School Board rehires teachers

Members of the Board of Trustees of Haskell Independent School District renewed all teacher contracts and accepted a detailed study on heating and air conditioning in the secondary building during their regular meeting March 10.

Board members approved contracts from all classroom teachers and Haskell-Knox Consortium teachers and the elementary school and secondary school principals for the 1987-88 school year.

Rick Ethridge, a representative of West Texas Utilities, presented a detailed study of heating and air conditioning needs in the secondary building. The study was in three parts with the first dealing with replacement of existing units; the second dealing with lowering ceilings and adding insulation and the third dealing with reducing window space in classrooms.

The study was presented at the request of the Superintendent and board. A committee of Board members Brian Burgess, Bill Thomas and Pat Henry was appointed to look at area schools and study the recommendations presented by Ethridge.

Bike for breath set in Rule

The Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is delighted to announce the appointment of Donna Saffel as the Chairperson of its Spring 1987 campaign in Rule, Texas.

The Bike-For-Breath will be held to raise money for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation for national programs, medical research, and to support our health clinics.

Cystic fibrosis (CF) is America's leading inherited killer of children and young adults. Some 30,000 young people are affected and half of them will die before they are 21. Ten million Americans (1 in 20) are unknowing carriers of the defective gene that causes CF. Currently, there is no cure for this chronic, fatal disease.

But today there is new hope. Each day scientists work to solve the puzzle of CF. Each day a new piece of the puzzle falls into place. Progress is being made and the cure is within reach. Research is expensive, but it is the only way to promise a tomorrow for these children.

For more information on this exciting fundraiser, please contact Donna Saffel at 817-997-2218.

L & J Museum opening set

The formal opening of the L and J Rule Memorial Museum will be held this Friday from noon to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The museum is located on the corner of 9th and Adams behind the Church of Christ and houses the collection of mounted animals of Leon and June Biffle from Texas, Alaska and Africa and artifacts from Texas and Alaska.

The is no admission charge but donations are accepted.



HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT By Max Stapleton County Extension Agent March 16, 1987

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Haskell Co-op Gin	6594
K&G Gin	602
Rochester:	
Farmers Co-op Gin	4343
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Rule Co-op Gin	5092
Denson Gin	3462
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Paymaster Gin	3200
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Total	36,701

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CELEBRATION

Local members of Brownie and Girl Scout troops participated in a special ceremony last week in observance of the 75th anniversary of Girl Scouts. Included in the activities were the releasing of balloons and the reciting on the Girl Scout Promise and Laws. Girl Scouts across the country all recited the Promise at the same time in honor of the anniversary. Girls were alwo presented with patches and badges which they had earned during the past several months.

New services offered

The Aspermont Small Business Development Center has added another service to the citizens of Haskell County. The new program is a "food pantry" and "clothing pantry".

Both are located in the east end of the County Extension Building along with the "Double Mountain Coach", a public transportation program for the general public for medical trips, shopping, social and many other purposes. Twenty-four hour notice is required. The coach may be secured by calling 864-3933.

The food pantry is free to qualifying individuals. Families on low income or persons suddenly finding themselves out of work and without food or means for clothing, should contact this office for assistance with food and clothing.

Anyone experiencing an emergency situation may apply.

The applicants are screened and qualified on a guideline set up by the Community Service Block Grant. Program.

The ASBDC distributes USDA Surplus Commodities each month to qualifying individuals among their many services. The ASBDC serves Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Stonewall and Throckmorton counties.

The food pantry has been set up and started by funds of the CSBG. The program will solicit and accept donations at anytime to keep the pantries going and well stocked for this area. Donations of all non-perishible foods are needed now. Any clothing donations and food may be

dropped by the office. The service also needs racks to hang clothing on and hangers donated would be greatly appreciated.

Churches, Clubs, Organizations, Scouts, and classes at school might like to donate items by having a "food or clothing drive" as a project. Individual donations will certainly be needed and appreciated. Cash donations will be accepted toward the food pantry, also.

With the economy such as it is, this program will benefit many in the Haskell area. People helping people, with this program will help a lot of families thru the "economy crunch."

Donations may be turned in at the Double Mountain Coach office at 307 S. First St. in Haskell between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. week days. For more information on any of these services call 864-3933.

Executive director of ASBDC is Melanie Hahn, Administrative Assistant is Don Mullis. Serving on the Board of Directors for Haskell County are B. O. Robertson, Vice President and George Mullino.

Free Press honored for first century

Twenty-five Texas newspapers have been recognized by Texas Tech University for a century or more of public service to the citizens of the state

The University, the Mass Communications Department and its Southwest Journalism Historical Center regualry honor those papers which have been publishing a hundred or more years.

Recognized Wednesday (Feb. 25) were the Rains County Leader, Garland News, Liberty Vindicator, Marshall News Messenger, Pecos Enterprise, Sealy News, Panhandle Herald, Bartlett Tribune-Progress, Beeville Bee-Picayune, Marfa Independent and Big Bend Sentinel, Glen Rose Reporter, Hondo Anvil Herald, Hood County News, Haskell Free Press, Itasca Item, Kaufman Herald, Naples Monitor, Eagle Pass News-Guide, Throckmorton Tribune, Cameron Herald, Panola Watchman, LaGrange Journal, Brady Standard, Beeville Times and Hico News-Review.

Texas Tech President Lauro F. Cavazos presented certificates to representatives of seven of those newspapers. In addition to receiving certificates, the century-old newspapers will have their names added to a permanent plaque in the Southwest Journalism Historical

Center in the Mass Communications
Department.

In making the presentation, Cavazos said, "The First Amendment of the Constitution recognizes the importance of the press in a free society. By recognizing these newspapers for a century of public service, we are not only honoring them for a job well done but also for

the special role they play in helping citizens better fulfill their responsibilities in our democracy."

More than 75 newspapers have

been recognized since the program began in 1981.

Those attending the 1987 presentation included Betty Deaton of the Rains County Leader in Emory; Larry C. Jackson, publisher of the Pecos Enterprise; F.H. Ryan Jr., publisher of the Marfa Independent and Big Bend Sentinel; Lynn

Brisendene of the Hood County News in Granbury; Frank M. Luecke, editor and publisher of the Cameron Herald; and L.B. Smith, publisher of the Brady Standard.

Also at the luncheon presentation

Also at the luncheon presentation were members of the Texas Tech journalism faculty, including Dr. Bill Ross, who heads the Mass Communications Department; Dr. Harmon L. Morgan, director of the Southwest Journalism Historical Center; and Robert A. Rooker, director of the journalism division.

Scouts now selling Scout-O-Rama tickets

Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts in the Chisholm Trail Council are busy selling tickets to the exciting Scout-O-Rama set for Saturday, April 4, in Abilene and Sweetwater.

When you buy a ticket for one dollar from a Scout you not only gain admission to the Scout-O-Rama but it helps in three ways. First, it helps the Scout to earn prizes, and second, it helps the Cub Pack or Scout Troop to other.

earn money for its needs. Then finally, it helps the Chisholm Trail Council to meet its operating budget for 1987.

A Scout-O-Rama is a simultaneous

demonstration of Scouting skills and fun and games with emphasis on participation by the spectators. There will be two locations. One will be the Old Thornton Building in Westgate Mall (2 to 5) and the National Guard facility in Sweetwater (2 to 4) is the other.

R-PEP plans growth Took Force groups of the Polling Agriculture/Natural Resources, Home

Task Force groups of the Rolling Plains Economic Program (R-PEP) met in a planning meeting Tuesday, February 17, 1987, at the Haskell National Bank meeting room with 45 members present.

The Rolling Plains Economic Program is a regional organization sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to promote economic growth and develop and inprove family living in a 30-county area. R-PEP Chairman Ken Lane of Haskell presided over the meeting.

The group was reorganized into four task force area

Economics, Youth and Community Development. Each task force discussed issues affecting families in the Rolling Plains and identified priorities to be addressed by the group based on critical issues identified by Texas Agricultural Extension Service committees in each county. The issues identified include: Agriculture/Natural Resources - agricultural diversification; Home Economics - lifestyles; Youth - alcohol, drug, sexuality awareness (self image or concept); Community Development - rural health and leader development.



ARROW OF LIGHT

Receiving the Arrow of Light Award at the Blue & Gold Banquet were: (I to r) Matt Perry, Blake Henshaw, Matthew McFadden and Jonathan Tatum.

The award is the highest a Cub Scout can receive.

Property tax appraisals show marked improvement

In 1986, property in Texas was appraised for local tax purposes at an average of 91.3% of its market value, as determined by the State Property Tax Board (SPTB). In 158 counties, the median 1986 ratio was 90% or higher. In contrast, only 100 counties reached that level in 1985. This reflects continued improvement in appraisal practices. Nevertheless, averages ranged as low as 55% of market value in Nacogdoches County, and below 70% in Coleman, Kimble, LaSalle, McMullen and Starr counties.

Many Not appraised at Average. While the average median ratios are useful, many taxpayers find their property valued at another level. The preliminary SPTB date indicates that the average property varied from the median ratio by 15.75%. But that is an improvement over the 1985 average 18.49% deviation.

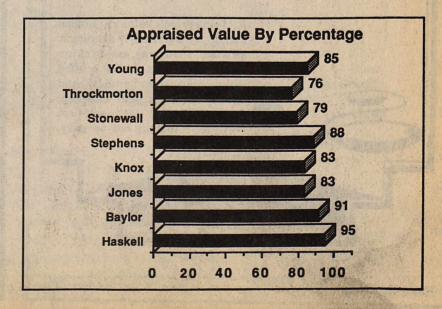
Appeals. If a taxpayer's property is assessed at 10% or more above the median appraisal level for other property in the district, the owner can appeal, and the SPTB ratios are a primary evidentiary source in establishing the median appraisal level. Evidence of discrimination in the taxation of property first can be

presented next summer to the appraisal review board in each district. Further appeal lies in the district court which is empowered to change the complainant's assessment to an amount calculated from the median appraisal level.

Final Ratios May 29th. Appraisal district officials and school superintendents can appeal these preliminary findings. Final ratios and a detailed report will be released by

the SPTB on May 29th in time to be used by appraisal authorities in correcting or adjusting 1987 values, and by taxpayers in appealing to local appraisal review boards.

Further information can be obtained from the report Preliminary Report of the Findings of the 1986 Property Value Study of School & Appraisal Districts, by contacting the State Property Tax Board, Box 15900, Austin, Texas 78761-5900.



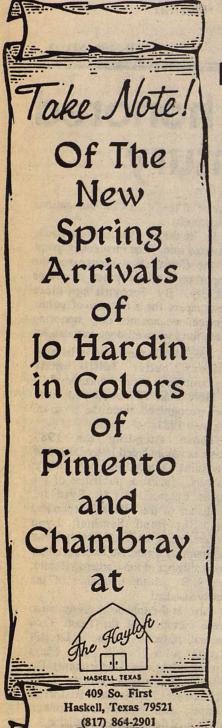
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MEDICAL: Myrtle Williams, Knox City; Effie McWilliams, Munday.

DISMISSALS

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kinney

Kinneys celebrate anniversary Homemakers

Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Kinney of Rochester will celebrate their 67th wedding anniversary March 17th. The couple was married in Henrietta, March 17, 1920. Mr. Kinney was born Dec. 28, 1898, Bell Co. Mrs. Kinney was born March 5, 1906, Lysville, Texas.

They have lived in Haskell County for the past 50 years. Mr. Kinney was

active in farming until his retirement. They have six children; Mrs. Pauline Lewis of Rochester, Elvin Kinney of Rule, Margaret Dalton of Rule, Roy Kinney of Hayden, Colo., Wanda Heath of Littlefield, Lynn Kinney of

They have 10 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Garden Club hears Holub

Dorman Holub of Stamford was the guest speaker Thursday when the Haskell Garden Club met in the Haskell National Bank Community room for a program on "From The Ground Up".

Holub, who is the youth director for the Church of Christ in Stamford, is also a plants expert, having developed many successful adaptations to the West Texas climate and growing conditions. His specialty being his vegetable garden, he throughly entertained and informed the members and their guests with his extensive experience and enthusiasm for the subject. From his flower garden he brought and gave to each one present bulbs of the unusual "Golden Trumpet" daffodil, which

Mr. and Mrs. Jose A. Mendiola of Haskell are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Manuel Noel M. Mendiola, born March 11, 1987 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing blooms in early January.

Creative arrangements using daffodils, hyacinthis, flowering quince, plum blossoms, vinca, jasmine, forsythia, garlic leaves and driftwood, all expressing the theme of "You Are My Sunshine", were brought by several members.

Linda King, president presided during a brief business meeting. Hostesses Mary Bischofhausen and Juanita Rhea served chocolate cake and coffee to the club and their

Jones, Jenkins to be married

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones of Llano announce the engagement of their daughter, Kelli to Glenn Jenkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jenkins of Waco. The couple will be married April 25 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Gordon.

