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City plans paving

The City of Haskell will make application for a \$300,000 grant from the Texas Department of Community Affairs to finance the paving of streets in the southwest part of the city.

That was the decision made at last week's council meeting which also served as a final public hearing for citizen input on how the grant would be used.

Under terms of the application, the City will put up \$36,000 and offer \$10,000 in in-kind contributions.

Included in the proposed paving project will be:

--South 2nd: From Avenue L to Avenue H,

--South 3rd: From Avenue L to Avenue H,

--South 11th: From Avenue H to Avenue E,

--Avenue J: From South 7th to South 9th,

--Avenue G: From South 7th to South 12th,

--Avenue F: From South 7th to South 12th,

--South 9th: Avenue H to Avenue E.

The South 2nd and South 3rd projects, coming to 2,500 linear feet of paving, will not include curbs and gutters. The other 6,850 linear feet will include curbs and gutters.

If the grant is approved and the project completed, it will complete a street program commenced two years ago in that area of the city when a similar grant provided funds to pave a number of streets and replace water lines. There was no fund approved last year.

Medicine program today

Don't forget to attend the medicine interaction program from 12:15 to 12:45 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Haskell National Bank Community Room.

The program is free and is open to everyone.

Guests are invited to bring sack lunches if they wish. Drinks will be provided. Keith Everett, pharmacist at The Drug Store, will present the educational program, which is being sponsored by the Home Economics Committee of the Haskell County Extension office.

Four ramps completed

Four of the ramps for handicapped access in downtown Haskell have been installed by the City and a fifth should be completed this week.

Completed ramps are located near The Free Press, Sue's Flowers/Gifts/Photography, the Potpourri and the Texas Theatre. The fifth is being located near Jones Cox and Co.

Two local civic organizations have assisted the City in this project. The Lions Club and the Progressive Study Club have each sponsored one of the ramps by paying for the cost of materials which amount to approximately \$380 for each location.

Early deadline

News and advertising deadlines for next week's issue of The Free Press will be noon Monday.

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, it will be necessary for the newspaper to be printed and distributed a day early.

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Receives plaque

R. C. Couch, right, receives an engraved plaque from former Mayor Abe Turner in recognition of his 22 years as a member of the board of North Central Texas Water Authority.

R. C. Couch saluted by water authority

R. C. Couch was saluted last Tuesday night for his 22 years of service as a board member of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority.

Board members and personnel of the authority surprised the Haskell banker with a steak dinner in his honor at Glenn's Barbeque Express.

Also on hand for the occasion were two former Haskell mayors under whom he served and the board attorney.

Former mayor Abe Turner presented Couch with an engraved plaque, denoting his long service to the water authority.

Former mayor Franciene Johnson and Haskell board member Tom

Watson recalled Couch's involvement in the long, controversial battle during the years leading to the creation of the water authority.

Board members Lee Bruce of Munday, and Leon Burkham and Joe Clonts of Knox City praised the leadership of Couch, who served the past several years as chairman of the board, and recalled a number of humorous incidents in which he was involved. Jerry Atkinson, general manager of the water operation, also praised the work of Couch, as did attorney Royce Adkins.

Among the other guests attending was Ike Neal of Haskell, who this year succeeded Couch as a member of the board.

Doyle Mitchell wins final contest

Doyle Mitchell got 19 of 20 games right last week to claim the \$20 first prize in the final Free Press football contest of the season.

He missed only the Michigan State victory over Indiana to record the best contest score of the year.

Three other contestants, all from the Reid family in Rochester, tied for second place with 18 winners. William Reid was declared the \$10 second-place winner on the basis of his tie-breaker prediction, and third place and \$5 went to his grandson, Larry Reid. Larry's father, James Reid, was eliminated from prize money through the tie breaker.

W. M. Reid missed on the Pittsburgh-Penn State and Hamlin-Goldthwaite games, Larry Reid was wrong on the Iowa-Ohio State and Hamlin-Goldthwaite games, and

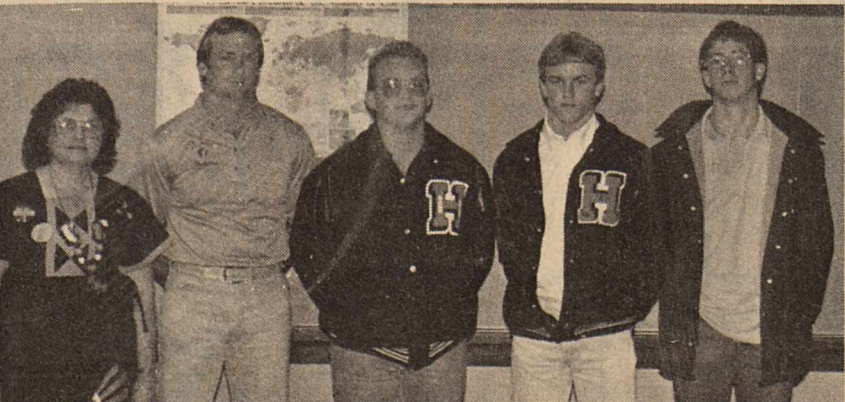
James Reid missed on the Auburn-Georgia and Michigan-Illinois contests.

Seven other contestants were right behind with 17 winners. This group included:

Otis Sims of Stamford, Randell Graham of Stamford, Dwayne Johnson of Knox City, Rocky Young, Donna Markey, Karen Mitchell and John E. Hicks of Rochester.

Picking 16 winners were: Penny Young, Earlene Townsend of Rochester, Jesse Ortiz, F. E. Frierson, Missy Davis, Greg Brister, Janie Kennedy and Ross Pittman.

The Free Press' first football contest proved extremely popular with local fans. More than 1,000 contestants entered during the 11 weeks it ran.



Smokeout 'adoptees'

Among the adoptees at Haskell High School for the Great American Smokeout are, from left, teachers Glenda Drinnon and Walter Hargrove, and students Vance Roberts, Chan Guess and Scottie Martin.

Thanksgiving services to be Sunday evening

The annual community Thanksgiving service in Haskell will be at 6 p.m. Sunday at the First United Methodist Church, 201 N. Ave. F. It is being sponsored by the Haskell Ministerial Alliance.

The Rev. Dusty Garrison of the First Christian Church will deliver the Thanksgiving message.

In addition to celebrating the coming Thanksgiving holiday in scripture, prayer, sermon and hymn singing, a special community choir will present special music. Anyone interested in being a part of the community choir is asked to be present at the Methodist church for practice between 5 and 5:15 p.m.

During the service, a special offering will be received for the ministries of the Haskell Ministerial Alliance: The transient fund for those coming from out of town needing gasoline or groceries, and the Crisis Ministry which assists local residents with spiritual counseling as well as certain physical needs such as utilities, groceries, medicine, etc. when a crisis occurs in an individual's life.

As of November, the transient fund had ministered to 60 individuals or families of two or more. The Crisis Ministry, also as of November, has ministered to 35 local families or individuals, most of this number being families.

Officers for the Haskell Ministerial Alliance are the Rev. Victor Andersen, president; the Rev. Katie Hopper, vice president; and the Rev. Jimmy Hopper, secretary-treasurer.

Members of the alliance expressed their gratitude to the community of Haskell for its support of the ministries and activities of the organization. "The ministerial alliance does not exist to be a ministers' club, but only because of the will, support and prayers of all local church members," the club said.



Second-grade reading classes

Pen pals

Two second-grade reading groups are participating in a pen-pal writing program with a group of second graders in Ringwood, N.J.

Members of the reading classes of Mrs. Earlene Griffith and Mrs. Janice Browning are excited to be learning about other students from as far away as New Jersey.

In class, the students have compared the sizes of the two states and learned that Texas could hold many states the size of New Jersey.

Students have written and asked about favorite subjects, hobbies and their curriculum. Local students have taken pictures to share with their new friends and they hope to get some in return.

The second graders received a letter from Mrs. Eggerling, the second-grade teacher in New Jersey who said her best friend recently moved to Texas and she is pleased to learn that her students will be learning about the state.

Haskell Tax PAC meeting is Friday

Members and prospective members of the Haskell Tax PAC (Political Action Committee) will have a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Corral Building to discuss their purposes and objectives. All county citizens are invited to attend.

Addressing the group will be C. A. Stubbs, president of the Texas Association of Concerned Taxpayers (TACT); Bill Berka, research chairman for TACT; and attorney Eric Samuelson.

To be discussed will be the organization's plan to file suit against Haskell County to force county commissioners to call a roll back election on the county property tax rate.

Earlier the group had petitioned the commissioners to call the election, but the commissioners voted not to do so, citing an opinion by the

attorney general that such roll back elections are unconstitutional.

The group submitted petitions containing 892 signatures of county voters, 716 of which were certified by the county clerk. This was well in excess of the approximately 440 names required by law, petitioners said.

The Haskell Tax PAC was formed by Nathan and Sue Patterson, Christene Greene and Randolph Wilson. They are actively soliciting memberships at \$10 per person, or accepting donations of any amount.

Samuelson, a TACT attorney from Fort Worth, has been employed by the organization to represent it in the case against the county.

Mrs. Patterson said the attorney's fee will be \$2,000, and there will be other expenses.

County gets \$90.59 for liquor tax

Haskell County has received a check for \$90.59 as its share of the state's 12 percent mixed drink tax collected during the third quarter of 1987.

The check represents the county's 12.5-percent share of the \$724.71 tax collected on mixed drinks sold within the county.

Zoning change

Property at North 1st and Avenue L has been changed from commercial to allow a trailer park.

Smokeout: Just say 'Yes' to quitting

The American Cancer Society has some encouraging words for the nation's 54 million smokers: "Just say 'yes'."

The Society hopes at least one in five smokers will say "yes" to participating in the Great American Smokeout, a national campaign to encourage smokers to give up their tobacco for 24 hours. The Smokeout is today (Thursday).

"The Great American Smokeout accentuates the positive benefits of quitting," said Jo Cox, Smokeout

chairman of the American Cancer Society's Haskell County unit. "That's why we're asking smokers to say 'yes' to the Smokeout...and planning lots of support for those who do."

According to a Gallup survey, a record 23.8 million smokers participated in last year's 10th anniversary Smokeout by quitting or cutting down for the day.

"The Great American Smokeout is a light-hearted event, but it is a

serious attempt to deal with a major issue," Mrs. Cox said. "The tragic fact is that 350,000 Americans die each year of smoking-related illnesses. It's time to put a stop to this needless waste, and the only way to do that is to convince smokers that quitting is desirable and possible."

The Great American Smokeout has had a convincing history. "We plan to keep it up for as long as it's needed," said Mrs. Cox.

Beef shopping club topic

The Josselet Extension Homemakers Club met Tuesday, Nov. 10, in the home of Mrs. Gladys O'Neal for their regular meeting.

Club members said the TEHA Prayer and then Mrs. O'Neal read a poem entitled, "Security," by B. M. Whitaker, a friend of Mrs. O'Neal.

Thirteen club members and one guest, Mrs. O'Neal's sister, were present.

Roll call was answered by: "What is one way to reduce fat consumption."

The program (a leader program) was: "How to Be a Better Beef Shopper" and was given by Flo Holder. She showed a film and had handouts. It was a very good program.

Information Day will be on Nov. 18 at the Bank Building. Club ladies always look forward to that day.

The three ladies who went to the state meeting will give their reports. The club Woman of the Year will be named and the Gold Star girl and boy will be present. Council officers for 1988 will be installed.

Guests invited for Information Day will be the county judge and his wife and the four county commissioners and their wives.

A very enjoyable refreshment plate was served by the hostess.

Next regular club meeting will be the Christmas party Dec. 8 in the home of Mrs. Carl Bailey.

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

Lisa Turner weds David Frierson

Claudia Elizabeth (Lisa) Turner and Nathan David Frierson were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony at 3 p.m. Oct. 31 at the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell.

Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Turner of Prosper,

Texas. Nathan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Frierson of Haskell.

Officiating at the ceremony were Jimmy and Katie Hopper, pastors of the Presbyterian Church in Haskell.

Junior maid of honor was Caitlin Marie, daughter of the bride. Matron of honor was Caron Weil, sister of the bride. Bridesmaid was Cindy Mayfield of Giddings. Flower girl was Taylor Weil and escort for the ring bearer was Haley Weil. Junior best man was Turner Wade, son of the bride. Best man was Jeff Frierson, brother of the groom. Groomsman was Ross Frierson, brother of the groom, and ring bearer was Raleigh Weil.

The bride is a teacher at Breckenridge High School. The groom is employed by Koch Gathering Systems in Breckenridge where the couple will live.

On Oct. 10 the Ladies of the First Presbyterian Church honored Lisa Turner, bride-elect of Nathan Frierson, with a get-acquainted coffee. They presented her with a coffee maker as a wedding gift. The coffee was in the home of Mrs. Ira Hester.

A shower for the couple was held Oct. 24 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duward Campbell. Hostess gift was a table lamp.

Aunts and uncles of the groom hosted a brunch Oct. 31 in the Community Room of Haskell National Bank. All out-of-town friends, the wedding party and families of the bride and groom were guests.

On Oct. 31, friends of the couple held a "Country Dance and Pounding" in the Civic Center.



Nathan and Lisa Frierson

Church bazaar Saturday

Women of the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell invite all in the area to their first-ever "The Lord's Basement" Harvest Bazaar.

It will be from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday in the basement and Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

Many baked goods will be available for sale, as well as candy, fudge, canned goods, arts and craft items at low prices, Christmas decorations, antiques, knitting and needle point items, plants and anything else which might be contributed by church members between now and Saturday.

"This will be a great opportunity to begin or continue your early Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday shopping," said a spokesperson.

Proceeds from the sale will go to the general operating fund of the Haskell church.

-HOSPITAL-

ADMISSIONS

MEDICAL: Ruby Matthews, Jayton; Billie Bynum, Haskell; Thomas Stryker, Rule.

SURGICAL: Eva Speer, Haskell.

DISMISSALS

Carmen Ruiz, Veda Bell, Geneva Gummels, Alma Mangen, Lee Ford, Fay Weeaks, Mildred Tonn, Judy Foster.

McMurry drama presentation set

Eugene Ionesco's symbolic comedy, "Rhinoceros," will be presented by the McMurry College drama department Nov. 19-21 in the Ryan Fine Arts Center. Curtain time will be 8 p.m.

