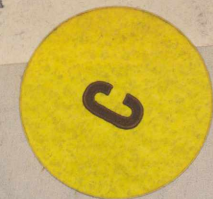
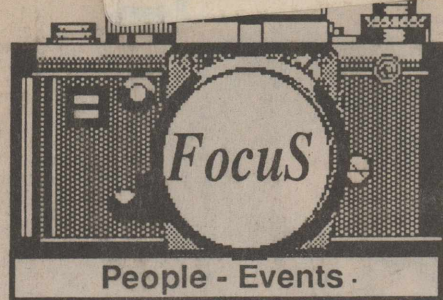


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After-game frolic at Baptist church

"Frolickin' Fellowship in FAC at FBC" is what Baptist youth director Randy McLelland is calling Friday night's after-game party. That translates into "Frolickin' Fellowship in Family Activity Center at First Baptist Church."

All students from grades 7 through 12 are invited to attend the party which begins immediately after the conclusion of the Haskell-Munday football game. Doors will be locked 30 minutes after the game and no one will be admitted after that.

McLelland said there will be "lots of fun, food, games and fellowship" until midnight.

Acting postmaster serving in Haskell

Aspermont postmaster Lola Gholson is serving as interim postmaster at the Haskell post office, as of this week.

She will fill the position for about three months until a successor to Joe Alves is selected.

Alves has been transferred to the Abilene post office.

Golf tourney this weekend

The annual member-guest full-handicap golf tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday at the Haskell Country Club.

Tee time each day will be 1 p.m. Entry fee is \$100 per team and the field will be limited to the first 20 teams signing up.

A supper Saturday night will be catered by Markey's Place. For those not playing in the tournament, the meal will cost \$5.

To make reservations for the supper or for other information about the tournament, call David Burson (864-3955) or the Country Club (864-3400).

School starts here today

The long summer vacation comes to an end today (Thursday) when Haskell students begin the 1988-89 school term.

A flag-raising ceremony will mark the opening of the new term at the Haskell secondary school, followed by the band playing the national anthem and the student body reciting the pledge of allegiance.

Bank franchise fees paid

Eight Haskell County taxing units have received checks from the state comptroller totaling \$33,895.17 representing bank franchise tax allocations.

The bank franchise tax rate is the same as the state's corporate franchise tax rate--\$6.70 per \$1,000 of taxable capital and surplus. The Texas Legislature authorized the bank franchise tax in 1984, and the tax was collected for the first time in 1985.

A portion of the tax goes into the state's general revenue fund, but most of it is allocated to local tax jurisdictions.

Here is how the latest bank franchise taxes were distributed:

Haskell Independent School District: \$11,844.38.

Rule Independent School District: \$3,383.61.

Rochester Independent School District: \$1,813.50.

City of Haskell: \$3,366.77.

City of Rule: \$698.36.

City of Rochester: \$673.83.

Haskell County: \$8,443.46.

Haskell County Hospital District: \$3,671.20.

Indians host Munday in season opener Friday

The 1988 edition of the Haskell Indians will be unveiled before the homefolks Friday night when the Indians host top-ranked Munday in the season opener for both schools.

Kickoff is at 8 p.m. Coach Nelson Coulter sent his team through a three-hour workout Monday night, the longest of the pre-season practices, in an effort to work

out some of the rough spots which showed up in last Friday's scrimmage against Aspermont.

"Our defense looked pretty good at Aspermont," the coach said, "but we were pretty flat on offense. Our defense is far ahead of our offense right now."

Haskell will get a strong test against the invading Moguls, the No.

1 rated Class A team in Texas. The Indians haven't defeated Munday since 1982 when they won 29-0. Last year, Haskell lost by two points on a field goal by Lowell Hutchens as time ran out, and the year before that the two teams battled to a 14-14 standoff.

Coulter said he was looking forward to playing Munday until he saw them in a couple of scrimmages against Hamlin and Anson. "They're better than last year," the Haskell coach said. "At least last year, we knew who was going to get the ball," referring to last year's Munday sensation Anthony Stinnett who has graduated.

Pacing the Mogul attack will be twin brothers Perry and Terry Collier at the halfback slots. Veteran quarterback Marc Andrade is also back. They will be joined in the backfield by fullback Chad Bordovsky.

On defense, the Mogul line is led by Hutchens, the 265-pound tackle who won last year's game.

Haskell coaches used Monday's lengthy practice not only to iron out problems, but to make final personnel decisions. As of Tuesday, it looked like the Indian starters would line up this way:

OFFENSE
Center: Bo Watson.
Guards: Roger Roewe and Robert Swann or Randy Adams.

Tackles: Paul Harvey and Eric Mullen.

Ends: Josh Reid and Alberto Alvarez.

Quarterback: Chan Guess.

Halfbacks: Rodney Johnson and Jonathan Dever.

Fullback: Derrick Billington.

DEFENSE

Nose guard: Robert Swann.

Tackles: Roger Rowe and Eric Mullen.

Ends: Bo Watson and Scotty Martin.

Linebackers: Paul Harvey and Fred Shaw or Rodney Johnson.

Cornerbacks: Chan Guess and Alberto Alvarez.

Safeties: Derrick Billington and Josh Reid.



100th anniversary

Posing at a sign proclaiming "A Great Celebration" at the First Baptist Church are Randy McLelland, youth director; the Rev. Jimmy Turner, pastor; and Ford Cole, music director. The celebration, scheduled Sept. 3-7, will mark the 100th anniversary of the Haskell church.

'New Challenges' topic of conference

Help in facing tomorrow's challenges is being offered Haskell area families at the annual meeting in Vernon Sept. 8 of the Rolling Plains Economic Program (R-PEP).

Rural families, as well as their urban counterparts, are faced daily with new challenges and new opportunities, said Elaine Houston, district director with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The R-PEP conference is designed to help families make these decisions and cope with the stress they entail, she noted.

R-PEP is a regional organization which promotes economic growth and development in a 30-county area.

The conference will be in the Wilbarger County Auditorium, 2100 Yampirika St. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. The \$7.50 fee includes lunch. Advance registration may be made at the local county extension office.

Theme for this year's conference is "Forward Through the '90s," said Ken Lane, Haskell radio executive and R-PEP chairman.

Concurrent sessions during the

morning offer tips and techniques on several critical concerns of Rolling Plains families. Stress management will be the topic of Dr. Lynne Thibodeaux, extension 4-H specialist from College Station. Pam Pyson of Wichita Falls, project director for the Student Theater for Awareness Group, will lead a session on youth development.

Water quality will be the topic of Dr. John Sweeten of College Station, extension agricultural engineer and water specialist. Marketing alternatives for agricultural products will be explained by Dr. Carl Anderson of College Station, extension agricultural economist and marketing specialist.

Options for economic development funding will be explored by David Scott of Abilene, supervisor of area development for West Texas Utilities.

In the keynote address at lunch, Thibodeaux will examine ways to simplify today's challenges to better enjoy tomorrow.

Exhibits will display new computer technology and marketing strategies.



Zenta Kroushinsky with granddaughter, Lisa Cheatham, and great-granddaughter, Courtney.



Prepare for season

Haskell cheerleaders have been going through pre-season practice sessions in getting ready for the opening of the football season.

Haskell hospital gets Medicare 'gig'

By Don Comedy
Free Press Publisher

A Medicare survey team last week found the Laboratory at Haskell Memorial Hospital out of compliance with Medicare regulations. The finding will reduce the number of lab tests which the Hospital can perform.

The lab is capable of doing about 300 different tests and the Medicare finding will allow all of those tests to be performed except six.

Hospital officials were quick to add that Medicare patients can still be treated and steps have already been taken to get the lab back into full compliance as soon as possible. At a special called meeting of the Hospital Board and Medical Staff Monday evening, it was agreed that a new set of checklists would be used to insure that the lab remain in compliance.

The out of compliance finding apparently came as a result of a series of lab tests which Medicare requires of all hospitals on a quarterly basis. The local labs take the substance, perform various tests and mail the results back. The results are then analyzed to determine if the lab personnel and equipment are up to standards. The Medicare team found documentation that the tests had been performed but did not find the report which approved the tolerances.

According to Hospital officials, if the finding had been serious instead of reducing the number of lab tests by only six, the survey team could have com-

pletely removed the Hospital from participation in the Medicare program. In twenty-three years of Medicare inspections, last Friday marks the first time the local hospital has been found out of compliance.

With the board action Monday night, it is hoped that a new series of tests can be received in the very near future and that the lab can be back in full compliance within 30 to 45 days. All that is needed to get back in compliance is the completion of the control tests. Hospital officials will then request that a Medicare team come back and perform another survey of the deficiencies. If the results of that inspection are satisfactory, the restrictions will be removed.

The Medicare team which performed the inspection last Thursday and Friday was composed of five persons who completed a checklist of virtually every aspect of hospital operation. The checklist is contained in a 165 page document.

Administrator Bud Comedy said it is a regular occurrence for hospitals to be found out of compliance and at the present time several area hospitals are out of compliance. "The main thing to understand is that we can still provide service to patients including Medicare patients and that the necessary steps have already been taken to get the lab back in compliance as soon as possible," said Comedy. She added that of the six tests which can not be performed until the lab is back in compliance, in most instances there are other indicators which can be used for treatment instead of the tests.

Haskell visitor recalls frightful days in Russia

By Marsha G. Whittemore
Mrs. Victor Kroushinsky of Burnet, Texas, is a petite, quiet, 86-year-old German lady with the priceless knowledge of where she has been and a zealous determination of where she is going. Speaking four different languages, she has traveled half way around the world to tell others about her Lord.

Her story begins in Haapsalu, Estonia, Soviet State of Russia, taking her through the years of sharing a happy childhood with five sisters and a brother, to the raging destruction of World War I and the German-Russian Revolution.

Her story continues through the

aftermath of hunger, fear and pain into a new world, America. Arriving in America in the 1930s she found a Great Depression had caused pain and hunger across the land--but in America there was freedom.

Mrs. Kroushinsky recently visited her granddaughter in Haskell, Lisa Cheatham and Paul Cheatham, and her new great-granddaughter, Courtney. Paul is pastor of East Side Baptist Church of Haskell.

"I was born in Haapsalu, Estonia of Russia in 1902, July 24. So quiet and beautiful along the coast of the Baltic Sea and the Gulf of Finland, this place where we lived," said Zenta Offenbergs Kroushinsky in her soft

German-Russian accent. "My father, Alexander Offenbergs, and his father grew up there. As a young man, my father tried for the military but was not strong enough. This was before his marriage to my mother. My father was very shy and was afraid to ask for her hand so he grew a beard...then he asked for her hand in marriage.

"His first job was secretary to the governor of Estonia at St. Petersburg. We had wonderful parents, very strict and we never ate with the adults, but we had good times. We were a family of six girls and one boy. Our parents never fought or did we ever hear bad

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Victor and Deen Lowery

Reception to honor Lowery couple

Friends and relatives are invited to share memories and help celebrate the 40th wedding anniversary of Victor and Deen Lowery of Haskell.

A reception is scheduled between 3 and 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 3, in

the fellowship hall of the Haskell Church of Christ.

Hosting the reception will be their children: Terry and Kathy Lowery of Levelland and Ted and Beth Komorowski of Abilene.

They also have six grandchildren.

--Haskell Nursing Center--

By Debbie Merchant

The residents and staff of Haskell Nursing Center send our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Lucille McCurley. Mrs. McCurley had been a long time resident of our home.

Two of our residents are in the

Mrs. Cobb marks 93rd birthday

Sunday, Aug. 21, was a red letter day for Mrs. S. G. (Esta) Cobb.

With the help of her friends, she celebrated her 93rd birthday. Eighteen of the members from the Senior Citizens of First Baptist Church descended on her at 4 p.m. with a birthday cake, ice cream, cards and gift. A poem, written especially for her birthday by Ann Taylor Fisher of Longview, was read. Lots of fun was had in talking over old times.

Those attending were Allene Wheatley, Mary Martin, Emma Bland, Lois Sherman, Erma Russell, Earmel Bevel, Virginia Henshaw, Vivian Robertson, Retha Mullins, Nettie McCollum, Ozelle Frierson, Maragret Wall, Lola Everett, Lorene Dewey, Lola Henshaw and Esta's daughter, Evelyn Gillespie.

hospital, Mr. Ireman Whitaker and Mr. E. W. Cox. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Our residents enjoyed a sing-along with Bro. Dale of the Church of Christ Thursday morning.

Thanks goes to Mr. Twain Mickler for the cantaloupes he brought to the residents of HNC.

The First Baptist Church ladies had the monthly birthday party on Monday. Those having birthdays were Thelma Voglesang, Kathryn Mitchell, Milton Tidrow, Harriett Sims, R. L. Andrews and Pearl Conner.

Those visiting with us have been: Ann Buford of Houston; Brad Buford of Weatherford; Doris Bassing; Nell Rodgers; Bennie Whelton and daughter; Beth Redwine of Abilene, Lois Nicholson and Moneta Newman with Claribell Cathey.

Karen Johnson and Marcus with Fannie Wilson; Mary Lou Speck with Doc and Vannah Carmack; John Usry of Carlsbad and Mrs. A. J. Barbee of Odessa with Bessie Hockett.

Ed and Lucy Hicks of Comanche with Adelaide Hicks.