Kelli Graduated from Llano High and Glenn graduated from Gordon High, Ranger Jr. college and TSTI. He is a lab technician for San Miguel Power Company in Jourdanton. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lackey of Haskell.

Josselet **Hold Meeting**

Josselet Extension Homemakers Club met on Tuesday, March 10, at the Extension Office for their regular monthly meeting. With Flo Holder as hostess. Roll call was answered by 15 members with "The Most Useful Item In My Purse".

On Monday afternoon the club ladies met and put up a quilt to be quilted. The group met on Tuesday morning about 10:30 a.m. and started quilting.

Each lady brought a covered dish or a salad and the noon meal was very delicious and enjoyed by all.

Tri-County Rally Day was discussed which will be March 16th in Knox Co. and each lady was encouraged to attend as it will be a fun day for all.

The three counties to take part are: Haskell, Baylor and Knox Co. The time is 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

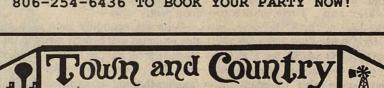
The club president appointed two leaders to attend the training meeting on "How to Save \$\$\$ When You Don't Have A Dime to Spare", which will be the April program.

Margaret Wall will be hostess in



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Haskell Track Teams Sweep Munday Meet













Girls - Boys Teams **Take First Place**

Haskell track teams took first place honors in both the boys and girls divisions at the Munday Mogul Relays Saturday to open the 1987 track season.

The girls team total was 110 1/2 followed by Munday with 92, Knox City with 90, Hamlin 46, Rotan, 41.5 and Jayton 32.5

Haskell boys totaled 118 to take first place. Second was Munday with 106 followed by Seymour, 59, Rotan, 53, Electra 34, and Jayton 24. Haskell results in the girls

Discuss-Missy Davis third High Jump-Joy McKeever second

division were as follows:

Triple jump-Sheree Dumas second;

Joy McKeever third 400 meter relay-second

800 meter-Leiza Morales second 100 meter hurdles- Joy McKeever

800 meter relay-second

1600 meter relay-second Haskell results in the boys

division were as follows: Pole Vault-Mendoza third Discuss-Pace third

400 relay-first

800-Young first, Torres third 100-Shaw first, Billington second

200-Brockington first, Torres second, Billington third

1600 relay-first

District 19-A Boys - Girls **All District Teams Named**

All district teams for district 19-A have been announced. Kay Fischer of Paint Creek was selected most valuable player.

Other first team members include: Rhonda Coleman and Gina Calk of Paint Creek, Larressa Lefevre of Rule, Melody Speck of Rochester and Jewellee Jordon of Lueders-Avoca.

Named to the second team were: Mandy Ford of Lueders-Avoca, Michelle Ortiz and Janet Quade of Rochester, Cheryl Butler and Mandy Mathis of Rule.

Honorable mention went to Rachelle Morgan, Sharlene Grisham and Sophie Gonzales of Paint Creek; Susan Reyna and Michelle Scoggins of Rochester and Pam Wills of Lueders-Avoca

Selected as co-most valuable players on the boys team were Glen Vanderbilt of Rule and Larry Reid of Rochester. First team members include: Kyle Wilson and Wade Welborn of Rule, Paul Ortiz of Rochester, Keith Medford and Thad Jennings of Paint Creek and David Lofton and Jessie Olivarez of Lueders-

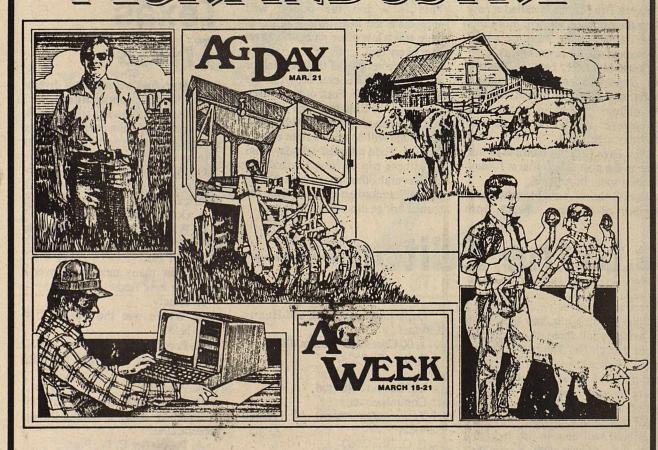
Honorable mention went to Denny Tibbetts of Rochester, Chris Camacho of Lueders-Avoca and Jamie Dean of Rule.

All Sports Banquet Set April 3 For HHS Athletes

The annual Haskell All Sports Banquet will be held Friday night, April 3rd at the Haskell Memorial Civic Center. Randy McLelland, youth director of the First Baptist Church of Haskell will provide entertainment. Tickets will go on sale

March 27, and will be available from Cathy Bartley at Haskell High School, The Drug Store, and Sport-A-Bout. All high school athletes will be honored at the banquet, and special awards will be presented.

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ending stock, cultivating the soil, harvesting the crops - these and many more tasks like them are performed daily in an on-going, never-ending test of endurance and skill, courage and spirit, by the men and women of this nation's agricultural force.

We join together here in acknowledging this group of American men and women and give wholehearted thanks to them for their labors and dedication to this cause. Congratulations to all during Agriculture Week, March 15th through 21st.



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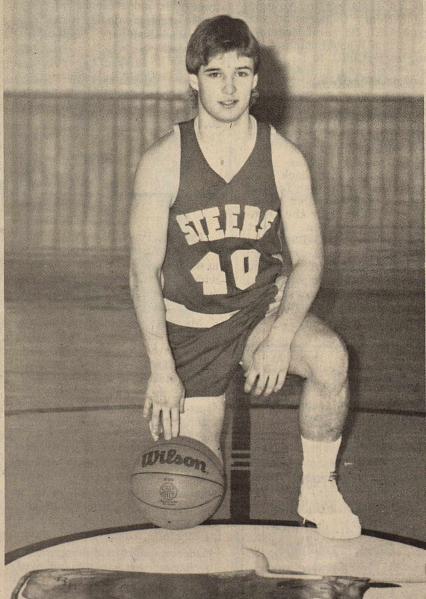
Quanah Tennis Tourney

Haskell tennis team members participated in the Quanah Invitational Tennis Tournament last weekend.

Kacye Nemir competed in the "A" girls singles. Wayne Geilhausen and even Klose competed in the "A" boys doubles. John Wilson was 1st place winner in the "A" boys singles

Team members would like to say a special thanks to Lowell Ann Baker, who attended the meet and acted as team sponsor.

Other teams represented were from Quanah, Memphis, Canadian, Wellington and Chillicothe.



ALL-STAR

Larry Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reid, capped an outstanding four-year basketball career at Rochester by being selected to the Texas Six-Man Coaches Association basketball All-Star Team. The game will be played in Stephenville this summer. Larry was selected by the coaches of Football District 5A. Only 3 players were selected from this district. In addition to this honor, Larry was an All-District selection for four years. Larry was also named Co-MVP for district 19A this year.

Little Dribblers

Haskell Youth Basketball is in its final week of another successful regular season play. There have been many exciting games this year and there should be several more to come. The end of season tournament will

begin Monday with the finals next

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Commentary

Clements apologizes for SMU scandal

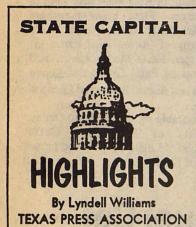
AUSTIN—His credibility falling statewide, Gov. Bill Clements apologized last week for his part in the SMU football scandal and promised to name others with inside knowl-

edge.
Meanwhile, state government lost its top bond rating when Moody's Investments of New York dropped Texas from AAA to AA.

The two events probably will tilt the Legislature to raise taxes again this session. Even though it will be difficult to override Clements' veto, his popularity sag and Moody's action has many lawmakers believing it can be done.

The day after Moody's action, the House unanimously passed a bill creating a special tax committee which could produce a tax bill this session.

Comptroller Bob Bullock will automatically be on the 13-



member panel, with others to be appointed by the governor,

lieutenant governor and speak-**Confidence Lost**

The loss of bond status was seen by many state officials as a warning to Texas to put its

economy back in order. The perceived loss of confidence comes from the Legislature's struggle to choose either budget cuts or a tax hike to resolve a hefty deficit, all amidst a faltering economy.

Moody's has kept Texas at the top of its bond rating for 25 years. Standard and Poors dropped its bond rating for

Texas last spring. Clements disputed a Moody's comment that his opposition to more taxes added to the company's loss of confidence in the Texas economy. He remains opposed to new taxes.

But Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby called on Clements and others to abandon their campaign rhetoric, face the future and enact a tax bill.

Others predicted the new rating will cost taxpayers millions of dollars in higher interest charges on state and local general obligation bonds.

Clements Apologizes

Clements said he and some other SMU board members made a mistake when they decided to "phase out" illegal payments to football players instead of stopping them out-

right.
Under mounting pressure since he disclosed knowledge of the illegality two weeks ago, Clements reversed his no comment stance and promised to

give details to an inquiry by Methodist bishops.

He still declined to name others, but said unless they come forward of their own accord, he will identify them to the special panel of the United Methodist Church.

He also endorsed new legislation to prosecute athletic boosters violating NCAA rules. Lubbock state Sen. John Montford has a bill that allows colleges and conferences to sue meddling boosters.

Private Prisons

The House put up little opposition in approving a bill allowing the state to contract with private companies to build and operate prisons.

An amendment giving the

governor power to review contracts was defeated, but sponsors are expecting his signature after easy Senate passage.

Lawmakers said the bill would allow private contractors to build new prisons faster than a tax bill dedicated to prison construction.

Federal Judge William Wayne Justice toured the prison system last week but didn't say if he will back off his contempt order which threatens to fine the state for ignoring court ordered reforms.

Other Legislation

The Senate approved a bill cracking down on college hazing and passed a bill outlawing drinking alcohol while driving. Police will have to see the driver drinking the beverage before charges can be filed.

Three bills were filed calling for annual sessions of the Legislature to allow state govern-ment to react to economic

changes. Another bill was introduced requiring state and local governments to give preference first to Texas-made products, then American-made, over foreign-made products.

Other Highlights

• The Senate confirmed Dallas Judge Craig T. Enoch as chief justice of the 5th

Court of Appeals.

• A Port Neches man was jailed and charged with attempted theft after demanding \$20,000 from Port Arthur Sen. Carl Parker in exchange for an alleged videotape of Parker. · Clements appointed Wayne

Showers, a McAllen businessman, to replace San Antonio Mayor Henry Cisneros on the Texas A&M Board of Regents. He named Waco businessman Douglas DeCluitt to be a new regent and reappointed Dallasite William McKenzie.

• Colorado U.S. Sen. Gary Hart visited Austin and other Texas cities last week seeking support for the Democratic presidential nomination.

• A recent Texas Poll showed most voters back Vice President George Bush for the GOP bid and Chrysler chairman Lee Iacocca for the Democrats. Kansas Sen. Robert Dole closely trailed Bush and Hart was on Iacocca's heels.

• Bush, meanwhile, opened work a nine-state region and prepare for the '88 primary.



From Out of the Past-

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

30 Years Ago March 21, 1957

A rabbit drive will be conducted in the Plainview community southwest of Haskell March 25. Jackrabbits have become so numerous in that section that they are doing considerable damage to grain crops, farmers report.

Seniors of Haskell High School are busy with rehearsals for their play, "Headin' for a Weddin'," a farce in three acts. The cast includes David Duncan, Jim Bob Bowers, Karen Pitman, Jeanie Strickland, Ina Mae Adams, Maurice Fouts, Jerry Young, Imogene Kennamer, Tom Alvis, Jane Holt, Sandra Coburn, John Ivan Clifton, Jean Gipson, Myrna Cooper and Jerry Turnbow.

R. R. (Ray) Lusk, head of the Haskell County division of the State Highway Department, was elected president of the Texas Public Employees Association of District 8 at the annual meeting of the organization in Abilene Friday.

Through the joint cooperation of Haskell County doctors, County School Nurse Mrs. W. P. Trice and school officials in the county, free Salk polio vaccine shots will be given all children who have been unable to obtain the shots due to

The gaily decorated banquet room of the Rule Baptist Church was the scene of the annual banquet honoring the Rule seniors with the ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society as hostesses.

50 Years Ago March 25, 1937

Total cotton production in Haskell County from the 1936 crop was 20,148 bales. This was a drop of 21,579 bales from last year when

Dear Mr. Faught.

41,717 bales were ginned.

Hollis and Henry Atkeison of this city have announced they will open a new store in Spur under franchise of Clover Farm Food Stores.

The Lions Club has proposed to the City Council that a traffic light be installed on the northeast corner of the square at the intersection of Highway 30 and Highway 120.

Miss Mary Grindstaff spent Wednesday in Denton and was accompanied home by her sister, Ava, and Gayle Roberts, who are students in Texas State College for Women.