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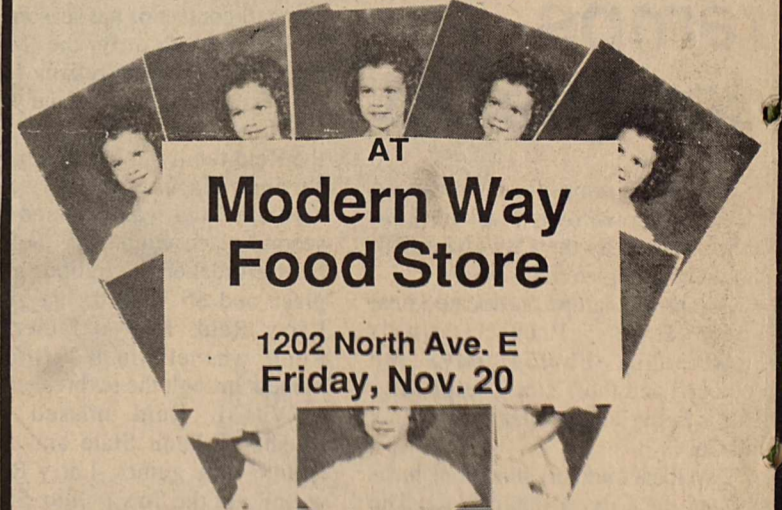


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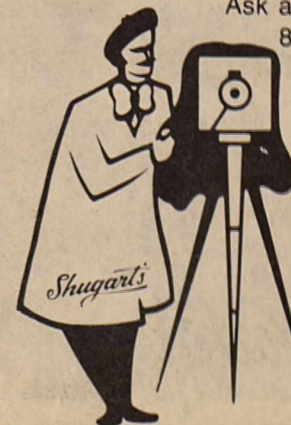


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Child Welfare Board hears program on abused families

The Haskell County Child Welfare Board met Nov. 10 in the Jury Room, a week earlier than the usual time. Seven members and Linda Haynes of Child Protective Services were present.

Betsy Nanny, outreach coordinator for the Noah Project, brought an informative program. She began by setting up the program to aid battered and abused women and children in May, but the official time was Sept. 1.

She has trained volunteers and has established a 24-hour hotline, 817-864-3972. There is a need for more volunteers. Approximately 20 cases of family violence were reported in Haskell, Knox, Throckmorton and Stonewall counties in the first quarter of 1986. Ninety percent are not reported because of shame, fear or other causes.

She said 25 percent of the murders in the country are related to family violence. Many of these are children. Some 2,000 to 4,000 women are beaten to death annually. Battery is the single major cause of injury to

women, more significant than auto accidents, rapes or muggings. Nearly 6 million wives will be abused by their husbands in any one year.

Statistics like these take on a different, more profound meaning the first time you see a battered woman, a man who is tortured by what he has done, or a child who has learned at home both how to be hurt and how to hurt others.

Mrs. Nanny showed a film of the Abilene shelter which contains 45 beds. These are full most of the time since it also serves Snyder and Brownwood.

This non-profit organization provides a place to turn to with shelter, hotline, emergency transportation, medical care, legal assistance and other benefits until the battered person can decide what to do. This immediate protection is also for children.

The Noah Project is based on "new hope, new life and new beginning." Merry Harvey was chosen as the board's representative to see how the organization may help the Noah Project.

Board members will meet at the Debbie Miller home, 901 NE 3rd, on Saturday, Nov. 28 at 1 p.m. to prepare the float for the Christmas parade.

A schedule for members to aid in taking pictures of Santa Claus and children was made. On Dec. 5 from 1 to 3 p.m., Shirley Mickler, Sue Miller and Brian Burgess will work; on Dec. 12, Merry Harvey, Dora Torres and Brian Burgess; on Dec. 19, Mary Jennings, Mary Martin and Christie Stapleton. A donation of \$3 will be given. This also includes a tag for the child's shoe which has a place for the child's name, address, doctor's name and blood type.

All members will meet at 10 a.m. Dec. 12 at the First Baptist Church to set up chairs in Haskell Elementary Cafeteria for the Christmas musical which is at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to hear a number of local musicians. Brian Burgess will coordinate the program. Donations will be accepted to aid the board with projects for needy children and families.

Linda Haynes reported that there is a need for clothing for babies and toddlers. Her office is on the third floor, east end, of the courthouse,

phone 864-2682.

Next meeting will again be a week early, Dec. 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the Jury Room. Meetings are open to the public.

Church announces holiday service

Trinity Lutheran Church will have its Thanksgiving service Tuesday evening with a meal preceding the worship service.

Food will be served at 6:30. Turkey, ham and dressing will be provided. Members are asked to bring other dishes to complete the meal.

The worship service will begin at 7:30.

Don't stay hooked. Prove that you can do without cigarettes for 24 hours by giving them up for the Great American Smokeout Thursday, Nov. 19. It's a great day to start getting free from cigarettes.

Club hears Seymour guests

The Progressive Study Club met Nov. 12 in the Community Room with Mrs. Reatha Mullins president.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Franciene Johnson who introduced Marlyn McClung and Jeanette Mayers, chairman and co-chairman of "Keep Texas Beautiful" of Seymour.

Seymour was one of the 1987 winners of the Governor's Community Achievement Award. A very interesting film was shown, showing how the eight winners of the 1987 achieved their goals. Mrs. McClung told how the town and citizens worked together and how it took the cooperation of everyone to win the award.

Mrs. Bob Baker has entered Haskell in the 1988 competition for the Governor's Community Achievement Award. Mrs. Sheree Gardner and Lisa Toliver volunteered to represent the Progressive Study Club in this venture.

Mrs. Donna Cole, program director for the Songfest Contest, turned the program over to the four groups dedicated to the "Establishment of the Society for the Preservation of Beauty Shop Singing in Texas."

First group: Singing in the Rain; second group, Whistle While You Work; third group, Socks on Sister; fourth group: Sleeping on Grandma's Feather Bed.

Socks on Sister won first place and Whistle While You Work won second. Ford Cole and Randy McLelland were judges.

The club voted to pay for one of the ramps for the handicapped being done around the square.

Members discussed the State Progressive Study Club Scholarship. Mrs. Mullins asked the teachers to check and see if any student would qualify.

Mrs. Jane Coston gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Mary Kaigler

discussed the December meeting and reminded members to bring gifts for Girls Town.

Coke floats were served by Mrs. Nelda Lane, Mary Rosser, Thula Perry and Evelyn Cobb.

Farmers to hear Baylor coach

Grant Teaff, head football coach at Baylor University and the dean of Southwest Conference football coaches, will be the keynote speaker at the 54th Texas Farm Bureau meeting in Lubbock Nov. 29-Dec. 2.

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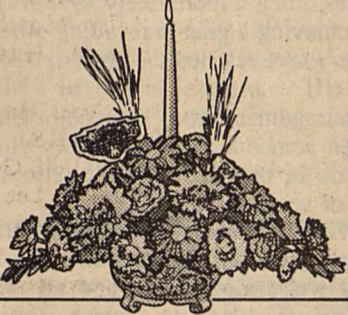
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Commentary

Great year, Indians, Get 'em Steers!

Congratulations to all the players and coaches of the Haskell Indians for a fine football season. It was great to have a winner.

We, and you, always can look back on what might have been. Three breaks at opportune times, or the lack of three bad breaks at inopportune times, would have prevented three of the four losses the Indians suffered. Only Holliday manhandled the Indians. The other three losses came

by 2 points to Munday, 6 points to San Saba and 7 points to Hamlin.

As we write finis to Haskell's fine season, we urge all Indian football fans to divert their loyalties to another Haskell County team which still is very much alive in the playoffs. Unbeaten Rochester carries the county banner high in its quest for a state championship in the 6-man ranks.

Go, Steers!

Mattox locked in political crossfire

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Attorney General Jim Mattox, for the second time this fall, returned from a trip out of the country to find himself in a political cross-fire that rocks his campaign train.

Last week Mattox returned from Central America to face what remained of the wrath of several Texas county treasurers who speculated that he was, in effect, using political blackmail to shake them down for campaign contributions.

Almost three weeks ago, Mattox told the annual conference of the County Treasurers Association of Texas that a legal opinion that could erode their powers was pending before him.

A couple of days later, Mattox's campaign asked for money and support from treasurers across the state.

The solicitation riled some treasurers, including some of the GOP persuasion, and they took the issue to the press. Mattox's staff was really hotfooting to stomp out the brushfire before the boss returned.

Manipulation Denied

Mattox, now running for governor, has been asked to render a legal opinion whether county pay-rolls should be handled by the treasurers or the county auditors.

A spokesman for Mattox said that his 11-member opinion committee would probably resign if the attorney general tried to manipulate the opinion as speculated.

Mattox vs. PUC

Earlier, Mattox returned from Russia to find the Public Utilities Commission had kicked him off rate cases representing consumers. They'll fight it out in the Texas Supreme Court.

Last week, PUC commissioners continued the sabre-rattling by hiring a prestigious Austin law firm to represent them in the high court drama.

But the question of conflict of interest arose once it was discovered that the law firm also represents utility companies that are challenging PUC rates.

AIDS Testing Debate

State Insurance Board members listened to insurance companies push hard for permanent rules giving them the right to test

prospective policy purchasers for AIDS. The industry says it can't stay in business if it has to insure sick people.

"We're not engaged in any kind of social service, or welfare service, or health service. We're in the insurance business," one spokesman said.

But Glenn Maxey, former Capitol aide, now head of a gay group, warned of the need for strict limits on such testing.

He wants the industry barred from requiring anyone to take an AIDS blood test except in certain cases, where health history raises the possibility of AIDS.

Conviction Reserved

The cattle theft conviction of former state Rep. David London was reversed last week by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

London had served about one year of a 10-year prison sentence, according to his Austin attorney.

In a unanimous opinion, the appeals court said prosecutors should not have been allowed to question a defense witness about her brother's criminal record.

London, a former Bonham resident, served in the House in 1981-82.

Other Highlights

- CBS television's "60 Minutes" has prepared a report on the big money politics of the Texas Supreme Court.

- U.S. Senator Lloyd Bentsen told capitol reporters he will run for re-election in 1988. No challenger has surfaced.

- State Rep. Bobby Aikin, D-Commerce, announced he will not seek re-election, but will run instead for an East Texas seat on the State Board of Education. His legendary father, the late Sen. A.M. Aikin, played a major role in creating the agency in the 1949 school reform bill.

- Another son of a former state official, Jerry Langdon of Midland, is running for the Texas Railroad Commission. His father, the late Jim Langdon, served on the panel from 1963 to 1977.

- Texas prison board chairman Al Hughes relinquished his gavel last week, but will serve out his term. A real estate developer, he has quietly earned respect for guiding the various prison construction projects out of a scandal-rocked era.

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A FEW QUIT TIPS

Hide all ashtrays, matches, etc. Lay in a supply of sugarless gum, carrot sticks, etc.

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When the urge to smoke hits, take a deep breath, hold it for 10 seconds, & release it slowly.

Exercise to relieve the tension. Try the "buddy system," and ask a friend to quit too.

TAKE A BREATHER

Join the Great American Smokeout on Thursday, November 19. Millions of smokers across the country will take a break and try not to smoke for 24 hours. How about you? Or, if you don't smoke, adopt a smoker for the day and promise to help that friend get through the day without a cigarette!

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BY WENDELL FAUGHT

A fellow by the name of Dale Carnegie made a bunch of money by teaching people "you can be enthusiastic if you act enthusiastic", not a grammatically correct statement, but an effective one nevertheless.

Norman Vincent Peale touted the same theme in his "The Power of Positive Thinking."

Now comes Stanford University's Dr. Albert Bandura and his "self-efficacy" theory.

Essentially, what Dr. Bandura says is that when people set specific goals they tend to reach them if they take a positive attitude.

"I want to lose 10 pounds and I plan to lose them" is a very iffy proclamation. "I will lose 10 pounds because I know I can do it" is a positive and definite declaration.

While the principle relies heavily on self confidence, more important is self knowledge, says the professor. Knowing that you can do something makes doing it more likely. One way of achieving a goal is recalling other goals you've reached successfully.

Still another factor is encouragement from someone else. When someone says he knows you can do it, that knowledge becomes part of your motivation.

We've all had experience with people who tell us we can't reach what we're aiming for, and all too often we tend to make their predictions come true, not because they were right, but because we allowed them to do the thinking for us.

So, if you know you can lose weight, or give up smoking, or stop drinking, but someone else says you can't do it, who are you going to believe—the other person or yourself?

After I read this, I tried the technique on a few of my vices. I must have missed a step somewhere.

Tom Wacaster of the Church of Christ in Decatur says it takes 70 hours to read the Bible at pulpit rate.

Then he gives some more figures: --It takes 52 hours and 20 minutes to read the Old Testament, 18 hours and 20 minutes to read the New Testament;

--It takes four hours and 28 minutes to read the longest section the Old Testament (the book of Psalms);

--It takes two hours and 43 minutes to read the longest book in the New Testament (the Gospel of Luke);

--It takes two months and 10 days to read the entire Bible at the rate of one hour per day.

--At one hour per day you could read the Bible through five times per year and be one-third of the way through the sixth time.

A Supreme Court nominee and two presidential candidates admit to having used marijuana, and another candidate fesses up to getting his wedding and honeymoon in reverse order.

I would like to have those political reporters ask the presidential candidates if they ever drove down the highway with their seat belts unfastened.

--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

30 Years Ago

Nov. 21, 1957

Future Farmers of HHS recently elected Jeanette Jones as sweetheart of the local FFA chapter. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones.

Rev. Robert C. Berry, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, will give the Thanksgiving sermon at the community Thanksgiving service Wednesday evening, Nov. 27, in the East Side Baptist Church.

Jo Ann Griffith of Paint Creek and Jerry Dunnam of Weinert were presented 1957 Gold Star awards Saturday when they and winners from 21 other counties in extension district III were honored in Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium in Vernon.

Back in civilian life and "feeling a lot more at home" than he did in an Army camp is Loraine Johnson who received his discharge recently and is back at his old job in Boggs & Johnson Furniture Store. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Johnson.

A county committee for a study of education in Texas was named Tuesday afternoon in a called meeting of school board presidents and school superintendents.

Weinert's Bulldogs, champions in district 4 6-man football with a perfect 10-0 record, will head for Jayton Friday night where they will meet the Jayton Jaybirds, district 3 titlists, in a battle for the bi-district crown.

The home of Mrs. W. C. Norton was the meeting place for the Josselet Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, Nov. 12.

Class favorites selected at Roll High School include: Sonja Carroll and Jimmy Hamilton, seniors; Myra Wheeler and Ronald Hill, juniors; Mary Whorton and Jackie Colbert, sophomores; and Nona Bryant and Keith Whitaker, freshmen.

Major Theo Moore who is stationed at Fort Boone, Iowa, with the U.S. Air Force, spent a few hours here visiting his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. O. L. Moore and other relatives last Thursday. Major Moore was transporting a plane from Fort Boone to San Antonio and landed at Stamford where he was met by his father and Henry Harris.

50 Years Ago

Nov. 12, 1937

Miss Clara Clift, teacher in the Dallas schools, Frank Clift of Duncan, Okla., and Jack Clift of Dallas spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Clift.

Orion W. Johnson of Miami, Ariz., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnson this week.

Two WPA sewing rooms started operations this week in Haskell and Rochester. About 40 women are employed in the two projects.

Mrs. Frank Junnell of El Paso is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Simmons.

Miss Maybelle Taylor left last week for El Paso where she will attend a meeting of the State Baptist Convention.

Mrs. Irene Ballard and son Labry left Wednesday for Denton where they will visit their daughter and sister, Miss Helen Ballard.