Student selected for recognition

Marcy M. Davis has been selected as a member of the Outstanding College Students of America in recognition of outstanding merit and accomplishments as a college student.

A student at the University of Tennessee, she is the daughter of David C. Davis and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Britt Moon of Haskell.

Pancake supper to be Friday

Pancakes will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 Friday evening by the Haskell Lions Club.

The annual pancake supper will precede the Haskell-Munday football game.

Admission will be \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

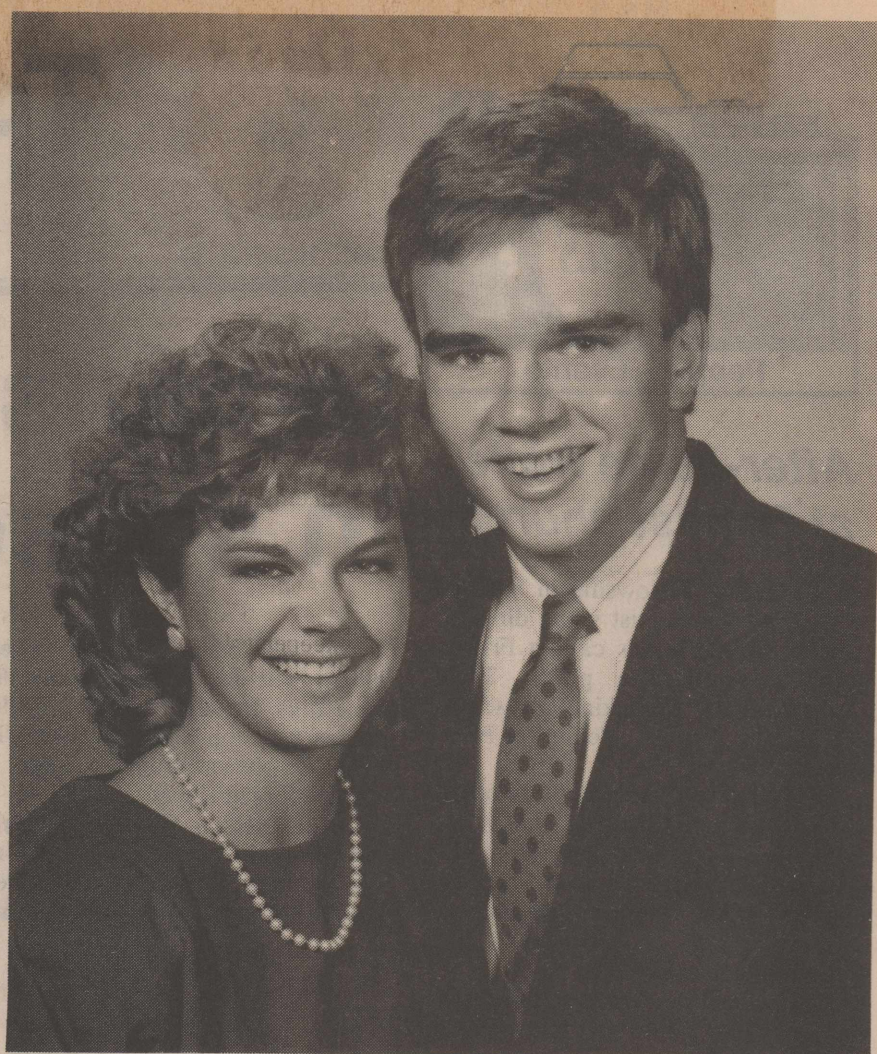
Ann Boles winner in Anson art show

Best of show winner in the adult division of the Jones County Fair Art Show was Ann Boles of Hamlin, formerly of Haskell. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haynes.

Winning best of show in the youth division of the art show was Scott Boles, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haynes.

Mrs. Boles, who teaches adult and children's art class, had many of her students to win ribbons in the youth and amateur division of the show. The judge was Mrs. Sherwood Suter, professor of art at McMurry College.

Mrs. Boles is a graduate of Haskell High School and was taught art by Mrs. Gladys O'Neal.



Shannon Lane and James Martin Williams

Lane-Williams engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Lane have announced the engagement of their daughter, Shannon Dell, to James Martin Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carrel Porterfield of Atlanta, Texas, and the late W. C. Williams.

The bride-elect graduated from Haskell High School and Texas A&M University with a bachelor's degree in business administration.

She is employed by Dental Medical

Economics, Inc., in Dallas.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Atlanta High School and Baylor University with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He is employed by Arthur Young and Company in Dallas.

A Nov. 5 wedding is planned at the First United Methodist Church in Haskell.

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Haskell visitor recalls frightful days in Russia

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words. We never, never, talk back. If we would say something...our head face to corner.

"My grandfather and my father were very musical. We all loved great music. My father was promoted to acting commissioner of the capital city, Tallinn, beautiful city. He received guests that came into the city and arranged for the orchestras to play around the city. Many times the imperial families would come to hear. In early days, Tchaikovsky came and played his music.

"I went to German kindergarten. Then I went to Russian High Schools. Schools were not separated as in America.

"My father retired and received his pension. I was young girl, 11, when the World War I and the German-Russian Revolution began and lasted many years. Nicholas, the Czar abdication (March 1917) and in November the Solsheviks, the communists, seized power.

"The time was awful. My father lost his pension. The church helped us, there was no food...hardly eat at all. We moved to grandmother's and lived in small apartment.

"Where I lived first (Haapsalu) my father's superior fled. Our pastor was dragged out of parsonage and beaten. They left him for dead. His wife came and dragged him in home.

"We lived in capitol city and went out only by night. My mother told me to go to the movie house and see about people. I went at night. It was unbelievable. People lined the floor, they were crying and hungry. I ran and told my mother. Before anyone could help they were brought by wagons to Siberia and killed.

"My brother was visiting his

friend, Baron Tiesenhuen, very old family lived in a town house and had housekeeper. The communist soldiers and sailors came with guns criss-crossed on chest and announced, "bring them to Siberia."

"Suddenly the door opened, they burst in and find all things, the jewelry hid in the couches and know where money was in the banks. It was taken to enrich themselves. Housekeeper told to save own skin. They carried my brother's friend to siberia. As my brother was about to leave they say, 'Who are you? Where do you live?'

"My grandmother and family had beautiful valuables hid in attic. We would sell jewelry to eat. My grandmother's money had no value. She had been wealthy. She had fabric mill in Poland where she made silks and fine materials.

"My brother came home and said, 'Prepare yourself.' I was only 14. My heart was beating, I was so afraid waiting for the night. My mother was crying. We could hear bombardment. Now, today, they can destroy a whole city in one minute.

"About 6 or 7 that night, the knock came and my father went to the door. My grandmother's brother stood in the door way and yelled, while holding up a big ham, 'The Germans are coming, the Germans are coming'. We could not believe!

"We were safe! Oh, how long since we'd seen a ham. I ran out, lots of people were standing outside. I was so happy...I was a child.

"That night the communists went underground. The admiral that walked in front of the men was said to be brother of the emperor of Germany. Soldiers walk all night across the frozen sea to get there. They were given rest and order was created. Food

was rationed for we had gone hungry so long. We had music again. As long as the Germans were there we had peace.

"War was over...coming to end between German-Russian Revolution. The czar, Nicholas II and his family were killed by the Bolsheviks (July 1918). Lenin was in control and nothing would ever be the same. I was 16 and had lived a lifetime.

"I first visited America by invitation from relatives who had been invited by their children. I was working two jobs and had half-year vacation. I worked for the German School Department. I had to return or lose my job. I went back and the Revolution had started all over again, millions were killed.

"My relatives paid my fare, \$500, to come back. They knew I wasn't a Christian and want me to come to America. Since I was little child, I was always looking for God. I heard about Jesus and I want to know there was God. Like a red silk thread running through my life. Where is God?

"My husband, Victor Kroushinsky, had come to America many years before. He was born in ancient city of Zhitomir, near Kier of Real Russia. He was officer in the White Russian military. The czar was ruler then and the people were happy, but when the Bolsheviks the communist Red Army, took over the people were afraid of being sent to Siberia and killed or go to camps and never heard from again.

"After the war he was picked up by English fleet that was taking refugees out to where they wanted to go. He asked to go to Constantinople, Turkey, a gate through to Mediterranean Sea. There he worked in American Red Cross as a presser of linens. He asked and received help to enter as immigrant to America. At first knowing not the language he took what ever job he could find.

"We met in New York at a party. We were married with no children...very poor. Victor washed cars and I worked in factory. I would take embroidery home to work at nights.

"And then we would take Russian books home from library. Victor wanted only to speak Russian for he was proud of heritage; but I wanted to know English too. So I learned all I could. One day I took book called 'Religions of the World.' Among them the author decribed Christianity. He said the Holy Spirit can reveal to

us God. That was it for me. I was convicted and I told God, I'm sorry.

"I always prayed and when I came to this country I never stopped praying for my family. My cousin sent invitation for us to come and work in New Jersey. We quit our jobs and went there by train.

"Aunt Dasha had always written back to Estonia to families pointing the way to the Lord. She wanted to go to this great revival in New York, but could only speak Russian. I could speak different languages now. I said, 'I will go with you.'

"We came to huge place...how happy the people were. I could not understand why they were so happy. Three young men who became Christians while in prison, now serious missionaries, were leading the meeting. First day I felt fine and second day I felt at home. The third day I thought I had it all. What else do I need? Young man began to sing 'Just As I Am,' inviting to come forward.

"Then another person was in front of me, Jesus, holding out arms... 'Zenta, give me your heart.' I was crying. A great burden pressed down my heart. The Lord went away and we went home. I could see in my aunt's eyes her concern. My husband and children were asleep already.

"I was chain smoker then. I told my cousin and my aunt I'd be all right. I took a cigarette and a match, and went out to set on bench. 'O Lord, if you will take the terrible pain away, I'll never smoke again.' I threw the cigarette and match away.

"I went into our little room and the Lord was there. The light in his loving deep eyes, most beautiful. I said 'Lord, not thy will but thine.' And that was it...if that's what salvation means I want to live in heaven now. He took me to high mountain, 'You must stay and witness.'

"How hard when I first witnessed. I came up to this woman ahead of me that looked very poor. At this time, 5 cents was very hard to get. I had 5 cents and a tract so I slipped up behind her, quickly putting the 5 cents and the tract in her pocket. She took off screaming and I took off the other way running as fast as I could go. The Lord told me, 'Behold, I am with you.' Good lesson!

"The Lord from the beginning taught me to witness, but also how to be a victorious Christian through His word. I witness to thousands. I would go out in the evenings and talk to everyone I met on the street.

"One day the landlord said, 'You have two children. You must look for another apartment.' We went to live in New York City off Times Square. My cousin, partly Russian, member of small Baptist church, said, 'Come to our church. You don't have to do anything, just fill the bench.' How God had different plans!

"I was having hard time with this not being needed. 'Lord, why should I go there and fill bench? I'm hurt and can't have fellowship.' The Lord told me I must forgive. 'Lord, I can't forget.' I found the Holy Spirit gives to us comfort if we follow the Lord.

"I kept on witnessing for the Lord. The evenings when I would finish my work and go, my husband would keep the children. I would put prints in my window saying a verse of scripture for all the people to see. The neighborhood was full of non-Christians. The children would throw big stones through our windows. My little Irene was so scared, she was trembling. So scared.

"When our children were in school we moved to Long Island. New York was so noisy place. We found two-story house. Friends were leaving, told us we could have their piano, but must come get it. I was thrilled and I went to get piano while they moved us. First I clean very good. You know those little bugs.

"Ten years now I had witness for the Lord. God wills such boldness. I told Him, 'Lord, here I witness, I love thee; but I don't like myself. There must be something better.' Elisha wanted double portion of what had been Elijah portion. 'Lord I want double portion.'

"Many years ago in Estonia, I painted a painting I treasured most. So I tore my painting up and gave it to the Lord. I gave all. He said, 'Give thyself to the Lord. I want you as you are.' I took the pieces and put them together. It hangs in my daughter's home now.

"The Lord led me through daily life. Victor kept children and I went on trolley car to a private home for prayer meeting. We each go through our own valley. Was I getting tired?

"Then the Lord showed me the parishing world. You couldn't put a dog between them. He said, 'Are you going to leave them?' Compassion for the lost. Never, never ask questions. Such a precious lesson.

"Later I became ill. I didn't care to do in the house nothing. I had wanted to keep my church in New York so I went, when I came home and climbed the stairs. I wasn't able to do anything. 'Lord, please,' and I fell asleep.

"Lesson: Zenta you are my servant. You rebel. I have work for you to do. I remembered Jona rebelled. Next morning I got up feeling I had never been sick. I cleaned house and cared for my children.

"We lived in Long Island for 17 years. My husband worked over 20 years in Lion Match Company. We moved to Florida and for 10 years I

told the people of my Lord. Then the children wanted us to move to Texas. Victor died in summer of '83.

"Our daughter Irene, Lisa's mother, lives in Springtown. She works for Springtown School District and her husband Frank is music director for First Baptist Church. They have a son, Eric, who just married.

"I had to be in America five years to become citizen. I have never missed to vote. America is wonderful big country. I could never get over so much spacious land. The country is what is written on the Statue of Liberty, 'Give me your poor and homeless, despised, and hungry.' When we passed her, we feel good.

