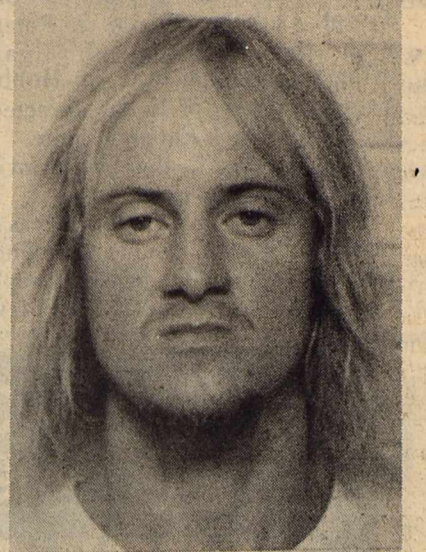
Investigators say the young girl's mother was left a note which said, "I gotcha, and you know it." After looking unsuccessfully for her child for 12 days, the mother went to Arlington police and a kidnapping charge was filed against Foxley.

Detectives believe Foxley fled Texas following the incident. With the help of law enforcement agencies in Washington State and Colorado, they kept up the pressure on their quarry.

Apparently their efforts paid off. Ten months after the kidnapping, the young girl was dumped off unharmed in Arlington.

However, the girl's return has not diminished law enforcement efforts to capture Foxley.

He is described as a white male, 5-9, 155 pounds, with blonde hair



Richard Lance Foxley

and blue eyes. He might have a thin blonde moustache. Foxley also has a three-inch scar on his right calf.

Anyone having information concerning the whereabouts of Richard Lance Foxley is asked to call the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council toll free at 1-800-252-8477. Callers do not have to reveal their identities.

Middlebrook earns BBA degree

Bryan Garland Middlebrook is one of 767 students who received degrees during commencement ceremonies May 10 at Abilene Christian University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Middlebrook.

Middlebrook received a BBA degree in information systems quantitative studies. Among the graduates were 608 baccalaureate, 13 associate and 146 master's degree recipients.

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Overton musicals hits

(The following article appeared in The Albany News of June 19. Bill Overton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Overton and the twin brother of Wallar Overton of the Paint Creek community.)

Fandangle assistant director Bill Overton will possibly have more on his mind tonight than the opening of the 48th Fort Griffin Fandangle.

Overton will have a musical he wrote and scored opening the same evening in Brisbane, Australia.

The play, entitled "The Country Mouse Goes to Town," was written in 1985 by Overton and is a musical comedy based on Aesop's tale of

the city mouse and the country mouse.

Overton submitted the work to several professional theater groups, and the Australian company was the first to ask for a script and offer a contract. Several other production companies are considering the play for a Christmas show, since the final scene takes place at Christmas.

This is not Overton's first play to be produced. He has had pieces of his work produced over most of the state of Texas, as well as Louisiana, Virginia and California. North Texas State University has done

several of his plays on its stage.

Now in his 12th year as assistant director of the Fandangle, Overton is director of Theater Arts at Cooper High School in Abilene, a position he has held since 1968.

He has written several musicals, or the musical versions of other plays, including "Portrait of Nelson Holliday, Jr.," "Pecos Bill and the Indians" and "Jack and the Beanstalk."

He has written the English versions of "The Orestria," "Prometheus Bound" and "The Mandragola." He also wrote the drama, "Sing the Celestial Song." Several Texas productions of "The Country Mouse Goes to Town" are expected to be signed for the fall.

Overton traditionally travels to London each summer following the Fandangle to see new plays and exchange ideas with other members of the playwriting profession.

Haskell girl whereabouts unknown

The mother of a 14-year-old Haskell girl who disappeared from her home April 13 said Tuesday that she still doesn't know where the girl is.

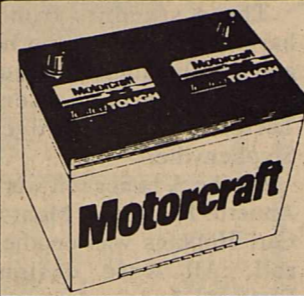
Mrs. Sue Campbell said her daughter, Teresa Conner, called her from a pay phone about a month ago, but she doesn't know where she was calling from. She said the conversation was cut off after the telephone operator notified her daughter her "three minutes were up."

