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## Families helped by Lions

Jim Crain, president of the Haskell Lions Club, reports that the club's Goodfellow Christmas project received donations of \$1,350 which were used to provide toys and food for approximately 75 families.

Crain expressed appreciation to Haskell and area citizens for their donations and help, and to area churches for their contributions of food and toys.

A special thanks was extended to the Haskell Fire Department for its help in distributing the food and toys to the needy on Christmas Eve.

## Food packages donated by Lubbock firm

Thirty-four Haskell area families received food packages New Year's Day, compliments of a Lubbock business firm.

Fifteen turkeys and 20 hams, along with individual supplies of dressing, gravy and cranberry sauce, were contributed by Prater's Turkeys of Lubbock.

The food packages were distributed by members of the Haskell Fire Department.

## Annual supper Tuesday

The annual Chili, Bean and Cornbread Supper of the Haskell County Junior Livestock Association will be next Tuesday, Jan. 13.

Serving will be from 5 to 8 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

Tickets are \$4 for "all you can eat." Children under 12 will pay at the door. All take-outs will be \$4, regardless of age.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Haskell County Junior Livestock Association, from any county 4-H or FFA member, from the county extension office or at the door.

Proceeds from the supper will help pay the expenses of the livestock show scheduled for Jan. 22-24.

## Gibson buys cotton firm

Charles Gibson has announced the purchase of Guess Cotton Co. from Mike and Steve Guess and has assumed management of the firm.

The new owner, a native of Haskell, is a farmer and rancher.

Gibson said the company will be buying cotton, cotton certificates and generic certificates from farmers in Haskell County and the surrounding area.

Now known as Gibson Cotton Co., the business is located at 706 N. Ave. B.

## Policeman resigns

Monty Hise resigned, effective Jan. 1, as a policeman with the City Police Department. No replacement has been hired.

Hise is now employed at the WTU power plant.

## Haskell teams win openers

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## 1986 rainfall totals 33.34 inches

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## Veteran highway employee retires

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## COOKBOOKS FOR SALE

Margaret Tatum, right, president of the Haskell VFD Auxiliary, and Jo Ann Watson, vice president, inspect the newly printed Haskell VFD Cookbook which goes on sale today.

## VFD Cookbooks to go on sale today

The cookbook of the Haskell VFD Auxiliary will go on sale today (Thursday).

Copies of the approximately 250-recipe book will be available from members of the Auxiliary, The Haskell Free Press or The Hayloft for \$5 per book.

All members of the auxiliary, young and old alike, contributed recipes for the book. Actual work on the cookbook was begun last

summer. The cookbook was completed in November and sent to the printer.

This will be the first fund-raising project of the year for the organization. All proceeds from the sale of the cookbook will be donated to the Haskell Fire Department.

Members hope that cooks and cookbook collectors will both enjoy and use the book.

## Beulah Persons to turn 100 Friday

Beulah Persons will celebrate her 100th birthday Sunday afternoon at Rice Springs Care Home.

Actually, Mrs. Persons will turn 100 a couple of days earlier, Friday, Jan. 9. But friends and relatives will help her celebrate the occasion Sunday. The party begins at 2:30. A brief program, highlighting the events of her life, will be presented.

A 58-year resident of Haskell, Mrs. Persons has lived at Rice Springs since 1979.

She was born as Beulah

Boatwright Jan. 9, 1887, in Searcy, Ark., later moving to Carbon, Texas. She lived a while at Lueders and then lived in Hico where she worked as a telephone operator.

She was married to David Persons on the 4th of July in 1918. He was in the Army at the time and they moved their wedding date up by two weeks when he got word that he was to be sent overseas in World War I. They were married in Dallas, just before midnight, after having to get the

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## Two Haskell physicians face Medicare sanction

Combat lines are being formed in Haskell to retaliate against a medical sanction which could have devastating effects upon the community's medical services.

A group of concerned citizens met at Haskell National Bank Monday evening to explore the avenues of approach and to choose a steering committee to implement the most appropriate action.

The problem, which has created furor among many of the area's citizens, is the result of a recommendation by the Texas Medical Foundation that Dr. Frank Cadenhead and Dr. Wayne Cadenhead be sanctioned by Medicare. Such action would forbid either to treat patients under the Medicare program. (Dr. Joe Thiigpen, Haskell's only other practicing physician, had earlier voluntarily withdrawn from the program.)

The Texas Medical Foundation's Peer Review Board has charged that the two physicians have failed to meet the required criteria of quality care for Medicare patients. The decision was based on the review of the records of five patients of each physician.

At stake could be local medical care for persons on Medicare, a group which forms the majority of medical patients in Haskell. The stability of Haskell Memorial Hospital and the survival of Haskell's two nursing homes could also be jeopardized.

The Texas Medical Foundation (TMF) is reviewing the records of all state physicians participating in the Medicare program under an \$18-million contract with the federal government.

Dr. Wayne Cadenhead readily admitted to the group assembled Monday that he and Dr. Frank Cadenhead, his father, had not precisely followed some of the criteria. But he sharply disputed that patients had not been given quality care.

He mentioned one example where a patient was seen by himself or a nurse 17 times in an 18-hour period, but since the visits were not ordered in the fashion mandated by TMF, the TMF considers the visits as not having occurred.

In recent months as the necessity of meeting the mandated criteria has become more evident, Dr. Cadenhead said they had begun to meet all requirements.

Haskell's situation is not unique. Other physicians, including a number in this area, are facing the same problem. As far as is known, the vast

majority of doctors affected so far have been from small, rural cities. "I don't know of anyone in Abilene who is being sanctioned," said Dr. Cadenhead.

Sanctions against the two

physicians could be imposed 120 days after the date of the notification (Dec. 30). They have 30 days from that date to file with the Inspector General any information which might dispute the TMF findings.

## Committee formed

R. C. Couch was chosen chairman of a steering committee to lead local effort to overturn a Texas Medical Foundation recommendation that two Haskell physicians be sanctioned from the Medicare program.

He was selected during a meeting of number of concerned Haskell citizens Monday evening.

Also on the committee are Dr. Wayne Cadenhead, vice chairman; Francine Johnson, treasurer; Bud Comedy and Bill Baker.

The group was empowered to enlist legal counsel in dealing with the proposed sanctions. The idea of filing suit for an injunction was one of the ideas discussed.

By Tuesday, the committee already had contacted Bill Darling, an Austin attorney who is handling similar cases.

The committee solicits the input of all citizens of Haskell and surrounding areas.

## Fund established

A Rolling Plains Medical Defense Fund has been established at Haskell National Bank for the purpose of raising funds to combat the proposed sanctions of two Haskell physicians from the Medicare program.

"It's going to take money to do this," said R. C. Couch, chairman of a steering committee named Monday. "We'll ask the city, the county, the merchants, the banks, the medical profession and the public for help," said the committee chairman.

Money is needed immediately to pay for legal services and to cover any other expenses which might arise.

A decision to establish the fund was made by a group of citizens meeting at Haskell National Bank Monday evening.

Reaction was swift. A number of people present at the meeting made verbal pledges. By mid-afternoon Tuesday, \$3,600 already had been deposited in the account.

Individuals, business firms and organizations are being encouraged to contribute to the fund. Checks should be made payable to the Rolling Plains Medical Defense Fund.

## Medicare patients still being treated

Haskell Memorial Hospital is not closing.

No Haskell doctors are losing their licenses.

The two Haskell nursing homes are not closing.

Medicare patients are still being treated by Haskell doctors and being served by Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Rumors to the contrary have been circulating in Haskell this week in wake of the disclosure that two Haskell physicians are having problems with Medicare regulations.

Even if the recommendation of the Texas Medical Foundation that the two be sanctioned is eventually approved, the two doctors' will only lose their rights to treat patients under the Medicare program. It will not forbid them from treating the elderly or anyone else.

## In Perryton: We're not alone

## Writer defends doctor

(Haskell is not alone in its problems with Medicare. A writer from Perryton, A. L. Eddington, in a letter to the editor of the Amarillo Daily News published Dec. 27, expresses the view of many here who sympathize with the doctors' position. The letter follows.)

In the Amarillo Daily News of Dec. 10 "Regional Roundup" column, there was an item from Perryton regarding the Medicare decertification of Dr. Claude W. Betty, MD, of Perryton.

A statement in this article attributed to Carl Grunniger of the Department of Health and Human Services read as follows: "The Dr. Betty case did not involve Medicare fraud, it involved quality of care."

I will state as a personally known fact that the care rendered to his patients by Dr. Betty is always excellent. Dr. Betty's sins, if sins they be, are principally two in number.

He believes that when he sees a patient he is competent to judge whether or not that patient should be admitted to the hospital. And he believes he is competent to judge when that patient is well enough to be dismissed.

He also believes that it is his responsibility to his patient to prescribe the treatment which he knows, both on the basis of his medical training and on his knowledge of each individual patient, to be in the best interest of that patient.

