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Newton improves in Dallas hospital

Relaltives of Leon Newton said Tuesday that he is getting along well in a Dallas hospital where he has been confined since being injured in an automobile accident last week.

A relative said he should be moved from intensive care to a private room next week.

Newton suffered four neck fractures and other injuries in the accident

The accident occurred on a rural road near the Roberts Cemetery when a pickup truck collided with the Jeep he was driving.

Newton is in Zale Lipshy Hospital, 5151 Harry Hines Blvd., Dallas 75284.

Mercury hits 100 for first time

Haskell recorded its first 100degree temperature of the year on April 28, according to Sam Herren, official weather recorder.

Last Tuesday's 100-degree reading was the highest of the month of April. Lowest temperature for the month was 40 degrees, recorded on April 1.

Rainfall for the month was only 1.57 inches, about a half-inch below the normal of 2.03. But for the year to date, Haskell's rainfall is 11.72 inches, more than twice the 5.07 normal for the first four months of the year.

Citizens invited to 'Praver at Pole'

All area citizens are invited to participate today (Thursday) in the "Prayer at the Pole".

Sponsored by the American Family Association of the Rolling Plains, in cooperation with local churches, the event is being held in response to President Bush's call upon all Americans to join Mrs. Bush and the President to pray for the moral rebirth of the nation.

The program will be held at the flagpole at the southwest corner of the courthouse lawn from 12:20 to 12:40 p.m.

Church to serve food Saturday

A St. George Catholic Church food booth Saturday will offer breakfast in the morning and Mexican food throughout the day.

The booth will be located on the south side of the square as one of

Three of four incumbents lose as voters 'sweep out' City Hall

Haskell voters Saturday "swept out" City Hall in a city election which saw the ouster of the mayor and two councilers.

Pat Henry was elected mayor over incumbent Jill Druesedow by a margin of 26 votes, 501-475.

Kim Nemir and Iva Lee Gipson won seats on the City Council, along with Ruby Turner, the lone incumbent to survive the election.

Mrs. Turner, who was appointed to an unexpired term in February, was the top vote-getter among the Council candidates for two-year terms, polling 483 votes to earn an elective term on the city's governing body.

Miss Nemir also was elected to a two-year term on the strength of 470 votes. Terry Diggs narrowly missed election with 466 votes. Incumbent Ronny Tanner received 402 votes and D. L. Layland had

City manager

reports to work

Mrs. Gipson was elected to the unexpired one-year term with 566 votes to C. T. Jackson's 415. Jackson, the incumbent, had served

by appointment since last fall. Also going down to defeat was the proposal to enact a half-cent city sales tax to provide funds for economic development. The measure failed by a vote of 486-

Henry, Miss Nemir and Mrs. Gipson, along with Mrs. Turner, will join holdover councilmen Kenny Watson and Tony Burson in making up the present City Council.

A record 976 voters cast ballots in the election, 188 of them in the early (absentee) voting. There was some concern late in the day that the supply of ballots would be exhausted, as the city had printed

City administrator appointee

Scott Wall reported to work

Monday morning. He will work

with Bob Baker until June 1

when he will succeed Baker as

Austin where he has been grants

manager for the Texas Com-

mission on Alcohol and Drug

graduated from West Texas

State University. He is a former

management auditor for the

Texas Employment Commis-

sion, was an economic devel-

opment intern for the Panhandle

Regional Planning Commission

and an account manager for a

Mrs. Wall, Becky, is a first-

grade teacher in Austin and will

move to Haskell after the end of

the school year. They have no

private company.

Wall grew up in Canyon and

Wall comes to Haskell from

administrator.

only 1,000, more than twice the number needed in a normal city election.

Interest in the election campaign had centered on the pros and cons of the new City Hall. Henry, Nemir, Diggs and Gipson had been identified with the Concerned Citizens Committee, a group which had opposed construction of the new building. The committee, which once called for the resignations of all Council members, had targeted all incumbents, including Jackson and Mrs. Turner who were not on the Council when the decision was made to build the new City Hall.

Official canvass of the votes is scheduled for 5 p.m. Friday. Those elected will be sworn into office at the next regular meeting of the City Council, which will be Tuesday,

Mayor calls for recount

A tentative date of Saturday has been set for a recount of the votes cast in last Saturday's mayoral election.

Mayor Jill Druesedow, who trailed Pat Henry by 26 votes in the election, filed application and posted a \$51 bond Tuesday with the city secretary to have the recount conducted.

The mayor cited a statute which provides for a recount when there is less than 10 percent difference in the number of votes received by two candidates.

City secretary Ann Young will appoint a four-member committee, headed by a chairman, to conduct the recount.