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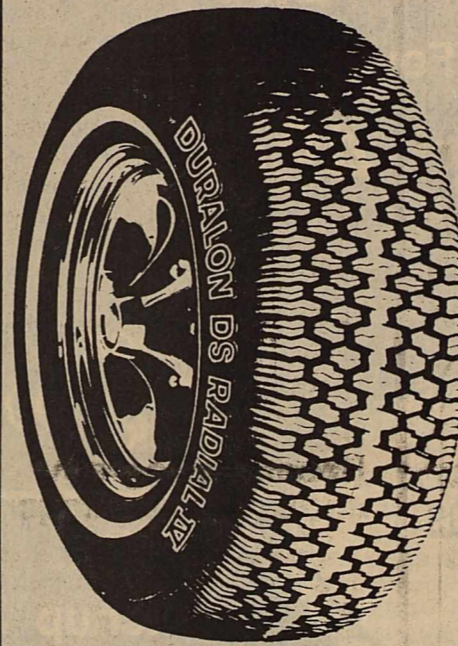
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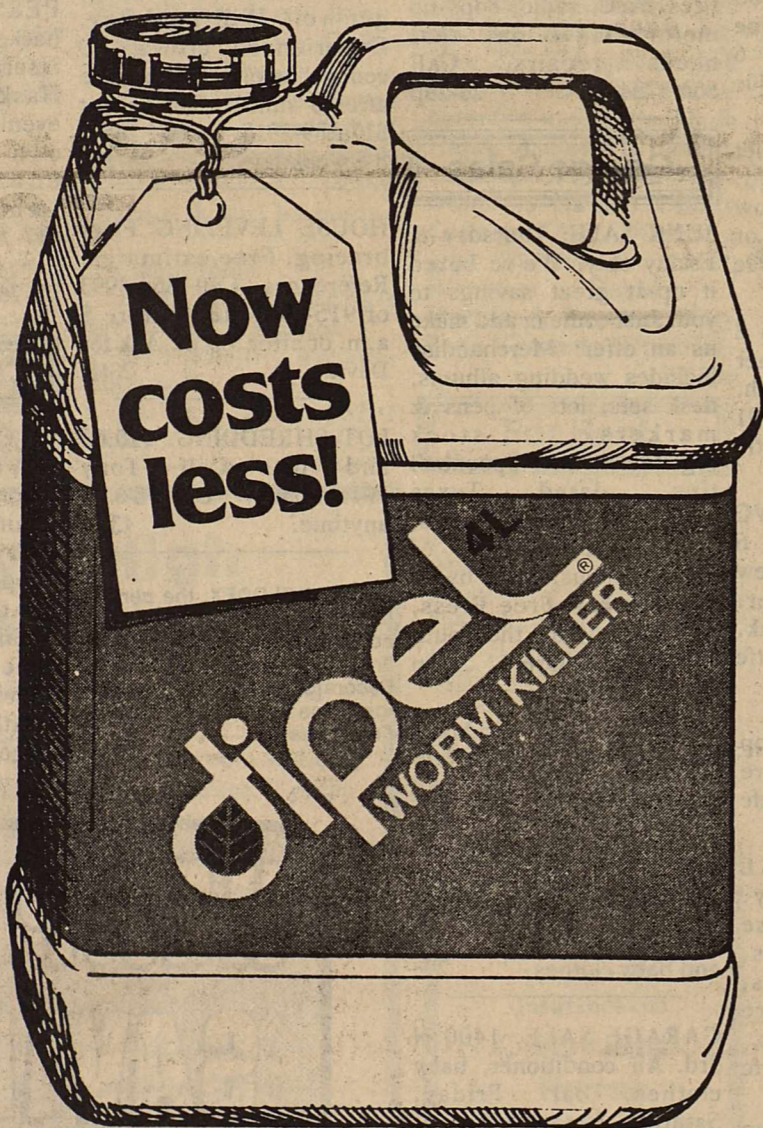
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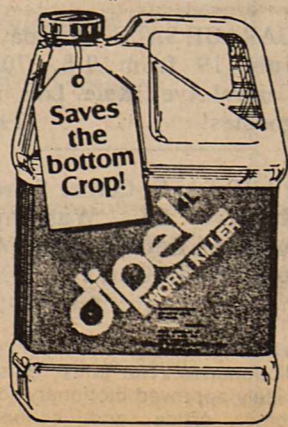
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Haskell Livestock Auction

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Gary Tate reported a run of 1,246 head of cattle, plus five hogs and one sheep.

Butcher calves: choice 50-55; good 45-50; standard 40-45; rannies 35-40.

Cows: fat 34-38; cutters 37-41.50; canners 31-38.50; stockers 35-45.

Bulls: bologna 45-52; stockers 55-60; utility 40-45.

Stocker steer calves: choice 80-100; good 70-80; medium 60-70; common 50-60.