"My son, Alex, lives in Moscow. Director for Pan American Airways for three years. He will be home soon. One sister, Wanda Kablitz, lives in West Germany. She came over two years ago. First time we are together in 50 years. My brother works in shipping agency located in Southern part of Black Forest."

Mrs. Kroushinsky finished her story. She removed her glasses and brushed a wisp of silver hair from her face. Sitting majestically with sparkling eyes, beside her granddaughter and great-granddaughter, you could see God's will had been done in her life and by no means was it over.

As a young girl in the country of Estonia, Russia, she had gone out with a group of friends one day taking her paints. To the others she said, "Go ahead. I'll just sit here and try to catch the beauty of the day." And so with each day as she she continues her quest.

Register Friday for tumbling

Tumbling students will register from 3 to 5 p.m. Friday in the Community Room of the First National Bank.

Classes will be offered on Tuesday in pre-school through advanced levels. Cost is \$25 a month, plus \$10 for insurance and registration for the first month.

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If you receive the entire balance of a pension, profit-sharing, or similar plan within one tax year, you may, if you meet certain requirements, treat some of it as long-term capital gain and elect special averaging of the ordinary income portion. Remember, to avoid a penalty tax, you must withdraw some retirement holdings each year, beginning no later than April 1 following the year you reach 70 1/2.

You do not pay taxes on social security benefits unless other taxable income plus one-half of the benefits (plus any taxexempt interest) is more than \$32,000 for a married couple filing jointly, or \$25,000 for a single person. Even then, only one-half of the benefits are taxable.

All taxpayers age 55 or older have a one-time election to sell a home, condominium, or co-op, which they owned and lived in for at least 3 of the 5 years preceding the sale, and exclude up to \$125,000 of gain.

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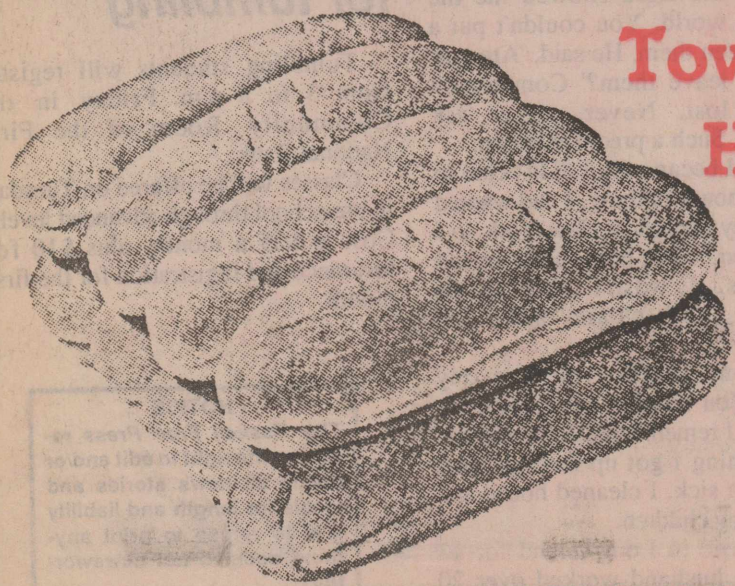
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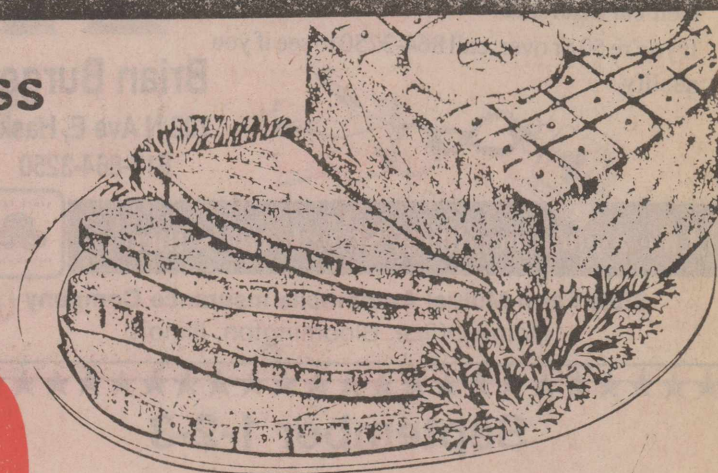
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Annual FUNDay event scheduled

The annual FUNDay for friends of Congressman and Mrs. Charles Stenholm is scheduled Saturday, Sept. 10, at the Ericksdahl picnic grounds east of Stamford.

For the past 10 years, the old-fashioned political picnic has been held by Stenholm friends as a fundraiser at the rural community where the congressman grew up.

Tickets are priced at \$10, the same price they have been since the

beginning.

Several of Stenholm's Washington colleagues will be present to meet and talk to his 17th congressional district friends. Among them will be:

•Congressman Jake Pickle, who was born in Roscoe and now represents the Austin area. He is the third ranking Democrat member of the Ways and Means Committee. Social Security legislation and all tax matters are in the realm of this committee.

•Congressman W. J. "Billy" Tauzin of Louisiana. He serves on the Energy and Commerce Committee. His Louisiana district has extensive oil and gas production and Tauzin concentrates on these matters.

•Congressman Roy Rowland of Georgia, the only general practitioner of medicine in the U.S. Congress. Dr. Rowland represents a largely rural area surrounding Macon. He is a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth and Families.

Hawkins, Vaughn reunion

The sixth annual Hawkins-Vaughn reunion was held Aug. 19 at Abilene State Park. There were 51 family members and six guests present.

Everyone enjoyed a meal of brisket, red beans, potato salad and all the trimmings on Saturday, prepared by the women.

After lunch, the 42 tournament was held with 12 entrants. Winners were Cathy Hawkins of Georgetown and Phillip Cockerell of Cisco, with runnersup being Yvonne Hufhines of Dimmitt and Dolan Vaughn of Panhandle.

The business meeting was held after supper and called to order by Darlene Conn of Haskell. Ernest Rolland of Comanche, Okla., held the memorial service. Site and dates were discussed and it was decided to keep the same site, and the date would be decided later. Motion carried to keep same officers.

Ernest Rolland of Comanche, Okla., was recognized as being the oldest member present. Michael Shawn Hawkins of Haskell was recognized as the youngest. Dolan and Karon Vaughn of Panhandle were recognized as traveling the farthest and coming in a convertible. Pam Becker of Goldthwaite won the family quilt.

The kids enjoyed playing bingo and winning prizes after the business meeting. The adults all enjoyed fellowship.

Independence important to elders

Older adults are in better control of their destiny if they properly prepare themselves, says a specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Learning to cope with emotional, social and financial situations is very important to the happiness of older adults," said Dr. Judith Warren. "Enhancing independence in older adults is one of the goals to the extension gerontology educational programs."

Speaking during the state faculty conference of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Dr. Alice Franzke of St. Mary's University in San Antonio told the group that being old is bad only because our culture says it is bad.

'Jack & Jill' tourney planned

The Haskell Country Club will host a Jack and Jill Couple's golf tournament Saturday, Sept. 10. Starting time will be 1:30. Entry fee is \$35 per team.

There will be a buffet supper, door prizes and free champagne.

For further information, call the country club at 864-3400 or the First National Bank at 864-8555.

--Market Report--

Haskell Livestock Auction

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction Saturday was a run of 1,442 head of cattle.

Prices of packer cows and bulls were \$1 to \$2 lower; feeder heifers were \$2 to \$3 higher; feeder steers were \$2 to \$3 higher; stocker cattle were steady with very good demand; and all pairs and springers were steady with quality unattractive.

Cows: fat 46-50; cutters 48-54; canners 40-48.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs 120-130; 300-400 lbs. 100-110; 400-500 lbs. 87-105;

500-600 lbs. 80-90; 600-700 lbs. 75-88.50; 700-800 lbs. 75-82; 800 lbs. and up 70-75.

Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs. 95-110; 300-400 lbs. 90-100; 400-500 lbs. 80-90; 500-600 lbs. 72-79; 600 lbs. and up 70-78.50.

Bred heifers: medium frame 400-500.

Bred cows: young to middle aged 550-650; aged or small 450-500.

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Cancer unit ends best year

The Haskell unit of the American Cancer Society held its final meeting of the 1988 fiscal year Aug. 22 at the Community Room of the First National Bank.

Mary Kaigler, president, thanked those present for the work done during the year and cited figures to show the growth of the local unit. She announced that the Haskell unit

had had the best year since the unit was begun and that the crusade and other fund-raisers had made for a most satisfactory year. She added that 684 adults had been reached and 1,513 children with over 3,000 pieces of literature distributed.

Bill Bailey of the Abilene office praised the Haskell unit for its outstanding volunteer work and announced that the Haskell unit would be awarded the Silver Achievement Award, the second highest award in the state.

Recognized as the outstanding volunteers for 1987 were Melba and Bobby Howard, who have sponsored and hosted the fall barn dance, the unit's largest fund-raising event. Plans are being formulated to sponsor the 1988 barn dance to be held some

time in October. Mr. and Mrs. Howard were presented with a plaque designating them as Haskell's outstanding volunteers.

Also recognized for publicity and community relations was radio station KVRP. The presentation was made to Joel Fox. In further recognition of publicity, The Haskell Free Press was presented with a plaque, accepted by editor Wendell Faught.

In her final address to the group, Mrs. Kaigler again thanked all who had helped to make the year so successful and welcomed the new officers for 1989: Wendell Faught, president; Nancy Plunkett, secretary; and Anita Payne, treasurer.

The new president announced the medical and lay personnel chairmen for the coming year: Jo Cox, Mary Kaigler, Anita Payne, Tanya Cypert, Anita Perry, Dr. Joe E. Thigpen, Carolyn Pippin, Selina McGuire and Sandy Clay.

Delegates to the Sept. 15 district meeting to be hosted by Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene will be Wendell Faught, Carolyn Pippin, Nancy Plunkett, Anita Payne and Mary Kaigler. The Haskell unit will be presented with its Silver Achievement Award at the district meeting.

Meetings of the Haskell unit of the American Cancer Society are scheduled on the first Monday of each month, beginning at 6 p.m.

--School Menu--

"Offer versus Serve" is a serving method designed to reduce food waste and food cost in the national school lunch program.

The difference in schools implementing "Offer versus Serve" is in what a student is required to take of the offered lunch. In schools not implementing this program, a student must take the entire five-food item lunch in the full portion offered. In schools implementing "Offer versus Serve", a student may decline or take a smaller portion of one or two food items. The "Offer versus Serve" provision must include all menu items and not be limited to any one specific item. The five food items consist of meat or meat alternate, vegetable and fruit, bread or bread alternate, and milk.

There will be a weekly menu sent home with elementary children. One will be posted in each room. The menu will be in the Free Press and on KVRP radio each morning at 6:30.

The cooperation of everyone will be appreciated in helping us carry out this program. If there are any questions concerning the program, feel free to contact Zella Moeller at the high school cafeteria office or call 864-2707.

(This is a program which will be used in the elementary school this year. The program has been carried out in the junior high and high school for a number of years.)

- Sept. 5-9 LUNCH**
- Monday:** Beef and spaghetti, tossed salad with dressing, buttered corn, hot rolls with butter, orange halves, milk or tea.
 - Tuesday:** Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls with butter, fruit salad, milk or tea.
 - Wednesday:** Meat balls with brown gravy, scalloped potatoes, English peas, hot rolls with butter, sliced peaches, milk or tea.
 - Thursday:** Fish nuggets, catsup or tartar sauce, pinto beans, cole slaw, cornbread with butter, sliced pineapple, milk or tea.

Friday: Cheeseburgers, curly Q's with catsup, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, ice cream, milk or tea.

- BREAKFAST**
- Monday:** Grape juice, cinnamon toast, milk.
 - Tuesday:** Apple juice, Malt-O-Meal, milk.
 - Wednesday:** Orange juice, waffles with syrup, milk.
 - Thursday:** Pineapple juice, biscuits with jelly, milk.
 - Friday:** Fruit juice, cereal, milk.

Outlook for teens pessimistic

A national survey of teenagers by the American Home Economics Association shows that most teens believe life will be harder for them than it was for their parents.

Money, the future and health were the issues that most concerned the high school juniors and seniors who were polled.

The survey showed a startling pessimism, with one-third of the respondents saying that the United States is going "steadily downhill" and 45 percent saying that the world is getting worse in general. Thirty percent of the teenagers--41 percent among Blacks--said the United States is heading for an economic depression.

On the other hand, most said they are enjoying their adolescence, with only one-fifth saying they believed their parents had more fun as teenagers than they are having.