Canners to be tested

Gauges on presssure canners will be tested May 15 and May 18 at the county extension office in Haskell.

Lou Gilly, county extension agent-home economics, will do the testing. There will be no charge.

Testing will be from 9 to 11 a.m. on Friday, May 15, and from 2 to 4 p.m. on Monday, May 18.

During the testing, a series of videos on canning procedures will be shown according to the following schedule:

Canning vegetables, 9-9:30 a.m. May 15, and 2-2:30 p.m. May 18. Making jams and jellies, 9:45-10:15 a.m. May 15, and 2:45-3:15

How we voted... For Mayor Pat Henry 501 Jill Druesedow 475 For Council-Full Term Ruby Turner 483 Terry Diggs 466 Kim Nemir 470 D. L. Layland 59 Ronny Tanner 402 For Council-Unexpired Term

✓ Iva Lee Gipson	566
C. T. Jackson	415
Half-Cent Sales	Tax
For	408

Against 486

2nd Saturday

Fun, food and entertainment highlight the activities scheduled this week for the monthly Super 2nd Saturday in Haskell.

Although the Hank Thompson Show at the Civic Center Saturday night gets top billing, several other events are on tap for the day.

Winners of the "Super Mom" contest will be announced at 2 p.m. on the courthouse square. Winners will be named in four divisions: kindergarten through third grade, fourth through sixth grades, junior high and senior high.

Go-kart rides will be available all day on the courthouse square. Local gardeners will display their flowers in local businesses.

There will be several food booths. Carmen's will serve hamburgers, hot dogs, barbecue and homemade bread. The Noah Project will have a bake sale. The First Assembly of God will operate its chuck wagon, offering hamburgers, Frito pies and hot dogs. St. George Catholic Church will serve breakfast in the morning and Mexican food throughout the day.

Hank Thompson performs Saturday

Country western music legend concert and dance Saturday Hank Thompson and his Brazos night at the Haskell Civic Cen-Valley Boys will be featured at a ter.

The program is being sponsored by the Haskell Business Association as the highlight of the May Super 2nd Saturday promotion. A native of Waco, Thompson has had record sales of more than 60 million during a career

which spans six decades, from the 40s to the 90s. Advance tickets to Satur-

day's show are priced at \$7 each and are available at various places of business in Haskell. Tickets at the door will be \$10. Children under 12 will be admitted for \$5.

On Wednesday, radio station KVRP conducted a phone interview with Thompson. At 7 p.m. Friday, the station will present a "Salute to Hank Thompson." And Mayor Jill Druesedow has proclaimed Saturday as Hank Thompson Day in Haskell.

'World of Work' career day May 12

Merchants and professional personnel of the Haskell area are invited to participate in the "World of Work" career day being sponsored by the Haskell schools.

Scott Wall

11:30 a.m. in the high school gym.

Nancy Toliver, counselor at the secondary school, said this special understanding fo the job market.

The program is scheduled for Tuesday, May 12, from 9:30 to

businesses and individuals participated in the presentation. Mrs. Toliver said students gained valuable insight into the various fields of work.

Businesses and professionals desiring to participate should call the high school office, 864-2848.

Participants will be able to set up tables, display booklets, give presentation of interest to students.





Haskell High School Band



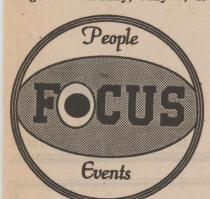
Fishing and biking



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Scouts need experienced shirts

Cub Scout pack 136 is in need of experienced (used) scout shirts. Anyone with experienced shirts to contribute may call Becky McFadden, (864-3993), Bob Cass (864-3677) or Lisa Shaw (864-2023) after 5 p.m.

Boy Scouts are in need of both blue Cub Scout shirts and khaki Webelo shirts.

Wine industry recognizes Perry

Recognizing his significant contributions to the Texas food and wine industries, Agriculture

God bless you all.

Denise Morrison

Sharron Pierce

of sorrow

Commissioner Rick Perry of Haskell has bee named to "Who's Who in Food and Wine in Texas" for 1992 by The Dallas Morning

Perry was recognized for his efforts to promote the food and wine industries as economic growth generators, especially through special marketing initiatives he has launched at the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Foursquare revival planned

The Abundant Life Foursquare Church will host a revival on Wednesday through Saturday of next week.

Services will begin each evening

Evangelist will be Mammie

Wilson of North Carolina. The public is invited to attend.

Rule elects new cheerleaders

Laurie Boger was elected April 27 as head cheerleader at Rule High

Other varsity cheerleaders are Christi Mathis, Kenna Tanner, Julie Saffel, Angela Hisey and Lisa

O'Neal, Whitley win in Rochester

Bobby O'Neal, the only candidate on the ballot, received 28 votes Saturday to win a seat on the Rochester City Council.