Mrs. George Herren and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brown spent Monday in Abilene.

County Judge and Mrs. Chas. M. Conner and daughters, Jean and Geraldine, spent several days in Lubbock last week where the Haskell County official attended the County Judge and Commissioners' convention.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. I. N. Alvis during the past week were their daughters, Mrs. William R. Johnson, and friends, Mrs. Maurrice Nicholson and Miss Lucille Quattlebaum of DeWitt, Ark.

60 Years Ago March 24, 1927

Payne Drug Store installed a new electric carbonater in their store this week, replacing the machine which had been in use for several years.

Constable J. H. Ivey of Haskell and Deputy Sheriff M. G. Pugh confiscated 11 quarts of whiskey and five gallons of beer in a raid on a farmhouse north of Stamford Thursday night.

Miss Elva Cox has returned to her place in the post office after a 10-day

vacation spent in Abilene. The Roberts school reports a number of children absent from classes this week due to an epidemic of the mumps.

Bailey Taylor, who is attending Simmons University in Abilene, spent the weekend here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Atchison of the Roberts community entertained the young people with a party Friday

Frank Kimbrough of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Kimbrough.

80 Years Ago March 23, 1907

Contractors have the walls of the first story of the Masonic Building up and are putting in the timbers for the second story floor.

Mrs. Zuma Jenkins of Taylor, Texas, who arrived here a few days ago, has purchased 320 acres of land seven miles north of town for

D. Egger, head of the firm of D. Egger & Son, with dry goods stores at Waxahachie, Stamford and Haskell, is spending a day or two in the Haskell store.

Overseer F. C. Wilfong has graded up the street from the northeast corner of the square to the Wright Hotel. This is a job the public will appreciate the next time it rains, as there was a low place along this street after every rain.

The greater part of the material for the bridge to be erected over the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River west of Rule has been shipped. It is understood that work on building the bridge will be started right away.

F. M. Todd returned Tuesday from a business trip to New Mexico. He and several other passengers had to ride to Stamford on a flat car from the burned bridge this side of Albany.

Drug abuse is a crisis in America

By Rev. Victor E. Andersen

Drug abuse, and the availability of drugs, is a crisis in our country. The enormous cost in money, not to mention lives ruined, is frightening. Law enforcement is on the job but they cannot do it all. A big part of the problem is that so many people want drugs so badly. We can do something about that.

Oficer Phillip M. DeHoyos of the U. S. Customs Service spoke to the Haskell Lions Club on March 10 about what we can do. He left some interesting and helpful resources.

Officer DeHoyos said many of us are "too busy making a living to make a life." Family life has suffered because parents are consumed by their jobs. Children are left without enough parental attention. Parents must be actively involved in all aspects of their children's lives.

Young people need wholesome activities and friends with which to spend their time. It takes a great deal of effort to provide these.

Schools, churches, and various civic organizations work on different parts of the drug abuse problem but often without much cooperation or interaction. WE'RE IN THIS TOGETHER. We need each other. We Can make a difference but only if we work together.

The upcoming community gathering to begin the Haskell County War on Drugs is a wonderful opportunity to pool our resources and coordinate our efforts. The meeting is on April 9 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Haskell Civic Center.

We must also assist law enforcement in any way possible. We can be the eyes and ears that they need all over the county. We can report any suspected drug-related activity toll free, anonymously to the U.S. Customs Service. They are serving as a coordinator for law enforcement in our area. The number is 1-800-BE ALERT.

For information or resources we are invited to write to Phillip M. DeHoyos, U. S. Customs Service, 10801 Airport Boulevard, Amarillo,

The harm to our friends and loved ones is too much to bear. We can make a difference if we cooperate. WE'RE IN THIS TOGETHER.

Texas Trivia

Want to find out just how diverse Texas travel opportunities are? Consider the following travel trivia. If you get all of them correct, you are a seasoned Texas traveler; if you miss even one, hit the road. Q. What two Texas cities have

their hanging trees designated with historical markers? A. Goliad and Mobeetie.

Q. What Texas city has the lowest

pass through the Rocky Mountains? A. El Paso. Q. How many mountains over a

mile high does Texas have? A. Ninety.

Q. Where was the world's first

rodeo held? A. Pecos, Texas. Q. Where is the largest livestock

A. Amarillo.

auction held?

Q. What Texas city was built by, and named after, a famous cereal manufacturer? A. Post (after C. W. Post).

Q. What is the largest state park in A. Palo Duro Canyon State Park

in the Panhandle. It covers 16,402 Q. What two Texas cities are

closer to four other state capitals than their own? A. El Paso and Amarillo.

Q. Where is the National Cow-Calling Contest held annually? A. At Roberts County Park near

Miami, Texas, in June. Q. Where in Texas is the world's largest fish fry held? A. Borger Texas, the first Saturday

Q. Where was the site of Enrico Caruso's Texas debut and the setting

for the world's first indoor rodeo? A. Cowtown Coliseum in Fort Worth.

Q. Since the 1930s, what has been going on every weekday in Buffalo

Springs, starting at 2 p.m.? A. The domino game. Q. Where is the world's longest

footbridge located? A. Rusk, Texas.

-Letters to the Editor -

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Please, express out deepest thanks to the Haskell area people who were with us in Abilene to support our appeal for the hospital, rest homes, clinic and doctors last Saturday. My heart was deeply moved as a TMF sanctioning.

nursing home director from Mineola, told of having to go home, that day, and tell 81 elderly rest home residents they would have to find another home because the town's physician was sanctioned. I realize that much hurt and hardship will reach more people than those 81 in Mineola.

NOW the WORK begins! Since Mr. King of TMF (Texas Medical Foundation the the judging group for reccomended sanctions) made a statement to the effect that any community, to whom the sanctioning of doctors would suffer undue hardships, might have the possibility of having that sanction removed. Also, write the addresses given personal letters. Your wonderful response with letters was the greatest help!! We need to compile a list with the SIGNATURE of every man, woman, and child in the area who uses the medical facilities of the Haskell hospital, rest homes, clinic and the local physicians. This means from ALL our communities--Rule, Weinert, Throckmorton, Paint Creek, Munday, Goree, Rochester, O'Brien, Old Glory, Sagerton, Jayton and on and on. There are some who even come here from Abilene!

A long scroll will be made of the

sheets and sent, as an appeal--not a petition to Mr. King. The appeal will be made for all three of our doctors. Even though Dr. Thigpen no longer takes Medicare patients, his skilled and faithful professional care for many in our community deserves better than the harsh judgement of IF you will help in this huge but

vital task, please, call Yuvi (864-3882) or me (864-2020). We need to get this in the mail by April 4. Thank you. Bless you ALL!

Mrs. Frank (Billie) Cadenhead.

Write these men letters of appeal and for help, stating the need and dependence of our community on our local physicians:

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Write these people and THANK them for the help they have been and ask them to continue to work in our behalf:

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Obituaries Pat Faught

Funeral services for Pat Faught, 51, of Haskell, were held Tuesday, March 17 in the chapel of Wheeler Morturary in Deming N.M. Burial was in Mountain View Cemetery. She died Saturday in Seaton Hospital

Born April 7, 1935 in Tyler, she grew up in Quanah. She married Wendell Faught June 10, 1954. They moved to Haskell in October 1985 where he assumed duties as editor of the Haskell Free Press.

Survivors include her husband: one son, Jayme of Austin; three daughters, Kim Butera of Austin and Rhonda Faught and Terry Robinson both of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters and two grandchildren.

Robert V. Reynolds

Robert Virgil Reynolds, a former Haskell County judge and an aviator whose flying career began in the era of the biplane and spanned the age of supersonic jets, died March 8 in Austin. He was 76.

Reynolds, a native of Haskell, received his pilot's license in the 1930s and established the Civilian Pilot Training Program at Southwestern University in Georgetown.

During World War II he served in the Army Air Corps and was stationed in the China-Burma-India Theatre. As a member of the Air Transport Command, he flew over "The Hump," a treacherous passageway through the Himalaya

On one mission, Reynolds was forced to parachute out of his airplane

and broke both legs when he hit the ground. He crawled to safety.

After the war, Reynolds was elected county judge in Haskell

He joined the Federal Aviation Administration in 1947 and stayed with the organization until 1973 when he retired as assistant administrator for General Aviation Affairs. He moved to Austin after

Reynolds is survived by two sons, Dr. J. Christopher Reynolds of Austin and Robert Bruce Reynolds of Houston, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were March 10 at the Weed-Corley Funeral Home in Austin, Burial followed in Austin Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to the Hazel and Robert Reynolds Memorial Fund, 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell.

Norene Behringer

Funeral services for Norene Behringer, 92, were held March 14 in the First Baptist Church of Rule. Burial was in Memorial Park in Tulsa, Ok. Mrs. Behringer died March 12 in Rule. She married May 30, 1909 in Aquilla and was preceded in death by her husband on August 7,

Survivors include a grandson, Jack W. Kelley of Tulsa, Ok.; a greatgranddaughter, Jennifer Behringer Knowlton of Beggs, Ok.; and a greatgreat-granddaughter, Whitney Jean White of Tulsa; and one sister, Nona Smith of Fort Worth.

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Coy Payne

Funeral service for Coy Nelson Payne, 52, were held March 15 in the First Baptist Church in Olney with the Rev. Darrell Feemster, pastor of East Side Baptist Church officiating and the Rev. Jerry Becknal pastor of First Baptist in Olney, assisting. Interment was in Restland Cemetery in Olney directed by Lunn Funeral

Born October 7, 1934 in Crowell, he died March 13 in Hamilton Hospital. He married Anita Culver in Grand Prairie August 29, 1959. He was a retired school teacher and coach and a veteran of the U.S. Navy. A resident of Haskell for 10 years, he moved here after living in Olney for 6

Survivors include his wife, Anita of Haskell, one son, Randall Ray Payne of Abilene; two brothers, Hollis Coy Payne of Tulia and Kenneth Lee Payne of Dallas; and three sisters, Bertha Alyne Rettig of Arlington; Ann Evenson of Crowell and Mary Helen McNally of Abilene.

Jim Mapes

James "Jim" Mapes, 69 of Atascadero, California died March 5, 1987 in a traffic accident in Templeton, California. Services were held Monday, March 9 at Chapel of the Roses, Atascadero, Ca.

Mr. Mapes was born Feb. 7, 1918 in Haskell, Texas. He has been a resident of San Luis Obispo County since 1950. He was a deputy sheriff in this county in the late '50's, and worked as a state police officer for Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, CA until 1976. He then worked on different horse ranches in the county after his retirement. Mr. Mapes was also a member of the North Side Church of Christ, he is survived by his wife, Ruby Mapes of Atascadero, one son, Larry Mapes of Tulare, two daughters Mary Barrett of Visalia, CA., and Melinda Kennedy of Atascaderto. Also survived by four sisters, Cortez Javitch of Stockton, CA., Dee Calloway of Medford, Oregon, Juanita Murray of Sun City, CA., and Janette Lockwood of Santa Paula, CA., and four brothers, Ben Mapes of Hemit, CA., Leon Mapes of Roseburg, Oregon, Roger Mapes of Aguanga, CA., and Billie Mapes of San Antonio, TX., and six

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Gladys Mathis

Gladys Mathis

Funeral services for Gladys Evelyn Terry Mathis, 68, were held March 13 in the First United Methodist Church in Rule with the Rev. Tommy Wilson officiating. Mrs. Mathis died March 12. Interment was in Rule Cemetery directed by Pinkard Funeral Home.

Born November 9, 1918 in DeLeon, she married Joe Douglas Mathis December 19, 1941 in Throckmorton. She was a retired school teacher, having taught 25 years in Rochester.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Rule and a member of the Rule Chapter No. 989, Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include two sons, Terry Joe Mathis and Larry Don Mathis; brothers and sisters, Elgie Terry of Big Spring and Venita Akers of Fort Worth; four grandchildren, Joey Mathis, Christy Mathis, Tenille Mathis and Trac Mathis. She was preceded in death by one sister, Ivy Tate and five brothers, Edward, Raymond, Ely, Curtis, and Travis.

Pallbearers were Boyd Baird, John Hisey, Buddy Lewis, William Greenwood, Wilbert Klose, and Vernon Mahler.

Boy Scouts hold Court of Honor

Haskell's Boy Scouts Troop 136 held their quarterly court of honor Sunday March 15th at the First Methodist Church. Scouts were honored for awards they earned in the past few months. The Northern District Scout Executive, Mr. Bob Oatman, had a slide presentation on Camp Tonkawa and answered questions about summer camp. He also gave a program on Sustaining Membership Enrollment. Fun, food and fellowship were enjoyed by many scouts and their families.