60 Years Ago

Nov. 24, 1927

G. S. Medford of the Howard community was here Saturday and reports cotton almost all picked and that farmers have their feed in the barns.

Ed Couch of Weslaco was here several days this week visiting his brothers, John A. and R. C. Couch.

Howard Wright and Chas. Rose have purchased the Haskell Confectionery on the north side and took over management of the business this week.

Additional street paving is being planned in Haskell, and the City Council this week is calling for contractor bids on a minimum of 15 blocks of paving.

E. O. Chapman of Vontress shipped a car of fat calves to the Fort

Worth market Thursday.

Chas. M. Conner states that work on his large greenhouse is about completed. He is planning the establishment of a floral and nursery business here, with the greenhouse as the first stage of his plans.

80 Years Ago

Nov. 15, 1907

Miss Tommye Boone returned the early part of the week from a visit to relatives at McKinney.

W. T. Hudson, who recently advertised some Jersey cows for sale, says his ad in The Free Press brought him a number of inquiries, some from Seymour, Graham and other points.

W. P. Caudle of Sagerton has resigned the office of county commissioner and C. F. Davis has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of the Sagerton man. Mr. Caudle is engaged in the real estate business and says he does have time to devote to the commissioners office which it should have.

Jim Cunningham and daughter returned a few days ago from Mabank in Kaufman County where they had been to visit his father, S. F. Cunningham. The Mabank man accompanied them home and was so pleased with Haskell he has decided to move here.

Lee Pierson has sold his farm of 320 acres seven miles west of town to John M. Pierson of Johnson County for \$35 an acre. The new owner plans to move here soon and occupy the place, and Lee Pierson will move to town.

J. C. Harvey of Seymour was here this week and purchased from S. L. Robertson 100 acres of land adjoining Haskell on the northwest at \$50 an acre.

Data available for financial aid

Students in need of funding for the current and next academic terms may order a free financial and planning calendar from the Scholarship Bank. The planner includes critical aid deadlines, addresses and phone numbers of aid sources and tips on applying for aid.

Interested students may send a stamped, business-size, self-addressed envelope to Scholarship Bank, 4626 N. Grane, Covina, CA 91724.

--Letters to the Editor--

Coach thanks supporters

Editor: On behalf of the coaches and players of the 1987 Haskell Indians I would like to say thank you to The Free Press and the community of Haskell for their support over our recently completed football season.

It takes a tremendous amount of effort on the part of many to have a successful season. The Indians and the coaching staff want all those from the Booster Club to the school administration to the gate keepers, concession workers, chain gang and on and on and on to know that we are aware of the great job you do, and we

hope that our heartfelt thanks will suffice as reward for your efforts.

Finally, each week the Indians invoked the help of God to help us gain the reputation of being clean playing and hard hitting. We trust that we gained that reputation. We also committed ourselves to return any praise we received to the One who made it possible. We do so now publicly.

Nelson Coulter
Head Football Coach
Haskell High School

Paint Creek seniors thank merchants

Editor: The Paint Creek senior class would like to thank the following businesses for their generous donations to our auction:

In Haskell: Smitty's Auto Supply, Heidenheimer's, Western Auto, The Personality Shoppe, Sonshine Gift Shop, Lyles Jewelry, The Drug Store, Slipper Shoppe, Kennedy Lumber, Kay's Cleaners, Anderson Tire Co., Aladdin House, Conner's Flowers, Bailey Toliver Chevrolet, Letz Building Center, ASI, Pizza Barn, Bill Wilson Motor Co., Owens Radio and Electric.

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In Stamford: Andy's C Bar 6, Radio Shack, Hassen's, Joe Hudspeth, Dairy Queen, Duggan's.

We appreciate your continued support of our school and our activities.

Judy New, Sponsor
Paint Creek Seniors, 1988

Proclamation

Whereas, the American Cancer Society's Great American Smokeout is a lighthearted effort to encourage cigarette smokers to give up their habit for 24 hours on Thursday, November 19, and

Whereas, for ten consecutive years, millions of smokers, including many in Haskell, have participated in this event, and

Whereas, the health benefits of not smoking are substantiated and well-known, and

Whereas, there are additional civic benefits such as a reduction of the risks of accidental fire and illnesses related to "secondhand smoking,"

Now, therefore, I, Greg Melton, Mayor of Haskell, do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 19th, 1987 as the day of the Great American Smokeout in Haskell, and in so doing urge all cigarette smokers in the community to demonstrate to themselves and their friends that they can quit if they wish by joining the American Cancer Society's 11th annual Great American Smokeout.

Mayor of Haskell

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--Obituaries--



Gayle Barton

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Services for Gayle Barton, 52, of Lubbock were held at 4:30 p.m. Nov. 10 in Resthaven Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. John B. Cox, pastor of University Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Mrs. Barton died at 3:05 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 8, in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Oma Gayle Holcombe Barton was born in Haskell County on Feb. 25, 1935. She graduated from Mattson

High School in 1953, and was married to Richard Barton of Haskell June 6, 1953.

She moved to Lubbock from Big Spring in 1957 and was a bookkeeper for American State Bank for the past 15 years. She was a member of the Berean Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Survivors include Richard Barton of Lubbock; a son, Steven Barton of Lubbock; a daughter, Pamela Gayle Baker of Lubbock; two grandchildren, Steven Chance Baker and Whitney Gayle Baker of Lubbock; her mother, Maye Holcombe of Haskell; two brothers, Boyce Holcombe of Haskell and John Holcombe of Olney; and two sisters, Wanda Johnson of Abilene and Elva Mae Thigpen of Aspermont.

Bessie M. Swinney

Funeral services for Bessie Mae Swinney were held Sunday afternoon at East Side Baptist Church.

The Revs. Paul Cheatham and Kenneth Blair officiated and organist was Martha Jarred. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Buster Gholson, Bobby Howard, Curtis Darden, Edd Howeth, Bobby Tidwell and Charles Blair.

Mrs. Swinney, 87, was a long time resident of Haskell and a member of the Methodist Church. She died Friday at Haskell Nursing Center.

She was born in East Texas Nov.

23, 1899, the daughter of John W. and Pauline Shields Huggins.

Survivors include six daughters, Pauline Terry and Nathelle Caddell of Haskell, Lena Mae Patterson of Bettie, Texas, Fay Cox of Tyler, Louise Cerliano of Longview and Laura Thompson of Loveland, Colo.; a son, Bill Swinney of Haskell; 22 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Trudie Bush

Trudie (Mrs. P. E.) Bush, 94, died Tuesday (Nov. 10) at Haskell Memorial Hospital. She was a resident of Rice Springs Care Home in Haskell.

Funeral services were Thursday afternoon (Nov. 12) at Trinity Baptist Church with the Rev. Kenneth Blair officiating. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home. Grandsons served as pallbearers.

Mrs. Bush had been a resident of

Haskell County since 1919 when she settled five miles north of Sagerton. She moved to Haskell in 1958. She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church.

She was born Dec. 9, 1892, in Arkansas, the daughter of Jim and Nannie Gossett Duggan. She was married to Paleman Earnest Bush May 4, 1913, in Eastland County. He preceded her in death March 4, 1973.

She is survived by two sons, Cleo Bush of Rule and J. A. Bush of Plainview; two daughters, Odessa Rucker of Friona and Earlene Smith of Rule; a sister, Lillie Corzine of Rule; 20 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband she was preceded in death by two daughters, Margie Sellers and Imogene Bilbrey.

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Rotary celebrates Foundation Month

Rotarians of Haskell are celebrating Rotary Foundation Month in November.

The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is a not-for-profit corporation supported by Rotarians and others around the world. The Foundation sponsors some \$25 million annually in international educational and humanitarian programs.

Since 1947, the Foundation has awarded more than 17,900 scholarships for study abroad. In 1987-88, some 1,400 Rotary scholars are studying in 65 countries.

The Foundation also provides up to 15 grants annually for university teachers to teach in developing countries.

Under the Foundation's Group Study Exchange Program, begun in 1965, more than 13,500 young non-Rotarian business and professional persons have travelled abroad on intensive four- to six-week group study tours.

The Rotary Foundation awards special grants for international educational and charitable projects sponsored and partially funded by Rotary clubs or districts around the globe. Since 1965, more than 900 special grants totalling \$5.7 million and benefiting over 115 countries have been awarded.

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This Christmas shopping season, Osbornes encourages you to consider your hometown merchants as your **FIRST** shopping alternative. Support them whenever possible and your hometown will benefit from it.

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Effective this week, we are offering two new services for our out-of-town customers which will help make your shopping more convenient:

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--Rice Springs Care Home--

By Judy Wolsch
Activity Director

Our heartfelt sympathy goes to the family of Trudie Bush.

We welcome back from the hospital Alma Mangen and Mildred Tonn. Also we would like to welcome Dolly Denson to our home.

Our monthly birthday party will be Thursday, Nov. 19, due to Thanksgiving Day being the day of our regularly scheduled party.

Birthdays this month came in a bunch: Mattie Price's was the 9th; Charity Bradley turned 101 on the 11th; Lou Kuentler had one on the 12th; Rosa Weaver the 13th; Ethel the 15th; Mattie Cook, Modena Lewis and Pauline Stiewert, all on the 17th; Eula Free the 19th, Mae Ray the 21st; and Ione Sheid and Owen Cox on the 25th. We wish all these folks many more years to come.

Mary Rachel Densman has visited everyone, Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Schwartz with everyone, John and Rosalie Curry from Lubbock with Frankie Cloud, Nicky Ortiz from Dallas with all residents and staff.

Lelia Hix from Bowie with Jesse Jones; Max and Jeanette Calk with Joe Teague; Mae Ray, Earlene Martin and Flossie Frazier with Ione Sheid;

David Jones from Dallas with Jesse Jones; C. W. Covey with O. S. Covey; Jean and Brad Buford from Weatherford with Hassie Couch; Peggy Kitley and Mildred Kitley with Dolly Denson; Denise, Steve, Amy Carroll from Clyde with Stella Glass; Sid Brown with Irene Reid.

Residents will also be looking forward to the East Side luncheon and Country Band which will also be Thursday.

ASBDC to elect new directors

A public meeting to elect new board members of the Aspermont Small Business Development Center will be held today (Thursday) at the office of the Double Mountain Coach, 307 S. 1st in Haskell.

The meeting will be from 3 to 4 p.m.

Anyone needing transportation to the meeting may call Wynonah Freeman, 1-800-722-0137.

Special Deliveries. It's a boy or it's a girl pencils to announce those new arrivals. **Haskell Free Press.**

Green Thumb

By Gladys O'Neal
Haskell Garden Club

The chrysanthemums have been beautiful this fall. Have you noticed? They are one of the most versatile garden flowers that we have. They've been blooming for five or six weeks; also they are hardy and perennial, and available in many sizes and colors.

They can be started in the spring from seeds or cuttings, or can be bought potted, ready to bloom in late summer or early fall.

For best results they need a well-drained sunny location; they will not thrive in dark, wet places. For a stunning effect, group them in complementary colors and heights. Place the orchids and purples and burgundies with yellows and greens.

When frost blackens the plant's foliage, the chrysanthemums can be clipped back to six inches. Mulch them lightly and remove it in the spring. When the plants are about six or eight inches high, in the early spring, dig them up. Tap each plant to remove as much soil as possible and break apart the roots. Discard the plant's center portion, save and replant the outer portion. As they grow, pinch to encourage branching. This will give you more and better blooms.

For you who love pansies, plant them now for flowers this winter and spring. During Thanksgiving is an excellent time to plant.

Pick a sunny spot, loosen the soil, fertilize with one-half pound of 5-10-10 per 25 square feet of bed. Set out transplants six to 12 inches apart. Water during the dry periods. They should bloom until the weather begins to warm.

The Majestic Giant series offers large blossoms with the typical pansy face.

Dependent kids need SS numbers

Those who list a dependent age 5 or older on their 1987 tax returns will be required to show a Social Security number for that dependent.

About two-thirds of all children already have Social Security numbers, so they will not have to obtain another one.

'Melodies of Gardening' theme of Garden Club

The Haskell Garden Club met Thursday, Nov. 12. The theme of the day was "Melodies of Gardening" with the thought of the day being "Thank God from whom all blessings flow."

Linda King, the president, presided over a short business meeting. The roll call was answered with "The Thing for which I am most thankful." Lorene Dewey read the minutes and Mary Bishofhausen gave the treasurer's report.

An Arbor Day project was discussed. Juanita Rhea gave a report on the district convention to be in Breckenridge Nov. 13-14. Gladys

O'Neal, program director, gave some thoughts on Thanksgiving, mentioning many things which are taken for granted. Bernadine Blankenship discussed conserving and using compost and fertilizer.

Arrangements were brought by Linda King, Juanita Rhea and Gladys O'Neal. Bernadine Blankenship brought a horticulture specimen.

After refreshments were served, the club went on a pilgrimage to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Frazier's greenhouse. Mr. Frazier told many interesting and informative things about his plants and their care. We thank you, Mr. Frazier, for a delightful visit.

Legion plans covered dish supper Nov. 24

The Auxiliary and Legionaires of American Legion Post 221 will have a covered dish supper at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 24 in the American Legion building. All members and their wives and husbands are urged to attend.

The drawing for the deer rifle and smoked turkeys to be given away will be at 7 p.m., preceding the supper.

On Wednesday, Nov. 25, the Auxiliary will have a bake sale on the square in front of Frances Arend's office at 408 N. 1st. Anyone willing to donate a cake, pie or cookies may call Billie Parsons at 864-3948 or Nancy Plunkett at 864-2087.

--Haskell Nursing Center--

By Jo Fischer
Activity Director

Haskell Nursing Center will have a family night on Monday, Nov. 23, at 6:30 p.m. All of our families and friends of our residents are invited. Those wishing to enjoy a meal with us should call by 9 a.m. Monday.

Our residents are looking forward to the holidays. We want to invite all of the organizations to come and share your programs and visits with us during the Christmas season.

We are working on Christmas decorations and looking forward to decorating for the holidays.

Rev. Hodge and his wife, Randy McLelland, Vivian Shaw, Paint Creek Methodist Church, Eleanor Blohm, Country Band and the

Methodist Ladies of Haskell are among the volunteers for the past week.

Visitors for the past week were Pastor Mel Swoyer with Robert Monse, Wendall Rose, W. J. Rose, Shirley Maunering, Kathy Brown, Jack Sessions with Pauline Williams, Clyde and Maurine Newberry with Eunice Newberry; Kathleen Felker with Albert Hannsz; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Greenwood with Lillie Greenwood.

Uncashed checks

There currently are more than 5 million government checks valued in excess of \$1 billion that have been outstanding for more than a year. A new law establishes a system to promote the orderly payment of treasury checks by placing a one-year deadline for cashing them.