Also elected was declared writein candidate Don Whitley, who received 19 votes.

There were no other candidates for the three positions up for election. The Council will appoint a person to the third position.

Johnson **Bobbie Johnson**

> Owner Photographer West Side of Square · Haskell

Jones. Other junior high cheerleaders are Jennifer LeFeyre, Laura Tibbets, Brigida Macias, Amy Hisey and Lezli Jenkins.

Missy Phemister

Missy Phemister of Haskell has

McMurry will have two

been named to the 1992-93

cheerleading squad at McMurry

cheerleading squads---a co-ed squad

and an all-girl squad. Miss

Phemister is a member of the co-ed

is cheerleader

University.

Junior High School was Megan

Elected head cheerleader at Rule

by Vicky Anderson Have you city folk been driving

in the country this past week or two? The Andersons did this south of Stamford on Sunday, the 26th and the countryside is "a sight for sore eyes" as the old saying goes. An abundance of evening primroses were everywhere, ranging from white, to pink, then orchid and even yellow. Then, of course, there were the Indian Paintbrush plants, and many, many more including dandelions.

A happy retirement is wished Dr. Joe Thigpen of Haskell. Have fun, Dr. Joe, you have certainly

Get well wishes are sent to "Sarge" Hickman, Bernice Martin, Sam Baize, and Erma Smith, also Wiley B. Harrison.

As you readers have no doubt noticed, there is not much news about Rule these days, but that is because I am not over there too

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Cindy Ford upon the

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Thought for the week: "Kindness and courtesy are more important than laws." Taken from the book "Habits of a Loving Heart" by Willard Tate.

Places in UIL

Katy Martin placed sixth in prose interpretation at the University Scholastic League regionals April 25 at Abilene Christian University.

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loss of her grandmother, and to

Harry Bounds upon the death of his

brother, also to the family of Bob

Congratulations are in order to

Herbert Williams on his receiving

the Conservation Business Award,

to Jo Speck who will receive the

1992 Conservation News Media

Enjoyed a brief visit with Iona

Sellers and Laura Mae Boyd of

Rule on Friday when Mildred

Smith and I were at the Cliff

House. Iona and Fay Gibson were

formerly neighbors of the

Andersons in Rule. Fay now lives

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Our family would like to tell the people of the community and the area how much we appreciate their prayers, assistance and concern during the time that our mother was ill and after she passed from life on this earth. Sometimes we tend to forget how wonderful and supportive our friends

and neighbors can be. May God bless each of you and certainly Haskell is the best place in the world to call home.

Agnes Rike Family

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The family of Bob Morrison would like to thank everyone who

Also, a special thanks to the nurses, nurses aides, cooks, and

Tommy and Shella Holmes

Grandchildren and Great Grandchildren

offered prayers, sent flowers and food, and called through our time

administrator at the Haskell Nursing Home and Dr. McSmith.

A special thanks to Bro. Aikin and Boyd for the service.







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Melinda Kay Marr and Thad William Jennings

Marr, Jennings engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marr have announced the engagement of their daughter, Melinda Kay Marr, to Thad William Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Jennings of Paint Creek.

The bride-elect graduated from Stamford High School and Texas University of Cosmotology in Abilene and is employed by L'Pearl Design in Abilene.

The groom-to-be graduated from Paint Creek High School and Abilene Christian University. He is employed by Texas National Bank in Waco.

A May 23 wedding is planned at the the Haskell Church of Christ.

Couple married in Carrizo Springs

Regina Gail Gibson and Toby William Castellaw were united in marriage Saturday, April 25, in the First Baptist Church in Carrizo Springs.

Dr. Larry T. of Carrizo Springs officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Weldon and Mona Gibson of Haskell and the granddaughter of Barbara Long of Vernon. The bridegroom is the son of Jim and Linda Castellaw and the grandson of Lillian Moore of Carrizo Springs.

Maid of honor was Shelley Gibson, cousin of the bride, and matron of honor was Virginia Peralez of Abilene.

Best man was Jimmy Castellaw, brother of the groom.

James Rike signs wth Eastern NM

Eastern New Mexico University basketball coach Earl Diddle has announced the signing of James Rike to play for the Greyhound team.

Rike, a 6-3, 190-pounder from Clarendon Junior College, averaged 11 points and four rebounds per game this past season. He shot 45 percent from the field, including 47 percent from three-point range.

He graduated from Haskell High School and is the son of John S. and Mary Rike of Haskell. Bridesmaids were Terri Peavey of Graham, Debbie Kluting of San Marcos, Laura Lowden of Wichita Falls, Michel McLeod of Abilene and Sherry Hodge of Nashville, Tenn.