The philosophy being fostered by the Department of Health and Human Services is a bit different.

HHS establishes criteria that must be met before a patient's admission to a hospital is approved for payment by Medicare. For a specific diagnosis, a specific number of days are allowed. All of this despite the fact that patients come with a wide variety of combined factors which merit consideration on both the questions of admittance and length of stay.

HHS also believes the judgment of the Peer Review Organization (a group of physicians who never see the patient) is such that it should dictate what the appropriate medication should be.

Dear reader, under which of the

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## SWEARING-IN

County and district officials were sworn in to new terms Monday morning in ceremonies in the District Court room. Former District Attorney Ben Charlie Chapman performed the ceremony. Taking oaths, from left, were County Clerk Woodrow Frazier, Justice of the Peace Buck Everett, County Judge B. O. Roberson, District Judge Charles Chapman, Commissioners Ronnie Chapman and Bud Turnbow, District Clerk Carolyn Reynolds and Justice of the Peace Jane Short of Rochester and Elaine Holcomb of Rule.

# School Menu

<p>January 12-16 <b>Lunch</b> <b>Monday</b> Beef &amp; Spaghetti Buttered Corn Cole Slaw Hot Rolls/butter - Elem. Garlic Bread - H.S. Chocolate Fudge Cookies Milk - Elem. Milk or Tea - H.S.</p> <p><b>Tuesday</b> Fish Portions Tarter Sauce or Catsup Pinto Beans Macaroni &amp; Cheese Cornbread/butter Pineapple salad Milk - Elem. Milk or Tea - H.S.</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b> Chalupas Crated cheese Lettuce &amp; Tomatoes Applesauce</p>	<p>Peanut Butter &amp; Crackers Milk - Elem. Milk or Tea - H.S.</p> <p><b>Thursday</b> Steak Fingers/gravy Creamed Potatoes Buttered Peas Hot Rolls/butter Fruit Salad Milk - Elem. Milk or Tea - H.S.</p> <p><b>Friday</b> Chili Dogs Grated Cheese French Fries/catsup Sliced Peaches Peanut Butter &amp; Crackers Milk - Elem. Milk or Tea - H.S.</p> <p><b>Breakfast</b> <b>Monday</b> Apple Juice Cereal Milk</p>	<p><b>Tuesday</b> Grape Juice Pancakes/syrup Milk</p> <p><b>Wednesday</b> Orange Juice Buttered Toast/Jelly Milk</p> <p><b>Thursday</b> Pineapple Juice Pancakes/syrup Milk</p> <p><b>Friday</b> Fruit Juice Toasted Rolls/honey Milk</p>
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Deborah Renee Costella and William Scott Alves

## Costella-Alves wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill of Stamford have announced the engagement of their niece, Deborah Renee Costella, to William Scott Alves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alves of Haskell.

The couple will be married Saturday, June 6, at Foursquare Gospel Church in Stamford with the Rev. Dewey Dudensing officiating. The bride-to-be is a student of Stamford High School and is employed by High's Florist. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Haskell High School, attended San Angelo State University and is employed by Rolling Plains Broadcasting Corp.

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### Births

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Michael Echols of Knox City announce the arrival of their daughter Mikah Dannielle Echols, born January 2, 1987 at Haskell Memorial Hospital. 7 pounds and 12 ounces. Waiting their turn to hold him are the proud grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Dunn of Dickinson and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harris of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris of Texas City are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Jimmy Dale Harris Jr. He was born Dec. 18 at St. Mary's Hospital in Galveston, weighing in at

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# Weinert News

By Myrtle Phemister

School bells rang on Monday, January 5th, 1987, calling students back to classes after all the holiday festivities. They look forward to two weeks of cramming for the final exams, when the fall semester comes to an end on January 15th.

College students will have a longer reprieve from classes, and we will miss them when they do return to their respective alma maters.

Visitors have returned to their homes and peace, quiet and order have returned to our small community. Some residents homes have already been hooked up to the new cable and better viewing on many more channels is being enjoyed by those. Soon most homes will be connected and TV antennae will be cheap in Weinert.

Helen Boykin had a bad experience

when her TV and VCR was struck by a bolt of lightning. She received an electric shock in the accident.

Ima Stewart enjoyed a surprise visit from her brother Simmy Alexander (Buddy) of Cisco, and his new wife. They were married during the holidays after a five year courtship. They also visited another sister, Rene Vojkufka, and a brother, Edward and family.

Bertie Alexander was happy to have three of her children home for Christmas. They are Faye and Jerry Crawford of San Antonio, Audra and R. H. Schindler of Abilene, and Evelyn and Carl Ellington of Muleshoe, Texas.

Recent visitors in the home of Mattie and D. I. White included their daughter, Sue and Jimmy Hackney

with Tolanda and Todd of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Jones of Sonora; Mrs. Jones mother, Mrs. Virgie Brown of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Cole Alsbrook. Mrs. Brown went home with her daughter, Mrs. Jones, for a few weeks visit in Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Yates hosted a reception in their home on January 2nd honoring their daughter Linda, who became the bride of Ricky Wade on December 25th. Mary Murphy, sister of the bride and her daughter Shanna presided at the beautifully decorated bride's table.

The Wade's will be moving to Abilene at the end of the school semester, January 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Keahey of Rule and their daughter, Lisa Zuck of Abilene, with Mark Justice of Abilene were visiting relatives in Weinert on Saturday.

Mrs. Norene Murphy of Garland, Texas has returned to her home after an extended visit in the home of her son Ed, and family. Mrs. Murphy is recovering from hip surgery and was delighted to be able to be in Weinert for the holiday season.

The Weinert Church of Christ hosted the monthly singing on Sunday, January 4th.

Doris and Dale Carroll closed their store on the square in Haskell, "The Music Box", as of December 31st. After five years in business, Doris will be "just a house wife" until Dale persuades her to be a "farmers" helper.

Lance Corporal David Bryan Phemister and his wife Rosemarie returned to their home near Chicago, Illinois on Monday. Bryan is stationed at the Marine base in Glenview,

Illinois, and has one more year of military service. They spent a few days with their family and grandparents in Weinert during the holidays.

Mrs. Melvin Cooksey of Goree hosted the holiday get-together of her family, the Yates, in her home January 4th. Attending from Weinert were Mr. and Mrs. Toby Yates; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Wade; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yates, Jason, Dusty and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy, Shanna and Lane.

We welcomed Ted and Edna Boykin from Nashville, Arkansas on Saturday. They spent six weeks with their children and grandchildren there while Edna recuperated from surgery. Betty Carroll, their daughter returned to her home on Sunday.

Darrell and Brenda Briles and children of Odessa helped make some joyful noise at the Dale and Doris Carroll home on New Year's eve. They returned home on Sunday, also Darrell is a brother to Dorris.

The Weinert Home Extension Club were honored guests at a reception hosted by the West Texas Rehab Center on Saturday, January 3rd in Abilene. Each person, or group, who has donated a quilt or afghan for the Telethon Auction, was invited to meet Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hayes and have their pictures made with their quilt and Mr. and Mrs. Hayes. The Weinert club has made a quilt for the auction for many years and this is the first time they have attended the reception. Those attending were Alice Yates, Faye Jetton and Myrtle Phemister.

The Hayes are TV personalities featured in the daytime shows "Days of

Our Lives" and "The Young and the Restless".

Faye Jetton hosted the Home Extension Club's first club meeting of 1987 in her home on Tuesday, January 6th at 2 pm.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood with Cary and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yates with Jason had a delightful vacation at a ski resort recently.

Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka and Rene Vojkufka had a refreshing, uplifting experience at the PTL meeting in Christmas City, North Carolina a few days ago. They accompanied Doris Carroll, a good friend on the trip.

Alton and Millie Sanders had a late Christmas when their children came to help celebrate their mother's birthday on December 30th. Joyce and Jerry Sanders with Amanda and Jeremy of Merkel and Terry and Beth Sanders with David and Kerrie came for the festivities.

Juanita and M. A. Davis were

guests of their daughter, Gayle and Jimmy White over the weekend, and attended church services at the Church of Christ on Sunday.

Francis Mahan spent some time with her daughter and family, Margie and Pete Jordan in Hamilton, Texas during New Year holidays.

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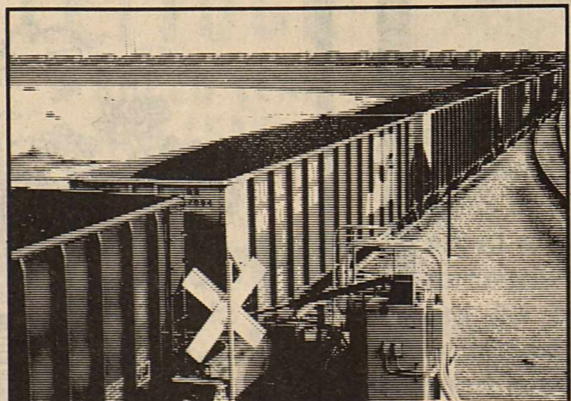
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# Commentary

## New year brings sales, gas tax hikes

AUSTIN—New Year's at the Capitol rang out the Texas Sesquicentennial and rang in the collection of new taxes passed just weeks ago to replenish the dwindling state treasury.