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Webelos spend weekend at Camp Tonkawa

At 6:00 A.M. Saturday the 14th the Webelos of Den 1 Pack 136 of Haskell struck out for a weekend at Camp Tonkawa. First stop was breakfast at McDonald's, then on to camp. After we registered we were assigned to Troop 260 of Abilene. Scoutmaster of Troop 260 was Mr. Cheek. Troop 260 is noted as one of the best in Chisholm Trail Council. We pitched out tents and stowed our gear away. Then we struck out for a day of demonstrations. We went to the camp sites of Troop 228 for cooking and sanitation, Troop 251 for compass, Troop 236 for first aid and safety, Troop 3 for fire building and woods tools, Troop 260 for back packing and hiking, Troop 258 for scouting and camping equipment and model camp site, Troop 122 for lashing and Troop 201 for monkey bridge and pioneering. After a time of rest and a good meal, we all went to the night campfire at the D.A. Ring. At the campfire the Webelos we entertained by a song or two and skits. The O.A. Scouts put on a wonderful show of Indian dances. After campfire we attended the cracker barrel which consisted of candy bars, cookies, orange juice and coffee. Back at campsite the scouts of 260 took the Webelos of 136 and played a game to close the day. We arose Sunday morning to campfire heat and a quick trip to the flag ceremony. After a good campfire breakfast we were back to the O.A. Ring for the Sunday morning church service. After church it was clean up and break camp and head for home. The boys just couldn't pass up McDonald's so they stopped for some more breakfast. Webelos attending were Bobbie

Cothron and dad (Steve), Matt Perry and dad (Bill), Scott A and uncle (Doyle Mitchell), Wesley Alsabrook and Billy Tatum, Michael McFadden and dad (Marvin), Brian Brzozowski and dad (Glenn). The Brzozowski's stayed with Troop 122 of Anson.

Check tax returns for documents

Before you mail your federal tax return, be sure you have attached all supporting documents and schedules, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

Documents such as earning statements, schedules, statements verifying deductions, or other pertinent information should be securely attached to the tax form. Taxpayers must include W-2 forms from all employers, regardless of the amount of

Missing documents can cause processing errors, refund delays, and create confusion and inconvenience for the taxpayer, the IRS says. In most instances when a required form or schedule is not with the tax return, the IRS must contact the taxpayer to request the missing item before continuing to process the return.

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MANAGING YOUR IRA

Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs) involve big bucks. The Investment Company Institute in Washington D.C. reports that total IRA assets in 1986 were \$264 billion. If you have made a contribution every year since 1982, the first year IRAs were allowed for all earners, your IRA kitty has probably grown to the \$15,000 range. If you changed jobs and rolled a company pension distribution into your IRA, your fund could be much larger. With that much money involved, you should be managing your IRA wisely to produce the highest yield consistent with your risk

IRAs can be invested in many ways - stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit, mutual funds, life insurance products, and now even certain U.S. gold and silver coins.

To a certain extent, sound IRA investment strategy is the same as your non-IRA investment strategy. Don't invest beyond your risk comfort level, but do realize that a few points difference in yield can make a significant difference in the total dollars you can accumulate. For example, if you put your \$2,000 contribution every year for twenty years into a 6% Certificate of Deposit, your total accumulation will be \$73,500. On the other hand, if you invest your contributions in mutual funds that return 9 1/2 %, you will accumulate \$108,000.

Since an IRA is your retirement kitty, highly-speculative investments are not advisable. The closer you are to retirement, the more conservative your investments should be, because you don't have the time to make up any losses you might suffer with riskier investments. Also, since the 1986 Tax Reform Act eliminated the long-term capital gains deduction, the old rule of not investing in capital gain assets inside your IRA no longer applies. But you should realize that any losses you suffer which would be a tax deduction outside an IRA will be of no tax benefit inside an IRA.

Get together with your financial advisor and review the investment options open to you. Don't cheat yourself out of retirement dollars through a mismanaged IRA.

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1986 Texas traffic death toll is lowest

The 1986 traffic death toll in Texas was the lowest it has been in 10 years, according to DPS Director Col. Jim Adams.

The number of persons killed on Texas' streets and highways has decreased 3.1 percent--3,568 for 1986 compared to 3,682 deaths in 1985, Adams said.

"We are very pleased with this decline, though the number of people who died in traffic accidents in Texas last year is certainly still of tragic proportions," he said. "The good news is that it is getting safer to drive

The death rate on Texas' roadways, another measurement of traffic safety, reached its lowest point ever--2.4 deaths per 100 million miles traveled.

From 3.9 in 1981, the death rate in Texas has dropped steadily each year. In 1985, the rate was 2.6.

"Not only was the 1986 fatality count the lowest in the state since 1976, last year's figure represents 1,133 fewer traffic deaths than recorded in 1981, the worst year in Texas traffic history," Adams said.

"It's hard to assess a single cause for this reduction since so many factors are involved," Adams said. "Speed law enforcement, DWI enforcement and a greater public awareness of the consequences of drinking and driving all play a role. An additional factor has been the seat belt legislation, which went into

effect Sept. 1, 1985."

A comparision of the final fatality figures for the first year the safety belt law was on the books with the same period the year before shows the number of persons killed in the front seats of cars and light trucks declined by 7 percent.

That 7 percent amounts to 157 lives arguably saved by seat belts," Adams said. "The safety belt law is working. Unfortunately, a survey conducted for the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation has indicated a slight decrease in seatbelt usage in Texas. We hope people realize this law definitely saves lives."

In 1986, 1,304 fatalities in Texas were listed as DWI-related, compared to 989 in 1985. Adams said the SPS feels that increase is largely due to better reporting of alcohol involvement in accidents, rather than a sharp increase in DWI.

"We feel that society's less tolerant attitude toward drinking and driving is continuing to pay off in the overall reduction of fatalities, though the problem of DWI is still a serious one," Adams said.

The number of motorcycle fatalities increased from 364 in 1985 to 403 in 1986, an 11 percent increase. Of those motorcyclists killed, 77 percent had not been wearing helments.

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12th Grade

Doug Davis, Cheryl Dever, Terry Payne, Jodie Taylor, Sadie Thompson, Debra Teague, George

Animal actors

For some members of the animal kingdom, good acting can mean the difference between life and death.

For example, the bombardier beetle, which lives in the Arizona desert, fights off predators by spraying an irritant from its abdomen while doing a headstand.

A related beetle, which has no poison but good acting skills. manages to scare off enemies by imitating the same headstand

Small business owners want change on liability insurance

Alarmed over skyrocketing costs and the unavailability of liability insurance, Texas small-business owners want changes in the legal system, the insurance industry and the State Board of Insurance's monitoring of the companies, according to a spokesman for the state's largest small-business organization.

According to Robert Stluka, director of governmental relations for the National Federation of Independent Business/Texas, small businesses are calling for tort reform and want caps placed on both noneconomic damages and punitive damages. In addition, they want joint and several liability clauses abolished, periodic payment plans established and a collateral source rule instituted.

In another move to lower insurance costs, NFIB/Texas members want the insurance industry to give full financial disclosure to the State board of Insurance. And business owners also want the State Board of Insurance to regulate surplus lines' agencies.

"All of this needs to take place before any substantial price changes and increased availibility can occur," said Stluka. According to an NFIB in 1986 survey, 73 percent of those responding favor changes made in several areas of insurance including joint and several liability. Under the current joint and several liability rule. a plaintiff may sure a number of defendants and collect damages from one or all of the defendants, without regard to their degree of fault.

Because a business has 'deep pockets' of money doesn't mean it should be responsible for paying more than its share of the damage awards," Stluka said.

In addition, small-business owners want a collateral source rule adopted so that juries may be informed of other sources of payment available to the plaintiff -- such sources as

workers' compensation and/or pension or retirement funds.

On other insurance issues NFIB/Texas members want to see the following changes.

allowing periodic payments of damages instead of one lump sum.

* placing caps on non-economic damages such as those collected for 'pain and suffering'.

* and placing caps on punitive damage awards--damages awarded for malicious, fraudulent or grossly negligent acts.

NFIB/Texas hopes the Legislature will give this issue thorough consideration and pass comprehensive legislation that will in fact make liability insurance available at a more

Auction Report

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1704 head of cattle, 10 hogs, and 10 sheep at its sale Saturday March 14, 1987, according to Gary Tate, reporter.

Steady on all classes of cattle with good buyer participation.

Butcher Calves: choice 56-60; good 50-56; standard 45-50; rannies 35-45.

Cows: fat 38-42; cutters 42-46; canners 36-42; stockers by head 450-

Bulls: bologna 50-55; stockers 50-60; utility 45-50.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice 85-100; good 75-85; medium 65-75; common 55-65.

Stocker Heifer Calves: choice 70-78; good 65-70; medium 60-65; common 50-60.

Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice 68-74; good 62-68; medium 55-62; common 45-55.

Feeder Heifer Yearlings: choice 65-68; good 60-65; medium 55-60; common 45-65.

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BBB offers business of the year award

Business of the year award?

The most common question we are asked about the first annual business of the year award is "What is it?"

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We will be taking nominations from the community, it is up to the consumers themselves to nominate those businesses they have enjoyed dealing with. We want it to come from everyone in the community.

Why is the Better Business Bureau doing this?

"We want to promote the positive aspects of business" said Mr. Martin. The BBB deals so much with the problems between consumers and business - complaints, scams, ripoffs - we want the community to know about the good businesses as well. They deserve the recognition.

Any business in our service area is qualified to be nominated for the business of the year. We must have the nomination in writing at the Better Business Bureau's office no later than April 10.

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Home day care improved through study An Extension Service pilot program has shown that Texas women in the business of caring for

their knowledge and skills through a study-at-:ome course. Five hundred home day care providers participated in the study conducted by the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) home economics program and funded in part by the Texas Department of Human Services (TDHS) and Corporate Child

children in their homes can improve

Development Fund for Texas. "Concern over the quality of child care is a statewide issue that prompted development of an Extension program to reach these family day care providers with education and training," said Diane Welch, Extension family life specialist and project coordinator.

"Reaching family day care workers is difficult, since they work all day and have family responsibilities in the evening. Time constraints may prevent some providers from attending classes even when they are offered locally," she added.

The TAEX program included a manual and a set of videotapes for home study about child care, including health and safety child development and guidance, nutrition and business management.

The materials were distributed by Extension home economists in cooperation with local TDHS staff in 28 counties. Most of those participating were operators of TDHS registered family day homes.

Tests before and after the four week study period determined providers' knowledge improved in all the child care subject areas.

Welch says that 76% percent of the participants acheived a final score that qualified them for three continuing education units from Texas A&M University and 72% made one or more changes in child care practices. In addition, day care providers in 11 of the counties are planning network organizations among themselves after participating in the program.

According to Welch, TAEX is now in the process of implementing the program throughout state, with more than 100 counties scheduled to participate in 1987.

"We expect to reach a minimum of 3000 day care providers with education and training this year," she remarked.

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-Weinert News-

By Myrtle Phemister

Shhh! Don't complain about the rain! It was only .7 of an inch! We didn't need it, but "when life hands you lemons, make lemonade"--go visiting--or fishing! And don't try to run away from Life.

Weinert was blessed with many visitors this week, and we want to share them with you. One special group was the graduating class of 1971 who got together for a reunion dinner at the Embassy in Abilene. The two boys in the class, Tommy Miller, of Tulia, and Lee Gray of Louisiana, were unable to attend, as was Debra Struck of McAllen and Janice Rainey Isabel of Abilene, who was detained by a birthday party held in her honor.

Those attending were Lorenia Caddell Davis of Nashville, Tennessee; Shelia Dutton Hester of Rochester, Paulette Wilfong Bennett of Stamford, Karen Guess Yates of Weinert, and Alexia Mayfield Rimmer of De Soto, Texas.

Most of the Weinert relatives attended a family dinner at the home of Jova and Glenn Caddell in Haskell on Saturday in honor of Lorena Caddell Davis and her family who were here for a few days visit.

The college students are home for a Spring break from classes, and the

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recent rain will give them time to relax, visit and fish, instead of helping on the farm as dads here anticipated.

Alexia Rimmer with 6 month old daughter Adrienne Wynn of De Soto, were home for a visit with her parents, John and Laverne Mayfield. Laverne returned home with her for a longer visit, as they celebrated a "6 month" birthday for the baby. Grandfather John came on Sunday.

The students in Weinert school enjoyed a lecture program on Tuesday called "World of Light", a 45 minute program prepared and presented by the Bureau of Lectures.

We look forward to Spring break next week, and many "mini" vacations for many families.

Our birthday people include Mildred Offutt, Mike Urbanczyk, Timothy Perez, Joyce Robertson, Mark Jimenez and R.S. Sanders. Congratulations to each one. Our prayers will go with R.S. and Betty as they return to MD. Anderson hospital in Houston on March 23rd. They will celebrate their wedding anniversary on March 25th. We solicit your prayers on their behalf.

Ricky Phemister visited his grandparents on Monday and took them out west of town to view his newest project---100 purebred, Holstein heifer calves!