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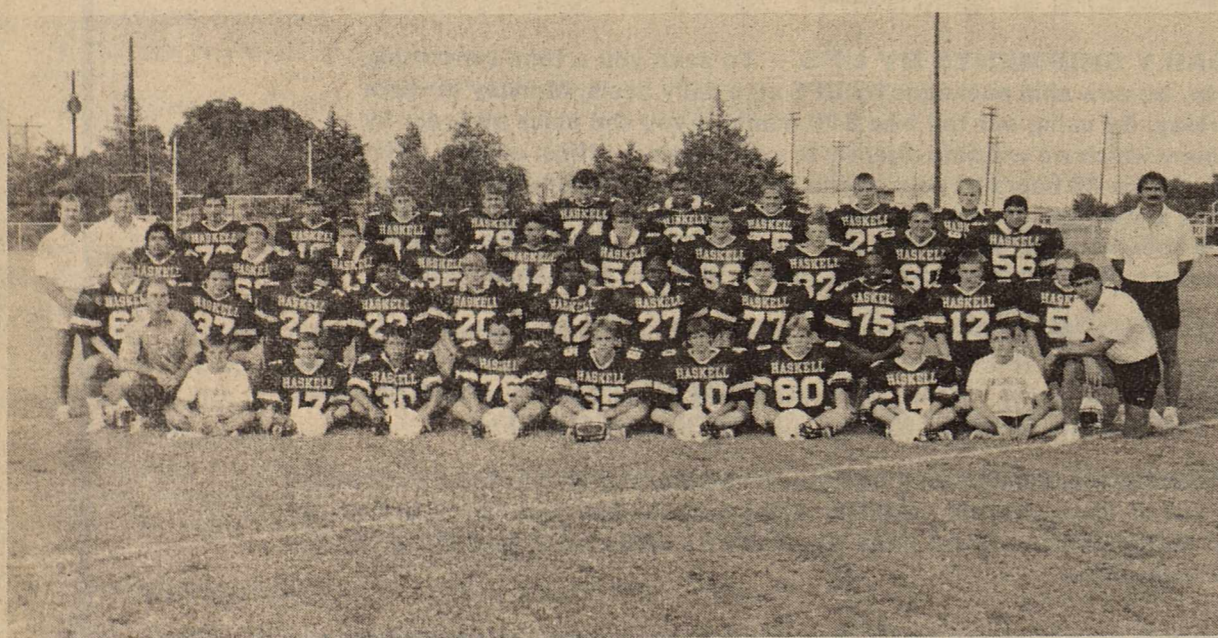
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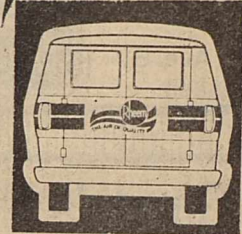
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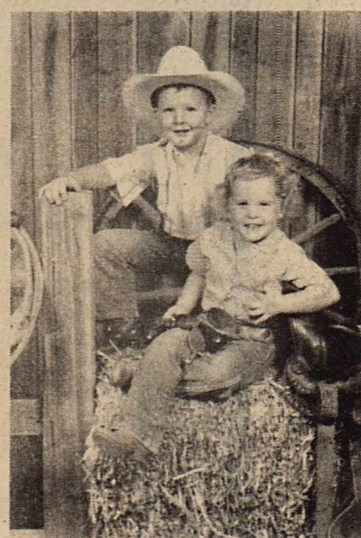
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Two appointed to housing board

Dusty Garrison and Clayton Fowler have been appointed by the City Council to serve on the Haskell Housing Authority Board. They succeed R. C. Couch and Joe Alves.



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

Haskell:	
Farmers Co-op Gin.....	1514
Haskell Co-op Gin.....	3090
K&G Gin.....	416
Rochester:	
Farmers Co-op Gin.....	583
Rule:	
Rule Co-op Gin.....	2240
Denson Gin.....	1827
O'Brien:	
O'Brien Gin.....	2000
Weinert:	
Paymaster Gin.....	1285
Weinert Gin.....	1681
Total.....	14,636

Open house Friday at CaseIH dealer

The all-new Magnum tractor by Case IH will be introduced in the Haskell area Friday during an open house at Richardson Truck and Tractor.

There will be coffee and doughnuts at the firm, beginning at 10:30 a.m. and guests will be able to register for prizes. A lunch and program is planned to begin at noon at the Civic Center.

A. C. Richardson, owner of the firm since 1964, is excited about the new Magnum line of two-wheel-drive tractors. The four models in the 7100 series range from 130 to 195 PTO horsepower and offer optional mechanical front drive.

Richardson said the Magnum line represents a totally new approach to tractor design and manufacturing. He said the computer-aided design, pre-production certified components and a new assembly line make the Magnum tractors the most productive and efficient on the market.

The tractors feature the industry's only 18-speed full powershift transmission and totally electronic three-point hitch control. A brand new cab provides unobstructed vision and advanced instrumentation for operator comfort and efficiency.

In addition to introducing the new tractor, Richardson said Friday's open house will give his company the opportunity to express its

appreciation for the support and confidence of its customers which have enabled Richardson Truck and Tractor to be successful.

Gil Richardson is general manager of the company, Mrs. A. C. Richardson is office manager and Don Haynes is service technician.

Carl Milburn, who has just returned from the annual parts convention and trade fair, heads the parts department.

Two mechanics who have recently been added to the work force are Mike Brown and Darrin Brisbin. Brown and his wife LaJean came to Haskell from Dumas where he was service manager for the Case IH dealer there. Brisbin, formerly of Kermit, has a degree in diesel technology from WTI.

Rotary seeks applicant for exchange

The Haskell Rotary Club is seeking a local applicant interested in participating in a group study exchange with a Rotary district in France.

Rotary district 579, of which the Haskell club is a member, will exchange study groups with district 168 in France.

Those selected will travel to France March 19 and return April 23.

Rotary president Bud Lane said there is an opening for a professional businessman between 25 and 35 years old who is not a Rotarian.

Sales taxes increase

A check in the amount of \$19,945.81 was received last week by the City of Haskell as its share of sales taxes collected by the state.

The amount was slightly higher than the \$19,740.47 received for the comparable period last year.

It represented taxes collected on sales made in September and reported to the state comptroller by Oct. 20, and also included third-quarter allocations which reflect sales reported on a quarterly basis.

While there was a slight increase for the month, sales taxes for the year to date are still 8.8 percent below those of a year ago. Through the first 11 months of 1987 the City has received \$137,583.80, compared to \$151,008.64 for the same period last year.

Other county cities receiving checks this month included Rule \$3,304.63; Rochester \$1,034.30; Weinert \$449.81; and O'Brien \$307.70.

All county cities combined have received \$169,343.99 so far this year. This is 10.71 percent less than the 1986 collections of \$189,649.13 for the same period.

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Annual Pecan Show scheduled Dec. 1-2

The sixth annual Haskell County Pecan Show and Pecan Bake Show will be held Dec. 1-2 at the Haskell National Bank Community Room.

Pecan entries must be in the county extension office between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 30.

Food exhibits may be entered between 7:45 and 9:45 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 2.

Judging of pecan entries will be from 9 to 11 a.m. and judging of food exhibits will be between 10 a.m. and noon on Dec. 2.

Open house will be from 1 to 4 p.m. Dec. 2. Baked items will be on sale at 3:30 p.m.

Rules of the Pecan Show may be picked up at the county extension agent's office, 101 S. Ave. D in Haskell.

PECAN SHOW RULES

1. Entries accepted from pecan growers in Haskell County only.

2. All pecans entered in the show must have been grown in 1987 by the exhibitors. Pecans will be returned to the exhibitor.

3. Each entry must consist of 40 pecans, brought in a plastic ziplock bag. Paper plates will be furnished for the exhibit.

4. All entries of nuts must be entered and delivered to the County Agent office by 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 30. Entries must be identified by grower's name, address, and pecan

variety (if known).

5. Growers are limited to one entry of each variety per family. (Example: John Smith can enter one entry of each variety such as Burkett, Mahan, Stuart, etc.)

6. There is no limit on number of entries of seedling or native pecans (40 nuts from each tree).

7. Pecans must be left on display until 4 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2. Open house will be from 1 to 4 p.m. Dec. 2 for the public. You can pick up your pecans between 4 and 5 p.m. Dec. 2.

8. Classification committee or official judges will place entries in correct classes for judging. Judging of varieties will be from 9 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 2.

9. Classes will be judged on size, color, appearance, shell thickness, cracking quality, kernel quality and attractiveness.

10. Ribbons will be awarded 1-5 places in each class. A class with less than five entries will be given awards based on judges' decisions.

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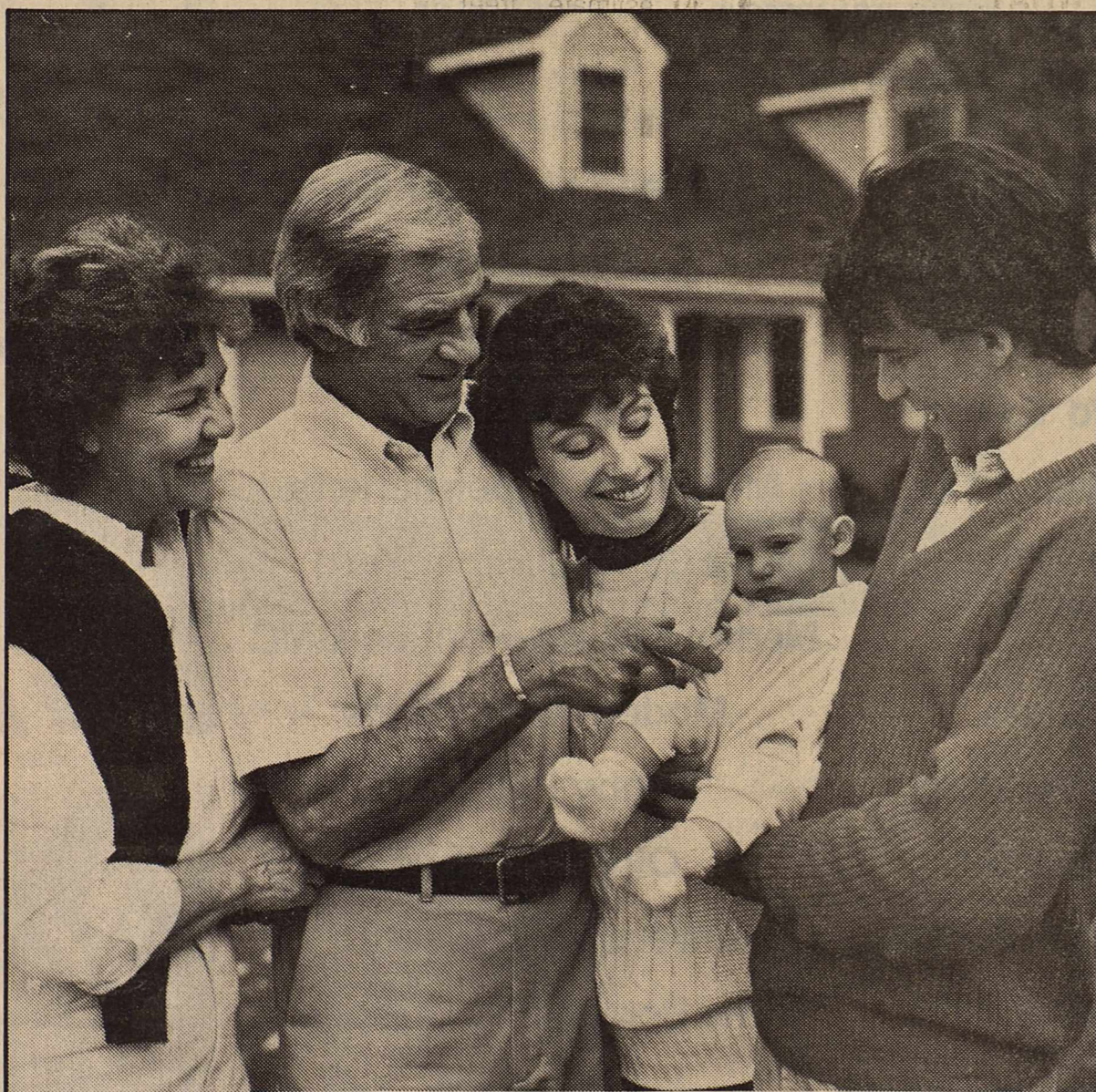
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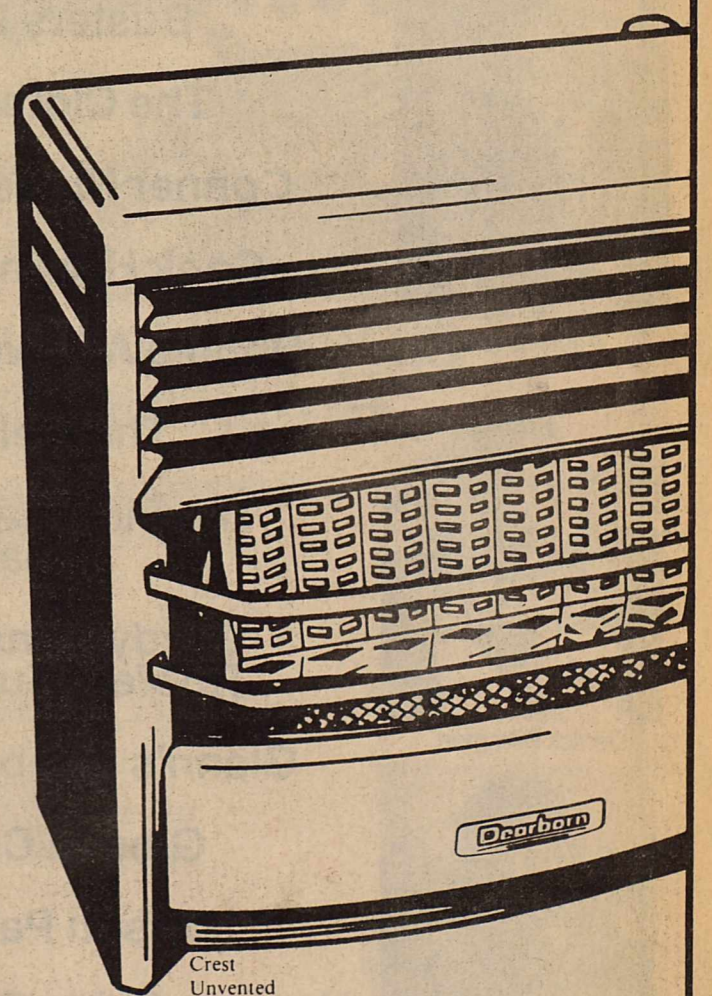
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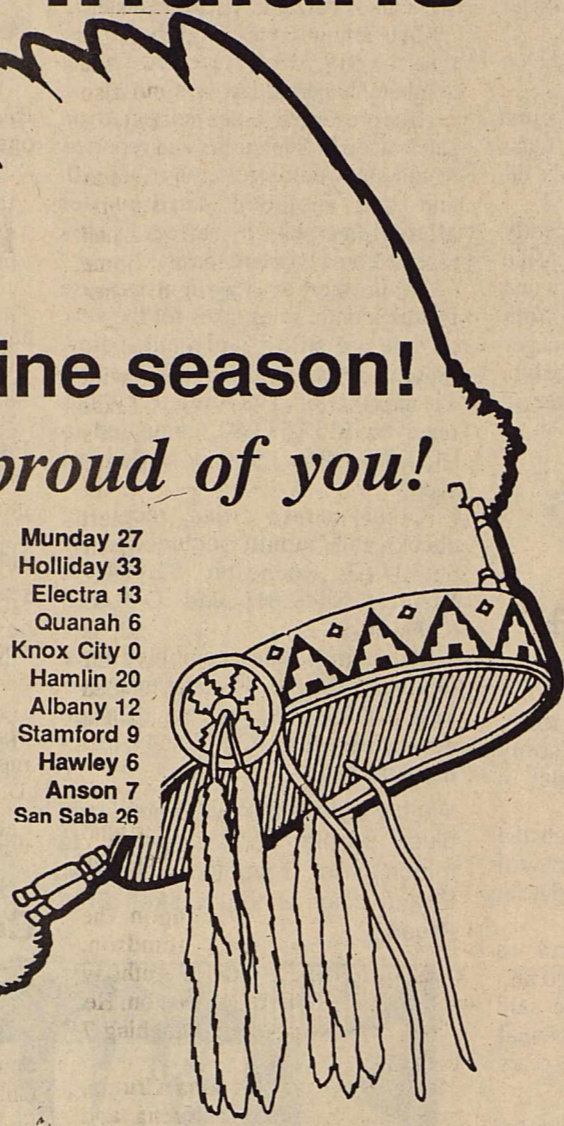
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Oct. 9	Haskell 13	Hamlin 20
Oct. 16	Haskell 13	Albany 12
Oct. 23	Haskell 12	Stamford 9
Oct. 30	Haskell 42	Hawley 6
Nov. 6	Haskell 7	Anson 7
Nov. 13	Haskell 20	San Saba 26