Beginning New Year's Day, retail shoppers pay an additional 1 1/2 cents in sales tax and motorists pay an extra nickel per gallon of gasoline.

While Capitol halls fell silent over the holidays, the lawmakers themselves were busy back home preparing for what many predict may be the toughest session of the century.

And supporters of Gov.-elect Bill Clements busily prepared for his Jan. 20 inauguration.

Right after New Year's Day, inaugurations were held for the down-ballot state officials: Attorney General Jim Mattox, Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, Treasurer Ann Richards and Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower.

### Flag Down Under

One of the last of the 150th-year tributes was the planting of an official Texas Sesquicentennial flag at the South Pole.

**STATE CAPITAL**



**HIGHLIGHTS**

By Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Texas scientists there braved a 60-degree below zero wind chill factor to do the icy deed. In Austin, the Sesquicentennial Commission continued winding down amid reports the economic slump somewhat hampered financial expectations of the celebration.

### Post-Vote Analysis

Post-election campaign reports show the governor's race alone cost the two candidates over \$25 million, the costliest in Texas history. Clements spent about \$6 per vote; Mark White, \$8.

The supreme court justice race by state Sen. Oscar Mauzy cost \$1.6 million, or nearly the one-year budget for the entire court.

One of the largest contributors to the White campaign was Texas Commerce Bancshares with \$28,600. White backed the new interstate banking legislation and Texas Commerce was the first to benefit from the law when it merged recently with Chemical National Bank.

Utility industry figures gave over \$40,000 to Clements, who wants White's appointees to resign from the Public Utilities Commission. Also targeted for political extinction is the PUC counsel, Austin attorney Jim Boyle, one of the bright spots of competence in the past administration.

**Mattox, Herald, News**  
Last week, Attorney General Jim Mattox asked a state district judge to force *The Dallas Morning News* to hand over its circulation figures. A rival newspaper has already supplied similar information.

Mattox is investigating possible deceptive trade practices by *The News* and its cross-town rival, the *Dallas Times-Herald*. The *Herald* originally filed a complaint on *The News*, which filed a counter-complaint. Then the *Herald* sued *The News*.

In the meantime, Mattox has to deal with charges by *The News* that his actions are politically motivated. The *Herald* endorsed Mattox for re-election, and *The News* endorsed his opponent.

**Other Highlights**  
• Department of Public Safety officials said the state's seat belt law saved at least 200 accident victims in 1986. Some 60 percent of Texas motorists wear seat belts regularly, they observed, compared to the 10-15 percent before the law.

• A census report says Texas growth is slowing, but it's still the third most populous state after California and New York. We've got 16.68 million Texans now.

• Texas prison officials are checking a recently resigned prison guard's allegations he witnessed harassment of inmates and corruption by other guards.

One alleged incident involves the stealing and selling of scrap copper. Another involves the heat-stroke death of an inmate.

• The Consumer Union wants auto insurance rates in Texas lowered by almost six percent instead of the 9.8 percent hike recommended by the State Board of Insurance staff.

• State Sen. Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo, was hospitalized for cracked vertebrae after his four-wheel drive vehicle flipped twice on a Canadian River outing. His son, also a passenger, wasn't injured. The senator expects to be present when the Legislature convenes Jan. 13.

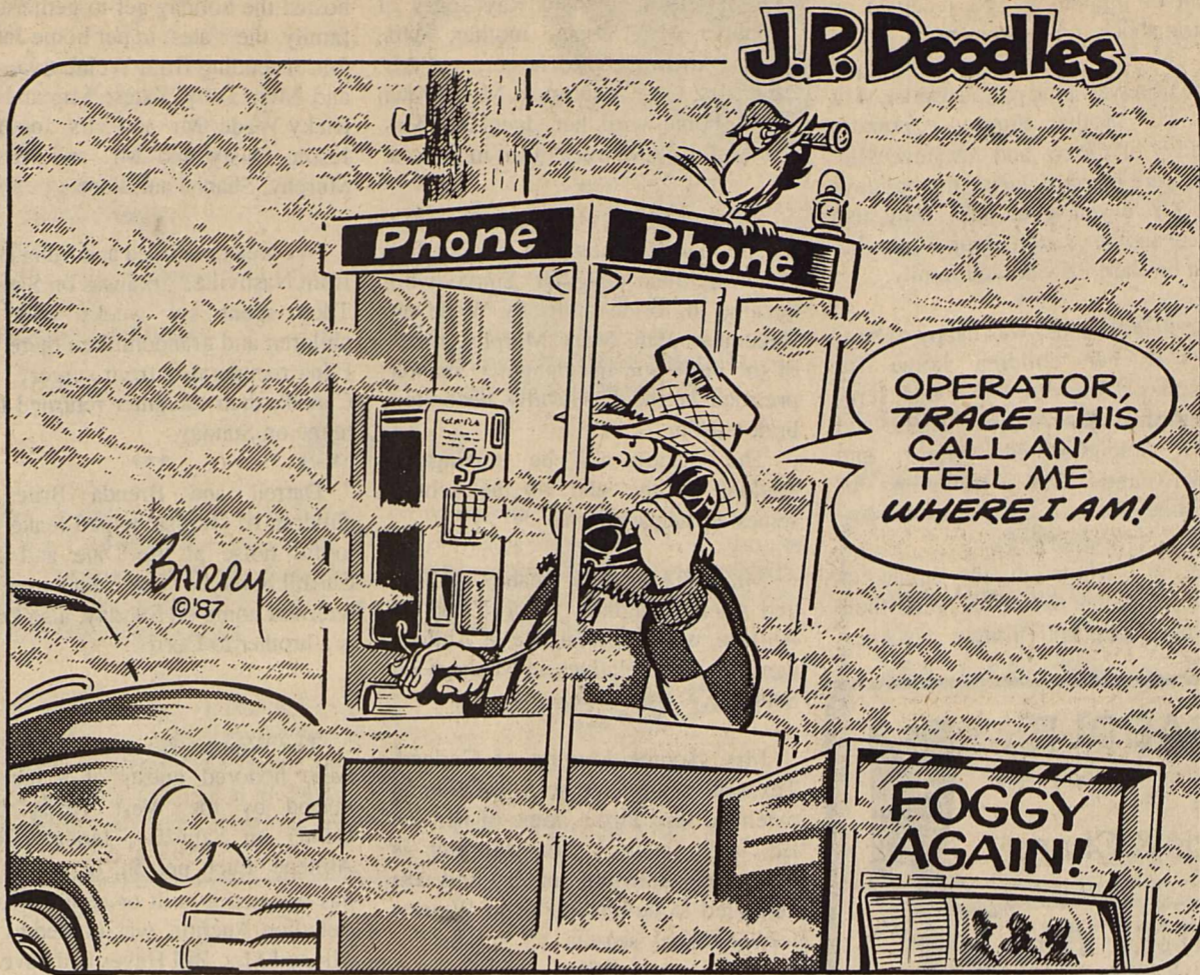
## Ask VA

Q: I have been contacted by a private collection agency regarding my education debt with the VA. Is this collection agency legitimate?

A: The VA has contracted with two separate collection agencies to collect debts which are over one year old. Education debts have been referred to Data Com Systems Corp. and loan guaranty debts have been referred to Corliss Credit Services.

Q: I have been rated totally disabled and I have applied for a waiver of premium of my government life insurance. Should I continue to pay the premium?

A: Yes. You should continue to pay premiums regularly as they become due until the VA notifies you of your right to waiver. Since the criterion of total disability for VA compensation and insurance purposes differ, payment of your premiums will prevent a lapse in your policy should your claim be denied.



## —From Out of the Past—

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

**30 Years Ago**  
Jan. 10, 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Furrh returned Sunday from Falfurrias where Mrs. Furrh had been visiting since Christmas in the home of their daughter and family.

All officers and directors of the Haskell National Bank were re-elected Tuesday at the annual meeting of stockholders and directors. Directors of the bank are Buford Cox, Oliver Cunningham, R. W. Herren, W. R. Johnson, Fred Monke, A. C. Pierson, A. M. Turner, Wm. H. Wilson Jr. and G. W. Waldrop. Officers are A. C. Pierson, president; W. R. Johnson, active vice president; Charles E. Swinson, cashier; Nettie I. McCollum, assistant cashier; and Gene E. Brown, assistant cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Nanny and daughters of Lovington, N.M., were holiday visitors in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holland and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nanny.

Traffic accidents claimed the lives of six persons in Haskell County during 1956.