Bob and Virginia Melvin of Lubbock are in town to visit with Alton and Millie Sanders as they complete plans for a lay-renewal

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revival they will conduct this weekend in Atlanta, Texas at the first Baptist Church there. Some of our young people will accompany them

Don and Debbie Crump and children were in Blue Grove to visit Don's parents there, with a side trip to Wichita Falls to celebrate their 8th anniversary. They returned home with an extra special anniversary gift?? A puppy that was a gift from Don's parents to Don's children, (but who keeps Don awake each night.

Francis and Morris Davenport of Vernon came to spend some time with Ted and Edna Boykin before their departure to their new home in Nashville, Arkansas on March 28th.

Buck and Helen Turnbow were in Grand Prarie for a few days to see Helen's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Luker. Roy has been quite ill and enjoys family visits.

Faye Jetton, Alice Yates and Debbie Crump attended the Tri-County Home Extension day held at Knox City on Monday. They came home with a new hand-made Bandana collar, and reported a great day with visiting, club skits, eating and working with women from Haskell, Knox and Baylor clubs.

Mrs. Newt Rash of Abilene and Mrs. Anna Mae Roberts of Haskell spent some time this week visiting with a cousin and niece, Mildred

Beatrice Weinert and Jo Ella Perkins of Houston were here for a few days visit with Harlan and Jimmy Weinert. They returned home by way of Seymour to visit relatives there, and Ft. Worth to visit Nadine Denton, Jo Ella's sister. The city of Weinert was named for the family of Herman Weinert, Beatrice's father and it's a joy to have her return.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Maples of Amarillo were in Weinert to visit a cousin, Francis Mahan, and get some genealogy material for the book they are compiling.

Grenetta and Phil Bledsoe and daughter Tammy of Weatherford were in town to see Grenetta's parents, the Thurman Stouts. They were accompanied by a friend, Kendall Allmon.

Others who came for the get together were Wayne and Jeanie Shane. Michelle is a student at West Texas State in Snyder, and had a friend, Denise Hood, visiting also.

Phil and Grenetta teach at Peaster, Texas, just out of Weatherford, where Phil is superintendent.

Tammy Offutt of Wichita Falls came during her school break to visit her grandparents, Mildred and Bud Offutt and Eddie and Myrnie Sanders. She attended worship services at the First Baptist Church.

Leonard and Linda Mahan entertained Linda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Williams of Newalla, Oklahoma, and they attended services at the Church of Christ on Sunday. Linda cooks for Bob's cafe here, a few days each week, and the whole family loves living here in Weinert. They have two sons, Len, a senior, and Donald, a 5th grader.

Linda and Ricky Wade were "home" from Abilene and enjoyed visiting her parents, Alice and Toby Yates, as well as other relatives and

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Robert Ochoa

Ochoa is new pastor at **Calvary Baptist**

Robert Ochoa has been named new pastor at Calvary Baptist Church in Haskell and will hold a revival March 23-28 at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

The church is located at 608 S. Av

Ochoa attended the Mexican Baptist Bible Institute in San Antonio and a sattelite program in Lubbock. Prior to his appointment as Pastor at Calvary Baptist, He served as Pastor in Ropesville for ten months.

Haskell Masons to meet

The Haskell Chapter O.E.S. invites all Masons and wives for a fellowship, March 24 at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.

You are reading The Haskell Free Press and we thank you. Call us your news. 864-2686.

Haskell Nursing Center News

Haskell Nursing Center administrator John McDermett was in Abilene Saturday to represent the nursing home and Haskell during the Medicare hearing.

We would like to welcome Mrs. McGee to our home. She has been a resident of Haskell for many years.

We would like to thank each person for their donation to our bake sale and car wash. We would like to name all the people but we don't want to leave any one out so we will just say thanks to all. We still have tickets that we are giving away for each \$1.00 donated. We would like to invite everyone out to pick up your ticket for your \$1.00 donation. All proceeds will benefit the Arthritis Foundation.

Haskell Nursing Center held a family council meeting. Family Council is a support and problem solving group for all family members. and/or responsible parties. We do encourage you to attend and participate in this meeting. We are looking forward to seeing you at the next meeting.

We would like to thank the Country Band, Everyone enjoyed them. They take their time monthly to come out to our home and they are

much appreciated by all the residents. We would like to thank all of our volunteers. We enjoy each and everyone of them, and the time they

We have had many visitors coming to see our residents.

Arvella Holland was visited by Donna Caraway of Oslo, Norway and Brenda Pester of San Antonio, Boone Brown, Stephenville, Marceline Todd Stephenville.

Mollie Jarred was visited by Tom and June Coker, Julia Conner, Josh Gordy of Anson.

Tommie Anders was visited by Georgia Bingham.

Alvin Koonce was visited by Purel Koonce, Nancy Holden and family. Linnie Hickman and Lydia Green

were visited by Lillie Green. Connie Cook was visited by Lucile Adams of Weinert.

Elsie McGee was visited by Lori and Howell of Haskell.

Barbecue dinner set Saturday

The Deacons of the Independent Baptist Church are sponsoring a Bar-B-Oue dinner Saturday at the church, 301 N. 3rd in Haskell. They will be serving brisket, ribs, chicken. The public is invited. The charge will be \$3.75 a plate.

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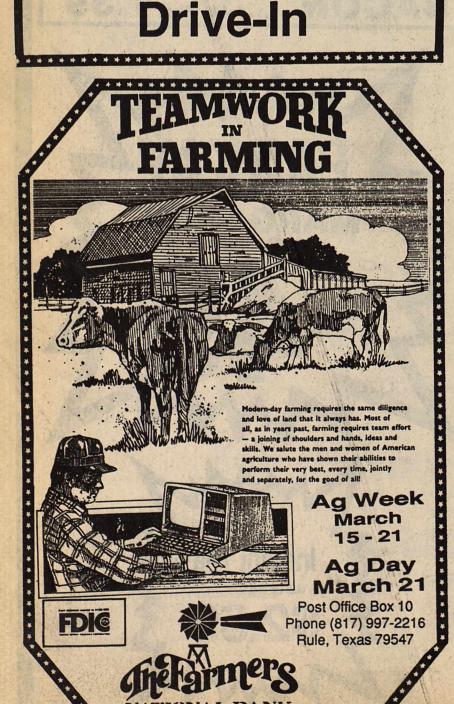
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Spring training event slated for Baptist Women

SpringFest, a regional leadership training event for members of Woman's Missionary Union, Southern Baptist, has been scheduled for April 3-4, 1987, with women from six associations participating.

The conference, which will begin with registration at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, will conclude at noon on Saturday, according to Mrs. Eunice

Landscaping yards is Young Homemakers theme

agriculture teacher at Knox City High School, spoke to the Haskell Young Homemakers March 9, 1987. About twenty-five ladies met in the home of Lisa Phemister, to hear the program, by Mr. Dillon, on landscaping our yards. Many ideas were presented to help in developing a landscape plan for our yards, as well as suggestions for types of plants that grow good in

Nachos and iced tea were served by D'Anne Melton and Pam Mathis. While everyone was enjoying refreshments Jill Harris called the business meeting to order.

We discussed donations to some worthwhile projects and voted to give \$300.00 to the Haskell Memorial Civic Center, \$50.00 to the Hendrick League House and \$50.00 to the West

Jim Dillon, the vocational Texas Rehab Center, In addition, we voted to start a project to make improvements on the childrens' reading room at the Haskell County Library. We hope to begin work on this in the near future.

Jill Harris announced that a nominating committee had met to select officers for the 1987-88 year. Members voted on the officers and they will be installed at the meeting in May. They will be Karen Crain, president; Katie Hopper, vicepresident; Connie Stone, secretary; Norma Richardson, treasurer; D'Anne Melton, reporter; and Jill Harris, parliamentarian.

Our next meeting will be April 13, 1987. Everyone is asked to meet at the homemaking cottage at 6:45 p.m. for the tour of homes that we all look forward to each year.

Chambless of Clyde who will serve as general chairperson. Sessions will be held Friday afternoon, evening, and Saturday morning.

Highlighting the sessions will be missionary messages, special interest conferences, and methods conferences. A Display Diorama and Browsing Time are also scheduled.

Present plans call for methods conferences covering the work of WMU, Baptist Women, Baptist Young Women, Acteens, Girls in Action and Mission Friends. Special Interest Conferences will include a variety of subjects such as Ministering to Missionaries and their Families, Senior Adult Opportunities in Missions, Mission Action/Witnessing in Today's World, Spiritual Development Through

Prayer, and several others. Area women will lead the conferences except for three. Jackie Evans, Texas GA/MF Consultant will lead the Mission Friends Leadership conference on Firday night and the Girls in Action conference on Saturday morning. Helen Fling, past president of the Texas WMU and also WMU, Southern Baptist Convention will lead the Spiritual Development

Haskell, Texas

conferences all three sessions. Miss Evans will also speak at the general session on Friday night and Mrs. Fling will speak on Saturday morning.

Registration fee for SpringFest has been set at \$20. for both days, or \$13 for one day with the deadline March 21. Local WMU Directors have details for reservations. Meals and lodging are included, and participants should bring linens to stay in camp

Working with Mrs. Chambless from this area is Mrs. A. D. May of Rule, WMU director of Haskell-Knox Baptist Association. Other ladies of this association will help with the program. Mrs. Ruth Jimenez of Weinert and Mrs. Betty Alvarez of Haskell will lead the WMU conference for Language Missions participants; Mrs. T. W. Barton of Rochester will bring the call to prayer; Mrs. May will lead the conference on The Adventure of Missions Reading.

All area Baptist Women and Age Level Leaders are urged to attend.

You are reading The Haskell Free Press and we thank you.

Arthritis series continues

A hunk of wood, a square of foam rubber a wooden dowels in a variety of lengths and thicknesses can form the basis of a "survival kit" for people with arthritis. For people with arthritis, tasks as simple as putting a car key into the ignition, zipping up a back zipper or brushing their teeth can produce excrucuating pain and intensify the inflammation of already

To overcome these obstacles and get on with everyday living, people with arthritis need to develop a selfhelp program to help them adapt to their limitations and manage their daily responsibilities.

Strategies to protect affected joints at home include:

· Insert car or door keys into a piece of wood with a slot in one end to make turning the key easier and to protect fingers.

· Add foam rubber to increase the size of handles of such articles as a toothbrush, razor, comb and kitchen utensils. The larger the grip, the less tension is required to maintain a hold on these objects.

· Spare the fingers from difficultto-open refrigerator and cabinet doors by placing a strap on the handle. To open, simple place the forearm through the strap and pull.

· Attach a wooden dowel to can openers to employ the principle of

· Use a thin rubber sheet to get a grip on bathroom and kitchen faucets. Or attach wooden extenders to small difficult-to-turn faucets.

· Replace buttons, zippers and snaps on clothing with velcro

Next week's article will be the last in this series and will focus on ways to help you recognize arthritis

HASKELL Lunch Menu

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Monday: Salmon patties, macaroni and cheese, pinto beans, cornbread/butter, peach cobbler, milk (elementary), milk or tea (high

Tuesday: Pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad/dressing, diced pears, milk (elementary), milk or tea (high

Wednesday: Chili and beans, grated cheese, buttered spinach, mixed fruit, cornbread/butter, milk (elementary), milk or tea (high school).

Thursday: Chicken nuggets/gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls/butter, cherry crunch, milk (elementary), milk or tea (high

Friday: Cheeseburgers, french fries/catsup, lettuce, tomatoes, onions and pickles, peanut cups, milk (elementary), milk or tea (high

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Monday: Grape juice, cereal, milk. Tuesday: Orange juice, malt-omeal, toasted rolls, milk.

Wednesday: Apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk. Thursday: Fruit juice, biscuits

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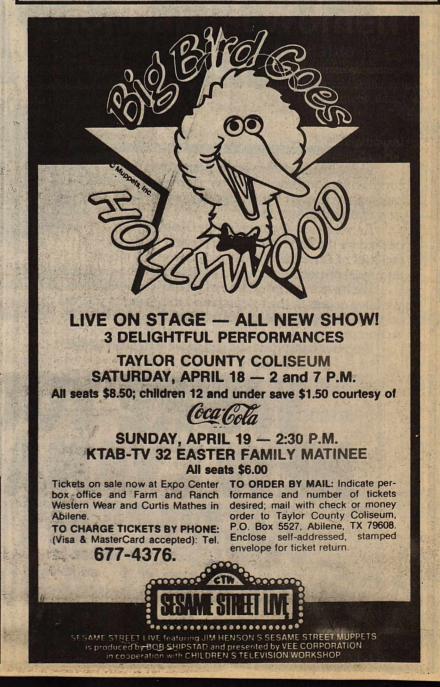
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Seedbed preparation critial for cotton crop

Faced with wet fields, cotton farmers in parts of Texas may have to work a little harder to get bedseeds in shape for planting.