Groomsmen were KaLane Sherry, T. R. Brons, Jim Gallaway, Todd Stephenson, Randall Gibson and Max Stallings.

Flower girls were Kandice Box and Keslie Box and ringbearer was Mark Stephenson.

The organist was Rosalind Frers and the pianist was Roberta Johnson. Bo Linnartz and Dara Wells.

The bride is a graduate of Aspermont High School and Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The groom is a graduate of Carrizo Springs High School and Southwest Texas Junior College. He is employed by Castellaw Cattle Co.

Following a trip to San Antonio and Acapulco, the couple will reside in Carrizo Springs.



Mrs. Toby Castellaw

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-- Letters to the Editor --

Kid stuff

Editor: We are not in too much trouble as a nation---scholastically

I was so convinced that all of our school kids were dummies---but you changed my mind! I read your sample math and science test contest questions and thought "Wow!" I wasn't exactly behind the door when the brains were passed out but some of those questions caused me to sweat a little.

Then in this week's edition I read how well our kids had done and I say "Bravo!" We Americans are thrown off the track by all of these stores about the athletes who are all brawn and no brain and about the "wonderful" Japanese, but your paper has shown us a more true picture of what our school kids are really like. The Americans will always be there, thanks to kids like

I commend you on your perceptive reasoning which caused you to run the two stories like you did. I think you knew it would open a few eyes. It surely did mine!

I salute the competitors from the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades. They were great!

Jack Larned San Antonio

Election

Editor: I would like to express my thanks to all who voted for me in the election of Saturday, May 2.

I wish to express my thanks to Mrs. Iva Lee Gipson for running a good clean race.

I wish to express my thanks to my teammates for conducting a campaign that was well organized and fair in every detail.

I would like to share a poem with all the good people of Haskell: GOD BLESS OUR CKTY

The second day of May is past, Election day is o'er; I served my City well, I think, So I'll not ask for more. I lost the race for City Hall, The going was quite tough; I got four hundred fifteen votes, But that was not enough. The votes have all been counted, And so you know the rest. I called Mrs. Gipson late that

And offered her my best. My teammates ran a good clean

We've nothing to regret; We've work hard for our City So that all its needs be met. And so I say: "God bless us all, And keep us in His care". Our town, we can be proud of, There's no better anywhere.

Amen and God Bless you all. C. T. Jackson

Sunday in Park

Editor: Anyone who missed Haskell's fourth annual "Sunday in the Park" missed a day of community togetherness. Hundreds of people came, and numerous groups participated.

As co-sponsors of the event, the City of Haskell and the Haskell Chamber of Commerce are grateful to those who attended and those who made it a success.

We appreciate Dusty Garison serving as master of ceremonies and the following entertainers: Haskell High School Band, Kathy Garison, Ginny Kloog, the Saddlecreek Band from Anson, Christians in Action Pantomine from Anson, Rule Country Band and the Texas

The Kiwanis Club conducted games, the Rotary Club gave away a color TV, the Texas Chiefs gave away gasoline and the Prairie Star Quilters offered chances for a homemade quilt.

Excellent food and drinks were prepared by the Kiwanis Club, Haskell Nursing Center, Experienced Citizens Center, Boy Scout Troop 136, Rotary Club, Garden Club, St. George Catholic Church, Lions Club, Texas Chiefs, Greater Independent Baptist Church and Cub Scouts Pack 136.

We thank all of you who made this enjoyable day possible.

City of Haskell Haskell Chamber of Commerce

Great students

Editor: What a joy we experienced with Paint Creek's

The gifted/talented students in Paint Creek fourth through sixth grades attended the WINGS Student Seminars at Region 14 Education Service Center in Abilene on Wednesday, April 23.

The students from Paint Creek school were most courteous and attentive while touring the Paramount Theater and Grace Cultural Center. The docents for Grace Cultural Center and the Paramount's executive director all expressed that the time with these students was a positive experience.

It is always a pleasure to see young people who value learning and guidance. Be sure to express to these students and their teacher your esteem for their attitudes and hard

> Cecelia Boswell, **Educational Consultant** Vicki Campbell, **WINGS** Coordinator

Bad timing

Editor: I was very concerned that our state education agency chose to give the statewide NAPT (achievement) tests to our children the first few days after the time change had taken effect.

Our teacher and schools did not have a choice when this test was to to be given to our children. The teachers I have spoken to did not like this schedule any more than I as a parent did.

The best way for me and any other concerned parent to voice our complaint is to write or call the Texas Education Agency, 1701. N. Congress Ave., Austin, TX 78701-1494, phone 512-463-9734.