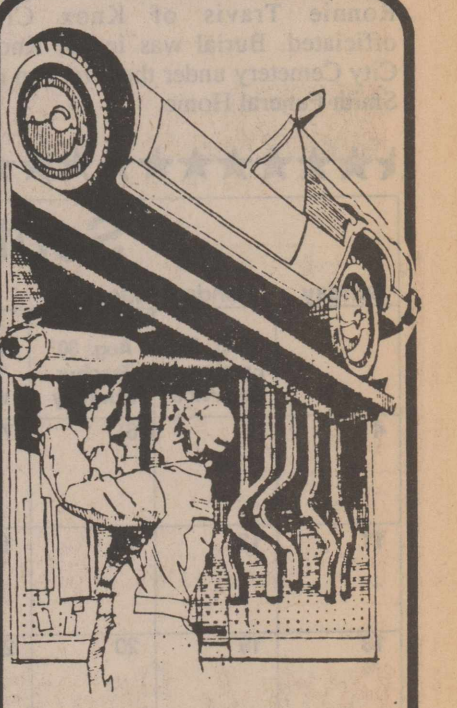
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Play night winners named

Results of the Haskell Horse Club play night Saturday were:

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Poles: 1. Kelli Moeller, 2. Mitchell Cox.
- 8 and Under**
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Flags: 1. Byron Gray, 2. Jodi Pope, 3. Shannon Jordan.
Poles: 1. Byron Gray, 2. Shannon Jordan, 3. Amy Aycock.
- 9 to 13**
Barrels: 1. Robert Vahlenkamp, 2. Shawn Jordan, 3. Susan Jarred.
Flags: 1. Robert Vahlenkamp, 2. Shawn Jordan.
Poles: 1. Robert Vahlenkamp, 2. Shawn Jordan.
- 14 to 18**
Barrels: 1. Heidi Mullins.
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Open barrel race: 1. Dianna Jarred.

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Soccer sign-up delayed to 10th

Due to the Labor Day weekend, the sign-up for the soccer program has been postponed until next Saturday, Sept. 10. Youngsters will sign up at 9 a.m. at the practice field.

Anyone interested in coaching, refereeing or helping in other ways is asked to attend an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. Sept. 8 at the First National Bank Community Room.

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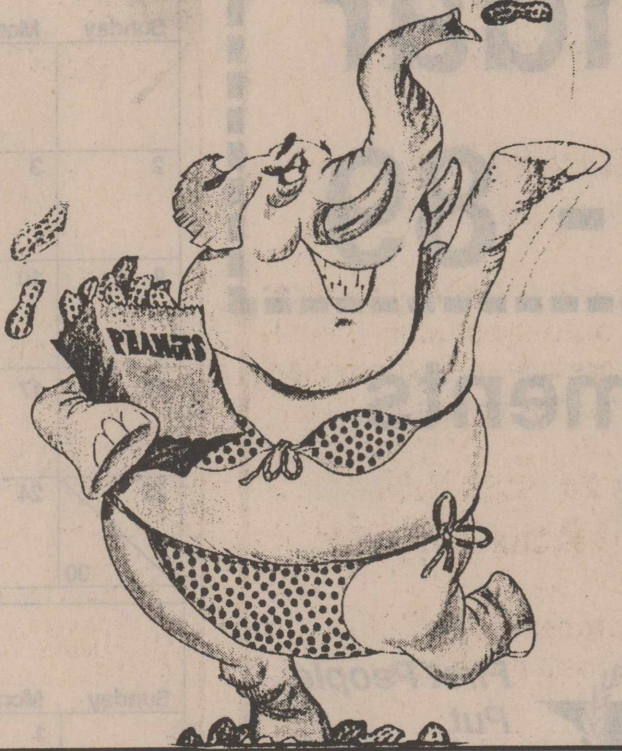
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--Obituaries--



Floy (Lucille) McCurley

Lucille McCurley

Floy (Lucille) McCurley, 88, died early last Wednesday morning in the Haskell Nursing Center after a long illness.

Funeral services were Thursday afternoon in the First Baptist Church in Knox City. The Rev. Mike McKinney of Childress and the Rev. Ronnie Travis of Knox City officiated. Burial was in the Knox City Cemetery under the direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. McCurley was born July 25, 1900, in Comanche County. Her parents were the late S. J. and Clara Isham. She married I. E. Goodson in 1918 in Comanche County and they moved to Knox City and farmed until his death in 1944. She moved to Haskell and married Frank McCurley in 1950; he died in 1975. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Haskell for 44 years and of the Deborah Sunday School Class and Sunshine Sewing Club.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Martell and E. H. Tankersley of Knox City; a granddaughter and her husband, Nell and Ken Williams of Abilene; a grandson and his wife, Jimmy and Ann Tankersley of Knox City; a granddaughter-in-law, Judy Tankersley-Mitchell of Seymour; two sisters, Opal Snow of Fort Worth and Ruth Howell of Dallas; and 13 grandchildren.

Great-grandsons served as pallbearers, Payton Tankersley, Brian Tankersley, Ken Williams II, Greg Clonts, Boyce Tankersley, Shane Lewis and Brad Megert.

Christine Hancock

Christine Hancock, 72, died Aug. 24 at Baptist Medical Center in Benton, Ark. She was a native of

Haskell and the sister of Lorene Adams.

Graveside services were held Aug. 26 at Pinecrest Memorial Park with the Rev. Charles Murry officiating. Burial was under the direction of Ashby Funeral Home of Benton.

In addition to her sister in Haskell, she is survived by two sons, Elton LeRoy Tidwell of Indiana and Samuel Douglas Newton of Benton; a brother, Samuel Moses Hayes Jr. of New Mexico; another sister, Cora Faye Starr of California; and three grandchildren.

Luther Holloway

Luther L. (Luke) Holloway, formerly of Haskell, died Aug. 21. He was 86.

Services were Aug. 24 at Bellmead Funeral Home Chapel with burial at Waco Memorial Park.

Holloway was born Nov. 20, 1901, in Glen Rose. He was a retired truck driver. He married Linda Helweg Nov. 21, 1925; she died in 1945. He later married Leitha Wyatt on May 15, 1947.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Gladys Walker of Houston, Joyce Long of Ross, Lee McKelvin of Arlington, Lois Norman of Dallas and June Goldsmith of California; a brother, Leslie Holloway of Littlefield; 13 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

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Allison Lynette Bennett

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Allison Lynette Bennett, 23, was buried Aug. 29 at Anton, Texas. She died Aug. 27 in her home.

Allison was born in Lubbock and moved to Anton in 1974. She married Todd Bennett Aug. 24, 1985, in Anton. She graduated from Anton High School in 1984. She was a housewife and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; her parents, Bill and Bobbie Green of Anton; paternal grandmother, Ruby Green of Haskell; three sisters, Sharon Groves of Choctaw, Okla., Karen Comer of Gans, Okla., and Susan Green of Levelland; many

uncles, aunts and cousins.

She was the niece of Bobby and Leona Hanson of Haskell.

Mrs. Alton Beaty of Comanche. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Alfred Grand of Haskell

Lynn and Nancy Brueggeman of Haskell announce the birth of a daughter, Malinda Deanne, born at 8:07 p.m. Aug. 20, at Stamford Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents are Lewis and Viola Brueggeman of Haskell and Bob and Penny Winchester of Munday.

-BIRTHS-

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale Carroll of Weinert announce the birth of their son, Patrick Douglas Carroll, born August 21, 1988 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 6 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Collins of Benjamin announce the birth of their daughter, Cassandra Caye Collins, born August 28, 1988 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 12 1/4 oz.

-HOSPITAL-

ADMISSIONS

MEDICAL: Frieda Erdman, Haskell; Isla Corley, Rochester; Angelita Flores, Rochester; R. T. Landess, Haskell; Kyle McAfee, Munday; Clint Norman, Munday; John Darnell, Haskell; Bonner Bowden, Munday.

SURGICAL: Donna Martin, Haskell.

DISMISSALS

Mary DeHaro, Ruth Bates, Heather Guess, Allen Rogers, R. W. Aycocck.

Booster club

The Haskell Indian Booster Club meets in the ag building every Monday at 8 p.m.

The film of the Munday-Haskell game will be shown at next Monday's meeting.

All Indian fans are encouraged to attend these meetings.

September						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Aug. 29 Employee Inservice	Aug. 30 Teacher Workday	Aug. 31 Teacher Workday	1 School Begins Haskell JV at Here	2 Haskell vs. Munday	3
4	5	6	7	8 Haskell JV vs. Seymour	9 Haskell at Seymour	10
11	12	13	14	15 Haskell 7.8, JV vs Merkel	16 Haskell at Merkel	17
18	19	20	21	22 Haskell 7.8, JV (TBA)	23 Haskell vs. Electra	24
25	26	27	28	29 Haskell 7.8, JV at Rotan	30 Haskell vs. Rotan	

January						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 New Year Day	2 Holiday New Years	3 Basketball Albany* Here	4	5 Junior High Basketball Stamford	6 Basketball Hamlin* Here	7
8	9	10	11	12 Junior High Basketball Hamlin	13 First Semester Ends Basketball Hawley* Here	14 Teacher Workday
15	16	17 Basketball Albany* Here	18	19 Junior High Basketball Albany	20 Basketball Anson* Here	21
22	23	24 Basketball Jim Ned* Here	25	26 Junior High Basketball Stamford	27 Holiday Basketball TBA	28
29	30	31 Basketball Albany* Here				

February						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Basketball Hamlin* Here	4
5	6	7 Basketball Hawley* Here	8	9 Junior High Basketball Albany	10 Basketball Stamford* Here	11 Junior High Basketball Tournament (TBA)
12	13 Junior High Basketball Tournament (TBA)	14 Basketball Anson* Here	15	16 Basketball	17 Girls Bi-District	18
19	20 Basketball Girls Area	21	22	23	24 End of Fourth Six Weeks Girls	25 Basketball Bi-District Regional
26	27 Basketball Boys Area	28				

October						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7 End of 4th Week Haskell vs. Hamlin*	8
9	10	11	12	13 Haskell 7.8, JV vs Albany	14 Haskell at Albany*	15
16	17	18	19	20 Haskell 7.8, JV vs Stamford	21 Haskell at Stamford*	22
23	24	25	26	27 Haskell 7.8, JV at Hawley	28 Haskell vs. Hawley*	29
30	31					

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March						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Bad Weather Day Basketball Girls State	4 Tour. Boys Regional
5	6	7	8	9	10 Bad Weather Day Basketball Boys State	11 Tour.
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24 Holiday	25
26	27 Holiday	28	29	30	31	

November						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Haskell 7.8, JV at Anson	4 Haskell vs. Anson*	5 Basketball Begins Mineral Wells Here
6	7	8	9	10 Basketball Edin Here	11	12
13	14 Junior High Basketball Stamford	15 Basketball Vernon Here	16	17	18 Basketball Seymour Here	19
20	21 Junior High Basketball Anson	22 Basketball Merkel Here	23 End of Second Six Weeks	24 Thanksgiving	25 Holidays	26
27	28 Junior High Basketball Hawley	29 Basketball Stamford* Here Girls District Boys at Wiley	30			

April						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13 End of Fifth Six Weeks	14 Holiday	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28 Holiday	29
30						

December						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5 Junior High Basketball Open	6 Basketball Anson* Here Girls District Boys at Vernon	7	8 Basketball Wylie Lions Club Tournament (TBA)	9 Basketball Club Tournament (TBA)	10
11	12 Junior High Basketball Jim Ned	13 Basketball Jim Ned* Here District	14	15	16	17
18	19 Junior High Basketball Anson	20 Basketball Seymour Here	21	22	23 Christmas Holidays	24
25	26	27	28 Christmas Holidays	29	30 Basketball Wylie Here	31

May						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 End of 2nd Semester, End of Year	27 Teacher Workday
28	29	30	31			

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HASKELL, TEXAS 79521, September 1, 1988

Time seminar in Rotan

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a time management seminar Saturday, Sept. 24, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The seminar will be conducted at the Rotan High School auditorium and will feature Rita Davenport, internationally known expert on time management and a resident of Phoenix, Ariz.

Author of the book, "Making Time-Making Money," she speaks to groups all over the country. "The principles I teach are universal," claims Mrs. Davenport.

Registration for the seminar is \$40 per person and the fee includes a daytimer notebook and lunch.

Advance registration must be received by Sept. 15 as limited seating for the seminar is available.

Additional information can be secured by contacting the Melody Dawes (915) 735-2469. Registration can be mailed to the Rotan Chamber of Commerce, Box 275, Rotan 79546.

--Sagerton--

by Alice Bredthauer

Those who attended the Friendship Club last Thursday were Herbert and Velma Lou Lammert, Arthur and Frieda Knipling, Anton and Evelyn Teichelman, Reece and Francis Clark, Buster and Norma Tredemeyer, Sylvia Crowe, Mary Neinast, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Louise Stegemoeller, Helen and Paige Lammert, Elise Zuerder, Katy, Melanie and Ross Teichelman, J. B. and Dorothy Toney, Pastor Mel Swoyer, Marcia Swoyer.

Mrs. M. Y. Benton and Mrs. Aline Summers went to Abilene one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Letz visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zenor Summers Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mary Neinast and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mrs. Edwin Franke of Abilene visited in the home of Mrs. Betty Balzer Monday afternoon.

Betsy and Laura Kate Neinast of Emory were recent visitors in the home of Mary Neinast.

Coleman and Bertie Robinson of Lubbock cousin of Mary Neinast visited her on Thursday.

Sylvia Crowe of Haskell visited Mary Neinast on Thursday and attended the Friendship dinner.

Mrs. Louise Letz and Mrs. Mary Neinast visited Betty Balzer on Friday.

Mary Neinast and Glyn and Ethel Quade helped Francis Clark celebrate her birthday on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Neinast of Sagerton, Mrs. Franklin Mrazek of Aspermont went to Abilene on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Y. Benton visited in the home of Mrs. Zenor Summers Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer visited in the home of Mrs. Lena Schaaake Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Zenor Summers and Mrs. M. Y. Benton went to Abilene one day last week.