"A good seedbed is critical for getting cotton off to a quick start," points out Dr. Bob Metzer, cotton specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"For good seed germination and seedling emergence, the seedbed should be firm and well settled. The soil structure should have a proper balance of air and water. The seedbed should be weed-free and have a uniform distribution of herbicides," Metzer

However, wet fields during the fall and winter have delayed land preparation, and that makes good seedbed preparation more difficult, notes the specialist. Fields worked late often end up loose and cloddy and short on soil moisture for seed germination. Also, herbicide concentrations can cause stand failures or slow seedling growth.

"The planting operation should leave a soil profile with a slight mound that provides adequate drainage away from the seed trench," explains Metzer. "Avoid valleys or depression in the furrow that will pocket water and concentrate herbicides such as caparol or cotoran around the seed

To minimize problems with herbicide concentration, Metzer advises farmers to provide adequate drainage from the seed zone. This becomes especially important when moderate to reduced foreign acreage and heavy rainfall follows the planting operation.

Producers using a max-emerge planter can improve conditions for seedling emergence. Metzer recommends that they convert their planter to a disk-closing attachment which permits planting at a shallow soil depth. The adjustable disk blades close the v-shape seed trench by squeezing soil from each side of the trench to obtain a good seed-soil contact. The closing disk is followed by a rubber tire wheel which gauges the closing depth and shapes the soil profile. This operation leaves a slight soil mound above the seed zone for good drainage and rapid warm-up where it counts the most.

"Cotton planted early usually faces a number of obstacles, including cool, wet conditions that favor seedling diseases," Metzer points out. "Often the end result is skippy stands. However, a producer can shift the odds to favor emerging cotton by eliminating herbicide stress, using high vigor planting seed and planting no deeper than necessary to get seed into firm, moist soil."

Ag Briefs...

The cotton marketing loan provision of the current farm bill has given a big boost to the entire cotton industry, says an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University system. The marketing loan, which adjusts the price of U.S. cotton to the world market price, has made American cotton more competitive abroad. The result has been increased world trade, production, and expanded consumption of U.S. cotton. However, U.S. producers must remain highly productive to compete against low-cost foreign labor and rapidly improving technology abroad. Also, strong trade policies are needed to maintain and expand exports.

Horse Club to meet

The annual meeting and awards presentations of the Haskell Horse Club will be held Sunday, March 22 at 2 p.m. in the First National Bank Building, 200 N. Av. E.

During the business meeting, members will elect new directors and set date for playdays and discuss new and old business.

Door prizes will be given and refreshments will be served.

A special program dealing with beef cattle health will be held April 25-26 at the YO Hilton Hotel in Kerrville. The program is aimed at both beef cattle producers and veterinarians and is an educational effort of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Veterinary Medical Center at Texas A&M University. Among discussion topics will be quality feeder calves. bull evaluation, maximizing immunity and minimizing stress in beef animals, parasite control, implants, beef checkoff, lean beef, supplemental feeding, estrous synchronization, drugs in cattle and brucellosis update, says an Extension veterinarian.

Weed populations up

Texas ranchers can expect to see heavy weed populations on rangelands in 1987, says a range bush and weed control specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. Abundant rainfall last fall and early winter over most of the state and a relatively mild winter have provided near ideal conditions for a heavy weed crop on rangeland. Controlling weeds with herbicides is a practice that will produce substantial returns for cattlemen because dense weeds will significantly reduce forage production.

Summer horse training schools offered

The Texas Agriculture Extension horse's performance immediately. Service is once again offering summer horse training schools for interested p.m. each day. groups and organizations.

an Extension assistant.

say Householder and Yeates.

The schools provide "hands-on" teaching and demonstration for both youth and adults with various levels of experience. Covered are basic horsemanhip skills, basic maneuvers and indepth work on individual horse show events. However, schools can be tailored to fit local situations and farm equipment needs. Yeates and Householder explain.

organization interested in scheduling a school should contact the local county Extension agent or Davison at 409-845-1562 for more specific information. Schools will begin in late May or early June and will continue throughout the summer.

Householder and Yeates emphasize that the schools are designed to teach horsemanship and horse training skills. They are not "quick fix" programs to drastically change a

The schools run from 8 a.m. to 5

Rider skills and basic horse The schools are under the maneuvers are covered the first day supervision of Extension horse while the second and third days deal specialists B. F. Yeates and Dr. Doug with various horsemanship events Householder and Karen Elrod Davison, such as western pleasure, western riding, barrel racing and pole bending. The three-day schools have been Training also can be presented on offered annually since the early 1970's, fitting horses for show, equipment selection and use, reining and relating topics, depending on the interests of the group involved, Householder and Yeates point out.

Young farmers The specialists say that any sale set Sat.

The 4th Annual Brazos Valley Young Farmers Farm Equipment Sale is scheduled for 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 21 at the Farmers Grain Co-Op yard in Munday. Come early and look over the large selection of equipment that will be on hand for

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depend on outside income Farm and ranch families have many options for increasing outside income, but all have their costs and benefits, says family economics specialist

Majority of farm families

"A majority of Texas farm families already have outside income from one or more family members working offfarm and the trend is growing as the farm financial crisis deepens," says the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service specialist.

Nancy Granovsky.

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Off-farm employment is the logical choice for many, she says, if the farm or ranch is located within commuting distance of a town or city where there are employment opportunities.

"Unless you have some special skills, pay may be low and costs of transportation, clothes to dress for the job and other expenses should be

considered," Granovsky notes, "But one of the best features of off-farm employment is that you may get frenge benefits and be able to cover the family with lower-cost group insurance and hospitalization."

The specialist says another option for farm families is a home-based business such as a family day care center, bookeeping service or homesewing enterprise.

Other families are directly marketing specialty agricultural products, such as premium homegrown tomatoes or peaches. Selling hunting leases or opening "bed and breakfast" establishments are also income producers in some areas.

"The success of any home-based business depends on carving a niche in the market and providing a quality product of service," Granovsky says. "It's especially important to determine whether there is a market before spending money on start up costs for the business."

"Be especially cautious about advertisements for home-based businesses in magazines or newspapers," warns Granovsky.

Some of these offers take your money and then simply provide a phamplet listing work-at-home ideas, she explains.

Others may require you to invest in materials such as envelopes for sturing or items for sewing, which they say they will buy back from you. But when you have completed the job, the company claims your work fails to meet standards and you have lost your

"Check with the state Attorney General's office or a Better Business Bureau before putting your money into this type of offer," emphasizes the specialist.

She points out that new training and education can also be an option for some families. Since a program may not be located in your area, however, figure in transportation and other

"Also consider the implications of retraining for an entirely different occupation," Granovsky says. "Once you have invested money and several months or years in training or education you may still have to move to a location where jobs are available in that field."

A careful consideration of the costs and benefits of non-farm income options can help farm families make better decisions about their future, the specialists says.

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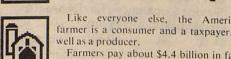






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nd taxpayers as well as best producers



million in personal property taxes. from farm sources and \$40.0 billion from nonfarm sources to spend for personal

Farmers' 1984 purchases included: *9.5 billion for farm tractors and other

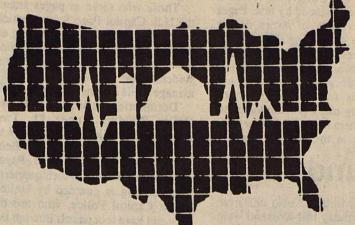
equipment. About 150,000 employees are required to produce this farm equipment. *\$13.6 billion for fuel, lubricants and maintenance for machinery and motor vehicles used in the farm business. Farming uses more petroleum than any



*\$24.0 billion for feed and seed. *\$8.9 billion for fertilizer and lime.

pounds of rubber - about 5 percent of the total used in the United States, or enough to put tires on nearly 7 million automobiles.

*33 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity



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Americans get more food For their money today

Not only have food prices risen comparatively little in the past few years, family income buys considerably more food today partly because agriculture has become much more efficient and partly because consumer incomes have risen faster than food prices. For example, here's what the average U.S. worker could buy with an hour's pay in 1950

Food Item	1950	1984
White bread	10.1 lbs.	15.4 lbs.
Frying chickens	2.5 lbs.	10.3 lbs.
Milk	8.0 qts.	14.8 qts.
Potatoes, fresh	32.7 lbs.	34.4 lbs.
Eggs	2.4 doz.	8.3 doz.
Pork	2.7 lbs.	5.1 lbs.

Our diets are more varied. The American consumer is eating 35 percent more poultry but eight percent less beef per person than 10 years ago. And eating more fresh vegetables (18 percent) and more fresh fruits (13 percent).

U.S. production Up 21/2 times Levels of 30's

Total agricultural production is more than 21/2 times the levels of 1930, even though the agricultural resource base has not substantially changed.

The growth in farm output has come the higher productivity of agricultural resources rather than from greater input use.

The aggregate number of breeding animals and the total inputs to agriculture in 1930 differ by less than 5 percent from the amounts used in 1984. Yet, crop production is nearly 2.5 times the 1930 level, livestock production 2.1 times the 1930 level and total farm output about 2.6 times the 1930 level.

This implies that the productivity of land is 21/2 times the productivity in 1930, that breeding animals are twice as productive as in 1930 and that overall, the farm sector is 2.5 times as productive as in

The new technology which made these gains possible changed the mix of other inputs used. Fertilizer consumption is 15 times 1930 levels, feed concentrates 2.3 times 1930 levels, tractor horsepower 12 times 1930 levels and tractor numbers five times the 1930 numbers.

On balance, purchased inputs in 1983 are 2.3 times those of 1930, while the farm labor input is only 18 percent of farm employment in 1930. As a result, farms have expanded in size and become more dependent on capital and purchases from the nonfarm economy. If the trends of the last 14 or so years

continue, total farm output per unit of input should grow at about 2 percent per year. Crop production per acre should increase about 2 percent per year and the production per breeding unit should increase about 1 percent per year.

Significant changes in the prices of farm inputs relative to farm commodity prices, or changes in the mix of commodities produced, will affect the actual trends that occur.

Federal funds reaching nonmetro counties averaged \$2,139 per person in 1980, up 68 percent from 1976. Funding to metro counties averaged \$2,529, up 63 percent since 1976









As gross payment from retail food prices the farmer receives (1984 annual

58 cents per \$1 spent for choice beef.

*43 cents for eggs selling for 80 cents per dozen at retail.

*138.7 billion in gross sales of crops and livestock. Their net return for family

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purces was \$34.6 billion.

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supermarket came in 10,000 to 15,000 different products - many of which did not even exist 5 years ago and may very well not exist 5 years from now. That's because Americans are attracted to newer foods with more built-in conveniences as well as food in attractive packages that preserve the quality.

Packaging and transportation cost \$43 billion last year - and might well have been considerably more except for vigorous competition among truckers and railroads, and recent innovations in packaging and handling methods.

The food marketing system has developed a computerized checkout, and is working on an inventory and ordering (USDA Statistical Information) retailing and help to simplify shopping.

ON AN ACRE OF LAND. . . .

Farmers produce 80 percent more crop

1919-21 period.

enough for 59. Because of the farmer's efficient output, we can enjoy a satisfying quantity and variety of food.

In 1984 for example, Americans consumed an average of 144 pounds (111 million acres) of America's cropland

\$43.8 billion in fiscal year 1981. Because of lower prices and reduced from hour of farm labor produces 16 times as pounds of fresh vegetables; 308 pounds of much food and other crops as it did in the dairy products and 73 pounds of potatoes.

food and fiber for 79 people. Only 10 us, but also enough to make large declining further in 1985. years ago, the farmworker was producing quantities of farm products available for international trade.

anyone else in the world.

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In 1984, production from one-third

a net of \$19.1 billion to our balance of trade in 1984, which is another way of saying we got over twice as much for our food and fiber exports as we paid out for

Until recently, farm exports had set

demand, however, exports in fiscal year

1984 totaled \$38 billion and were











































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Agriculture nation's biggest

Industry, largest employer

Agriculture is the nation's biggest industry — farm assets totaled \$956 billion on

Agriculture is also the nation's largest employer. Around 21.0 million people work

Farming itself uses 2.7 million workers — as many as the combined work forces of

Agricultural production is conducted by 2.28 million farms. Recent tabulations

*1,433,000 (60.5 percent of all farms) sold less than \$20,000 worth of farm

*284,000 (12.0 percent) sold farm products worth more than \$100,000. Of these

Agriculture requires the services of about 18.3 million people to store, transport,

*Meat and poultry industry, including meatpacking, prepared meats and poultry ssing plants, employs about 367,000 people and has a payroll of \$4.5 billion.