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10	Patrick Perez	B	155	Sr.
11	Chad Gibson	B	158	Fr.
12	Chan Guess	B	142	Jr.
14	Erik Harvey	E	99	Fr.
17	Craig Hanson	E	94	Fr.
20	Cole Larned	B	136	Jr.
22	Rodney Johnson	B	157	Soph.
24	Derrick Billington	B	161	Jr.
25	Mark Young	B	154	Sr.
27	Fred Shaw	B	163	Jr.
30	Bernie Gonzales	B	119	Fr.
33	Stephon Brockington	B	182	Sr.
34	Rusty Stocks	B	157	Fr.
35	Alberto Alvarez	B	131	Jr.
37	Marty Martinez	B	146	Sr.
40	Eugene Butler	E	125	Soph.
42	Jonathan Dever	B	132	Fr.
44	Louie Torres	E	152	Sr.
50	Paul Harvey	L	189	Jr.
51	Mike Williams	L	167	Sr.
54	Eric Mullen	L	180	Jr.
55	Matt Lane	L	171	Sr.
56	Michael Mendoza	L	155	Sr.
60	Patrick Burson	L	203	Soph.
62	Scottie Martin	L	150	Soph.
65	Davis Chapman	L	131	Soph.
66	Roger Roewe	L	187	Soph.
67	Mike Bailey	L	140	Jr.
70	Baldemar Perez	L	171	Soph.
72	Rene Garcia	L	186	Fr.
74	John Halliburton	L	230	Sr.
75	Robert Swann	L	164	Soph.
76	Jay Miller	L	240	Fr.
77	Bo Watson	L	160	Jr.
79	Jason Davis	L	214	Fr.
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82	Chris Hill	E	141	Soph.
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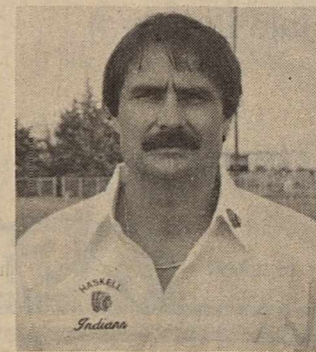
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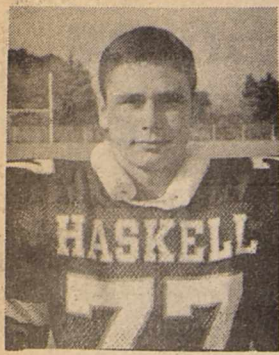
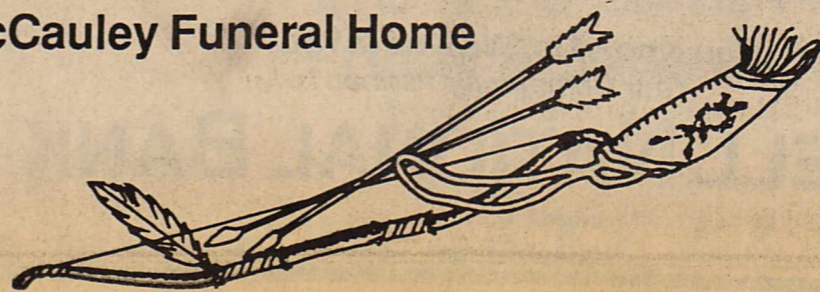
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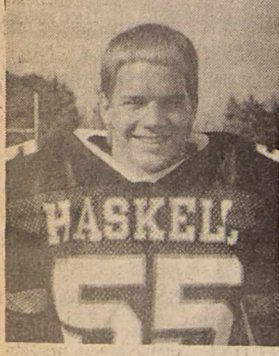
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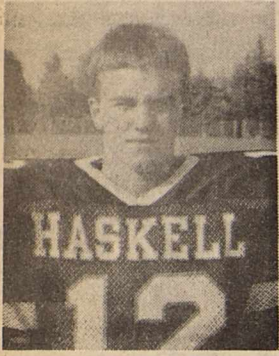
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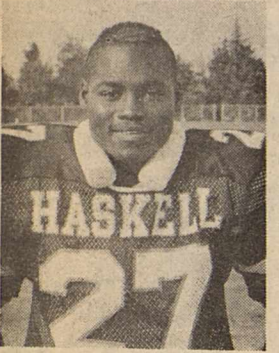
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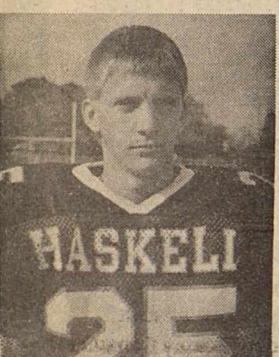
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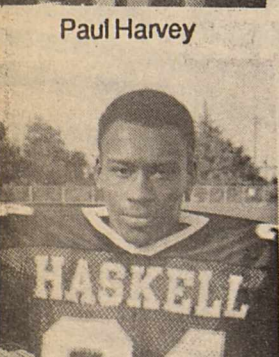
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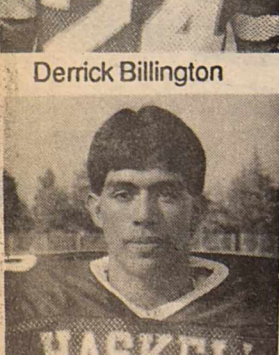
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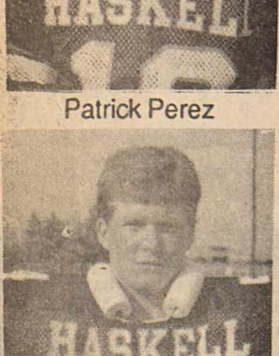
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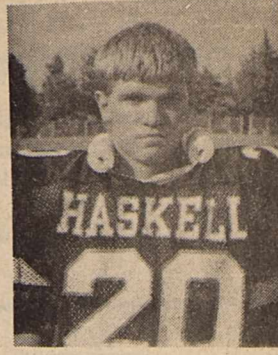
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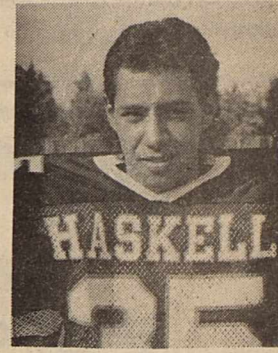
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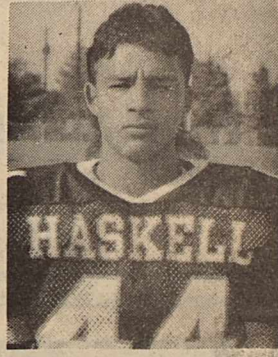
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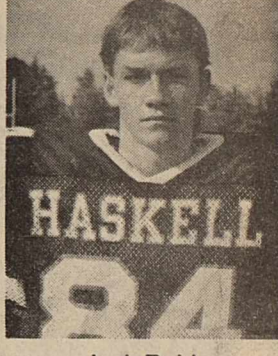
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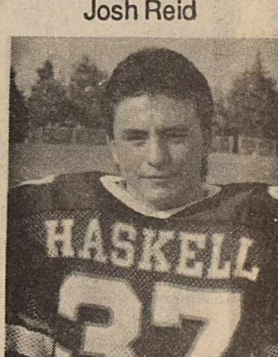
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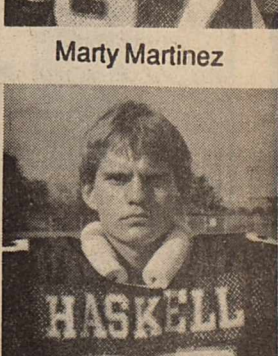
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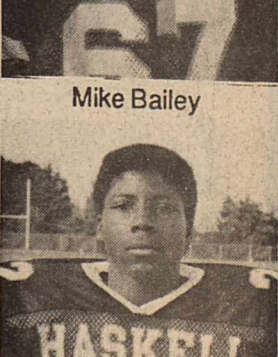
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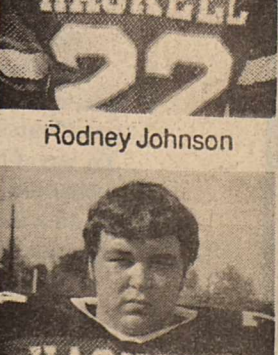
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--Weinert--

By Myrtle Plemister

We were surprised by the early freeze we had last week. The front brought a hint of rain, and the temperature dipped to 20 degrees (possibly lower in places). Those who had not killed their cotton were happy about the freeze, and are anxiously awaiting the green bolls to open, so harvest can continue. The gins are going day and night, "the fields are white unto harvest" and everyone is busy.

We need rain, and hope it will come soon. The wheat and grass, as well as next year's harvest, depends greatly on the fall rains.

The Weinert schools, with Supt. H. L. Guess and Mrs. Julian Estrada, are offering night classes for alien workers who need work visas, and all employers are reminded that May 5th, 1988 is the deadline for employees to register for such. Workers must enroll and they emphasize the MUST, so as to receive the work permits. They will receive books to study, they do not have to attend each night, and when the courses are completed, they will receive a certificate.

Classes commence at 6 p.m. each afternoon at the school building.

Jr. High basketball children played Lueders-Avoca here on Monday night.

Georgia Turnbow was in Wichita Falls on Saturday to visit her sons Eric and Greg who are students at Midwestern University.

Our visitors from out of town

includes Billy Allen of Phoenix, Arizona, who came to spend a few days with his mother, Francis Mahon. They both went to Hamilton to visit Bill's sister, Margie and Pete Jordan, and one of Bill's daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Curie of Roanoke, who told her dad he will become a Granddad in the near future.

Melba Kim is spending a few days with her sister, Sallie Sanders, and a brother, J. I. and Florence Alexander.

Harlan and Jimmie Weinert entertained his sister Nadine Denton of Ft. Worth, over the weekend, and a cousin, Ann Weinert Weise, with her husband Don of California. Ann is a daughter of Elsie and the late Dick Weinert and is a former resident of Weinert. This is her first trip back home in 43 years, and things around town look unfamiliar.

On Sunday, the group attended the 50th wedding anniversary of another cousin, Mr. and Mrs. George Farr of Seymour.

Two brothers and a sister of Zella Mae Alexander were in town last week, J. W. and Billy Jack McKennon of Canton, Texas and Ruth and Jack Boykin of Irving.

They, with Edward, Zella and their son, Ronnie, attended funeral services in Lubbock for the husband of another sister, Juanita (Mrs. Don) Miller, who was interred there on Wednesday.

All the McKennons are former Weinert residents.

We extend our sympathy to them at their loss.

Enjoying a trip to Arkansas this week were R. S. and Betty Sanders, with a stop in Nashville to visit with Ted and Edna Boykin. Ted is some improved in health, but may still have to resort to a dialysis machine.

Edna is well, and was helping her son-in-law, Bobby Carroll, get his buildings ready to welcome the 64,000 baby chicks that were to arrive the next day. They raise the chicks to broiler size before putting them on the market.

The Sanders drove as far as Boonesville and though the freeze damaged the foliage, it was a lovely drive. They visited with the Harrison family, former residents of Weinert, and with some Alexander relatives, as well before returning home.

Shanna and Lane Murphy were participants in a gymnastics tournament at Rotan on Saturday. Shanna won a blue ribbon for first place in her age group. Lane was awarded second place in his age group. They are the children of Ed and Mary Murphy. Congratulations!

Our sick: Mrs. Bellinghausen, Speech and English teacher fell and broke her arm last week. Our sympathy Mrs. B.

Glenn Caddell and Burgess Forehand former Weinert residents have both been hospitalized lately.

They are improved at last report.

Debbie Hutchinson of Junction was home for the weekend and was a part of the wedding party for the wedding of her brother, Wayne and Cherie Welch in Munday on Saturday night.

Greg and Marcus Plemister of Wimberly were in town for the weekend in the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Plemister.

Roger Hines, English professor at ACU was guest speaker at the Weinert Church of Christ, and also spent the day with the Plemisters.

Mary Robertson of Slaton came to visit her late husband's sisters, Florence and Pearl Alexander and Alice Andress. Alice returned home with Mary for an extended visit in her home.

Mark and Donna Coffman, with Drew and Jordan, of Bridgeport, Texas were here to visit Mark's grandparents, Pud and Susie Brockett, and renew acquaintance with friends. Mark is a former Weinert coach, and is now basketball coach in the Bridgeport schools.

Norene Murphy, of Garland, is spending a few days with her son, Ed Murphy, and his family, and attended worship services at the First Baptist Church on Sunday.

Congratulations to: J. I. and Florence Alexander who are celebrating their 56th wedding anniversary.

Ted and Faye Jetton upon the arrival of a new great grandson, Travis Don Stafford, son of Anthony and Stephanie Stafford of Denton. He arrived on November 12, weighing 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Melanie Wood, Tabitha Crump, Floyd Patton, John Castorena and Kent Sanders who are celebrating birthdays this week.

Special congratulations to Imo (Mrs. Pete) Brockett upon the graduation from the Ruth Ann Halm modeling school of Abilene.

Imo has been involved in several fashion shows, and was a model in the recent Fall Fashion Show held at

the Mall of Abilene, and at Dillards in store show.