Mrs. David Letz visited in the home of Mrs. M. Y. Benton Saturday.

Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller visited in the home of Mrs. M. Y. Benton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer went to the late Emil Kainer reunion which was held in the Old Glory Lodge Hall on Saturday. All the children of Emil Kainer were present. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer Jr. came the farthest from Arizona.

Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer and Mrs. John L. Brooks went to Stamford morning for Mrs. Brooks to go to the dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer

went to the ice cream party that was held in the Old Glory Lodge Hall Sunday afternoon in the late afternoon. Everyone enjoyed playing 84.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman, Greg and Chad had lunch in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Teichelman Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Wendeborn, Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman, Greg and Chad, Mrs. Lillie Bubela went shopping in Stamford one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse went to Rule on Monday.

Charles Vahlenkamp of Denton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek of Aspermont visited on Sunday.

Sagerton Hobby Club met in the home of Frances Clark Thursday with 7 members and 2 visitors present. Quilt blocks were displayed and are ready to be put together for our Bazaar quilt. Those present were Aline Summers, Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Christine Stremmel, Ev Ulmer, Velma Lou Lammert, Joyce LeFevre, the two visitors, Mary Neinast and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre and the hostess Mrs. Francis Clark.

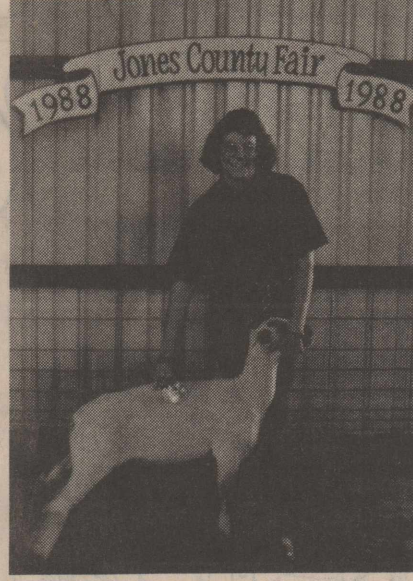
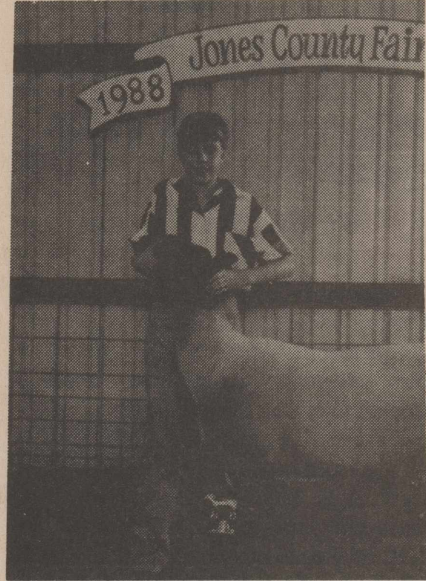
Mike Summers of Fredericksburg visited with his mother and Dad over the weekend.

Mrs. Zenor Summers attended the funeral of her brother-in-law J. E. Parlier Wednesday in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Munday tour scheduled today

Whether their crop is cotton, grain sorghum or vegetables, producers will find information of benefit at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station field day and Knox County Extension cotton tour in Munday today (Thursday).

The combined event will begin at 8:45 a.m. at the vegetable research station on US 277 east of the city.



Show winners

Winners in the recent Jones County Fair

Local winners in the recent Jones County Fair were, from left, Jennifer Comedy, grand champion ram; Stephanie Green, reserve champion market lamb; and Alex Hearn, lamb showmanship award.

Scattered rains don't help much

By Steve Davis

Extension Agent-Entomologist
If it gets much drier, we can watch for spontaneous combustion alerts. Scattered rains have not helped, even where they have fallen. The old cotton plants have held a lot longer than expected. For those of us who might get "lucky" and get a good rain, those big bolls will set even if all the little stuff gets kicked off.

Boll weevil numbers are extravagant to say the least. Any time you see 12 weevils in bract leaves of a one-third grown square, it's time to worry. Such is the case in most cotton fields in southern Jones and Fisher counties. Haskell, Stonewall and Kent counties have not seen this yet this year but it is on the way soon.

The majority of dryland fields that are experiencing overloaded weevil numbers are also experiencing

drought in serious proportions. These two conditions pose interesting problems when growers try to determine the feasibility of insecticide treatment. Soft bolls, whether large or small, are susceptible to boll weevil feeding and ovipositional punctures.

Growers must assess the physical condition of the crop set to answer this question. If the majority of bolls are susceptible, a \$6/acre treatment would be advisable--if nothing else, to allow four or five more days for the bolls to set. Some more lush fields have been found to contain 150,000 weevils/acre in the last few days.

A susceptible crop with this population, in my opinion, is worth one and maybe two applications to protect larger bolls. If population parameters are as stated, it is reasonable to assume that smaller

bolls and squares have already been devastated. At this point in the growing season, new fruit is not worth saving.

Bollworm numbers have been down overall but a resurgence of egg numbers has been seen in irrigated cotton. Without the beneficials, as has been the base lately, and with high temperatures and humidities (irrigation), these eggs will hatch overnight and worms will occur in frightful numbers. Please check closely for eggs and small worms this weekend. It seems a shame to go through the season and then allow late worms to clean out a good crop. Dryland fields that have experienced measurable rainfall within the last two weeks are just as susceptible as irrigated fields at this point.

Over half of the summer field scouts have left to return to school. This leaves us short-handed but we will endeavor to see every field in a timely manner until such time that the problems are inconsequential. I would like to express my gratitude for the summer employees and for the patience exhibited by the growers enrolled in our program. It has been a good year even if the weather wasn't as helpful as last year.

Registration for adult classes set

Registration and first class session for adult education will be Monday, Sept. 19, at 6 p.m. in room 106 of Haskell High School (enter south door).

Classes will be held each Monday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. for GED and 7:30 to 9 p.m. for ESL (English as a second language).

Classes are preparatory for the GED tests which are given in Abilene. This program has helped many in the community and surrounding areas to obtain the GED certificate and qualify for better jobs.

All immigrants with numbers beginning with A90--are to study English, according to law. Anyone having a worker or workers with such a number is asked to call for information.

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Commentary

Quayle is not big factor in Texas

AUSTIN--As George Bush and Lloyd Bentsen crisscross Texas for votes, Capitol watchers are undecided, for the most part, about whether Dan Quayle's military service controversy is hurting or helping.

Of course no one will really know until the November election, but those who love to play politics

STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

here have an opinion and a prediction for each link in the ongoing chain of current events.

Those who think Quayle is a liability to Bush argue that he's been on the defensive since the convention, has gotten millions of dollars worth of negative publicity, and has stirred up right-wingers in anger. This group of observers insist that Quayle basically comes across as too young.

Those who think the GOP ticket is still going strong contend that there's a sympathy backlash building, that Quayle is now a household word across the nation due to the publicity, and that he's now the underdog favorite of most baby boomers across the U.S.A. And that he comes across as too young.

The bottom line to most Texans is that with Bush and Bentsen going head-to-head here, Quayle simply isn't that much of a factor in Texas.

High Court, Clements

The Texas Supreme Court, or rather its Democrat majority, ripped Republican Gov. Bill Clements with a decision that criticizes his delay in accepting a judge's resignation.

The decision, and its 7-2 vote along party lines, demonstrates just how political the High Court has become.

The Democrats ruled Clements erred in delaying the acceptance of the resignation of San Antonio appeals court judge Rudolph Esquivel effective next January.

The Democrats had a candidate all set to run for the spot to be vacated. But Clements considered it an unreasonably long time between the June notification of resignation and its effective date of Jan. 1. He considered it a post to be filled by appointment.

Lawmakers are likely to address the gray areas in the Constitution's language next session and resolve the confusion. But the interesting part will come soon when Democrats attempt to force Texas Secretary of State Jack Rains to put their candidate's name on the November ballot.

Texas Space Commission

With Bush and Bentsen both promising to support a manned space station program, one which could mean thousands of new jobs in the Houston area, lawmakers next January will begin considering whether to form a state space commission.

Its purpose would be to make Texas more competitive in luring federal contracts and developing space-related private enterprise industry here.

State Sen. Buster Brown, R-Lake Jackson, predicted the new space industry "could be equal to what oil and gas once was."

Texan in Tokyo?

Word from the new Texas Department of Commerce is that 34 states have an office in Tokyo competing for Japanese business, and that Texas would be well served to open the 35th office.

The state office in Tokyo might have branch offices in Taipei and Seoul, South Korea, a budget effort of about \$2 million.

Apparently officials have already won over House Speaker Gib Lewis and are wooing Gov. Clements on the idea.

Gun Control Stance

Railroad Commissioner John Sharp, who heads the Dukakis campaign in Texas, was joined by Land Commissioner Garry Mauro and Treasurer Ann Richards in clarifying the Dukakis stance on gun control put forth by George Bush.

Sharp said Dukakis favors banning "cop killer bullets," Saturday Night specials, and supports the right to bear arms.

Two Banks Closed

Federal regulators last week closed two more banks—one in Austin and another in Dallas. The failures bring to 90 the number of banks that have failed in Texas this year.

Of the 90 failures, 40 were subsidiaries of First Republic Bank Corp. that were taken over by North Carolina-based CNB Corp. Nationally, 148 bank failures have been recorded this year.

Other Highlights

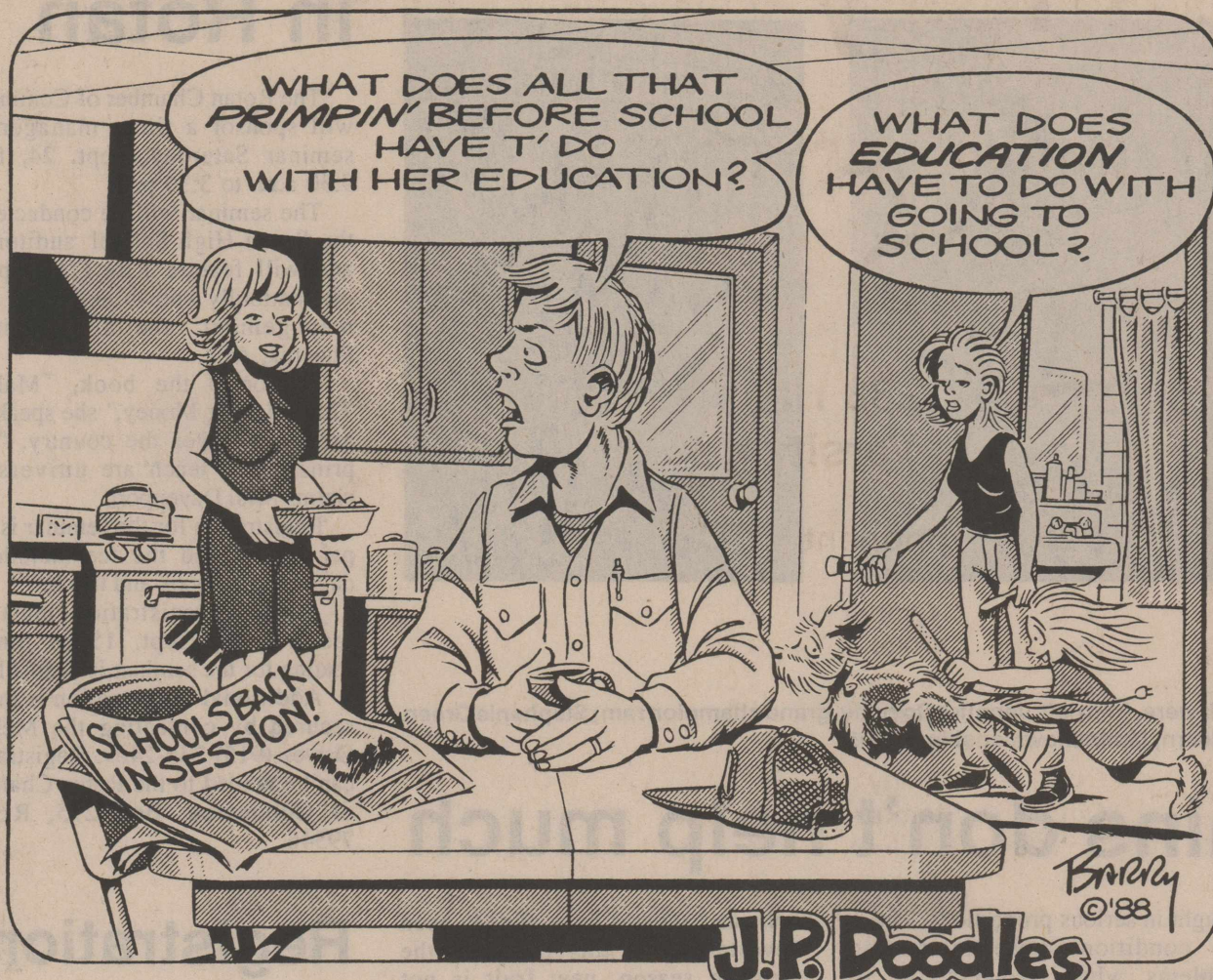
- Some local school districts have cut budgets and raised taxes and still are facing bankruptcy without more state financial aid. Some still blame the deficits on the 1984 education reform bill passed by former Gov. Mark White.

- Figures on Texas illiteracy indicate one out of five adult Texans cannot read, write or perform basic math skills well enough to hold a productive job.