*Dairy industry, including manufacturers of such products as fluid milk,

*Canned, cured, and frozen food plants employ nearly 271,000 people and have

*Cotton mills and finishing plants employ nearly 143,000 people and have payrolls

THAT ADDS UP TO APPROXIMATELY ONE OUT OF EVERY FIVE JOBS

concentrated and dried milk, cheese, butter, and ice cream, employs nearly 162,000

farms, 177,000 had sales totaling \$100,000 to \$200,000; 83,000 had sales of \$200,000 to

in some phase of agriculture, from growing food and fiber to selling it at the

transportation, the steel industry, and the automobile industry. The nation's food and

*272,000 (11.5 percent) sold farm products worth \$20,000 to \$40,000.

*381,000 (16.1 percent) sold farm products worth \$40,000 to \$100,000.

fiber system accounted for 18 percent of total GNP in 1984.

00,000; and 24,000 had sales of \$500,000 and over.

ople and has a payroll of \$1.6 billion.

N PRIVATE ENTERPRISE.

ocess and merchandise the output of the nation's farms. Here are a few examples of where these people work:

products per farm.



Like everyone else, the American farmer is a consumer and a taxpayer, as-Farmers pay about \$4.4 billion in farm

real estate taxes annually, and \$500 In 1984, farm operators spent about \$139 billion for goods and services to produce crops and livestock. They had ivailable \$34.6 billion in personal income

axes, investments, and for the same hings that city people buy. motor vehicles, machinery and

other single industry. *Products containing 360 million

The 1982 Census of Agriculture reported that of the 2,240,976 farm operators, 1,982,022 owned 603.3 million acres of the 986.8 million acres of land in farms. Of the 383.5 million acres of rented land in farms, 13 percent was owned by farm operators and 87 percent was owned by nonoperator owners. Thus nonfarmers hold about 34 percent of all

about 2 percent of the nation's total.

That's more than the annual residential

use in all New England States plus

Maryland, Kentucky and Washington,

farm machinery, trucks, cars, fencing and

building materials. Farm use of steel

accounts for 40,000 jobs in the steel

Like everyone else, farmers feel the

pinch of inflation. In the last 10 years,

wage rates for farmworkers have gone up

90 percent, tractors and self-propelled

machinery cost 166 percent more, taxes

are up 63 percent and feeder livestock

Overall, the average cost of

commodities, services, interest, taxes and

farm wage rates has climbed 102 percent

in the last 10 years. These sharp increases

in the average include the much lower

rates of inflation experienced in the past

prices are up 66 percent.

*61/2 million tons of steel in the form of

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Last year consumers spent \$332 billion for U.S. farm-produced foods. About \$243 billion of that was to get the food

miles of improved waterways. The foods that poured into your

American farmers today produce over (retail weight) of beef, veal, pork, lamb

One farmworker now supplies enough

80 percent more crop output on an acre of and mutton; 68 pounds of chicken and land than did their fathers. Today, one turkey; 88 pounds of fresh fruits; 75

Farmers produce not only enough

We export more farm products than

Even so, farm exports still contributed food and fiber imports.

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Stenholm seeking applications for Page

Congressman Charles Stenholm today announced that he is accepting applications from high school sophomores who are interested in serving as Congressional Pages for the 1987-88 school year. This

Kelly Hilliard wins state championship

Kelly Hilliard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lennis D. Hilliard and a junior in Plano Senior High School on March 5, 6, and 7th, participated in the office education association computer word processing championships in Houston. Kelly won the first place State Championship trophy in computer keyboarding and will now represent Texas in the National Championships to be held in Des Moines, Ia. on May 6, 7, 8, and 9th. Kelly's father is a 1947 graduate of Paint Creek High School and is a State Field Rep. for Unisys Computer Corporation in St. Paul, Minnesota.

opportunity is for those who will be high school juniors in September 1987, and have a "B" average, based on four major courses, excluding

The Congressional Page program offers a unique opportunity for high school juniors to see the innerworkings of Congress from a viewpoint experienced by few. Pages perform a variety of duties during their terms, including delivery of correspondence and small packages to offices within the Capitol complex, answering phones in the Members' Cloakrooms and the Page Phone Bank, taking messages for Members or calling them to the telephone if the Member is in the House Chamber.

Around Town

Helping Mildred Kelso celebrate her 72nd birthday last weekend were her daughters, their children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and Mrs. Estella Breeden. Mrs. Kelso received many beautiful birthday cards and many phone calls from her

Other duties encountered include responding to Members who require service and working as Documentarians in the House Chamber. A rotation system is used so that each page will have an opportunity to experience every aspect of service as a Congressional

Those who serve as pages attend the U.S. Capitol Page School which is located in the Jefferson Building of the Library of Congress. A junior year curriculum is offered, and students must maintain at least a "B" average while serving as a page.

Dormitories are located in House Office Building Annex #1. Two floors of this building are devoted to pages' living quarters, with one floor for men, and one for women. Pages are supervised while in their quarters. The building is guarded by United States Capitol Police, who are on duty and have foot patrols through the

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So do children

building 24-hours a day. Those entering after normal business hours are required to show identification and sign in with the police officer on

If Congressman Stenholm is chosen to be a sponsoring Member, he will not be the page's employer, nor will he have daily contact with the page. Pages will live with, and attend school with other pages, and will answer directly to the director of Page Services. All pages must abide by the rules set forth by the director

Applications and materials must be postmarked no later than May 1. Information regarding the page program has been forwarded to all area high schools. Interested students may get further information from their guidance counselors, or from Congressman Stenholm's Abilene

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concerned groups and individuals

recommend that you "poison proof"

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and more can cause severe internal

injuries, even death, for a child if

immediate help isn't provided. If an

accidental poisoning happens, have the container in your hand when you call

for help so that you can describe the

emergency phone calls, follow a few

products out of a child's reach and

away from shelves containing food.

To avoid the need for one of those

Store all household cleaning

substance swallowed by he victim.

As a reminder during Poison

can also gain quick assistance.

Local dealer receives certification

During the week of March 2-6, Keith Hannsz of Haskell Marine received Outboard Technical Training II certification for Johnson and Evinrude outboards.

This course specialized in all phases of outboard troubleshooting and repair. Keith received Honor Merit Certificates in professional skills on repair and maintainance. He also received Honor Merits for electronic ignition systems and troubleshooting.

Art Hineman - OMC Training Center, Dallas, noted, "This course is the most advanced offered by OMC. Graduating with honors gives this Johnson Outboard dealer special merits for his service department to offer the most complete OMC Service Department for Johnson & Evinrude outboard motors."

Beef producers must be competitive

For beef producers to be competitive, they must manage all their resources effectively, and that has been the focus of the Integrated Resource Management Program of the Texas Agricultural Extension

The effort has led to educational programs for beef producers tailored to specific areas of the state.

Emphasis has been on regional cowcalf clinics and demonstration field trials, says an extension beef cattle project leader.

Total herd management demonstrations have helped producers increase calf crops and weaning weights, thereby significantly boosting their income.

Evaluate your grain drying operation

season" to evaluate their drying

Storage fan selection should be

should be sufficient to remove moisture quickly enough from grain to prevent quality deterioration

The "trick" is to select a fan that will provide the required quantity of air at the top foot of the grain mass, the point farthest from the equipment.



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They will be meeting the 4th

these numbers are also located on the inside covers of most telephone books. If a 911 system exists in your

And so must anyone who finds a

If you think someone has

child who has been poisoned. Would

swallowed a poison, remain as calm as

possible. Call the nearest hospital,

pharmacy, or poison control center.

Emergency numbers should be kept

near each phone in the house, but

Monday of each month.

Keep medicines, cleaning products, paint, drain cleaners, and other potentially harmful products in their original containers. This includes items stored in the garage such as antifreeze, paint thinners, etc.

Lock up all toxic products.

prevention tips:

Never tell children that medicine is candy since that may tempt them to search for it later. Even too many of those chewable children's aspirin can arm your child.

Buy only child-resistant packaged medicines and keep them closed properly. These packages are only "resistant" for children -- kids learn quickly, so keep even the resistant packages out of reach.

Be sure to keep emergency telephone numbers close to each phone

Loving and caring people can be the cause of tragedy. Parents tend to remember the need to child proof a home, but relatives might not be as aware if their own children are grown

If you visit other homes with your children, or you have youngsters visiting you, the same precautions need to be taken -- a little one takes his or her curiosity along when away from home. Findings from a U.S. Product Consumer Safety Commission study showed that 36% of the accidental childhood prescription drug ingestions involved a grandparent's medication.

A poisoning can happen anywhere when prevention isn't given enough emphasis. Child proof your youngster's surroundings and keep emergency phone numbers handy. Poisons act fast ... and so do children.

Plant diseases cause heavy economic loss

Plant diseases impact strongly on agricultural crops as well as on the greenhouse and nursery industry of Texas, often causing heavy economic

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service Plant Disease Diagnostic Laboratory at Texas A&M University can help in diagnosing and controlling disease problems.

Accurate diagnosis is of critical importance in effectively controlling plant diseases, says an extension plant pathologist.

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Information on fees for the diagnostic service, as well as instructions for submitting plant disease samples, are available at the county extension office.



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Rice Springs Care Home News

By Judy Act. Director

Rice Springs expresses their love, prayers and sympathy to the Bill Harrell family. He and his wife, Lucy, came to live with us several

Visitors have included:

C.T. Gunnels, Loretta Wallis with Edna Collins; Beverly Van Sielen with Henry King; John, Kay Neely, Ed, Eddie Neely, Larry and Ann Brock and family, Becky and Mel Brown, Bill Slater, Doris and John Slater, Steve, Tammy and Stephanie Money

from Ft. Worth all visited Lucy Harrell.

Larry and Ann Brock and family, Becky and Mel Brown, with Mae Brock, David and Carolyn Jones with Jesse Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Young with Elvie LeFevre, Harold, Jaunita Smith with Izetta Clark and Ruthell Cobb.

Alfred, Annie and Jason Norman from Farmington, New Mexico and Kirk, June and J.J. Jones from Gatesville visited Bernice Norman and Madgie Allison.

We would like to welcome Lucille

Duncan to our home. We all hope she finds it a great place to live.

Edna Collins was honored with a 90th birthday party Wednesday evening, March the 11th. Those attending included her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren. They came from San Antonio, Lockney, Knox City and Haskell. Also attending were two nieces from Crostyton, Tex.

Everyone enjoyed the great green St. Patrick's Day party, Monday hosted by the Experienced Senior Citizens Center. Thanks to everyone

-Sagerton News-

Mr. Ernest Bredthauer is in the Big Spring hospital right now but is doing better, able to be up some.

Mr. Sam Neinart has been in the hospital in Abilene but got to come home this past week.

Mrs. Eldon Cook of Big Spring spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. M. Y. Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mr. Herbert Rinn, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams, Mrs. Adela Niedieck went to Abilene Thursday to

The Friendship club met Thursday with a nice group of people being there. Those who attended were Mr. Ed Fouts, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney, Mrs. Henrietta Stegemoeller, Pastor Mel Swoyer, Charles Clark, Anton and Evelyn Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling, Mrs. Bernice D. White, Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Mrs. Anita Baldree, Buster and Norma Tredemeyer, Mrs. Jessie Pilley, Mrs. Mildred Kittley, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. Lillie Lehrmann, DeWayne Monse, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre.

Bill Tabor of Dallas spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. John L. Brooks, and Aunt Beulah Mae Summer.

Bill took his mother to Abilene Friday to see her eye doctor and she got a good report.

Mrs. Lena Schaake spent a few days in the hospital at Stamford, but is at home now.

The Hope Circle met Thursday night, March 12th for their monthly meeting with 10 ladies present. Renee Dudensing led the Bible study on "Grief". Verlene Stegemoeller served refreshments.

The group decided to buy additional silverware for the kitchen.

A reminder was given us about the bake sale on April 12th to be sponsored by both circles.

The next meeting will be on April 9th. The change was made because of the weekly Lenten Services. Brenda Turner will lead the topic on "Why do the Wicked Prosper". All ladies of the church are welcome.

The Faith Circle met Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock in the Fellowship Hall of Faith Lutheran Church with Mrs. Carl Hertel being the hostess.

The topic was led by the Pastor Mel Swoyer. Those who attended were Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, Mrs. Glyn Quade, Mrs. John L. Brooks, Mrs. J. B. Toney, Mrs. Betty Balzer, Mrs. Louis Stegemoeller, Mrs. Lillie Lehrman, Mrs. Carl Hertel, Mrs. Arthur Knipling. Mrs. Janis Cannon was a visitor.

Mrs. Hertel served sandwiches, chips, cookies, pickles, coffee and lemonade which everyone always

The youth of Faith Lutheran Church had a barbcue dinner at the church Sunday to make some money so they could go to camp this

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

Mrs. Dahlia Perkins, Mrs. Ed

Peel, Mrs. Karla Moffett and children, Mrs. Tonya Williamson and children are enjoying some time with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling because they have spring break in school.

Three directors to be elected

The election of three directors to fill expiring terms will highlight the 48th Annual Meeting of Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc., scheduled for Saturday at the Stamford High School Auditorium.