Chief Engineer and Mrs. C. O. Holt were hosts for a New Year's Eve 42 party for the employees of WTU's Paint Creek Power Plant and their wives.

One fatality and property loss amounting to approximately \$68,000 resulted from fires in the city limits of Haskell during 1956.

Mrs. Hazel Weaver, vocational guidance counselor at HHS, spoke to members of the Lions Club Tuesday concerning the recently developed guidance program at the school.

The Haskell Indians beat Avoca, 47-41, Saturday night to win the championship of the Stamford Invitational basketball tournament.

**50 Years Ago**  
Jan. 14, 1937

At a meeting of trustees of the Haskell School District Wednesday night, Supt. C. B. Breedlove was re-elected for his fifth two-year term as head of the city's school system.

Mrs. Andrew Josselet and daughter, Ruth, spent Wednesday, in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Corley returned Tuesday night from a two weeks visit with their son, R. E. Corley, in Kilgore.

A large delegation from the Haskell Lions Club will attend a district meeting in Sweetwater next Tuesday evening.

**60 Years Ago**  
Jan. 13, 1927

Cottle County officers at Paducah have in custody a man who recently escaped jail in Oklahoma, who is also being questioned in connection with the slaying of City nightwatchman Beauchamp here last fall.

Bill Moore, Leslie Medford and Jim Almond of the Howard community have gone to Albany where they are working on a pipe line job.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Daugherty and daughter, Ermine, spent several days last week in Graham visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bolin.

Miss Jimmie Kinnard has returned to Dallas after a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Jas. P. Kinnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lancaster of the Roberts community have moved to Albany where they plan to make their home.

Lon Matthews, while on his way to the gin with a truck load of boll cotton, ran his truck into a ditch

between the Sweet Home Church and the Bristow Store. The load of bolls was spilled and the truck damaged, but fortunately, Mr. Matthews escaped injury.

**80 Years Ago**  
Jan. 12, 1907

W. W. Eddleman of Abilene, agent for the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., was in Haskell this week and let a contract for the building of storage tank piers and a warehouse.

Mr. Bryson arrived last week with his steam laundry outfit and will have it in operation as soon as a building can be completed.

J. M. McFatter, local building contractor, has announced plans for putting in a brick manufacturing plant here.

Their holiday vacation over, Wilmer Camp and Buford Long have returned to Bryan and resumed their studies in Texas A&M College.

Dr. J. D. Smith, T. A. Pinkerton, Ollie Henderson and G. W. Andrus went over in Stonewall County the first of the week for a few days bird hunting.

Misses Anna Lydia Hughes, Docie Winn and Vera Neathery, and Messrs. O. P. Harlan, Sam Egger and Oldie Henderson attended a grand ball in Stamford Thursday night.

Miss Mamie Meadors returned last Saturday from her holiday visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Dr. E. E. Gilbert and two little sons, Morris and Carl, returned the first of the week from Kentucky where they spent the holiday season with relatives.

Mrs. Rebecca Phillips is having a nice residence built in the southeast part of town.

J. M. Malone of Palo Pinto County has purchased land in the south part of Haskell County and plans to move his family here.



I braked for breakfast the other day at a restaurant near Abilene. The owner must have let a sign painter work out a debt. There were enough signs in the place to keep me busy reading while I ate.

They appeared even before I got inside. Outside the front window was a sign reading "Cashier." Sure enough, you could see the cash register and the cashier's stall through the window, but I never did figure out any need for that information.

Once inside, the real fun began. A sign on the cashier's table read "No Tip Required." I guess a person could still tip if he wanted, but it was nice to know that it wasn't "required."

On a wall was a sign saying "Ice Water", below which was an arrow pointing to a door into the kitchen area. Over the door was another sign: "Employees Only." I suppose the purpose of the sign was to let the employees know where the ice water was located.

Not only do employees have no trouble finding where to go for a drink of water, they should have no difficulty in knowing where to pick up orders after they are ready to be served. That window through which the cook passes the food cannot be mistaken by any nitwit. It was clearly indicated with a sign: "Pickup Here."

After such a delightful reading experience, I may get around to reading those instructions on the flip side of my car's sun visor.

Time and Newsweek are the most popular of the country's weekly news magazines. A single copy of Time costs \$1.95. Newsweek charges \$2.

You would think, then, that a subscription to either magazine would be about the same.

Not so. A 25-week subscription to Time costs exactly twice as much as a 26-week subscription to Newsweek.

Why the difference? Time throws in a "free" telephone with a new subscription.

I subscribed to Time for many years, starting back when a year's subscription was \$5. I got a little ticked off at the magazine constantly raising my subscription price so it could afford to give "free" gimmicks to new subscribers. When the rate got up to around 50 bucks a year, I didn't renew.

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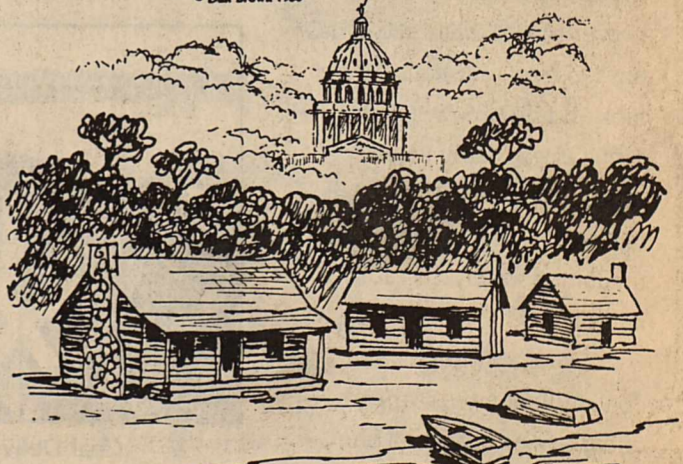
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**NOTICE**

It is a policy of Haskell Nursing Center to admit and to treat all patients without regard to race, color, national origin, or handicap. The same requirements for admission are applied to all and patients are assigned within the home without regard to race, color, national origin, or handicap. There is no distinction in eligibility for, or in the manner of providing, any patient service provided by the nursing home or by others in or outside of the home. All facilities of the nursing home are available without distinction to all patients and visitors regardless of race, color, national origin, or handicap. All persons and organizations having occasion either to refer patients for admission or to recommend Haskell Nursing Center are advised to do so without regard to the patients race, color, national origin, or handicap.

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TEXAS WATERLOO . . .  
In January 1839, Republic of Texas President Mirabeau B. Lamar created a five-man commission to select a permanent site for the capitol of Texas. After an intense search, the men selected the small village of Waterloo, on the banks of the Colorado River. They changed the name to Austin.

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# —Letters to the Editor—

Editor: The manner in which the State of Texas regulates trucking has created unsafe highways and is severely hampering our economic development.

More than 50 years ago, the Texas Railroad Commission was given the authority to regulate the intrastate trucking industry. Within the borders of Texas, the Commission decides who can haul what, which routes they must follow and how much they can charge.

Over the years, virtual monopolies have been granted by the State and Texas consumers have been denied the benefits of competition. While

deciding the most minute economic questions of intrastate trucking, state government has ignored truck safety. Texas is one of only a handful of states which has not adopted truck safety standards in compliance with federal motor carrier standards. The emphasis of state regulation must shift from economic strangulation to insuring safer highways.

In 1980, the U.S. Congress overwhelmingly passed the Motor Carrier Reform Act, which substantially deregulated the economics of interstate trucking. Since that time, interstate trucking costs have declined dramatically in

comparison to Texas' higher regulated intrastate rates.

Today it is much cheaper to send goods to other states than it is to transport them within Texas. As a result, businesses are locating in Louisiana, Arkansas and Oklahoma rather than Texas. Our own state government is driving business prospects away with its anti-competitive regulations.

The original legislation regulating intrastate trucking was passed in 1929. The State of Texas and the trucking industry have changed a lot since then. It is time for state government to regulate truck safety, not economics.

Ed Emmett  
State Representative  
District 127

(Ed Emmett's term as State Representative expires Jan. 13.)

## Rural schools

(The following letters were received by Mrs. S. P. Herren who

coordinated the special Rural School section published in The Free Press in November.)

I was in Haskell today (Dec. 3) and understand you were in California. I'm sorry I missed you.

Thanks so much for your help and support. I especially appreciated the copy of the school edition of The Free Press. You did a wonderful job. You are to be congratulated for your efforts to preserve this part of your county history.

Thanks for your interest and support.

Luther Clegg  
School of Education  
Texas Christian University  
(Professor Clegg is researching the history of one-room schools of West Texas.)

Yes, Madge was right--I do appreciate your sending to me your history of Haskell County rural schools. I have read every word of it and looked at all the pictures.

I just wish that you could have had two pictures I have of Cook Springs Schools--the first of the one-teacher school with all the people of the community and the other of the big four-room building and students when

I was a junior in high school, the last year of school for me there--just 10 grades.