She has been selected to be an Instructor for the Ruth Ann Malm school and is taking a course to prepare herself for that position. She has signed a contract with the company, and has been invited to compete in the Fashion show to be held in New York City in April 1988 where she will meet models from all over the world.

We are proud of Imo, and wish her the best!

Jerry Don Hudgens with his son Bryce, were in Jacksboro for the opening of deer hunting season.

Hobby Club

In the Rochester Hobby Club bazaar, Mrs. Florence (John) Larned of Haskell won the "Grandma's Flower Garden" door prize quilt.

Zada Ann Stephens of Farmington, N.M., was highest bidder for the "Miniature Bow-Tie" quilt.

We hope the winners treasure and enjoy the quilts as the club enjoyed making them.

The Hobby Club appreciates the cooperation of the public in making the bazaar a success.

Interested persons are invited to visit the club during its regular meetings, on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Next meeting will be Nov. 17 with Mattie Lou Cole as hostess.

County bond sales figures released

Sales of Series EE savings bonds amounted to \$4,012 in Haskell County during August, according to R. W. Herren, county chairman.

During the 11 months between October 1986 and August 1987, bond sales in Haskell County have been \$82,372, representing 78.4 percent of the county's assigned dollar goal of \$105,000 for the year.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

-BIRTHS-

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy J. Bufkin of Benjamin announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica D'Anne Bufkin, born November 12, 1987 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs. 10 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Girilo Jacobo Sanchez of Munday announce the birth of a daughter, Angelica Marie Sanchez, born November 9, 1987 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 8 lbs. 12 oz.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Paul Jircik are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Courtney Ann, born Oct. 27 at Huguley Hospital in Fort Worth.

Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hrcir of Moulton. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jircik of Haskell.

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The third quarter might have been the best 12 minutes of football Haskell has played in a long time.

During that period, the Indians scored two touchdowns, while gaining 160 yards and picking up 12 first downs.

Mark Young had third-quarter runs of 25, 20, 17, 17, 16, 14, 11 and 11 yards, in addition to runs of shorter yardage.

And on defense, the Indians allowed San Saba 18 yards and no first downs. The Armadillos had three possessions in the period. The first time they gained 4 yards in three plays and punted, next time they picked up 6 yards in three plays and punted, and the third time they gained 8 yards in two plays and then fumbled to Patrick Perez.

The first quarter was no slouch, either. The Indians outgained the Armadillos 92-33 and out first-downed them 5-1 in that period.

Haskell converted on three of 11 third-down situations. One of them came on a third-and-33 after the Indians had lost 23 yards on an errant pitchout. Stephon Brockington, on a reverse, ran exactly 33 yards for the night's longest run.

The Indians were 0-2 on fourth-down tries. San Saba was 5 of 11 on third down and 1 of 2 on fourth down. The Armadillos' third touchdown in

the second quarter came on a fourth-and-eight from the 16.

San Saba completed four of 12 passes, but the four completions were on consecutive throws in the second quarter, two of them going for touchdowns.

Paul Harvey played his usual bang-up defensive game. Twice he knocked the ball loose from San Saba's Chris McBride and both times the Indians recovered.

Louie Torres made two consecutive fine defensive plays in the fourth quarter. He stopped San Saba's Mark Oliver for a yard loss on one play and then broke through to sack him for 8 yards on the next. Mark Young and Chan Guess also had sacks.

San Saba had only two penalties, each for 5 yards. Both came in the third quarter. The Indians were whistled down five times for 51 yards.

Wouldn't it be great if Haskell could play host to the inevitable playoff game between Class A's two top-ranked teams, Munday and Paducah?

Rochester has MVP in volleyball

Melody Speck of second-place Rochester was chosen as the most valuable player in district 10-A girls' volleyball during a meeting Nov. 4 following the playoff game between Rochester and Aspermont.

Laurie Hester of Weinert was named to the first all-district team, while a couple of Rochester performers made the second team, Janet Quade and Lafaun Walker.

Corrina Jimenez of Weinert received honorable mention.

Champion Knox City dominated the first-team all-district, placing four performers on the select group: Rhonda Albus, Kim Bateman, Stacy Cheek and Trina Fry. The other first-team player was Delores Castorena of Goree.

Other second-team members were Marcie Hale, Gina Harris and Stacy Hutchens of Goree and Jewelee Jordan of Lueders.

Three more Knox City girls received honorable mention, Michelle Manuel, Kristi Risinger and Anita Rodriguez. Misty Jarvis of Lueders also was an honorable mention designee.

Hamlin to play McCamey Friday

District 7-2A champion Hamlin will meet McCamey at 8 p.m. Friday in Big Spring in a second-round playoff game.

The Pied Pipers crushed Goldthwaite 35-0 last Friday to advance to the area contest.

7TH, 8TH AND 9TH GRADES Basketball Schedule					
DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TEAMS	TIME	
Nov. 16	Anson	Haskell	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Anson	Anson	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Nov. 23	Albany	Albany	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Albany	Haskell	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Nov. 30	Hamlin	Hamlin	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Hamlin	Haskell	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Dec. 7	Hawley	Haskell	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Hawley	Hawley	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Dec. 14	Stamford	Haskell	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Stamford	Stamford	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Dec. 21	OPEN DATE				
Jan. 4	Anson	Anson	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Anson	Haskell	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Jan. 11, 12, 13, 14	Term Exams No Games Scheduled				
Jan. 18	Albany	Haskell	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Albany	Albany	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Jan. 25	Hamlin	Haskell	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Hamlin	Hamlin	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Feb. 1	Hawley	Hawley	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Hawley	Haskell	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	
Feb. 8	Stamford	Stamford	7,8,9 Girls	5:00	
	Stamford	Haskell	7,8,9 Boys	5:00	

Band Boosters

The Haskell Band Boosters met Nov. 10 for a called meeting in the Band Hall.

Minutes were read and a treasurer's report was given. Sue Miller conducted new business, that of selling spirit towels at the elementary school.

The club agreed to pay \$5 for each band student for a meal at the Coleman game. A request for sponsors was made for the bus trip to Coleman.

Next meeting will be Sunday, Dec. 13, following the Christmas Concert at the Civic Center.

Rochester meets Sterling City

Rochester's Steers, unbeaten champions of district 5 will play Sterling City in a 6-man playoff game Friday night at Albany.

Sterling City was runnerup in district 6.

District 5 runnerup Benjamin will meet district 6 champion May at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Anson.

Rule to host playoff Friday

Rule will be host Friday night to a 6-man football playoff game between Vernon Northside and New Home.

The bi-district contest will begin at 7:30 in the Rule stadium.

War Whoop, staffer win state recognition

Dana Hale of Haskell High School won second place in editorial writing at the 1987 Texas High School Press Association convention at Texas Woman's University Oct. 30-31.

The War Whoop, Haskell school publication, was awarded honorable mention in the "All-Texas" category.

Students heard Alyce Culpepper, national journalism teacher of the year from Florida, and Betty Baye, leading black journalist who is

assistant city editor of the Louisville (Ky) Courier-Journal, as well as some 40 other professionals and educators who conducted sessions and judged contests.

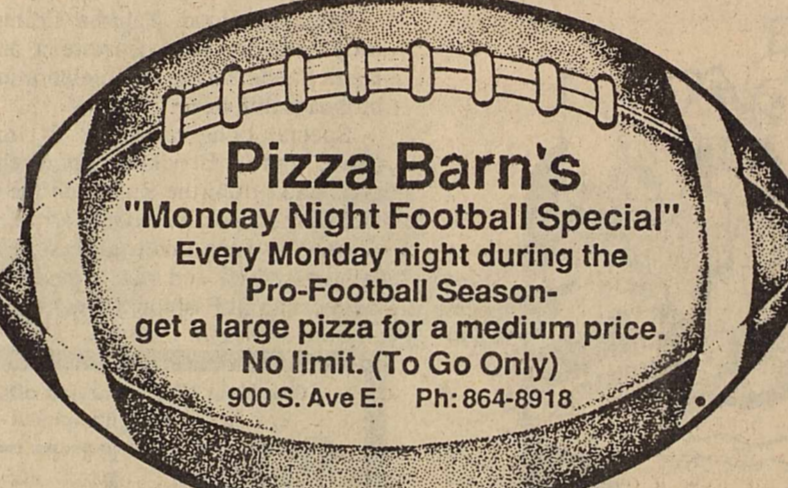
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Booster Club

The Haskell Indian Booster Club met Monday night in the Ag Building. President Mike Guess read a letter from the Haskell Indians thanking the club for its support during the season. It was personally signed by all team members and the coaches.

Guess told head coach Nelson Coulter, "We are tickled to death with the coaches this year. We felt like we were first class everywhere we went, and we appreciate it."

Coach Coulter said that the Indians played their best game of the season against San Saba and he was glad he ended the season with the best. "We didn't leave anything on the field," he said. "I'm proud of the kids. They played more as a team than ever before."

The Coleman coach had told Coulter what a physical team San Saba was, even more than Ballinger or Breckenridge. "But," Coulter commented, "there were times they looked like they'd had all they wanted." He added that they appeared to be a class outfit.

The Booster Club plans to meet again on Thursday, Jan. 7, and introduce the varsity girls' and boys' basketball teams. At that meeting, coaches George Martin and Randy Stone will give comprehensive overviews of the 1987-88 season.

Soccer teams to play final games Saturday

Final soccer games of the season will be played Saturday.

The first soccer season in Haskell has been a huge success and the public is invited to come out and support the teams in their final games.

Games are played on the practice field east of the gym.

Game times are:
9 a.m. under 12 group; 10:30 a.m. under 10 group; 1 p.m. under 6 group; 2:30 p.m. under 8 group.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

San Saba eliminates Indians, 26-20

An intercepted pass returned 50 yards for a touchdown with 2:44 remaining spelled defeat for the Haskell Indians at Coleman Friday night as the San Saba Armadillos scored a 26-20 victory in a first-round playoff game.

It was a heart-breaking defeat for the Indians, who after nearly self-destructing in the second period and dropping behind 20-7, had stormed back with a spectacular third-quarter performance to tie the score at 20-all and turn the momentum of the game in their favor.

But this Friday the 13th contest was just not to be Haskell's night. With penetrations even at 4-4 and Haskell leading in first downs 21-16, San Saba's Mark Oliver stole a Chan Guess pass at midfield and broke two or three tackles as he raced in for what turned out to be the winning score.

The pass came on a third-and-eight situation as the Indians attempted to pick up a first down and retain possession.

The Indians started the game as though they intended to blow the Armadillos all the way back to San Saba. Taking over on their own 30 after San Saba had failed to move from the opening kickoff, the Indians marched 70 yards in eight plays for the game's first touchdown.

Mark Young, who had a fantastic night with 231 yards on 31 carries, had a 16-yard run in the drive, and Guess had a 21-yard gainer. The touchdown came on an 18-yard scoring pass from Guess to Stephon Brockington. Guess' kick put the Indians out front 7-0 at the 7:28 mark.

A short time later, Guess pounced on a San Saba fumble at the Armadillo 13 and two stabs by Young moved the ball to the 5. But on the next play, Patrick Perez' pass was intercepted and returned to the 19.

San Saba then scored three touchdowns in less than eight minutes. It took the Armadillos five plays to move 81 yards for their first touchdown, the score coming on a 48-yard pass from Oliver to Ricky Carr after Heath Humphrey had run 20 yards. The Indians held their lead momentarily when Chris McBride's

Haskell	San Saba
22	18
45-291	52-189
68	105
5-14-3	4-12-0
2	3
5-51	2-10
3-32	5-26

attempt to run over the extra points failed.

Less than two and a half minutes later the Armadillos scored again. They recovered the short kickoff at the Indian 36. McBride got the touchdown from a yard out on the sixth play from that point. An 18-yard pass from Oliver to C. J. Chavarria had been the big gainer in the drive. Oliver ran over the conversion points and San Saba was out front 14-7.

Brockington returned the next kickoff from the 20 to the Haskell 44, but after Young made 16 and Guess added 10, another interception gave San Saba the ball at its own 20. Humphrey ran 20 yards, Oliver passed to Brad Bowden for 23 more and then picked up another 20. After three ground attempts netted 2 yards, Oliver passed 16 yards to Carr for the Armadillo's third touchdown. Humphrey was stopped as he attempted to run over the bonus points, but his team led 20-7.

The Indians again failed to recover the following short kickoff and San Saba took over on the Indian 39, but the Indians rose to meet this challenge. After the Armadillos drove to a first down at the 1, Paul Harvey knocked the ball loose from McBride and Guess recovered for the Indians in the end zone.

In the third period, the Indians made amends for their first-half errors. After recovering still another short kickoff, they took over on their own 47. Young scampered 17 yards and then Guess threw to Rodney Johnson for 15. Another 17-yard run by Young put the ball on the 4 and his 3-yard shot got it to the 1, from where he took it over on the next play. Guess' extra point made it 20-14 with the second half less than two minutes old.

After an exchange of possessions, Haskell took over on its own 45. Perez passed to Young for 11 yards, and after a 10-yard penalty against the Indians, Young bolted 25 yards. Guess made 1 on a keeper and Young scooted another 20 to the 3. Young took it on in on two carries of 2 yards

and 1 yard. Guess' extra-point attempt was blocked, but the Indians had tied the score at 20-20 with 1:40 to go in the third period.

After bringing back the kickoff to their own 49, San Saba ran two plays before Perez recovered McBride's fumble on the Indian 48. Young picked up 16 and Fred Shaw had runs of 11 and 1 as the Indians stormed to the San Saba 25. But a 10-yard penalty against the Indians, an incomplete pass and a 7-yard loss when Young was knocked down on an option play pushed Haskell back to the 42, from where Perez punted into the end zone.

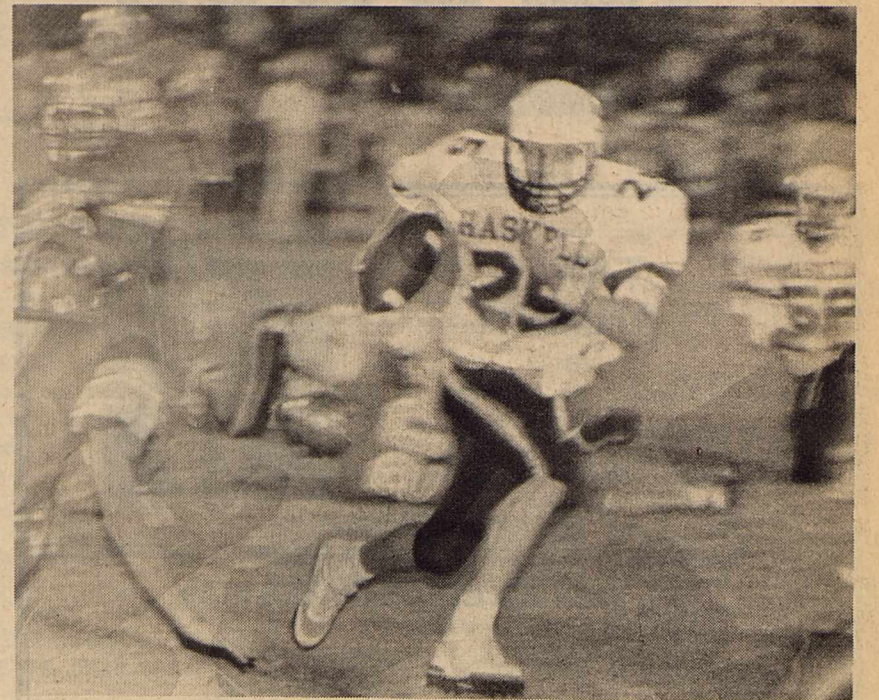
Haskell couldn't move on its next possession, so the Indians punted to San Saba. After picking up a couple of first downs, the Armadillos had to punt back to the Indians who took over on their 26. With time running about and the score still tied, officials called in the coaches and told them that penetrations were even but Haskell was ahead on first downs, 20-16.