The event will begin with a barbecue at 5 p.m. for members, followed by the business meeting at 6:30 p.m., according to President John E. Youngquist.

Terms of three directors are expiring. Incumbent, John E. Youngquist and D. Don Walker, both of the Sunnyside Community, have been nominated for Place 1. Nominees for Place 2 are incumbent Lewis Corzine and Lloyd Blackwell, both of Stamford. Incumbent Louis Spitzer of Old Glory and Melvin Baitz of Sagerton have been nominated for Place 3.

Musical entertainment will be furnished by the Round-Up Boys for the 18th time this year.

SEC, a rural electric distribution facility, furnishes electrical energy to parts of six counties: Jones, Haskell, Fisher, Shackelford, Stonewall, and Throckmorton. The cooperative serves over 6,000 meters and has over 2300 miles of line, according to Jerry Terrell, General Manager of the firm.

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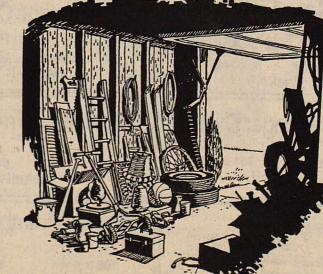
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RNs. Competitive Vacation and holidays, 5 working days with weekends off. Call DON 817-989-3551.

EXCELLENT INCOME for part. time home assembly work. For info. call 504-641-8003 Ext.

HELP WANTED: The Haskell Country Club will be taking applications for a lifeguard Thursday, April 9, 1987 at the 7:30 p.m. board meeting. All applicants must appear in person.

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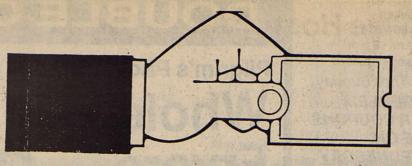
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Public Notices

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ny or all bids. James A. Kemp Superintendent

12-14c meeting.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL

By virtue of a Writ of xecution issued out of the 39th meeting of THE HASKELL Fict Court of Haskell County, BANCSHARES, INC. of exas, on a Judgment rendered in aid court in favor of Olney avings Association against Billy said Bank in the City of Haskell, . Mitchell and wife, Deborah L. fitchell, in Cause No. 9573, in uch court, I did on the 10th day being the 20th day of said month, f March, 1987, at 1:00 p.m., at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, vy upon the following described al property, to-wit:

Leasehold estate created by irtue of a certain lease agreement etween Haskell Development come before said meeting. poration, Inc., as Lessor, and inly Eugene Mitchell and beborah Lynn Mitchell, as essees, dated May 28, 1981, scorded in Volume 8, at Page i12 of the Contract Records of Haskell County, Texas, covering he following described real property in Haskell County, exas, to-wit:

The South 100 feet of Lot 9 of Haskell, Haskell County, Av J.

and on the 7th day of April, 1987, between the hours of 10:00 .m. and 4:00 p.m., at the Courthouse Door of said County, will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all rights, itle and interest.

Johnny Mills, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas 11-13c

NOTICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION PARA ESCOLARES)

To the Registered Voters of Jaskell, Texas:

(A los votantes registrados del Haskell, Texas:) Notice is hereby given that the

solling places listed below will e open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 on April 4, 1987, for roting in a school trustee election, to elect two trustees. (Notifiquese, por las presente,

ue las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 1.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 4 de Abril de 1987 para votar en la Eleccion para escolares.) LOCATION OF POLLING

PLACE: Community Room, Haskell National Bank. (DIRECCION DE LAS

CASILLAS ELECTORALES: Community Room, Haskell National Bank.) Absentee voting by personal

appearance will be conducted each weekday at Administration Office, 605 North Avenue E, Haskell, Texas between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. beginning on Monday, March 16, 1987 and ending on March 31, 1987. (La votacion en ausencia en

persona se llevara a cabo de lunes viernes Administration Office, 605 North Avenue E, Haskell, Texas 8:30 de la manana y las 3:30 de la tarde empezando el lunes, 16 de Marzo, 1987 y terminando el 31 de Marzo,

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Roberta Jenkins, Absentee Clerk, P. O. Box 937, Haskell, Texas, 79521.

correo deberan enviarse a Roberta Jenkins, Absentee Clerk, P. O. Loughlin (612) 888-6555. 12p Box 937, Haskell, Texas 79521.)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on March 31, 1987.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 31 de \$16,900.00 to \$39,900.00

Marzo, 1987.) January, 1987.

1987.)

David Davis Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

12-14c

Public Notices

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

ntil 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, April NATIONAL BANK of Haskell, O'Neal. Rochester. Texas will be held in the Bank Lobby of said Bank in the City of COOK HEATING & COOLING third Friday in March, A.D. 864-2226 or 864-8010. 50tfc 1987, the same being the 20th day of said month, at 2:30 o'clock 9521. (817/864-2602). The in the afternoon, for the purpose District reserves the right to reject of electing board of directors for said bank and the transactions of such other business that may be properly come before said

> Bettie Wainscott Vice Pres. and Cashier. 11-12c p.m. Ask for David.

> > STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a 3674 anytime. Haskell, Texas will be held in the bedding, cabinet work. Call 864-Bank Community Building of 3501 days or 864-2800 nights. State of Texas on the third Friday in March, A.D. 1987, the same for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transactions of such other business that may be properly James Rike for estimates. 864-

Andrew P. Gannaway

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: Table 6 chairs; antique dresser; evaporative cooler; blue ceramic tile; adding machine; stereo two large n Block 26 of the Original Town speakers, etc. Sat. only. 1411 N. 12p

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to each of you for FOR RENT: Storage stalls. your care and concern at the time 10x10 or 10x20. Call Lanco of our sorrow. Our appreciation Insurance, 864-2629. to those of you who visited or called and for those who sent food FOR RENT: Nice 2 bedroom and flowers. But above all for all house. Close to town. Deposit your prayers. God bless you. The required. Call 864-8943. Monday,

THANK YOU

their messages, Ford Cole for the Savings, 864-8577. songs, Dr. Frank Cadenhead and all the staff at Rice Springs Care FOR SALE OR RENT: House at care. Chunky and Viola Tidwell. 864-2576.

CARD OF THANKS

acts of kindness and concern 864-3978. shown to us during our time of sorrow. We would like to express FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house. our special thanks to the staff of Contact Dee Larned, 864-2612. Rice Springs Care Home for their special care. The family of E. B. "Buck" Callaway.

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childrens/maternity, large sizes, 864-3676. petite, dancewear/aerobic or accessories store. Jordache, Chic, FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house. Lee, Levi, Izod, Gitano, Mens, Call 864-2761. Calvin Klein, Sergio Valente, Evan Picone, Liz Claiborne, FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house. Members Only, Gasoline, Remodeled and painted. Call Dee Healthtex over 1000 others. Larned, 864-2612. (Las solicitudes para boletas \$14,800 to \$26,900 inventory, que se votaran en ausencia por training, fixtures, grand opening etc. Can open 15 days. Mr.

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LOT SHREDDING. \$10.00 and up. Call Tony Williams, 864-43tfc

WALLPAPERING, taping &

CARE FOR SICK or elderly. Experienced. Norma Wiseman, Rt. 1 Box 41-A, O'Brien. 11-12p

WANTED: Yards to mow. Call 2332. 11-12c

Vice Pres. and Sec.. 11-12c PIANO TUNING. Call Randy, 864-2950. 11-12c

WEST TEXAS JANITORIAL

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For Rent

FOR RENT: S & S Storage 10x20 storage stalls. Call 864-2208 or come by Steele Machine.

family of W. H. (Bill) Harrell.12c Tuesday, Wednesday. 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

We would like to thank each FOR LEASE: Office space, person that helped us in any way approximately 881 square feet during the loss of our brother, divided into lobby, three offices Bill Harrell, for the food brought and receptionist area. Has break to our house, for your prayers, room and restroom. Located at calls, flowers, cards and visits. 530 South Second. Contact Bro, James and Jack Slater for Dickie Greenwood at Olney

Home for their tender love and 607 N. 2nd, Call 864-3122 or

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 503 N. owner will finance, 864-2575.

11-14p

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FOR SALE

2 bedroom 1 bath. Close to town. Priced for quick sale. 864-2791 after 5 p.m. 3tfc

FOR SALE

Newly remodeled brick veneer 4 bedroom, 2 bath carpeted and loaded with extras including ceiling fans, air conditioners, cook stove, chainlink fence, patio, pecan trees, storm windows, cellar and storage building. 1 block west of elementary school on corner lot. \$28,500.00.

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* wooden

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Large 2 BDR with living room, Den, two full baths, sewing center, walkin closets, kitchen and other builtins. 3

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Nice Building site.

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Rochester: Older house on 4 lots. Needs some work.

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WE GIVE & REDEEM PRICE CHOPPER COUPONS **DOUBLE ON** TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

DOUBLE COUPONS 7 DAYS A WEEK at Modern Way Food Store

- √ We will redeem your manufacturer's "Cents Off" coupons for
- double their value, up to \$1.00 when product is purchased. √ We will double only one coupon per like item, all others face
- √ Limit one coupon per item.
- √ Coupon not to exceed value of the item.
- √ This policy does not include Free coupons, cigarettes or tobacco coupons or refund coupons.
- √ Offer good for limited time only.





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DOUBLE COUPONS EVERYDAY!

Pilgrim's Pride (USDA 'A')

Whole **Fryers**

(Limit 3 Per Family At This Low Price)

Cut-Up Fryers

This Week Only

8 - Piece

(Whole Fryer)

Broasted

Chicken

69¢

USDA Choice **Boneless**

Bottom Round Steak

USDA Choice Heavy Beef Boneless

Rump Roast

Boneless Bottom Round Roast

\$1.68₁₆

USDA Choice Boneless Eye Of

Round Steak

Lean **Family Pack** Ground Beef 3 lbs or more

Family Pack

Pork Chops

Center Cut **Loin Pork Chops Rib Pork Chops** Wafer Thin Chops

\$1.89 lb \$1.79 10 \$2.09 lb Shurfresh Sliced Meats

Meat

Shurfresh

12 oz Pkg. **Franks**

89¢

Scott

Shurfresh Sliced

Bacon

Country Skillet Whole Catfish \$1.99 11 Catfish Steaks \$2.29 16

Extra Lean & Tender

Cube Steak

Country Skillet

Catfish Nuggets \$1.89 16 Catfish Fillets \$3.19

Libbys Vienna Sausage

Limit 3

Nice N' Soft **Toilet Tissue**

Limit 1 with \$10.00 Purchase or More



owels

Shurfine

Waffles

Limit 6



Soft Drinks

B. P. I.

Pampers Diapers 66 - Small 48 - Med.

Maryland Club Coffee

1 lb Can

Heinz Keg-O' Ketchup

32 oz .69

Lucky Leaf Apple Sauce

50 oz.

80 Cnt

Hi-C 3 pac **Drinks**

Baby Fresh

Wipes

Asst'd Flavors

Patio Assorted Dinners

13-14 oz (Except Beef Taco)

Birds Eye Frozen Green Peas & Cut Corn Birds Eye

Cool Whip 802

16 oz Bag

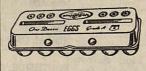
Coca-Cola **Assorted Varieties**

2 Liter

Cans 12 oz 6 Pk.

\$1.79

Shurfresh Grade "A" Large



Eggs 59¢ Dozen



Margarine

Parkay

1 lb Sticks

49¢



Pillsburry **Biscuits**

> 7.5 oz Cans

79¢

- 5 6 OZ PKGS. \$1

Surf Laundry 42 oz Detergent Le Surer 17 oz **Sweet Peas Del Monte** 12 oz Golden Corn **Del Monte** 14.5 oz **Tomatoes** Pilgrim's Pride Frr ∠en **Fried Chicken** Pet Ritz

Deep Dish Pie Shells 2pk **Morton Frozen Pot Pies**

PRICEICHOPPERS

Shurfresh

1 1/2 lb

9¢

PRICEI CHOPPERS)

Shurfresh

Medium Eggs

Dozen

19¢

PRICEI CHOPPERS

Nice N Soft

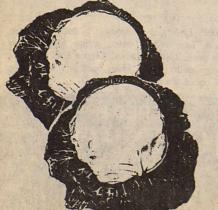
Tissue

5 lb. Bag

69¢

Shurfresh Ice Cream Round Ctn.

GREEN CABBAGE





CALIFORNIA STRAWBERRIES

WASHINGTON FANCY **RED DELICIOUS APPLES** FRESH BROCCOLI FRESH WHITE MUSHROOMS NEW CROP WHITE ONIONS -Mix BELL PEPPER -CALAVO AVOCADOS-

GREEN
ONIONS —
CELLO RED
RADISHES

PRICEI CHOPPERS
Shurfresh **Homo Milk** Bread 1/2 Gal. 59¢ Shurfine Shortening

Towels 3 lb. Can Jumbo Roll 69¢ 19¢