Sharla Carver

Church will have a car wash and bake sale Saturday at The Drug Store parking lot.

Donations will be accepted. Proceeds will be used to help send youths to church camp.

Church plans fund raisers

Abundant Life Foursquare

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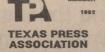
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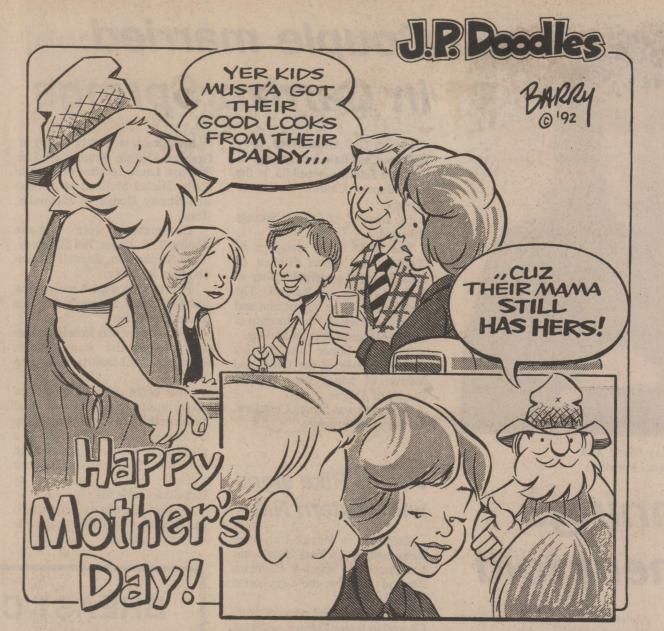
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-- From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

20 Years Ago May 4, 1972

Mary Ann Elliott qualified for the state track meet in two events last weekend by winning second in the high jump and second in the triple jump in the regional meet at

Judy Lehde has been named valedictorian of this year's graduating class at Haskell High School. Pam Colbert is salutatorian and Milton Schmidt is high ranking boy. Other honor graduates are Jim Mickler and Denise Roberson.

Mrs. Charles Gibson, formerly Pam Harris, will receive a bachelor of science degree May 13 at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. Her major is elementary education and her minor is mathematics.

Mrs. R. D. Williams, Mrs. Jody Kennedy, Mrs. R. W. Herren and Mrs. A. C. Richardson of the Progressive Study Club are making plans to attend the Diamond Jubilee anniversary celebration of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Dallas May 8-10.

Directors of the Home State Bank of Rochester have announced the election of Donald Johnson as executive vice president.

Piano and organ students of Nelda Lane will be presented in recital May 7 at the First United Methodist Church. Participating will be Renea Abbott, Shirley Abbott, Vicki Bledsoe, Emily Cox, John Cox, Sharla Drinnon, Cam Klose, Kiersta Lane, Kim Lane, Lugene Lane, Margie Liles, Amy Medford and Sharon Turner.

Carl Hopkins took first place in three events---barrels, flags and poles---at play night April 29 in Stamford

Members of Haskell Garden Club literally "said it with flowers" Friday afternoon as over a hundred people flocked to the community room of Haskell National Bank to see their beautiful spring flower

40 Years Ago May 1, 1952

A city-wide bond election has been ordered for May 16 on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of building and equipping an auditorium building.

Baccalaureate service for the senior class of Mattson rural high school will be May 4 in the Mattson Baptist Church. Members of the 1952 graduating class are Glenn Darden, Margaret Roberts, Frankie Jo Tanner, Roy Forehand, E. H. Walton, Billie Jean Bowen and Johnny Wheatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monke of Weinert are visiting relatives and friends in Weimar, Texas; this

George Hauser, local druggist, has been appointed as Haskell County 1952 Cancer Crusade chairman.

An estimated 1,500 singers and music lovers, including many from towns and cities over a wide area, gathered here Sunday for the annual program of the Haskell County

Singing Convention. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wainscott announce the arrival of a daughter, Susan Denise, born April 22 in the Haskell hospital.

Two Future Homemakers of Paint Creek High School, Nell Hanson and Margaret Houston, have received the highest honor awarded by the state chapter, to become the first Future Homemakers in Haskell County to receive the state FHA degree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bland, longtime residents of Haskell who are making their home in San Angelo temporarily, observed their golden wedding anniversary April

Miss Lucille Watson, Haskell High School homemakeing teacher, was awarded an honorary membership in the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America last week at the state convention in Dallas.

Beginning May 3, all Haskell lumber concerns will close their yards and offices each Saturday at 12:30 p.m.

Mr. and Ms. R. L. Burton and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Turner were weekend visitors in Waco.