I can understand how much work it was for you to do this. Another lady and I were responsible for getting the histories of Hale County for Hale County history for the Sesquicentennial celebration. We found it to be very hard to get people to do things and on time.

Thank you so much for the history. I will cherish it always.

Mildred Lewis Martin  
Petersburg, TX

## Bids now open for stock show barn

The Brazos Valley Young Farmers are now accepting turn key or partial bids on the construction of the Knox County livestock show barn.

Building plans are available from David Tunmire, Box 167, Benjamin, TX 79505, phone 454-2651. Bids will be opened Jan. 27.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

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## "La Nueva Vida"

KDWT - AM - 1400

Cada Domingo  
a los 9:30 AM.

Escuchen Ustedes

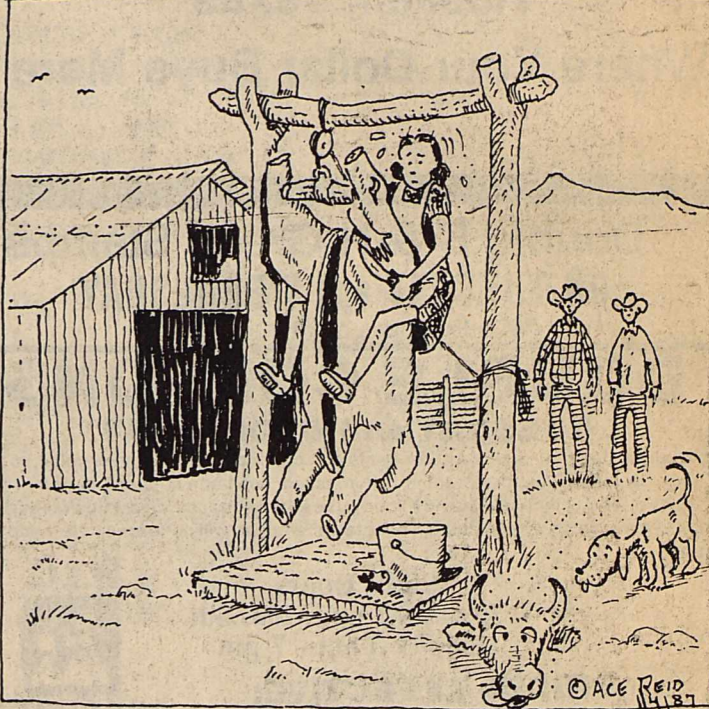
The family of Betty Jo Herren Howard would like to express our most sincere thanks and gratitude for the caring support, flowers, food, and sympathy extended to us by the friends and residents of Haskell--those "dear hearts and gentle people who live and love in our home town".

We especially appreciate the prayers said in all of the Haskell Churches Sunday morning on Betty Jo's behalf.

Dan C. Howard Family  
R.W. Herren Family

## COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Maw ain't scared of me, a kickin' hoss er fightin' cow, but look what happens when she see's a little mouse!"

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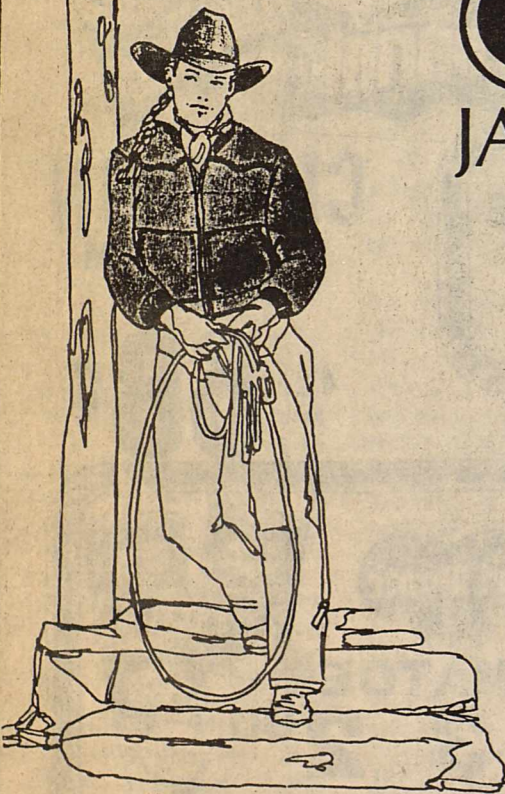
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	Regular	Our Price	SALE
Python (Grey, Tan, or Black)	\$278.00	\$249.95	\$149.95
Honey Elephant	\$220.00	\$199.95	\$125.00
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Belly Ostrich	\$246.00	\$209.00	\$150.00
Rough Out	\$140.00	\$119.00	\$79.95
Sand Sharkskin	\$206.00	\$175.00	\$115.00
Beige Lizzard	\$317.00	\$253.60	\$149.95
Chocolate Bullhide	\$159.00	\$127.95	\$89.95
Close Out Boots	As Low As		\$35.00
Ladies Close Out Boots	As Low As		\$35.00
Ladies Nocona Python	\$301.00	\$199.95	\$99.95
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Coats, Jackets, Vests	25 - 50% Off
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All Straw Hats	1/2 Price
All Felt Hats	25 - 50% Off
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All Leather Jackets	1/2 Price
All Carhartt Insulated Coveralls	1/2 Price
All Flannel Shirts	1/2 Price
All Men's Long Sleeve Shirts	25% Off
Ladies Hand Bags	25% Off

## HEADS OR TAILS WESTERN WEAR

Haskell, Texas



# Letter . . .

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above philosophies do you wish yourself and your loved ones to be treated?

Do you wish to be treated by the

herd philosophy as exemplified by the doctor of veterinary medicine who rightly treats the whole herd, each animal exactly the same, with the same medication?

Statistically, a small percentage of the animals will either fail to respond or will have adverse reactions and die.

Both the owner and the veterinarian understand this, and to them it is economically acceptable.

I ask again, do you wish to be treated by the herd philosophy?

I also ask if you believe that "quality of care" is the reason for Dr. Betty's persecution?

His failing is that he is more concerned with the care of his patients than with the rulings of the Medicrats.

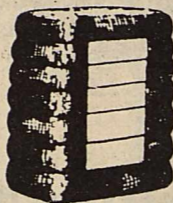
Dr. Betty has lost his Medicare funding. This in many ways affects his freedom to treat patients as he sees fit. He is expected to treat his patients according to the edicts of the Peer Review Organization, and in some cases this could be totally inappropriate for an individual.

If Dr. Betty does not prevail in his court appeal, we shall all be the losers, and the same axe that felled Dr. Betty will undoubtedly be used on other good physicians.

I can promise you one thing---the physicians who will be felled by this axe will without doubt be the very best and most conscientious of the medical community. They will be those doctors who still strive against all the odds to uphold the ethics and the highest traditions of the medical profession.

I hope this letter will set the record straight for Dr. Betty, and that it will serve to inform the reading public about what is happening in this, our supposedly free Republic.

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HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT  
By Max Stapleton  
County Extension Agent  
January 5, 1987

<b>Haskell:</b>	
Farmers Co-op Gin.....	1214
Haskell Co-op Gin.....	2405
K&G Gin.....	51
<b>Rochester:</b>	
Farmers Co-op Gin.....	1820
<b>Rule:</b>	
Rule Co-op Gin.....	2045
Denson Gin.....	1628
<b>O'Brien:</b>	
O'Brien Gin.....	5677
<b>Weinert:</b>	
Paymaster Gin.....	1225
Weinert Gin.....	1515
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>17,580</b>

### Income Tax Service

Jana Cullers  
Call 1-849-3272

# Mrs. Persons..

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marriage license clerk out of bed.

They moved to Haskell in 1928 where he was associated with Brazelton Lumber Co. He died in 1973.

Mrs. Persons is the oldest surviving member of the First United Methodist Church of Haskell and is an honorary life member of the WSCS. She is a past president of the local chapter of the World War I Veterans Auxiliary.

Her daughter, Ruby Sue (now Mrs. Charles Hunter of New Orleans) is a 1938 graduate of Haskell High School.

# Calendar teaches history

The first President of the United States was: (a) John Hanson in 1781, or (b) George Washington in 1789.

There are those who say that Hanson was the first U.S. President since he was titled "President of the United States in Congress Assembled" under the Articles of Confederation.

The Articles of Confederation had many drawbacks, however, so on Sept. 17, 1787, after four months of effort, the new Constitution was signed by the delegates to the Constitutional Convention. Then two-thirds of the states were required to ratify the Constitution for it to be adopted. Delaware was the first state to ratify it on Dec. 7, 1787.

This year is the Bicentennial of the Constitution, and you can learn about the events leading up to the signing and ratification as well as have a beautiful, full-color calendar when you get a copy of the "We the People" calendar published by the U.S. Capitol Historical Society.