Young picked up 8 yards and then 7 more for a first down at the 41. After Young carried twice more for a yard each, Guess threw the fatal interception to Oliver.

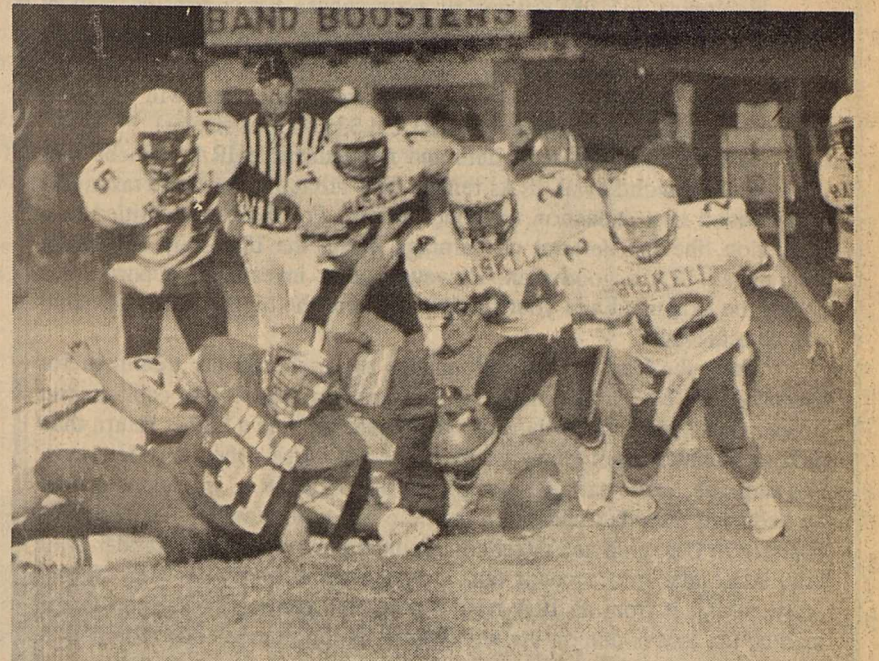
Haskell had one more shot. After Stephon Brockington returned the ensuing kickoff from the 10 to the 29, Guess connected with Derrick Billington for 17 yards to the 46. A running play, an incomplete pass and two more ground attempts left the Indians short of a first down by a half yard so they surrendered the ball to the Armadillos at the San Saba 45 with 1:48 remaining. The Armadillos then ran out the clock, picking up 26 yards and two first downs in six running plays.

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Rushing: Young 31-231; Brockington 1-33; Shaw 3-11; Johnson 1-6; Guess 6-8; Perez 1-3; Billington 1-(-1).
Passing: Guess 3-9-1 50 yards; Perez 2-5-1 18 yards.
Receiving: Brockington 1-18; Billington 1-17; Johnson 1-15; Young 1-11; Torres 1-7.



Mark Young had a big night against San Saba. The Indian fullback rushed 31 times for 231 yards and caught an 11-yard pass.



Chan Guess moves in to recover a fumble after Paul Harvey had knocked the ball loose from San Saba's Chris McBride.

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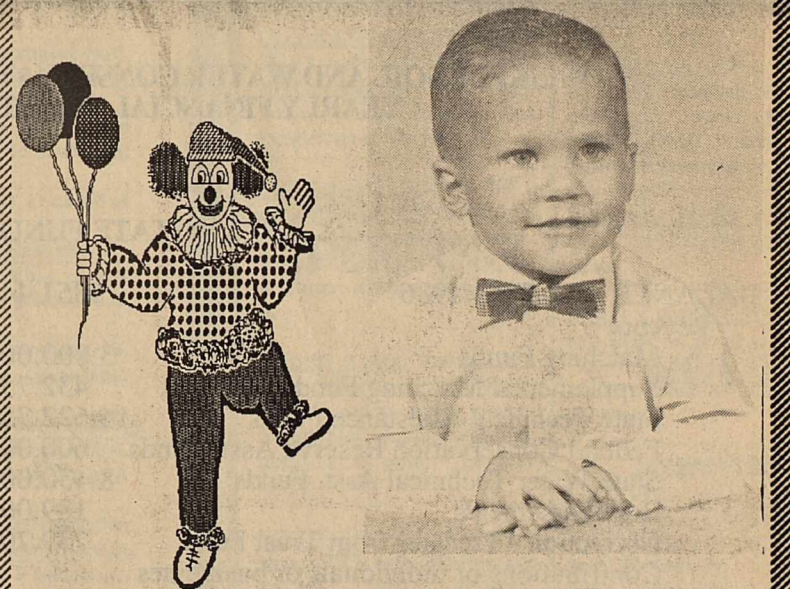
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Beginning in 1987, if you or your spouse has a pension plan at work, you can take the full IRA deduction only if your adjusted gross income doesn't exceed \$40,000 (\$25,000, if you're single). Between \$40,000 and \$50,000, couples covered by company plans will see their deduction phased-out (between \$25,000 and \$35,000 for singles).

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Fort Worth pastor heads Baptist group

Fort Worth pastor Joel Gregory was elected president of the Baptist General Convention of Texas at the Nov. 10-11 meeting of the convention in Fort Worth.

The convention approved a record \$68 million cooperative budget and affirmed the Baptist Joint Committee on Public Affairs.

The "Laborers Together" theme and the year-long "Celebration of Cooperation" emphasis set the tone for the harmonious 102nd annual meeting of the 2.4 million-member convention.

The 5,172 messengers attending overwhelmingly approved resolutions:

--Affirming historic Baptist adherence to church-state separation and observing that Baptist bodies historically have refrained from endorsing or opposing candidates;

--Encouraging churches to "be intricately involved in the spiritual, mental and physical well-being" of AIDS patients and their families; and

--Calling for a renewed commitment to world hunger giving and to ministry to the poor and hungry.

Christmas sales to be indicator of market impact

State Comptroller Bob Bullock says a plunge in Christmas retail sales would be the first indicator that the stock market's drop is affecting the Texas economy.

"A slowdown in consumer spending will tell us that the fallout from the problems of the stock market has hit home," Bullock said.

Taxable retail sales in the fourth quarter last year in Texas totaled more than \$16.3 billion. Sales are expected to grow slightly this year to about \$16.9 billion.

Bullock said any lack of confidence in the economy that translates into a steep drop in retail sales could spell trouble for the state's budget.

Cargo floating on the water from a sinking ship is called flotsam, while the debris washed ashore is called wreck.

--Sagerton--

Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hertel, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark were recent visitors in the Austin home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baitz. Mr. and Mrs. George Olson of Ozona met them there and they all enjoyed the Wurstfest in New Braunfels.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse Sunday for dinner were Mrs. Franklin Mrzaek and Bubba from Aspermont, Mrs. Norvell Lehmann from Rule, and in the evening Hollie Jashua and Kelly children of Norva and Bobby Don Smith of Rule.

Mrs. Leo Monse visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Thompson of Colleyville spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. John L. Brooks, Bill Tabor, Beulah Mae Summers. They also come to go bird hunting.

Friday luncheon guests in the home of Mildred Kitley were Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Thompson of Colleyville, Rex Guinn of Donna, Mrs. John L. Brooks, Bill Tabor.

Erna and Walter Schaaake, Mrs. Emma Raphael of Stamford played pinochle in the home of Mrs. Lena Schaaake Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEwen of Tuscola and boys Dustin, Doug and Daryle visited in the home of Mrs. Mary Neinst last weekend.

The Faith Circle met last Tuesday at 2:30 in the Fellowship Hall of Faith Lutheran with 10 women and the pastor attended. Mrs. J. B. Toney was the hostesses and served refreshments after we had the topic which was led by the Rev. Mel Swoyer. Those who attended were Mrs. Frieda Knipling, Mrs. Frieda Quade, Mrs. Mary Neinst, Mrs. Ethel Quade, Mrs. Lillie Lehmann, Mrs. Velma Lou Lammert, Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer, Mrs. Snoak Hertel, Mrs. J. B. Toney and Rev. Mel Swoyer.

Mrs. Ladain Anderson of Houston is here visiting friends and relatives. She is staying with her brother Van Laughlin in Rule.

The Sagerton Hobby Club is having their bazaar in the Community Center Saturday with a noon meal and all kinds of crafts.

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NOTICE!!! We have new merchandise arriving weekly. Come by and see our selection of gift items, toys and etc. Also register for our weekly drawing being held each Wednesday til Christmas. Catalog Showroom, 111 N. Av E. 47p

MICROWAVE OVEN and cart for sale. Call 864-8028. 47p

Bentsen proposes 'boot camp'

U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said last week the federal government should consider setting up military-style "boot camps" as an alternative to prison or probation for first offenders.

Bentsen asked the General Accounting Office to examine this approach, which is the subject of experiments in several southern states.

"The federal prison system was constructed to accommodate 28,000 prisoners," Bentsen said. "Now we have 44,000 prisoners, and the federal courts say we have to expand. That's going to be done at considerable cost."

"Some of the southern states have set up "boot camps" with military discipline for first-time offenders--serious crimes, but not deadly crimes--and they're quite pleased with some of the results.

"The inmates lead a highly regulated life, with a focus on hard work, discipline and heightened self-esteem, and these 'boot camps' cost less than conventional prisons. Certainly, a similar program at the federal level is something to explore."

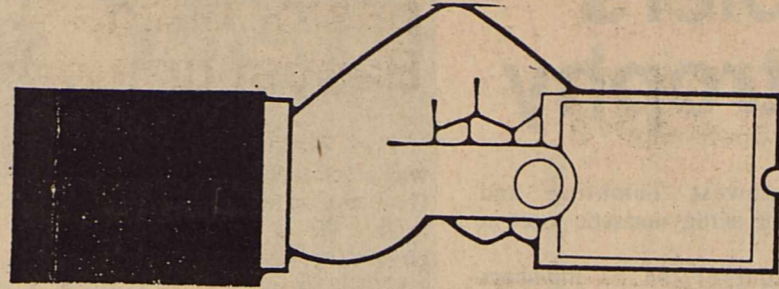
-School Menu-

Nov. 23-27
LUNCH
Monday: Chili dogs, grated cheese, curly Q's with catsup, pickle spears, banana pudding, milk or tea.
Tuesday: Enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad with dressing, fruit cocktail, milk or tea.
Wednesday: Ham and cheese sandwiches, tater tots with catsup, lettuce and tomatoes, peach cobbler, milk or tea.
Thursday and Friday: No school.
BREAKFAST
Monday: Grape juice, cereal, milk.
Tuesday: Orange juice, waffles with syrup, milk.
Wednesday: Fruit juice, biscuits with jelly, milk.
Thursday and Friday: No school.
"Have a nice Thanksgiving."
(Mepus subject to change.)

HASKELL SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT YEARLY FINANCIAL REPORT

	STATE FUND	TRUST FUND
BALANCE AS OF 9/1/1986	\$851.44	\$7,236.51
Revenue		
Matching Funds	3,800.00	
Supplemental Matching Funds	432.75	
State Technical Assistance Funds	14,622.75	
Federal Conservation Reserve Asst. Funds	600.00	
State Water Technical Asst. Funds	8,430.00	
Reimbursements	189.00	38.77
Correction - Transfer from Trust Fund	739.70	
Contributions of individuals or businesses		1,919.48
Contributions of counties		750.00
Contributions of other political subdivisions		159.66
Income from equipment rental NOT purchased with State Funds		2,002.04
Interest from Trust Fund time deposits		313.74
Fish Sales		1,888.25
Tree Sales		2,135.98
Newsletter Advertising		800.00
Income from District Activities		300.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$28,814.20	\$ 10,207.92
Expenditures		
Technical Assistance Salaries	\$12,099.84	
Water Technical Assistance Salaries	2,343.50	
Conservation Reserve Technical Asst.	550.00	
Clerical Salary	1,800.00	
Payroll Tax	2,319.37	
Unemployment Tax	191.93	
Office Supplies	363.48	
Public Information Quota	200.00	
Office Equipment Purchased	1,952.41	
Insurance	260.00	992.00
Postage	73.82	
Audit	200.00	
Local Awards		1,085.91
Awards Program Quota		30.00
Directors Travel		1,438.44
Dues		775.00
Publications		946.51
Conservation Promotion		489.99
Trees		1,305.45
Fish		1,382.75
Sales Tax		69.51
Field Equipment Purchased		2,964.43
Field Equipment Repairs		491.20
Miscellaneous		102.26
Educational Materials		291.89
Total Expenditures	\$22,354.35	\$ 12,365.34
Balance as of 8/31/1987	\$7,311.29	\$5,079.09

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For Sale

PRESCRIPTIONS, Cosmetics, Gifts. Shop Johnson Pharmacy where the savings are real. 38fc

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WATER WELL Drilling: House well, stock, irrigation wells, test holes. Call W. P. Hise 864-3727 Haskell, Tx. (Day or night). 7fc

SIouxLAND Seed wheat from certified seed. Bulk or treated and sacked. 817-454-2036. 45-47p

REPLACED THIS EQUIPMENT with new IBM computer system: For Sale: 3M VQCIII coated paper copier, \$300.00; IBM Selectric Typewriter, 750 word electronic memory, \$500.00. Call 864-3250 or come by Brian Burgess Insurance, 703 N. Av E in Haskell. 45-48c

FOR SALE: Twin size bed. Includes headboard, Hollywood frame, box springs and mattress. Less than 4 months old. Perfect condition. Call 864-2023 after 4:30 p.m. 45tfc

FOR SALE: Basket for 880 cotton stripper and used parts for 860 Allis Chalmers cotton stripper. 1-800-367-2386 or 405-875-2713. 46-49p

FOR SALE: Live turkeys for Thanksgiving. \$8.00 each. Call 997-2592 after 5:30 p.m. 47-48c

STARTING FLUID. Come by Richardson Truck and Tractor for our Cold Weather Special on starting fluid. Only 99¢ per can. 47c

Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS Helen Keller once said... "with the death of every friend I love... a part of me has been buried... but their contribution to my being of happiness, strength and understanding remains to sustain me in an altered world."