60 Years Ago May 5, 1932

At a meeting of the Haskell Board of School Trustees Tuesday, T. J. Arbuckle was elected president and D. H. Persons secretary of the

Mrs. W. A. Duncan has returned home after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Henrietta, Memphis and Byers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith have a new son at their place who arrived Friday morning, April 29.

The Cottonwood school closed the term Friday. The pupils gave a program at 10 a.m. and at noon a basket dinner was spread.

The church crop planting at Curry Chapel was rained out Monday and the members of the church have reset the date for next Monday.

Director Joe Meacham of the Haskell Municipal Band has announced the band will give a concert Sunday afternoon on the courthouse square.

Mrs. Fritz Taylor and little son, and Miss Florene Maples of Wichita Falls are here this week visiting relatives and friends.

80 Years Ago May 4, 1912

Marion Thomas and Clifton Branham have taken over the City Garage and the business will be conducted under the firm name of Thomas-Branham Auto Co.

E. E. Marvin left Tuesday for Dallas to bring back a Ford automobile for his agency here, he having sold the one he had on hand.

L. A. Stewart received an order this week from W. A. Earnest at Munday for 100 years of gravel to be shipped from this point to

J. R. Johnson, S. E. Carothers, T.W.K. Head and G. J. Miller left Friday for Macon, Ga., to attend the reunion of Confederate veterans.

J. D. Kinnison made a trip to Wichita Falls this week. He reports they have brought in another big oil well near that place. 90 Years Ago May 3, 1902

Booth English has bought a half interest in the livery stable with Walter Tandy. We understand they plan to purchase some new teams and buggies. The Haskell public school will

close week after next, which will be the end of a nine months term. There will be a graduating class of nine pupils. Miss Edna Ellis' school in the

Vernon district closed yesterday for the term with appropriate exercises and a picnic. Dick Pogue, who has been out

in Lubbock County several months looking after cattle, came in this G. R. Couch left yesterday for

Amarillo and will likely extend his trip to Portales, N.M. B. J. Abbott of Okalona, Miss., who owns considerable land in this section, was here a day or so this

week. He is a Confederate veteran and on his trip out attended the reunion in Dallas. The Haskell and Stamford crowd

going to the reunion Monday over the Central had the misfortune to be delayed several hours by a breakdown of the engine pulling their train, and instead of getting into Dallas on schedule at 5:15 it did not get there until after 10.

Mr. McFarland of Alvey, a brother of our townsman, W. H. McFarland, arrived here this week and has taken a position with the Haskell Ice Company.

Lee Bivins---perhaps we should say Dr. Bivins---came in Friday from Louisville, Ky., where he has been attending the medical college of the University of Louisville.

ASCS staff receives certificate

The Texas State ASCS Committee has presented the Haskell County ASCS office a certificate of appreciation for its "demonstration of exceptional ability, dedicated commitment and the performance of outstanding service to ASCS and the farmers and ranchers in the administration of the 1990-91 Disaster Program."

The committee presented certificates of appreciation to every county ASCS office in Texas.

Jerry D. Harris, chairman of the Texas State ASCS Committee, said, "We would like to take this time to let you know how proud we are of our county office employees and their dedicated service to the farmers and ranchers of Texas.'

In addition, Harris stated, "As you know, the county offices just finished the signup period for the 1990-91 Disaster Program. What you may not know is what commitment and hard work it took for the counties to meet the deadlines imposed by Congress.

"Texas county offices were required to make a report of participation and projected payments not later than April 11. However, computer software sent to the counties to transmit the data was faulty. A fix to the problem was not received until late Friday night, April 10, and had to be handdelivered to many offices. Determined county office employees worked long hours Friday and into Saturday night traveling from county to county to ensure information was timely and accurately transmitted to Washington.

"As a result of county office efforts, the disaster information was successfully transmitted to the secretary of agriculture who announced a payment factor of 50.04 percent and authorized disaster payments of more than \$144 million for Texas producers."

Couples can fall in love again

Married couples can learn how to fall in love again by making time for each other.

Working couples are especially at risk of losing quality time together due to job and family demands, says Dr. Linda Walsh, a family counselor at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"If couples are going to fall in love again, they need to find time to be together," Walsh said.

-HOSPITAL-

Medical Patients Melvin Young, Haskell Julia Gibson, Haskell Loufana Eubank, Munday Lector Thomason, Haskell Billy Payne, Haskell Judy Anderson, Knox City

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WHEREAS, Hank Thompson is a legend in the country music field and;

WHEREAS, Hank Thompson and his band, the Brazos Valley Boys, are performing at the Haskell Civic Center on May, 9, 1992;

NOWTHEREFORE; I, Jill Druesedow, Mayor of Haskell, proclaim May 9, 1992 as Hank Thompson Day in Haskell and encourage all citizens to welcome him to our town.