Each month has a picture that relates to the Constitution---the Capitol, White House, Independence Hall, etc.---and each date has a short description of what happened on that date in 1787.

For your copy, send your name and address and \$3 to Dept. 192P, Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, CO 81009.

# Market report Haskell Livestock Auction

Most cattle prices were considerably higher Saturday at the weekly sale at Haskell Livestock Auction, Gary Tate reported.

Packer cows were \$3 to \$5 higher, bulls were up \$2 to \$4 and stocker cattle by \$2 to \$4. Pairs were steady to \$25 lower and feeder cattle were steady.

The run was on 838 head of cattle. Butcher calves: choice 55-60; good 50-55; standard 45-50; rannies 40-50.

Cows: fat 35-38; cutters 38-44; canners 36-39; stockers by head 350-450.

Bulls: bologna 48-54; stockers 50-60; utility 40-48.

Stocker steer calves: choice 70-80; good 60-70; medium 50-60; common 40-50.

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

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 65-70; good 60-65; medium 55-60; common 50-55.

### Proud of tooth

For walrus, getting long in the tooth is something to be proud of.

National Wildlife magazine reports that scientists believed that walrus used their yard-long canine teeth to haul themselves up onto the arctic ice. Now researchers think the tusks serve as ornaments to attract mates and intimidate rivals.

<p><b>Mrs. Bairds</b> <b>Cinnamon Rolls</b></p> <p><b>3 Pkgs. 99¢</b></p>	<p><b>Cotton Gloves</b></p> <p>12 oz.</p> <p><b>99¢ pair</b></p>
<p><b>Coke</b></p> <p>4 Pk. 16 oz</p> <p><b>\$1.39</b></p>	<p><b>Steak Sandwich</b></p> <p>with 46 oz. Fountain Drink</p> <p><b>only \$1.39</b></p>
<p><b>Burritos</b></p> <p><b>3 for \$1.00</b></p>	<p><b>Gandy's Milk</b></p> <p>1 gal. <b>\$2.25</b></p>
<p><b>Town Talk Bread</b></p> <p>1 1/2 lb. Loaf <b>69¢</b></p>	<p><b>*Prices Good Jan. 8 - 14*</b></p> <p><b>SAV-M</b></p> <p>400 N. Ave. E Haskell</p> <p>CONVENIENCE STORES</p> <p>Phone 864-3691</p>

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**GIBSON COTTON COMPANY**  
and will be operated by  
**Charles Gibson**  
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Mike Guess

Steve Guess

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Pykette and Devon

**1/3 off**

\* Ladies Dresses and Suits

**1/3 off & 1/2 price**

\* Ladies Coats  
**1/3 off**

\*Men's Cardigan Sweaters by Campus  
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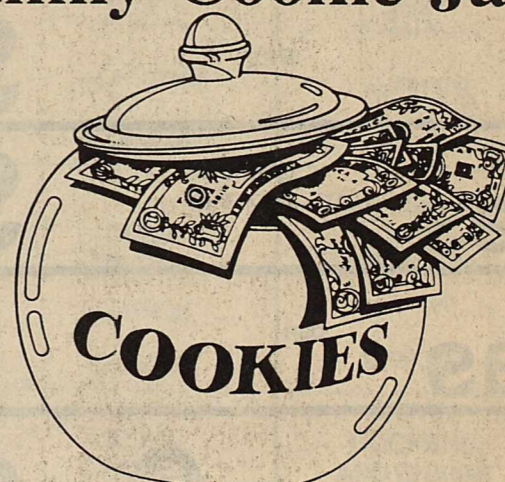
\* One Group Men's 3 pc. Suits  
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# HASSEN'S

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## Obituaries

### Grace Montgomery

Funeral services were at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 2 for Grace Montgomery.

Mrs. Montgomery, 79, died Dec. 30 in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Services were at the First United Methodist Church of Haskell with the Rev. Cecil Shirey, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born in Stella, Okla., Jan. 30, 1907, Mrs. Montgomery moved to the Paint Creek community in 1922 from Noble, Okla., and moved to Haskell in 1970. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Paint Creek.

She was married March 23, 1924 to J. H. Montgomery in Haskell. He preceded her in death April 25, 1969.

Survivors include one daughter, Edith M. Sloan of Aledo; two sons, H. B. Montgomery of Haskell and John C. Montgomery of Dunwoody, Ga.; three brothers, Joel Dilbeck of Escondido, Calif., Delmer L. Dilbeck of Pacifica, Calif., and Bill A. Dilbeck of Burnet; one sister, E. Lorene Stacy of Clifton, Ariz.; nine grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

### Ann Hall Lacy

Ann Hall Lacy of Hobbs, N.M., a former Haskell resident, died Dec. 28 in Hobbs. She was 59.

Graveside services were held Sunday afternoon at Willow Cemetery with the Rev. Cecil Shirey, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born in Haskell County Oct. 3, 1927, Mrs. Lacy moved to Hobbs in 1979. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Hobbs. She is survived by two daughters,

Terry Montgomery of Houston and Tena Wilson of San Antonio; two sisters, Mrs. Lavern (Jean) DeWolf and Billie Jo Nelson, both of Aurora, Colo.; one brother, Tommy Hall of Snyder; and five grandchildren.

### Gomer High

Funeral services for Raymond Gomer High, 76, will be at 2 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Walters, Okla.

The Rev. Sam Pace will officiate and services will be under the direction of Hart-Wyatt Funeral Home.

High lived in the Walters area for most of his life where he was engaged in farming and ranching.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church and past master of the Walters Masonic Lodge. He served on the Walters Co-op Board for nine years and was on the ASCS Committee for several years.

He was married June 25, 1938, in Walters to Jewel Meyer.

He is survived by his wife of the home; two sons, Dwayne High of Walters and Doyle High of Haskell; a daughter, Darlene Sellars of Midwest City, Okla.; four brothers, Jim High of Walters, Pete High of Wink, Joe High of Mt. Home, Ark., and Charlie High of Devol, Okla.; four sisters, Edith S. Scigel of Casper, Wyo., Ruth Rogers of Walters, Lorene Gilliam of Walters and Josephine Damron of Anchorage, Alaska; five grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

### Commodity recipients to sign up

Food commodity recipients must sign up in order to be eligible for commodities in 1987.

In Haskell, recipients will sign up at the February distribution.

Sagerton recipients will sign up between 1 and 3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 14, at Faith Lutheran Church. Those in Rule will sign up between 9 and 11 a.m. at the Church of Christ.

George Abernathy, program director for the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, said that each person must present identification before signing up.

### El Paso girl Maid of Cotton

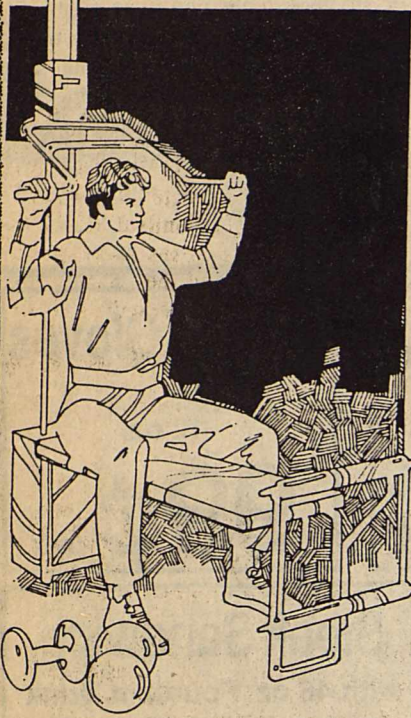
Amy Gough, 19, a University of Texas sophomore from El Paso, is the 1987 Maid of Cotton.

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### Frosh Maidens

By Tamra Burnett  
The Freshman Maidens will host the Albany Lions on Jan. 19 and then play in the Knox City tournament, Jan. 22-24.  
There will not be any games held next week because of semester exams.  
The game scheduled between the freshman and Anson Jan. 5 was cancelled by Anson.  
Therefore, the team has only played two games, which gives them a record of 1 - 1.  
This can be a frustrating situation for the coaches and athletes.  
"Also the coaching staff is short, and these athletes don't get half the work-out time they need," Coach Cody Moree said.  
"It is real disappointing because we don't have enough teams to play to keep up the motivation and interest that an athlete needs," Coach Moree said.  
The freshman had two workouts during the holidays and had good attendance at each.  
"Because the season has gone this way, we are going to try to do well in the Knox City tournament," Coach Moree said.

### 7th girls

By Lori Lane  
The 7th grade Maidens will host Albany Jan. 19.  
There will be no games the week of Jan. 12 because of semester exams.  
The Maidens traveled to Anson Jan. 5 and defeated the Anson Tigerettes 32-27.  
Kendi Williams was high point with 14. Mistie Bartley was next with 8, Jane Villa with 6 and Mary Alice Olvera with 4.