- A recent report shows that 85 percent of the inmates in Texas prisons last year were high school dropouts.

- The way is clear to build the new \$24 million state aquarium in Corpus Christi after legal challenges and bond financing were resolved.

- The Texas Parks & Wildlife Department increased state land open for public hunting by more than 200,000 acres, mostly in East Texas.



--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

30 Years Ago Sept. 4, 1958

A solution to Haskell's municipal water problem is at stake Saturday when voters will ballot on a \$4,800,000 bond issue and a related water purchase contract. The two propositions will be submitted on separate ballots in an election to be held at the City Hall.

New officers of the Saddle Tramps are Dr. T. W. Williams, president; C. O. Holt, vice president; Jetty V. Clare, secretary and treasurer; Adell Thomas, parade chairman; Myron Biard, assistant parade chairman; and Shelly Royall, chuck wagon boss.

Weinert schools opened Monday with an enrollment of 167, an increase of 17 over last year.

John Post and Gaines Post left last week on their return trip to Madison, Wis. after visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rike, Mrs. Ada Rike and other relatives and friends.

The Josslet Home Demonstration Club will meet Sept. 9 in the home of Mrs. C. A. Thomas, Sr.

The Weinert WMS will sponsor a tea Sunday afternoon for the Baptist young people in honor of those going away to college. The tea will be in the home of the pastor, Rev. Carter Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bruggeman spent Sunday in Crockett, Texas, where they attended the annual reunion of Co. E, 36th Division of World War I. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lehde and Judy.

50 Years Ago Aug. 26, 1938

First bale of cotton ginned in Haskell from the 1938 crop was brought in Thursday by W. P. Russell, farmer living between Weinert and Rochester.

The old schoolhouse at Rose, five miles east of Haskell, will be sold Friday, trustees of the Paint Creek school district have announced.

Under orders of the City Council to enforce local traffic ordinances, City Marshal Sebo Britton issued 56 summons last week. Fines of \$1 to \$3 were assessed, depending on the nature of the offense.

Curtis Ballard and daughter, Mrs. Jackie Goode, and Davis Ballard of Villa Green, Colo., are here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Gholson and children, Elsie, Buford, Buster and Cecil, arrived home Sunday from a visit in San Antonio, Austin and New Braunfels.

Phillip Cadenhead, 11-year-old youngster who was chosen mascot of Hardin-Simmons University band on their trip to Washington, D. C., for the national convention of rural mail carriers, is making a hit in the capital city. The youth, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead of Weinert, is an accomplished singer of cowboy ballads and provides his own guitar accompaniments.

70 Years Ago Sept. 7, 1918

Miss Nevada Baker left Friday for Odessa where she has accepted a position as teacher in Odessa High School.

A large group of Haskell County boys will leave this week for Camp Travis where they will enter Army

service. The following have been notified to report: Floyd J. Self, Jas. A. Cox, Virgil Christian, L. A. Thedford, Thos. C. Connor, Charlie A. Thomas, Wm. S. Hays, Walter F. Nollner, John Hartsfield, Estes Drake, Ira Davis, Sam F. Malone, Lacy O. Findley, James M. Cooner, Robert S. Stanfield, Robert W. Land, Joseph H. Montgomery, Horace W. Snodgrass, James F. Lewellen, Willie A. Meador, John T. May, A. M. Morgan, Homer Jones, Chas. E. Linam, Joe L. Scheets, A. W. Burdine, B. C. Cooner, J. L. Barnard, A. A. Lambert, C. E. Kelley, Jesse Pierson, A. L. Crow, Scott W. Green Jr., B. R. Abbott, W. T. Holland, Oscar E. Vogelsang.

Also Clinton M. Price, Edward F. Bosse, John H. Mueller, Eugene Lancaster, Claude E. Webb, Elmer E. Wofford, John M. Walker, Arthur Schroeder, Earl B. Mayfield, Obie Barnett, Ray Courtney, L. L. French, Guy Henderson, Orion M. McLain, John G. Andress, Elmer Turner, Dock Rose, Quantrell Caudle, H. H. Hallmark, T. B. Burks, J. J. Noble, Leslie J. Bell, Walter Lee Tompkins Arthur L. Miller, Eddie L. Connor, James Davis, Clyde J. Harcrow, Grady Keith, Robert W. Summer, Joe W. Thurmond, Walter Cosstephens, Urban Harris, Homer P. Liles.

Dr. J. M. Baker has been appointed representative of the National Volunteers of the Medical Corps for Haskell County.

80 Years Ago Sept. 5, 1908

Mrs. M. M. Bryant of Whitesboro has moved to Haskell to be with her son, Hon. Bruce W. Bryant, Democratic nominee for county attorney.

Miss Ivy Guest left Thursday for

Sherman where she will attend Kidd-Key College.

Emory Menefee left Monday for Stamford where he will attend Stamford College.

Judge Pete Helton has returned from a business trip to the Fort Stockton country.

Miss Fannie Lee Fitzgerald entertained a large party of girl friends a few evenings ago at the home of her parents in the east part of town.

A few days ago A. W. McGregor visited the farms of his mother and himself near Weinert and he reports that their tenants have 250 acres of fine cotton that is putting on an immense crop. He said that he went into one of the fields and counted 66 forms on the first stalk he came to, and that this was about an average.

90 Years Ago Sept. 10, 1898

Mr. Terrell of Ranger is here preparing to open a new drug store in Haskell.

Henry Alexander left this week for Georgetown where he will attend Southwestern University.

Dr. A. B. King of Throckmorton visited in Haskell the first of the week in response to a professional call.

It would seem that they are to teach by precept as well as by example in our neighbor city of Benjamin. The Reporter of that place says: "Now that the teachers are under rule as well as scholars and are shut off from keeping company and correspondence we may look for more orderly times during the coming term. Should this prove to be the case the secret of past trouble would be explained."

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IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION concerning illegal drug activity, please call the Task Force at 916-675-6964 or your local Sheriff or Chief of Police. You will not be required to disclose your identity.

plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

It's funny how a person's place in history is often determined by one single event. And it's tragic that this one event is sometimes totally uncharacteristic of the person.

It's most noticeable in sports. Jackie Smith was one of the best tight ends ever to play professional football, and might well be in the Hall of Fame except for one incident: He dropped a sure touchdown pass in the end zone in a Super Bowl game which would have given the Dallas Cowboys victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Dale Mitchell was one of the best hitters in baseball for many years with the Cleveland Indians and he consistently led the American League in the least number of strikeouts. In the twilight of his career he was traded to the Brooklyn Dodgers in the National League.

You still read about Dale Mitchell and see film clips of him as a Dodger in the 1956 World Series against the Yankees. But not as a hitter. Fate chose him to be the strikeout victim for the last out in Don Larson's perfect game. Like Jackie Smith, he will forever be remembered best for that one uncharacteristic thing.

Mickey Owen may tell his grandchildren about when he was an all-star catcher with the Brooklyn Dodgers. But when the kids read about gramps, they're certain to read of the time he snatched defeat from the jaws of victory by dropping the ball on Tommy Heinrich's third strike in the 1941 World Series.

Who said life was fair? It's hard to believe, but just two weeks ago no one had ever heard of Dan Quayle.

You'll want to mark your calendar so you won't miss this one:

The 11th annual Oatmeal Festival is scheduled for Sept. 2-3 in, of all places, Oatmeal, Texas.

The celebration will feature such zany events as a grasshopper parade, an "Oat-a-thon" through neighboring Bertram, an oatmeal cookoff and the crowning of royalty (Miss Oatmeal Cookie, Miss Oatmeal Muffin, Ms. Bag of Oats and Mr. Groaty Oat). See you there.

This female astrologist was being interviewed on TV the other day. She seemed pretty sharp and I got the feeling she makes a darn good living.

What fascinated me was her revelation that her services are valuable in predicting things that won't happen. "Like a hurricane," she said.

Predicting non-hurricanes seems like a real easy way to make a living. So I did a little soul-searching, eye-closing and concentrating. This gave me a lot of confidence so I decided to try it.

"I predict," I told myself, "there will be no hurricane in Haskell, Texas, this week."

And you know what? I was right on target. It's real easy when you know how.

Being ahead in the game, I'm going to bask in success before I try it again. Maybe one of these days I'll predict there won't be a hurricane this week in Corpus Christi.

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A group has been formed in Quanah, called the "Brick Brigade", to combat the state's plan for paving over the bricks of Main Street (SH 6). Members feel the brick street is of historical significance to the community.

I'm all for historical preservation, but if I lived in Quanah I think I would give first priority to the restoration and preservation of the once-beautiful Quanah, Acme and Pacific Railroad depot, which beckons for attention amid the blight of Quanah's decaying downtown area.

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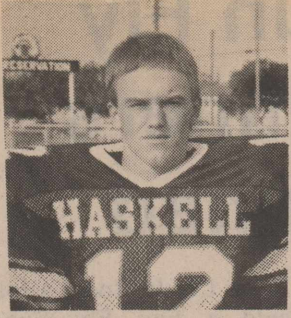
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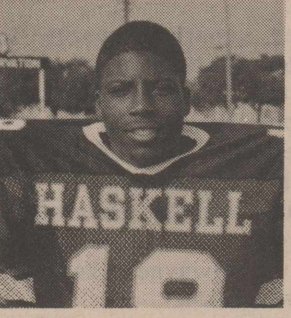


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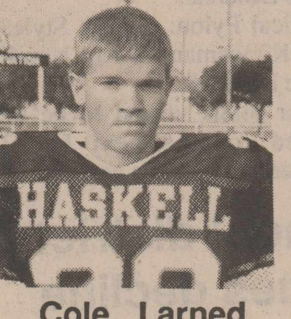
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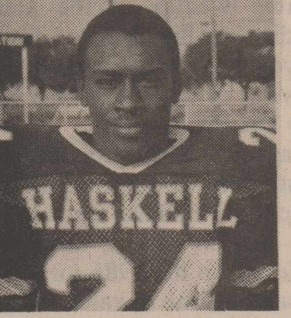
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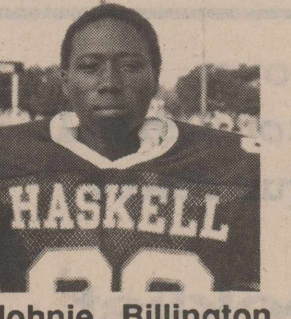
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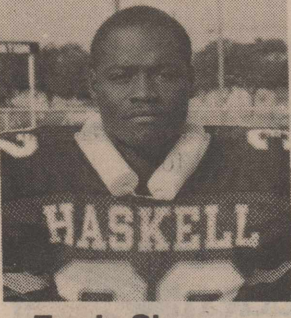
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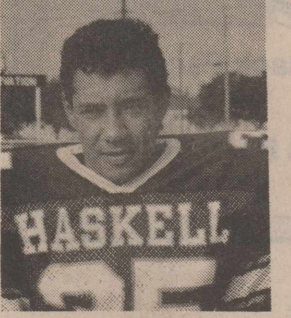
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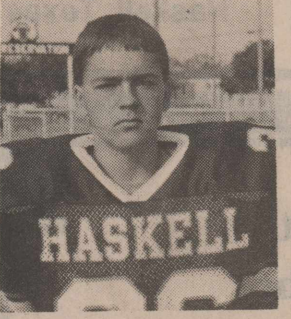
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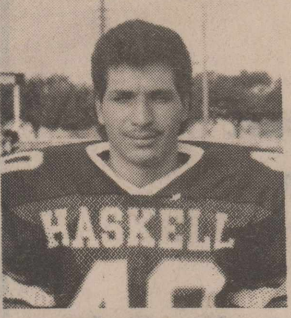
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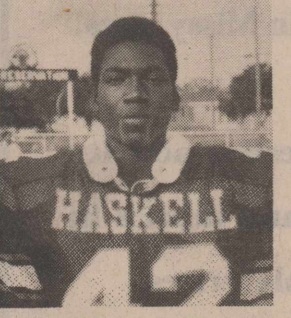
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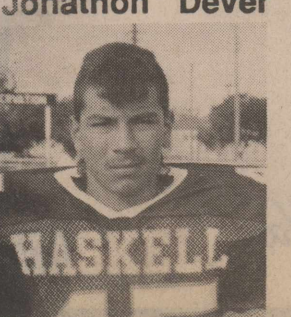
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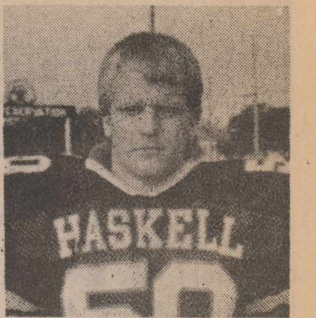
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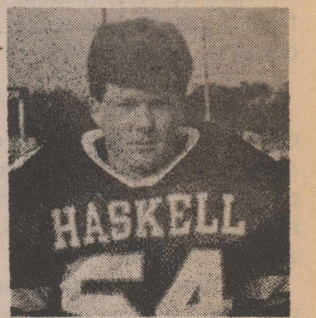
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28	Johnnie Billington	E	135	Soph
32	Fred Shaw	B	169	Sr
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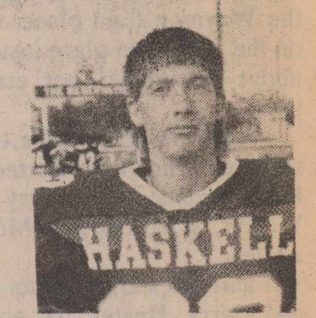
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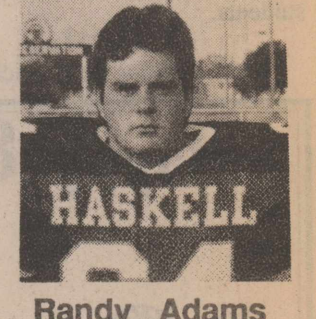
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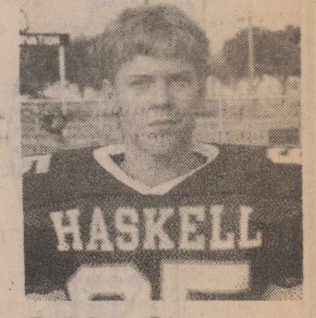
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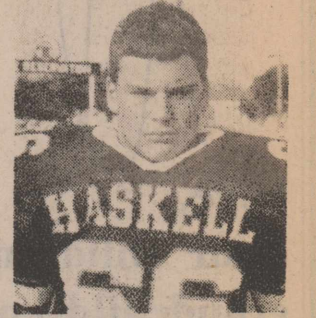
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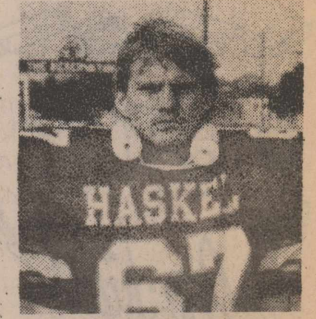
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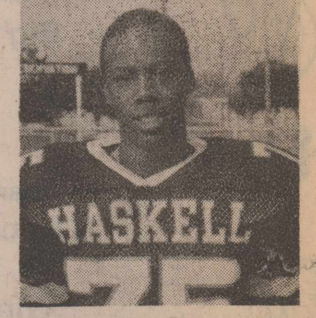
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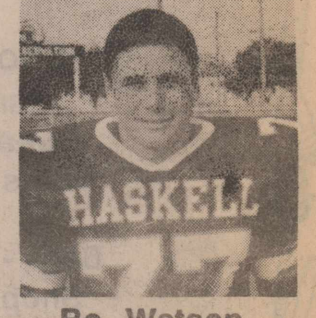
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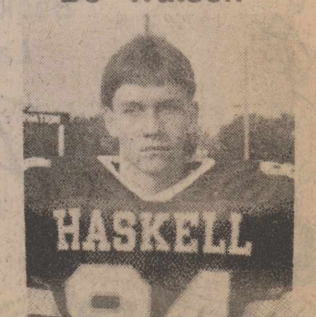
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Bo Watson