> Jill Druesedow Mayor

Fashion show winners named

Twenty Haskell County 4-H clothing project participants modeled their garments for family members, friends and 4-H leaders during the annual Haskell County 4-H Fashion Show held Sunday in the Haskell National Bank community room.

Shana McKenzie of the Haskell 4-H Club served as mistress of ceremonies. Tonya Burson led the audience in the 4-H motto and pledge. Charissa Huff gave the welcome. Sharee Gardner of Haskell served as the show commentator.

All 20 participants received blue award ribbons.

First-place winners were Brandy Gardner of Haskell, Halee Walton

By Elbert Johnson, Registered Pharmacist

More News On Radiation Exposure: Adding to the list of anecdotes about the association of radiation with cancer are several cases of police officers who developed unusual cancers in areas of their bodies that were exposed regularly to radar guns. Although the cases could be coincidental, some police departments are banning the use of handheld speed detectors.

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All first-place winners will represent Haskell County at the District Fashion Show June 30 in

Second-place winners were J. J. Comedy of Haskell, Mira Patel of Haskell, Kaki Stapleton of Haskell and Paige Lammert of Sagerton.

Third-place winners were Delinda Strickland of Haskell and Sara Kittley of Rule.

Other participants were Charisse Felty of Weinert, Selina Ruth Salinas of Haskell, McKenna Smith of Knox City and Melanie Michaels of Haskell.

Kim Crawford, chairman of the Extension Homemakers 4-H Committee helped pass out awards. Each 4-H model received a sewing notion of her choice, compliments of the Haskell County Extension Homemakers Council.

Rhonda Dorner and Tonya Burson recognized the following clothing project leaders:

Sharee Gardner, Betty Michaels, Ophelia Newsom, Usha Patel, Amelia Perry, Abigail Salinas, Karen Smith, Kay Smith and Linda

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Strickland of Haskell; Kim Crawford and Faye Walton of Paint Creek; Thelma Kittley of Rule; Phyllis Davis of Sagerton; and Jonita Felty of Weinert.

Following the fashion show, refreshments were served by the Haskell 4-H leaders and parents. Hosts for the fashion show were members of the Haskell 4-H Club.



Alta B. Carothers

Party honors Mrs. Carothers on 90th birthday

A party honoring Alta B. Carothers on her 90th birthday was held Saturday at the Depot in Slim Sorrells Park in Rule.

The room was decorated with balloons, streamers and other decorations in pastel colors. An arrangement of spring flowers centered the serving table where guests were served birthday cake, fruit and punch.

Mrs. Carothers was gifted with a shower of birthday cards.

Attending were guests from Sweetwater, Houston, Texarkana, Abilene, Hamlin, Ozona, O'Brien, Longview, Lampasas, Austin, Texline, Plains and Denver City.

Hosts for the party were Dick and Pearleta Carothers, Arletta Carothers, Gail Holland, Sharlyn Baker, Cynthia Gray, Carol Ritter and Sandra Carothers.

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Haskell -School Menu-

May 11-15 BREAKFAST

Monday: Juice or fruit, cereal, buttered toast with jelly, milk.

Tuesday: Juice or fruit, blueberry muffins, buttered toast with jelly, milk.

Wednesday: Juice or fruit, breakfast burrito, milk.

Thursday: Juice or fruit, biscuits with gravy, sausage, milk. Friday: No school. LUNCH

Elementary School Monday: Chili dogs, french fries, pork and beans, brownies, milk, juice.

Tuesday: BBQ on bun, tater tots, pickle spears, sliced peaches, milk, juice.

Wednesday: Turkey with dressing and gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, buttered hot rolls, fruit, milk, juice.

Thursday: Ham and cheese sandwiches with lettuce, potato chips, vegetable sticks and pickle spears, juicy treats, milk, juice. Friday: No school.

LUNCH

High School Monday: Hamburgers or chili dogs, french fries, pork and beans,

salad bar, brownies. Tuesday: Hamburgers or BBQ on bun, french fries, pickle spears,

salad bar, sliced peaches. Wednesday: Hamburgers or turkey with dressing and gravy, tater tots, creamed potatoes, salad bar, English peas, fruit, buttered

hot rolls. Thursday: Ham and cheese sandwiches with lettuce, potato chips, vegetable sticks, juicy treats.

Friday: No school. Note: Milk and tea offered daily.

Menus subject to change

Raffle winner

Pat Rowan of Haskell was winner of the television set given away by the Haskell Rotary Club at last Sunday's "Sunday in the Park" drawing.