### 8th girls

The eighth grade Maidens will host Albany Jan. 19 here for their next game.  
Games are not scheduled for the

week beginning Jan. 12 because of semester exams.

Monday night the girls traveled to Anson and won 21-18. High scorer for the game was Becky Cline with 8 points.  
"Cline gave the most outstanding performance in her best game of the year", Coach Cody Moree said.  
According to the coach, too many fundamental mistakes allowed Anson to catch up with the Maidens.  
"But fortunately, we performed well enough to hang on and win the ball game", Moree said.

### JV boys

By Michael Mendoza  
The JV Indians will be hosting the Albany Lions this Friday night.  
The Indians traveled to Roscoe Jan. 2 and defeated the Plowboys.  
The team was led by Paul Harvey with 16 points.  
This victory improved the Indian's record to 8 - 2.  
After Harvey's performance at Roscoe, he was moved to the varsity team.  
The Indians played the Hamlin Pied Pipers last Tuesday but scores were not available at press time.  
The Warriors are now 6 - 0. Their next opponent will be the Albany Lions, Jan. 19 at Albany. Game time is 5 p.m.

### JV girls

By Tiffany Moeller  
The JV girls will play host to the Albany Lions at 4 p.m. this Friday.  
This will be the first home game since December.  
After a long holiday break, the JV traveled to Roscoe on Jan. 2. The Maidens were without one of the highest scorers, Missy Davis, who was moved up to varsity. The first game the JV played without Davis, they lost 40 - 10.  
High point was Holly Reed with 6 points. The Maidens record has now dropped to 3 - 4.  
On Tuesday, the Maidens took on

arch rival, Hamlin, there but scores were unavailable at press time.

### 7th boys

By Joel Torres  
The seventh grade Warriors will not play Monday Jan. 12 because of dead week, the week of semester exams.  
On Jan. 19 the seventh grade Warriors will be back and will host the Albany Cubs at 5 p.m. here.  
The seventh grade Warriors played the Anson Cubs Monday and were defeated by 1 point.  
"The seventh graders didn't work out during the holidays and easy shots missed cost us the game," Coach Jimmy Lisle said.  
Before the Christmas holidays, the Warriors played the Stamford Bulldogs and were defeated by 20 points.

### 8th boys

By Tammi Miller  
The eighth grade Warriors defeated the Anson Tigers 34 to 27 last Monday night at Indian Gym.  
Leading scorers were Jay Miller with 13 and Adam Coleman with 9. Craig Hanson, Chad Gibson and Rusty Stocks each had 4.  
"We felt that we didn't play as good because of the lack of practice over the holidays," team member Adam Coleman said.

## Rainfall for 1986 near record

Chalk up 1986 as one of the wettest years in Haskell's history.  
Moisture during the year came to 33.34 inches, said Sam Herren, local weather recorder. That total compares with an annual average of 24.13 inches.  
Even December's rainfall of 1.84 inches was double the norm of .89.  
The high temperature in December was 76 degrees recorded on the 7th and the low was 28 degrees on the 11th.  
Although the 1986 rainfall total was bountiful, it was not close to a record. That was set in 1941 when 48.2 inches of moisture was recorded. It was, however, close to the second best-ever mark of 37.62 set way back in 1906, a total which has been approached several times since.  
By contrast, it rained only 10.14 inches in 1956.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harris and Dala spent most of the holidays in Texas City visiting Jim and Jennifer Harris and their new son.

## Haskell teams open district play

Haskell boys' and girls' basketball teams got off on the right track Tuesday night when the Indians and Maidens defeated Hamlin teams in the first games of the district 7-AA season.  
The Indians won, 46-44, and the Maidens prevailed, 57-39. The games were in Hamlin.  
This Friday, the Haskell teams will play their first home games in more than a month when they entertain Albany teams as the district championship race continues. No games are scheduled next Tuesday because of semester exams.  
Mark Young scored 20 points to pace the Indians past Hamlin. Julie Roewe paced the Maiden attack with 18 points and Patricia Henry added 11. Eight different Maidens scored.

Last Friday, the Indians defeated Roscoe, 72-51, as Brad Bevel scored 16 points. James Rike pitched in 12 and Young added 10.  
The Maidens bowed to Roscoe, 55-48, as Roscoe went on a 30-point scoring binge in the final quarter to wipe out a 6-point Haskell lead. Roewe scored 16 points and Joy McKeever scored 10.

### Realtors

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm and Texas Rep. Stan Schlueter will address nearly 1,000 Texas real estate professionals expected in Austin Jan. 9-13 for the 33rd annual Mid-Winter meeting of the Texas Association of Realtors. It will be at the Hyatt Regency and Shearaton Crest hotels.



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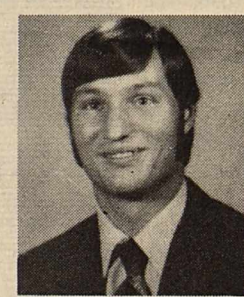
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First, the best investment program for you is one that carefully matches specific types of investment with your financial goals. Don't let tax law changes or other events with short-lived consequences weigh too heavily on the choices you make. Aim for a sound strategy that weathers the ups and downs well and carries you to your financial goal.  
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Third, think long-term. Too many investors lose money, not because they make a poor investment choice, but because they don't stick with an investment long enough to maximize return. Long-term investing can be very profitable. Short-term investing is difficult because of day-to-day market fluctuations.  
Fourth, don't expect miracles from your investment program. The investor who looks for the one big opportunity to make a killing is likely to expose himself to excessive risk and to be disappointed in the end. Reasonable goals, with a selection of sensible investments to meet those goals, are far more likely to give you the return and financial security you want from an investment program.  
Finally, don't overlook the simple things. The financial world is full of complicated investments, and trying to choose among them can be dizzying. Never invest in anything you don't understand, and don't overlook good, solid investments. For example, right now two of the best investments you can have are probably an IRA or other similar tax-deferred investment program and your personal residence.  
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Beulah Persons will be celebrating her 100th birthday Sunday the 11th at 2:30. The family welcomes everyone out to help her celebrate this special day.

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Tommy and Ewagene, Lois and Csaydon Post, Russ and Jean Hobbs from Denton, Jane and Joe Barrett from S.A., Calif., Ruth and Roger Barton from Harlingen, Ford, Kere, Loren Cole; Tommie Jo Clark and Evangelyn Clark all visited Alma Cole.

### Sterling Bradford earns promotion

Marine Lance Cpl. Sterling W. Bradford has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Base in Camp Pendleton, Calif.  
He is the son of Wayne and Britta Bradford of Haskell.

### Veteran employee retires

James Smart retired, effective Jan. 1, after more than 35 years with the State Highway Department.  
During the last several years of his career, he was in charge of maintenance operations in Haskell County. Earlier, he worked in the Hamlin residency.  
Fellow employees honored him with a reception Dec. 31. His wife, children and grandchildren were present for the occasion.  
Also attending were employees from all over district 8.

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**TRACT NO. 6**  
70.5 acres, more or less, being the NW 1/2 of the following described land bounded on the SE by a line parallel to the NW line of said land:  
141 acres of land off of the East end of N 1/2 of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. land patented to J. Pickerell Assne on December 18, 1924 by Patent No. 384, Volume 24 and recorded at Page 544, Volume I Patent Records of Haskell County, Texas, the land hereby conveyed being described by metes and bounds as follows:  
Beginning at the original Northeast corner of said Section 26 to a buggy spindle in the ground for the Northeast corner of this 141-acre tract;

described in Assignment dated April 8, 1954 from Standard Oil Company of Texas to Clark & Cowden et al, recorded in Volume 238, Page 270 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, covering the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of said Section 26, containing 42.495 acres of land, more or less, by survey.  
**TRACT NO. 18**  
42.495 acres, being the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, Haskell County, Texas, and being that land described in Declaration of Pooling dated August 4, 1955, recorded in Volume 247, Page 219, Haskell County, Texas.

1/4 of said Section 26, containing 42.495 acres of land, more or less, by survey.  
**TRACT NO. 20**  
42.495 acres, being NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, Haskell County, Texas, and more fully described in a Declaration of Pooling dated July 20, 1955, recorded in Volume 246, Page 570, of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas.  
Said sale is to be made to satisfy the Judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, in favor of KMA Well Service, Inc., against the Defendant, Southern States Energy, Inc., for the amount of \$29,577.22, together with post-judgment interests and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, is to be applied to satisfy the Judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, in favor of KenCo Energy Companies, d/b/a Ford Tool Co., together with post-judgment interest and costs of suit, and thereafter, the remainder, if any, is to be applied to satisfy the Judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, in favor of State National Bank, Big Spring, Texas, against the Defendant, Southern States Energy, Inc., and the remainder, thereafter, if any, is to be applied as the law directs.