Josh Reid

1988 Haskell Indian Varsity Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Sep. 2	Munday	8:00 H
Sep. 9	Seymour	8:00 T
Sep. 16	Merkel	8:00 T
Sep. 23	Electra	8:00 H
Sep. 30	Rotan	8:00 H
Oct. 7	Hamlin*	7:30 H
Oct. 14	Albany*	7:30 T
Oct. 21	Stamford*	7:30 T
Oct. 28	Hawley*	7:30 H
Nov. 4	Anson*	7:30 H

*Denotes District 7-AA Games

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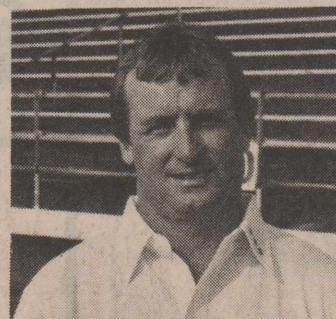
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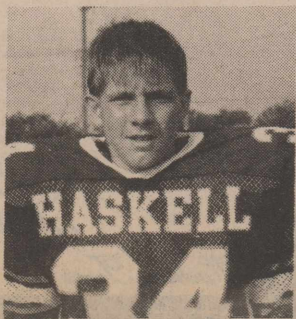
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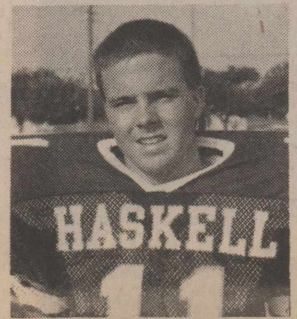
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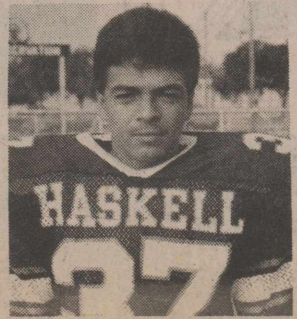
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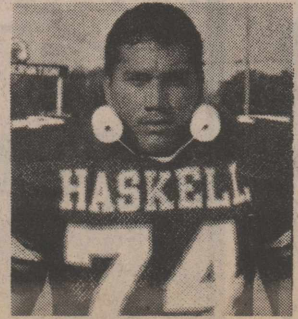
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--Weinert--

by Myrtle Phemister

The Big Country is enjoying the cool front that blew in Saturday, bringing some dust, but the temperature dropped to the low 60's, which is so nice. It brought no relief from the dryness, however. We are in desperate need for moisture.

Sallie Sanders remains in serious condition in Humana Hospital in Abilene and the family requests our prayers on her behalf. Her children remain at her bedside, and appreciate all your concern.

Pud Brockett's cataract surgery was successful and he is doing well, and recommends his doctor.

T. E. Reeves remains stable with his dialysis treatments, and gets out to play dominoes occasionally.

Eddie and Myrnie Sanders were in Waco last week to attend memorial services for a brother-in-law, Luke Holloway. Our condolences to his wife, Leatha Johnson Holloway, and to his family.

In last week's column it was reported that the Stewart garden is on the Waymon Lain place, when it is on the Fred Lain place instead. Sorry about that--chalk that error up to senility!

And I did not include two of our students who have started college. Barry Walker, son of Jerry and Doris Walker, is enrolled at McMurry in Abilene.

Laurie Hester, daughter of Wanda and Jerry Hester, is enrolled at Tarleton State in Stephenville. Congratulations to all our college students.

Todd and Angela Herricks arrived

home safely from their harvesting expedition to South Texas. Others of the group are expected to return this week.

Rex and Tinka Herricks had an exciting experience a few days ago when their pickup caught on fire and was totally destroyed. It's a "helpless" feeling when you can do nothing but watch it burn. Our sympathy!

Lester and Kathi Hutchinson spent the weekend in Junction with their daughter, Debbie, who teaches first grade there. They also had a sad experience when they arose Sunday morning to discover someone had stolen the expensive stereo from Debbie's car. It was parked not 5 feet from their window, and they marveled that they had heard nothing. Our sympathy, Debbie.

Donnie and Debbie Crump, with David and Tabitha spent their vacation in South Texas with Debbie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kiel of Edinberg. The Kiels teach in the Rio Grande Bible Institute there.

They reported the weather was very hot and unpleasant, but it was nice to visit with loved ones.

Donnie is pastor of the Baptist Church, and in his absence the pulpit was filled by Dr. Troy Culpepper of Haskell.

Cristi Herricks is now living in Graham according to a report from her parents, H. L. and Sarah Guess. She loves her new position with the English department, where she will be teaching freshman and sophomore English. She will be missed in Throckmorton, but we rejoice with her about her good fortune of being a

part of the Graham schools.

Wayne and Linda Phemister with Missy, Lee, Lincoln and Laura of Avoca were in Weinert on Saturday, visiting friends and relatives.

J. I. and Florence Alexander have returned from a few days visit with their son's family in McKinney. While there, J. I. had an appointment with his doctor in Dallas.

The Alexander's daughter, Charlene and Bill Harlan of Houston have been here most of the summer, working on his mother's farm. They have returned to their home.

Deena Hacker of Weinert and Justin Parrott of Wichita Falls were honored with a birthday party in the home of Doris and Jerry Walker on Tuesday.

Heather Guess is recuperating from a tonsillectomy she underwent at the Haskell hospital last week. She will be able to commence school when classes start on September 1st.

Mildred and Bud Offutt were in Wichita Falls to visit their son's family, Wayne and Shirley Offutt, with Marty, Tammy and Cindy.

Don and Carolyn Zuck of Hafacket, of Eustice Park, Florida were in town for a visit with her aunt, Helen Boykin and uncle, Marvin and Myrtle Phemister.

Carolyn is the daughter of Retih Zuck Keahey of Rule and attended school here as a freshman. She regrets she will be unable to return for Homecoming on October 1st, but extends greetings to her old

classmates.

Floyd and Helen Stout returned Saturday from a 2 week visit to Helen's home state of Ohio. She visited her home town of Lancaster and went on to Columbus, Sardinia and Uricksville for a reunion with her family and to attend a 50th wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt.

They report that the drought is worse than here, and the heat is almost unbearable because they have never had the need for air-conditioning and do not have any. Some farmers have had to sell their cows, as there is no hay, and the corn and hay crops are burned to a crisp. The only crop that remains is soybeans. They are happy to be home to a cool house, and green (irrigated) black-eyed peas.

Alton and Mildred Sanders were in Olden for a Lay-Renewal Revival at the Olden Baptist Church. They arrived in Olden in time for a 5 p.m. Team meeting. Alton was music director for the revival, and Mildred was in charge of the children's group, First grade through Sixth. They were pleased at the good attendance and rated it a very successful revival.

Ed and Mary Murphy with Shanna and Lane finished their vacation with a tour of New Mexico and Colorado, before Mary had to return to the school room where she teaches first and second grades.

Those celebrating birthdays this week include Fred Horan, Joyce Hager, Jimmy White, H. H. Grimes and Myrtle Phemister. Happy birthday to all!

Marvin and Myrtle Phemister will be in New Braunfels and San Antonio this week as they celebrate her 72nd birthday and their 55th wedding anniversary. Congratulations to us!! It has been a very short, very happy, very nice 55 years.

School roundup on Wednesday night, August 31, at the football field

at 7 p.m. Bring hamburger fixings. School begins on Thursday, Sept. 1st at 8:30 a.m.

Weinert Home Extension Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Harlan Weinert on Sept. 6 at 2 p.m. Visitors are welcome.

There will be no Weinert news for next week.

Have a nice week!

Seth Pace named for student honor

Seth Pace has been named to the Outstanding College Students of America.

Membership is based on academic and extracurricular achievements and recognizes scholastic abilities and leadership qualities among U.S. college students.

A 1987 graduate of Haskell High School, Seth attends Abilene Christian University where he participates in the Honors program. During 1987-88 he served as president of Omega Rho, Alpha, a freshman honor society, and was on the staff of "The Pickwickier," the English department's national award-winning publication.

Pace worked with the "Learning to Lead" camps for junior high and high school teens held at ACU this summer.

Steinfath reunion

The sixth Steinfath reunion will be Saturday, Sept. 3, at the Haskell Lodge in Irby.

Registration will begin at 2 p.m. A potluck supper is planned for the evening meal.

Friends of the family are invited to join the group in fellowship.

Fun Fly winners named

The Texas Chiefs Model Airplane Club held a Fun Fly Sunday afternoon at the Haskell Model Airport.

Three separate events were conducted. Kip Nemir overcame a late start to take first in two events.

Despite the wind and low clouds, damage to the model airplanes was mostly broken propellers.

Placings in each event were: Relay Race: 1. Kip Nemir, 2. Kirk Styles, 3. Dwayne Landreth, 4. Randy Koonsman.

Loops A Lot: 1. Kip Nemir, 2. Kirk Styles, 3. Randy Koonsman, 4. Dwayne Landreth.

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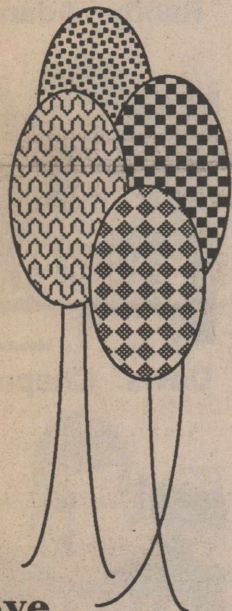
Other pilots vowed to be better prepared for the next Fun Day scheduled for later this year.

School district values decline

Taxable wealth in the state's school districts has declined for the second year in a row, according to the final results of a study by the State Property Tax Board.

The agency's 1987 property value study estimated the total value of the 1987 school district tax base at \$668.7 billion--more than \$23 billion less than the 1986 total. This 3.4 percent decline in values follows a 1.5 percent drop that occurred the year before.

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FOR RENT: 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 car garage, with refrigerator and cook stove, washer, line, refrigerated air, gas heat, new paint, clean carpet. Call after 5 p.m., 864-2709. Deposit and references required.
35c

For Sale
FOR SALE: Nice one bedroom, 1 bath, carpeted, refrigerated air, garage with storage, nice yard with pecan trees. Corner lot. Priced to sell. Call 864-2644 or 864-2097 nights.
35-38c

FOR SALE
Two bedroom, 1 bath stucco, carpet, gas heat, close in corner lot.