Stocker heifer calves: choice 65-70; good 60-65; medium 55-60; common 50-55.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 58-63; good 54-58; medium 50-54; common 45-50.

Feeder heifer yearlings: choice 52-56; good 48-52; medium 44-48; common 38-44.

Cows and calves: good 525-625; plain 400-525.

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Three make honor roll at Tarleton

Three students from Haskell have been listed on the honor rolls and the Distinguished Students list for the 1986 spring semester at Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

On the A honor roll were Camille Annette Klose and Monty Moeller. Carl Hopkins was on the B honor roll. All were designated as Distinguished Students.

To make the A honor roll, a student was required to have a 4.0 grade point ratio on the 4.0 system while taking a minimum of 12 hours. Students on the B honor roll had grade point ratios between 3.00 and 3.99 with no grade lower than B while taking a minimum of 12 hours.

Freshmen and sophomore students with a minimum GPR of 3.25 with no grade lower than C, and junior and seniors who have a minimum GPR of 3.50 with no grade lower than C were designated Distinguished Students.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin L. Collins were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry V. Collins and Mr. and Charles L. Purdy and sons, Charles L. and Andrew V., of Gallup, N.M.

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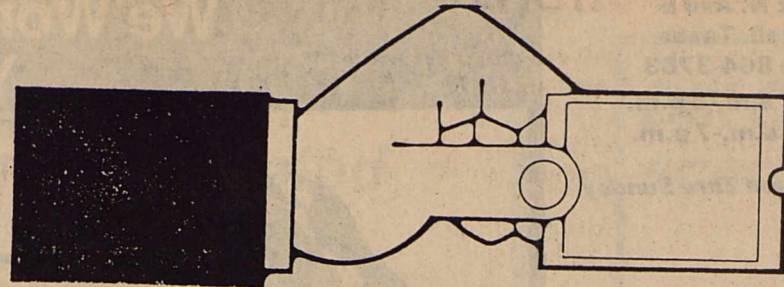
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NOTICE OF ESTRAY
Person reporting Stray Animal: Name: Phil Henshaw; Address: Rt. 1, Box 1203, Haskell, Texas 79521; Telephone: (817) 864-2529.

Location Stray Animal Found: Owner: Mable Jean Wood Estate; Address: (Leased by Phil Henshaw); Approximate Location: South and West of 'T'; from FM 600 and land going back to Stamford Marina.

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This Report made by: Phil Henshaw to Manford Elliott.

The State of Texas County of Haskell BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Johnny L. Mills,

in and for Haskell County, Texas who being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That on the 3rd day of July, 1986, he was notified by the above described person of the above described livestock which was found running at large in Haskell County, Texas, at the above described location and pursuant to the stock laws of the State of Texas, Chapter Four, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, impounded said livestock, said impoundment being at the above described location.

Johnny L. Mills
Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas
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Jean B. Kemp
Notary Public in and for Haskell County, Texas. 29-10c

PUBLIC NOTICE
On June 27, 1986, The Home State Bank, Rochester, Texas was closed by the Banking Commissioner of the State of Texas and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (the 'FDIC') was appointed Receiver thereof. Pursuant to Arts. 342-803 and 342-489 (b) V.A.T.S., notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against The Home State Bank, Rochester, Texas. Claims must be presented in writing within eighteen (18) months of the date of the first publication of this notice (July 3, 1986). Claims should be mailed to:

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To be considered, bids must be returned no later than 4:30 p.m., Tuesday July 22, 1986.
James A. Kemp,
Superintendent 29c

INVITATION TO BID
The Haskell Independent School District will accept bids for commercial grade carpet. Specifications, drawings and further information may be obtained from the superintendent's office at 605 North Avenue E, Haskell, Texas 79521. Bids must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 22, 1986. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. James A. Kemp, Superintendent. 29c

PUBLIC NOTICE
Application is being made to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Private Club Registration Permit and Beverage Cartage Permit for the Location of Country Club Rd. N/S 1.5 miles E. Int. Hwy 277, Haskell, Haskell County Texas, and will be operated under the Trade Name of Haskell County Country Club 19th Hole. Owner is Haskell County Country Club. Directors are Harvey F. Croft, Director; David L. Strickland, Director; Mary Ruth Kennedy, Director. 29-30c

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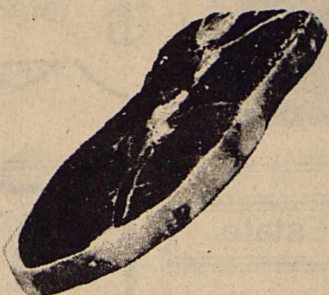
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