The illness and death of our mother and "Mimi" would have been almost unbearable without the love and support we received from our Haskell friends. May we say thank you for your prayers, visits to the hospital, cards, flowers, food and babysitting at odd hours of the night! Also to those who made the long drive to attend the memorial service.

You, are friends, are so very special and we love you! Sincerely, Scharlyn, Jim, Whitney and Zach Hudson. 47p

Jobs Wanted

LOT SHREDDING. \$10.00 and up. Call Tony Williams, 864-674 anytime. 43fc

PROTECT YOUR CHIMNEY against leaves, birds, rain and downdraft. Have a chimney cap installed from Big Country Sweep. Call 864-2859, Haskell. 46fc

HORSESHOEING & TRIMMING. 817-864-2753. Steve Barbour. 47-50p

Garage Sales

YARD SALE: If weather permits. 900 N. 2nd. 8 a.m. Saturday only. We have moved here. Need to sell a lot of things. Some new, some junk. Bargains. 47p

GARAGE SALE: 910 Amity in Rule. 8:30 Sat. Nov. 21 til dark. New dishwasher, small refrigerator, 50's poster bed, new Tupperware, lots of trinkets. 47c

GARAGE SALE: Must clear garage. 1/2 price on all items except furniture. Sat. 8 to 5. 1200 N. Av G. 47c

HUGE GARAGE SALE: Utility trailer, 3 wheeler, furniture, antiques, good clothing. Sat. 9 to 5. Sun 1 to 5. 808 Gladstone in Rule. 47p

BIG GARAGE SALE: Fri., Nov. 20 8 a.m. til 1306 N. Av F. Lots of good winter clothes, pots, pans, small appliances, much misc. 47c

GARAGE SALE: Sat 21 & 28th. Clothing, small appliances, bedding, lots of misc. items. 1005 N. Av H. 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. 47-48p

4 FAMILY PORCH SALE at building back of 1300 N. Av G. Fri. 8 to 5. Student size jeans, adult winter clothing, misc. Inside if it rains. 47p

Public Notices

NOTICE OF ESTRAY Date: November 3, 1987

PERSON REPORTING STRAY ANIMAL: George L. Boring, 312 S. Hobart, Stamford, Texas 915-773-3504.

LOCATION STRAY ANIMAL FOUND: George A. Boring, 913 Davenport, Stamford, Texas 915-773-2559. Approximate location: One mile east of Cox Implement.

LOCATION OF IMPOUNDED ANIMAL: Person in Charge, George L. Boring, 312 S. Hobart, Stamford, Texas.

DESCRIPTION OF LIVESTOCK: Breed, Black Angus; Color, Black; Sex, Cow; Age, Appx. 10-12 years; Weight, 850 pounds; Earmarks, Brands and other Identifying Characteristics: W-left hip. This report made by Information from George L. Boring.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Johnny L. Mills, in and for Haskell County, Texas, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That on the 3rd day of November, 1987, he was notified by the above described person of the above described livestock which was found running at large in Haskell County, Texas, at the above described location and pursuant to the stock laws of the State of Texas, Chapter Four, Title 121, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, impounded said livestock, said impoundment being at the above described location.

Johnny L. Mills Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 3rd day of November, 1987.

Jean B. Kemp Notary Public in and for Haskell County, Texas. 46-47c

Public Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: J. L. Bouldin and his unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, beneficiaries, successors and/or assigns, Defendant, Greeting: YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 39th Jud. Dist. Court of Haskell County at the Courthouse thereof, in Haskell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 21st day of December A.D. 1987, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 2 day of November A.D. 1987, in this cause, numbered 9733 on the docket of said court and styled Westwood Energy Inc., Plaintiff, vs. J. L. Bouldin, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: That this action is brought under the provisions of V.T.C.A. Sec. 64.091; that the Plaintiff herein and the defendant herein and other parties are owners of the oil, gas and other minerals or interests therein, on and under the following described land in Haskell County, Texas: NE/4 of Section 10, Block 3, H&TC RR Co. Survey, Haskell and Shackelford County, Texas. Westwood Energy Inc. is seeking appointment of a receiver for the Interest of J. L. Bouldin described herein. If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Carolyn Reynolds, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas. Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Haskell, Texas, this 2 day of November A.D. 1987. (SEAL) Carolyn Reynolds, Clerk, 39th Jud. District Court Haskell County, Texas. 45-48c

Public Notices

NO. 3490

THE ESTATE OF JOELLA E. ELLIOTT, DECEASED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF JOELLA E. ELLIOTT, DECEASED Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JOELLA E. ELLIOTT, deceased, were issued on October 30, 1987 in Docket No. 3490 pending in the County Court of Haskell County, Texas to Otis Rhyne. The residence of the said Otis Rhyne is in Nolan County, Texas. The mailing address for presenting claims is: Box 174, Haskell, Texas 79521.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated this 16th day of November, 1987. OTIS RHYNE By Art Williams, Attorney. 47c

Public Notices

TAX REVOLT MEETING at Corral Building Fri. Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. Pd. Pol. Adv. Sue Patterson. Please attend or send membership fee of \$10.00 or donation to 2 Ave D, Haskell, Texas. 47c

Ride the Bus and send freight to Wichita Falls 8:45 a.m. to Abilene 8:30 p.m. Bob McKinney, Agent 864-3817 Ask about Special Fares! 41-52c

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OPEN YOUR OWN beautiful discount high quality shoe store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ladies-childrens-mens. Over 300 nationally known brands. Over 1500 styles. 40 to 50% below wholesale prices. Your "s" cash investment of \$12,900.00 to \$39,900.00 includes beginning inventory, training, and grand opening promotions. Ladies Apparel stores also available. Call today. Prestige Fashions, 501-329-8327. 47p

RESPONSIBLE PERSON. Wanted to own and operate candy vending route. Pleasant business with high profit items. Can start part time. Cash investment of \$3996 to \$12,996. Call 1-800-328-0723. Eagle Industries, Since 1959. 47p

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Public Notices

SEYMOUR OUTREACH CENTER caseworker: Master's degree in social work or psychology preferred. Bachelors degree in human service field considered. Salary commensurate with qualification. (range \$16,008 to \$19,404 per annum). Duties include counseling-casework with clients and families, community education and being a member of interdisciplinary treatment team. Some travel required. Applicant must live in or be willing to relocate in programs local service area. An equal opportunity-affirmative action employer. Applications at personnel Wichita Falls State Hospital, Box 300, Lake Road, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307 or call 817-692-1220 ext. 545. 47c

RESIDENT NURSE SUPERVISOR. Work from your own home. Start immediately. Must be an RN with good clinical and supervisory skills. Must be able to supervise field staff. Needs to have good communication skills. We provide you with business phone and answering machine. Excellent pay plan. Call 915-676-2668. Girling Health Care, Inc. EOE. 47p

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs mature person now in Haskell area. Regardless of experience, write A. B. Hopkins, Box 711, Fort Worth, TX 76101. 47p

SEASONAL WORKER. Must be dependable. Forklift driver. Contact Jennie Ray at the Haskell County Cotton Warehouse. 47c

Public Notices

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For Rent

FOR LEASE: 155 acres wheat grazing. Call Gary Thomas, 864-8026. 46-47p

FOR RENT: One 3 bedroom house; One 2 bedroom apartment, furnished; one 1 bedroom apartment. 864-2504.

Apartment For Rent

2 bedroom, 1 bath, carpeted. 700 sq. ft. Call Haskell National Bank 864-2631. 27fc

Real Estate

FOR SALE: 3 BR, 2 bath rockhouse, 2 acres, city water, water well on Hwy 277. 864-3727. 22tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3 bedroom, 1 bath, brick, water well, 3 car carport. Good neighborhood. 604 N. 4th, Haskell. 864-3764. 27fc

For Rent

FOR RENT: S & S Storage 10x20 storage stalls. Call 864-2208 or come by Steele Machine. 17tfc

FOR RENT: Storage stalls. 10x10 or 10x20. Call Lanco Insurance, 864-2629. 3tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom unfurnished house in Weinert. \$125.00 per month. Call 673-8283. 45tfc

FOR RENT: One 2 bedroom furnished apartment, bills paid. One 1 bedroom furnished apartment, bills paid. Contact Dee Larned, 864-2612. 46-47c

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Real Estate

FOR SALE OR RENT: Remodeled 2 bedroom, nice yard, trees, garden spot, well. 1106 N Ave L. Immediate possession. 1-849-3272. 29tfc

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Three bedroom 2 bath lake home, lots of extra's. Owner would carry note.

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Real Estate

Frances Arend Real Estate & Insurance LIFE-HEALTH-BURIAL Medicare Supplement 817-864-3860 817-864-3156 45c

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Haskell Free Press

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FOR SALE

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TWO BEDROOM house with 10 lots. North 3rd. Behind Rest Home.

Three Bedroom House in Rochester

Two Bedroom House in Haskell 1302 N. Ave G

Two Bedroom Brick with 5 acres. S.W. of City.

4 bedroom, 2 bath brick with 6 acres on Rule Highway

Clothing store. Building, equipment and fixtures. Owner financing.

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Well located service station. Could be converted; to convenience store.

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CLEAN AND AFFORDABLE 2 BR, 1 bath with utility room, CH/C, ceiling fans, water well and privacy fence, nice location on corner lot.

BRICK STREET Three BR, 2 car garage, 1000 N. Ave F, central air conditioning, beautiful landscaping, trees & fence. Kitchen Appliances Go.

UNDER \$7,000 Really clean small stucco on N. Ave L. Floor Furnace, ample closets & cabinets partly furnished, great storm cellar - own for less than rent.

THREE BEDROOM STUCCO BRICK extra large living room and kitchen, attached garage, 3 window units.

REALLY CLEAN two BDR. has ceiling fans, window units, washer & dryer, range and oven, privacy fence, water well.

COUNTRY HOME ON SMALL ACREAGE 3 BDR. one bath has two car garage, good barn & storm cellar.

NICER OLDER 3 BDR. Close to most downtown churches. Good corner lot, numerous builtins, central H/C

REPO One and one half story, great location on corner lot, new roof, storm windows & doors. Breakfast room, utility room, double fireplace, garage with storage and water well.

FULL 1/2 OR 1/4 BLK. Goes with three BDR older home also storm windows, 2 water wells, some furniture.

PRICE REDUCED Nice two bedroom on small corner lot. Storm cellar.

NORTHSIDE TWO BEDROOM WITH EXTRAS ON CORNER LOT. Garage with Auto opener and large storage bldg. Ceiling fans, range, new floor furnace.

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REALLY NICE WITH LOTS OF EXTRAS. large two bedroom 1 3/4 bath on large corner lot. Has large living room, car garage and concrete storm cellar. Priced right for today's market.

STUCCO BRICK TWO BEDROOM ON CORNER LOT has wooden privacy fence carport, storm cellar, Only \$12,500.00

Haskell tumblers bring home trophy

Haskell's Lone Stars (Tumblers) are off to another successful season. The group brought home the team trophy after competing Saturday in

the Southwest Tumbling and Trampoline acrogymsnastic meet in Rotan.

Fifty-four of the 57 members participated in the Rotan event.

Winning first-place honors were Brandi Smith, Zachary Hudson, Wesley LeFevre, Kelli Jo Moeller, Jodi Thigpen, Jenny Brzozowski, Deborah Wilson, Crystal Watson, Matt Blanks, Marci McSmith.

Tenille Mathis, Kalith Trussell, Debbie Watson, Mik Everett, Kelly Nanny, Tara Moeller, Denise Wilson, Christy Mathis, Sherry Mueller, Shanna Murphy, Shawn Jordan and Amanda Gully.

Second-place ribbon winners were: Ashley Tidrow, Reena Harris, Kevin McSmith, Latisha Trussell, Brittany Bartley, Paula Harvey, Lane Murphy, Kira Poteet, Stephanie Solomon.

Shannon Jordan, Chris McSmith, Casey Burgess, Misty McMeans, Megan Jones, Nacole LeFevre, Rebecca Unger, Natonia Anderson and Micca Jordan.

Third-place honors went to Trac Mathis, Selina Salinas, Josh Gordy, Sherita Tidrow, Jennifer Andress and Heather Stewart.

Those winning fourth places were Brooke McGuire, Bree Burgess, Whitney Hudson, Keith McDonald and Jamie Johnston.



Receive trophies
Deborah Wilson, left, and Tara Moeller of the Haskell Lone Stars accept the team trophies from Larry Robards of Rotan, meet director in Saturday's acrogymsnastics meet in Rotan.

Perry says trucking law relief pending

Farmers and ranchers may get relief from new insurance and safety regulations aimed at the commercial trucking industry, State Rep. Rick Perry of Haskell said this week.

The new rules, which are the result of a state law aimed at bringing Texas into compliance with federal commercial trucking safety standards, have created a storm of controversy among farmers and ranchers who object to burdensome requirements of the regulations.

"It was not the intention of the Legislature to apply these more stringent rules to family farmers and ranchers hauling their own products and livestock," Perry said.

The Texas Railroad Commission is moving toward exempting farmers and ranchers from the additional insurance and permit requirements of

the new law, based on a proposal of the Texas Farm Bureau, Perry said. He also said he was seeking a similar understanding with the Texas Department of Public Safety, which enforces the safety requirements of the new rules.

"These new rules are triggered when a commercial vehicle exceeds 10,000 pounds gross weight," Perry pointed out. "We would have most of the farmers and ranchers in Texas filling out log books and meeting other requirements intended for drivers of the big, over-the-road commercial trucks."

Perry noted that since most farm vehicles are driven only occasionally and for relatively short distances, no opposition is expected for an agricultural exemption.

WTCC announces merger

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has merged with the South Texas Chamber of Commerce to form the new Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The East Texas Chamber of Commerce, headquartered in Longview, is polling its members to come into the new statewide business organization by Jan. 1.

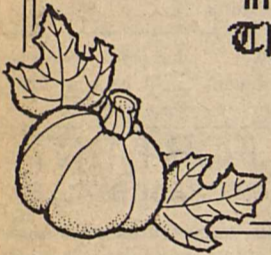
Established in December 1918, the WTCC was the original regional chamber in Texas, representing 132 counties, or 60 percent of the geographical landmass of the state.

Every year you say you're going to do it. Quit cigarette smoking, that is. On Thursday, Nov. 19, join the Great American Smokeout. Quitting never felt so good.

WE WILL BE CLOSED
Thurs., Fri. and Sat., Nov. 26, 27 & 28
in observance of
Thanksgiving



We appreciate your business!
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German Sausage Each **99¢**

Pork Roast lb. **99¢**

Fresh Sausage Market Made lb. **99¢**

Sliced Bacon No. 1 lb. **\$1.29**

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Milk Parade Gallon **\$1.99**

Pineapple 20 oz. can **49¢**

Green Beans Del Monte Whole **49¢**

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Farm Bureau

Texas Farm Bureau, the state's largest farm organization, will hold its 54th annual meeting in Lubbock Nov. 29-Dec. 2.

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