### Public Notices

**NOTICE OF SALE ON REAL PROPERTY PURSUANT TO ORDER OF SALE IN FAVOR OF KMA WELL SERVICE, INC.**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HASKELL.  
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:  
By virtue of an Order of Sale, dated January 6th, 1987, and issued pursuant to a Judgment Decree of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, 39th Judicial District, by the Clerk and styled State National Bank, Big Spring, Texas v. Southern States Energy, Inc., Et Al, the same being to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said county, I have on the 6th day of January, 1987, levied upon and seized, and will proceed to sell for cash, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on February 3, 1987, the following described real property, located in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit:  
All of the oil, gas and mineral leasehold interest of Southern States Energy, Inc., in and to the following described real property:  
509.6 acres of land, more or less out of Section No. 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, Haskell County, Texas, being described in ten separate tracts of land, by metes and bounds, as described in the West O'Brian (Strawn) Unit, Haskell County, Texas, as declared by Standard Oil Company of Texas, in the Unit Declaration of record in Volume 324, Page 653 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, the tract references as shown below, being the same tract references, as appeared in such Unit Declaration, to-wit:

**TRACT NO. 19**  
Beginning at a point in the North line of the Turner tract described in the oil and gas lease recorded in Volume 214, Page 436, which point is South 70° 21' West 1280.55 feet from the NE corner of said tract;  
THENCE, along said North line South 70° 21' West 1280.55 feet; THENCE, South 18° 5' East 1443 feet to the South line of the Harcrow tract described in the Oil and gas lease recorded in Volume 212, Page 35; THENCE, along said South line North 71° 49' East 1281.94 feet; THENCE, North 18° 5' West 1460 feet to the beginning, containing 42.7 acres of land, more or less, out of the Southerly 339 1/2 acres of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, Haskell County, Texas, and being the same land described in Assignment dated April 8, 1954 from Standard Oil Company of Texas to Clark & Cowden et al, recorded in Volume 238, Page 270 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas, covering the NW 1/4 SE

100 acres of land known as the West Part of the North one-half of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Certification No. 1137, this being the same tract of land conveyed to D.T. Elmore by Warranty Deed dated October 31, 1917 executed by Oscar Adkins and wife Willie Estell Adkins and recorded in Volume 73, Page 209, Deed Records, Haskell County, less and except that portion of said lease described as the Northwest Half (NW 1/2) of the land described in the lease bounded on the Southeast by a line parallel to the Northwest line of said lease, containing 50 acres of land more or less, which was assigned by instrument dated April 8, 1954 to Clark and Cowden and recorded in Volume 738, Page 270, Deed Records, Haskell County.

**TRACT NO. 11**  
100 acres of land known as the West Part of the North one-half of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Certification No. 1137, this being the same tract of land conveyed to D.T. Elmore by Warranty Deed dated October 31, 1917 executed by Oscar Adkins and wife Willie Estell Adkins and recorded in Volume 73, Page 209, Deed Records, Haskell County, less and except that portion of said lease described as the Northwest Half (NW 1/2) of the land described in the lease bounded on the Southeast by a line parallel to the Northwest line of said lease, containing 50 acres of land more or less, which was assigned by instrument dated April 8, 1954 to Clark and Cowden and recorded in Volume 738, Page 270, Deed Records, Haskell County.

**TRACT NO. 12**  
50 acres, more or less, being the SE 1/2 of the following described land bounded on the NW by a line parallel to the SE line of said land:  
100 acres of land out of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. land by Certificate No. 1137, Abstract No. 1036, and being 543 varas East and West, and 1046 varas North and South, and more particularly described as follows:  
Beginning at a stake 551 1/4 varas North 68° 56' East from NW corner Section 26, Block 14; THENCE, North 68° 56' East 543.5 varas to corner; THENCE, South 18° 5' East 1046 varas; THENCE, South 70° 30' West 543.5 varas to SW corner; THENCE North 18° 5' West 1031.3 varas to place of beginning.

**TRACT NO. 4**  
50 acres, more or less, being the NW/2 of the following described land, bounded on the SE by a line parallel to the NW line of said land:  
All of the following described real estate situated in Haskell County, State of Texas, to-wit:  
100 acres of land known as the West part of the N/2 of Section 26, Block 14, H.&T.C. Ry. Co. Certificate No. 1137, patented to C.E. Pickerell, assignee, of Eli Osman, by Patent No. 558, Volume 49, Abstract No. 931, described by metes and bounds as follows:  
Beginning at the Northwest corner of said Section 26; THENCE, North 68° 56' East 551 1/4 varas to set rock; THENCE, South 18° 5' East 1031.3 varas; THENCE, South 70° 30' West 551 1/4 varas to buggy spindle set in ground; THENCE, North 18° 5' West 1016.3 varas to the place of beginning, and containing 100 acres of land, this being the same tract of land conveyed to D.T. Elmore by Warranty Deed dated October 31, 1917, executed by Oscar Adkins and wife, Willie Estell Adkins, and recorded in Volume 73, Page 209, of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas.

Course No.	Course Title	Day	Hour	Instructor
BIO 147	Prin of Bio II Lab	M TBA	6:30-9:20 TBA	Otto, F.
	Lab Fee - \$15			
BUS 238	Prin of Acc II	Th	6:30-9:20	Staff
CHM 141	Fund of Chem Lab	T TBA	6:30-9:20 TBA	Otto, F. Otto, F.
	Lab Fee - \$15			
ENG 131	Composition I	M	6:30-9:20	Staff
ENG 132	Composition II	W	6:30-9:20	Staff
ENG 232	English Literature	T	6:20-9:20	Staff
GOV 231	US/St/Loc/Gov	M	6:30-9:20	Staff
HPE 112	Body Conditioning Lab	Th	6:30-9:20	Tidwell, D.
	Lab Fee - \$10			
HPE 112	Beg Racquetball	M	6:30-9:20	Tidwell, D.
	Lab times will be arranged with instructor			
HPE 231	Per/Comm Health	W	6:30-9:20	Staff
HIS 132	US His 1865 -	Th	6:30-9:20	Pruitt, F.
PHI 132	Ethics	Th	6:30-9:20	Fleer, G.
SPE 131	Fund/Speech	T	6:30-9:20	Staff
SPE 232	Bus/Prof Speak	T	6:30-9:20	Staff

Registration: Thursday, Jan. 15, 6:30-8 p.m., Haskell High School library. Classes begin Jan. 21 and end May 13. Please bring current Texas driver's license or Texas voter registration card as proof of Texas residency. For additional information, please contact Bill Blakely at 864-2891 or Bettie McQueen at WTC in Snyder, 915-573-8511.

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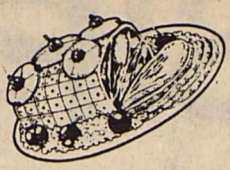


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**Large Meaty Pork Spareribs**  
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**Pork Chops**  
**\$1.59** lb

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**79¢** lb

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Loin  
**Pork Chops**  
**\$2.09** lb

Morrell Meat  
**Franks** 12 oz Pkg. **69¢**

Lean & Tender Chuck  
**Cube Steak** (Family Pack) **\$2.29** lb

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Morrell Pork  
**Sausage** 1 lb Pkg. **99¢**

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**Stew Meat** **\$1.69** lb

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Swift's Breakfast Thin  
**Pork Chops** **\$2.29** lb

Del Monte  
**Cut Green Beans**  
3 16 oz cans **89¢**

Del Monte  
**Golden Corn**  
3 16 oz cans **89¢**

Del Monte  
**Sweet Peas**  
3 17 oz cans **89¢**

Del Monte  
**Assorted Tomatoes**  
3 14.5 oz cans **\$2**

Del Monte  
**Tomato Sauce**  
4 8 oz cans **\$1**

Del Monte  
**Carrots & Spinach**  
2 16 oz cans **\$1**

Del Monte <b>Fruit Cocktail &amp; Chunky Fruit</b>	4 16-17 oz cans	<b>\$3</b>
Nabisco <b>Nilla Wafers</b>	12 oz	<b>\$1.49</b>
Folgers <b>Coffee</b>	1 lb can	<b>\$2.99</b>
Hi-Dry <b>Towels</b>	Jumbo Roll	<b>59¢</b>
Huggies <b>Diapers</b>	33-66 ct.	<b>\$9.39</b>
Shurfine <b>Bleach</b>	1 gal	<b>79¢</b>
Gladiola <b>Flour</b>	5 lb bag	<b>89¢</b>
Mrs. Tuckers <b>Spread</b>	3 lb tub	<b>\$1.19</b>
Shurfresh <b>Biscuits</b>	6 7.5 oz cans	<b>\$1</b>

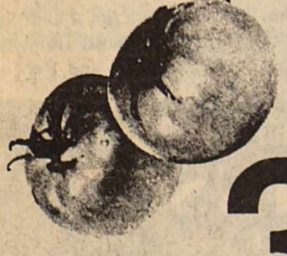
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Totino's Frozen <b>Pizza</b>	10 oz	<b>\$1.09</b>
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