FOR RENT
STORAGE STALLS

For Sale
FOR SALE: 23,000 BTU Whirlpool refrigerated air conditioner, \$175.00; metal garage door, \$50.00. 864-3320 before 5:30 or after 5:30, 864-2838.
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For Sale
FOR SALE: 8 week old full blood rat terrier puppies. No papers. As is-no shots, but wormed. \$25.00 each, 2 females, 3 males. Gene Fischer, 864-2441.
35-36p

Jobs Wanted
LOT SHREDDING. Call Tony Williams, 864-3674 anytime. 43fc

Card of Thanks
CARD OF THANKS
Due to my busy summer, I want each of you who gave me graduation gifts to know I thank each of you. Your friendship means a lot to me. A special thanks goes to Loraine Johnson and Mrs. Cox for their faith in me. As I continue my education at TSTI, I will think of each of you. Terry Lynn Butler. 35p

Real Estate
Large 4 bedroom brick, on Brick Street, 3 bath, large den with fireplace, large game room, double garage, fenced yard and many extras.

Real Estate
LET YOUR DREAM come true! 3 bedroom, 3 bath with office space, large living area with fireplace this 2 story home has many built-ins and extras. Beautiful backyard with screened area, carport, garage and large shop building.

FOR SALE
117 acres with 3 bedroom 3 year old house. Will sub-divide. Good irrigation on farm land. Close to Rochester on State Hwy 6. A bargain for someone.

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Real Estate
658-3221 35fc

For Sale
FOR SALE: 19' 1979 Invader 260 hp, 350 cu. in. 4BBC, tilt-trim trailer, canopy top, tarp, large gas tank, AM-FM radio. 864-2607, 864-3340.
35fc

For Sale
FOR SALE: Hammond upright electric organ model #101. It has drawbars and many different musical instrument sounds. Excellent condition. Only \$300.00. Must see in Aspermont. 806-254-6436. If no answer, please leave a message and I will return your call. 35-36c

Wanted
WANTING TO RENT FARM Land in the Haskell area please call Kevin or Pat O'Keefe at 864-2542. 33-38p

Public Notices
PUBLIC NOTICE
The City of Haskell offers for sale to the highest bidder a Sears lawn-mower tractor with 20 horsepower. This tractor is available for inspection at the City of Haskell barn located at South 1st and Avenue A. Sealed bids must be submitted to the city secretary at City Hall prior to 7 p.m., 9-8-88. Ann Young, City Secretary. 34-35c

Real Estate
EXTRA CLEAN 2 bedroom brick central H/A. Attached carport, large trees. 705 Union, Rule. A house ready to live in. Reduced.

Real Estate
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For Sale
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33fc

For Sale
FOR SALE: 1985 GMC Suburban. Luggage rack, running boards, excellent condition. Call 864-3275 after 5 p.m. 34-35c

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Public Notices
PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT FOR MANAGEMENT SERVICES
Haskell County has recently received a contract award from the Texas Department of Commerce for economic development activities for a peanut drying plant. Accordingly, the County is seeking to contract with a qualified management consultant/firm to carry out several aspects of overall program management for the County. A complete Request for Proposal outlining services required by the County and submission requirements have been prepared. Interested parties may obtain copies of the Request for Proposal by contacting B. O. Roberson, County Judge, Haskell County, P. O. Box 905, Haskell, Texas 79521. Proposals to the County must be received by 9/7/88 at 1:00 P.M., 1988 to be considered. The County reserves the right to negotiate with any and all management consultants or firms that submit proposals, per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and the Uniform Grant and Contract Management Standards Act of 1981. Haskell County is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity employer. 35c

Real Estate
DRASTICALLY REDUCED Large 2 story rock home with guest house, pecan trees, fenced yard located on a large corner lot on Hwy. 277.

Real Estate
EXCEPTIONAL VALUE: 4 bedroom, 2 bath, brick, set in fireplace, fenced yard, storm cellar, 3 ref. window units. All this and more. Reduced.

Choice Corner Building
CHOICE CORNER BUILDING LOT in Northwest section. Has great shade trees, dug water well. Small stucco dwelling on back.

COMMERCIAL
HIGHWAY 277 NORTH INSIDE CITY LIMITS. Large new building with central H/C, 3 Bedroom dwelling, 2 smaller bldgs. Both rented, garage, RV Hookups. UNBELIEVABLE PRICE.

For Sale
FOR SALE: Clarinet, just like new, \$150, Cornet, \$75. Call Jerry Ann Harris, 864-3320 or after 5:30, 864-2516. 34-35c

For Sale
FOR SALE: 1981 Courier pickup. Black. Swap for 1/2 or 3/4 ton pickup. Call 817-997-2675. 35-36p

For Rent
NOW RENTING: 1, 2 & 3 bedroom apartments. 864-2504 or 864-3722. 35c

For Rent
FOR RENT: Large one bedroom house. Call 864-3722. 35c

Real Estate
HOUSE FOR RENT: 508 S. 8th. Call 864-2123 after 5 p.m. 35c

Real Estate
WESTERN WIND MOTEL-Western Wind Drive-in Restaurant and living quarters in Rule, Texas for sale at one low price! Would consider selling drive-in restaurant to be moved.

For Sale
FREE DACHSHUND PUPPY. Call 864-3415. 35c

Garage Sales
EVERYTHING MUST GO! Furniture, fixtures, painting and craft supplies. Sept. 9 and 10. 9 a.m. Wigwam Crafts, 1308 North Av E, Haskell.
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2-Mirrors
2-Small shampoo chairs
4-Chairs
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35-36p

Garage Sale
GARAGE SALE: Sat. 12 to 5. Baby bed, bumper pads, car seat, walker, high chair. Girls clothes 0 to 2T, Boys clothes 0 to 3T. Water ski, CB, dishes and lots more. 1107 N. Av J.
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Rule
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35-36p

Garage Sale
GARAGE SALE: Like new bar with two stools, \$135.00; jewelry, car radio, crafts, plants, clothes, books, gift wrap, misc. 8 to 5 Fri. 8 to 12 Sat. 1206 N. Av K. 35p

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THREE BEDROOM frame dwelling with carport, carpet and paneling. Make offer.

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Research reveals tourists like Texas

"We have met the tourists, and they are us."

That's how Don Clark, chief of the highway department's Travel and Information Division, described auto travelers who visited Texas during the first six months of 1988.

"They're an apple-pie slice of mid-America--mom, dad and the kids, plus modern gramps and grannies enjoying leisure rambling," he said.

Clark said Texas tourism is looking up, with more mail requests for Texas travel literature than ever before. "In January and February, Winter Texans filled the Valley and South Texas," said Clark. "And during June, the first month of America's traditional family vacation season, we hosted 12 percent more visitors to our Texas Tourist Bureaus than last June."

Clark's remarks covered release of the highway department's *Texas Auto Visitor Profile* for the first six months of 1988. The report summarizes the experiences of 7,207 travel parties, where they came from

and where they went, how much they spent and how long they stayed.

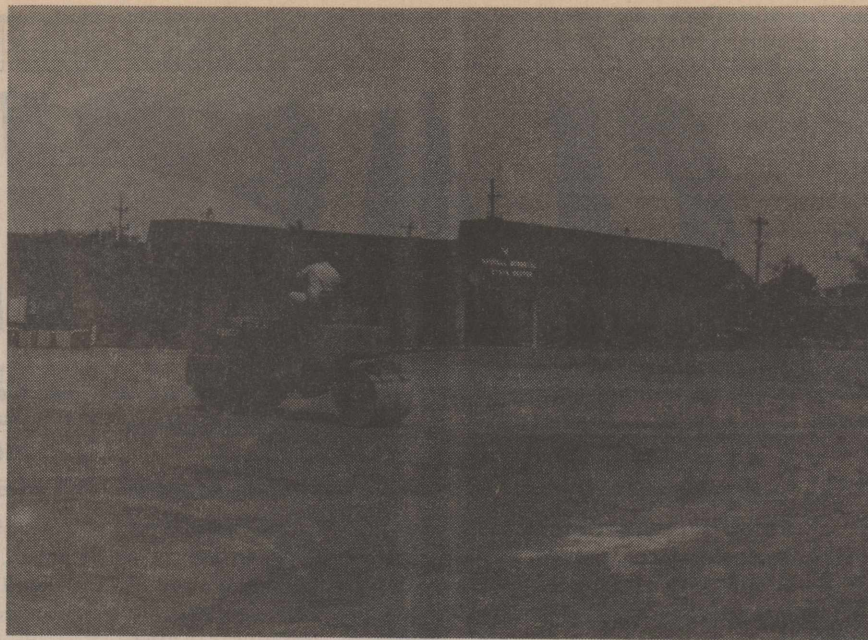
"Although we're using a much more detailed questionnaire than we have before, several kinds of responses remain the same as they have for years," said Clark. "The three things out-of-staters like most about Texas are still friendly Texans, Texas scenery and Texas highways."

State in black, comptroller says

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday said Texas government will end its fiscal year in the black for the first time in two years.

"When the state closes its books on the 1988 fiscal year on Aug. 31, we'll be ahead by nearly \$100 million, and that's a sure sign the Texas economy is rebounding," Bullock said.

Last year at this time, the state was in the hole \$745 million.



Civic Center paving

Work began this week on the paving of the parking lot at the Haskell Memorial Civic Center. Coltharp Construction Co. of Seymour is doing the \$18,000 job.

Carriker sworn in as State Senator

The 30th district's new State Senator was administered the oath of office in a capitol ceremony last week by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby.

Steve Carriker, who won election to the Senate in the Aug. 13 special election with 62 percent of the vote, now moves to the Senate from the House of Representatives where he served almost six years.

In brief remarks following his swearing-in, Sen. Carriker recognized former Sen. Ray Farabee who was present for the ceremony as a great legislator whose departure from the Senate "leaves a great void in the leadership of this body which I can only promise to do my best to help fill."

Carriker also praised State Rep.

Charles Finnell, who had also sought the Democratic nomination for the 30th district seat, as "a strong competitor, and an even better supporter in helping me to be elected to this office." Finnell and his wife Kay were also present among the 200 constituents and supporters from across the district who had traveled to Austin to attend the ceremonies.

Carriker, whose wife Kathy and their three children stood with him on the president's dais for the ceremony, will be up for re-election in November.

New rule governs check endorsement

Olney Savings Association has announced an important change by the federal government concerning how to endorse checks.

Officially effective after Sept. 1, consumers and merchants can no longer put their stamps and notations anywhere they choose on checks and negotiable documents.

The Federal Reserve System, charged with putting the new law into effect, calls for consumers and merchants to keep their endorsements within one and a half inches at the top of the back of the check.

For personal or business checks, the only requirement now for the endorsement of the back of a check is the customer's name and account number. And, "For Deposit Only" can be included.

The purpose of the Expedited Funds Availability Act, approved by Congress last year, is to give consumers access to their funds more quickly. It will mechanize the way checks are now handled, expediting the return of insufficient funds checks.

Merchants' or businesses' endorsement stamps, which now should contain no more than three lines, and mechanical endorsement machines may have to be replaced and/or modified.

Congress passed this new bill largely at the request of consumer groups and banks who asked Congress to speed up check clearing. This was done by requiring customers to endorse checks in a way that would facilitate the use of the faster check-clearing machines.

The provision does not impose

any civil penalty for failure to comply with the endorsement standard. But the penalty for breaking the new rules is to jeopardize payment of the checks. If a check is not paid, the improper endorser will carry the liability of not being paid.

Annual field day scheduled Sept. 13

Improved crop yields and increased profitability from conservation tillage and rotational systems will be featured in Lubbock Sept. 13 at a stop of the 79th annual field day of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Grapes, a new crop of the High Plains will also be featured at a stop. Experiment station scientists will explain effects of various rootstocks on adaptability, winter survival, yield and quality.

Visitors will be transported by wagons to research sites at the Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center. The facility is located on FM 1294, just east of I-27 at the Shallowater exit. Tours will be conducted from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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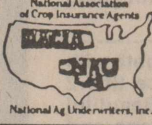
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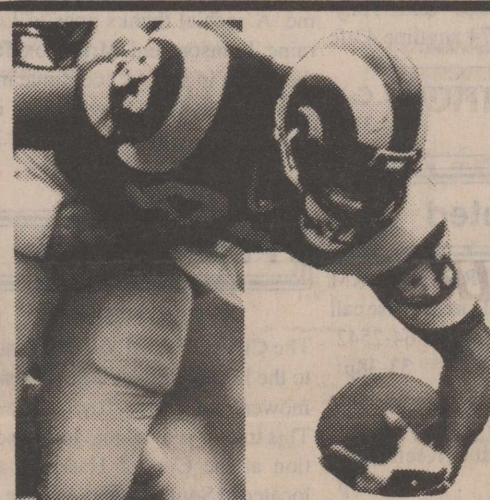
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BETTIE WAINSCOTT has been with Haskell National Bank for 25 years. She assumed the duties of Vice President and Cashier in January 1986. Her husband is Wayne Wainscott, who is employed by West Texas Utilities. They have two children - Susan Pope, of Haskell and Danny Wainscott, of Knox City. Her grandchildren are Mandi and Jodi Pope and Philip Wainscott.

FAYE BLEDSOE has been with the bank for 23 years. She has worked in other areas of the bank such as bookkeeping, proof and as a teller before coming to the C.D. department. Her children are Kevin Bledsoe, of Austin, and Vickie Adams, of Weinert. She is the proud grandmother of Mandy Adams and T.C. Bledsoe.

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