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Ground breaking

City officials gathered Tuesday morning for a ground-breaking ceremony at the site of the new City Hall. Holding the shovel is Mayor Jill Druesedow. Others, left to right, are Ann Young, city secretary, council members Ruby Turner, Kenny Watson, Tony Burson and Ronny Tanner, and administrator Bob Baker.

-- Market Report--

Haskell Livestock Auction

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction Saturday was on a run of

1,773 head of cattle. Cows: fat 48-52; cutters 47-55;

canners 35-45. Bulls: bologna 60-65; feeder 65-

75; utility 45-55. Steers: 200-300 lbs. 115-130; 300-400 lbs. 95-110; 400-500 lbs. 85-100; 500-600 lbs. 80-95; 600-700 lbs. 74-78; 700-800 lbs. 72-

76; 800 lbs. up 65-74. Heifers: 200-300 lbs. 100-110; 300-400 lbs. 85-100: 400-500 lbs.

75-85; 500-600 lbs. 72-80; 600; lbs. up 68-77.

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Directors

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the

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Vice President & Cashier

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

--Obituaries--

Loyale Langford

Loyle Langford of Bastrop died Friday at St. David's Hospital in Austin. He was 54.

Funeral services were Sunday afternoon at East Side Baptist Church in Haskell with the Rev. Paul Cheatham officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Kenneth Campbell, Billy Joe Campbell, Jimmy Hannsz, Jerry Hannsz, Gary Burkett and Scotty Langford.

Mr. Langford was born in Haskell on April 10, 1938. An oil field worker, he was a veteran of the U.S. Marines and a Baptist.

He is survived by two sons, Bradley Lee Langford and David Lee Langford, both of Fort Worth; a daughter, Lori Jo Guidry of Alvin; his father, C. V. Langford of Abilene; a sister, Margie Cardwell of Waco; four brothers, R. C. Langford of Rule, Harley and Clinton Langford of Abilene and Doyle Langford of Bastrop; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Ruby Langford.

R. A. Morrison

R. A. (Bob) Morrison of Rule died Monday, April 29, at Haskell Nursing Center. He was 68.

Funeral services were Wednesday afternoon (April 29) at the Rule Church of Christ with Owen Aikin and Travis Boyd officiating. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery, directed by McCauley-Robison Funeral

Pallbearers were Billy Morton,

James Marquis, Philip Sarabia, Jeff Sorrells, Arlis Brothers and Ronny

Mr. Morrison was born April 7, 1924, in Wichita Falls. A retired oil field worker, he was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He married Denise Shannon in Wichita Falls on Sept. 26, 1944. She survives him.

Other survivors include two daughters, Sharron Pierce of Knox City and Shelia (Mrs. Tommy) Holmes of Abilene; a brother, Lewis Morrison of Electra; two sisters, Beulah Bailey of St. Jo, Texas, and Bonnie Coker of Gainesville; four grandchildren, Missy (Mrs, Todd) Lewis of Rule, Michelle (Mrs. Richard) Shaver of Rochester, Brandon Holmes of Abilene and Nathan Pierce of Knox City; and three great-grandchildren, Eric and Emily Lewis of Rule and Andy Shaver of Rochester.

He was preceded in death by a son, Bobby Morrison, and three brothers, Joe, David and Pat Morrison.

Juanita Lewis

Juanita Lewis of Haskell died Tuesday evening (April 28). She was 75.

Funeral services were Saturday

Pallbearers were Rickey Terry, Curtis Kilgore, L. C. Johnson Jr., and Ervin Kingsbury Jr.

Mrs. Lewis was born Oct. 27, 1916, in Marlin and had been a resident of Haskell for 48 years. She was a member of the Greater Independent Baptist Church where she was a secretary and head of the youth department. She married Ollie Lewis in Marlin on May 7, 1939. He died March 1, 1987.

Survivors include a daughter, Gracie Holmes of Waco; a sister, Eloise Diles of Reagan, Texas; two brothers, Lee Henderson of Marlin and Berlie B. Henderson of Haskell; four grandchildren; six greatgrandchildren; and two great-greatgrandchildren.

Playday season to open Sunday

The Haskell Horse Club will open its 1992 season at 2 p.m. Sunday with a jackpot playday.

Events will include barrel racing, pole bending and flags. In addition, there will be two new events, goathair pulling and goat tying.

Age groups will be 8 and under novice, 8 and under regular, 9 to 12, 13 to 15 and 16 to 19.

Retired teachers to meet May 20

Haskell County Retired Teachers will have their final meeting of the season on Wednesday, May 20.

Members of the organization will meet at the Drug Store Cafe in

Award earned by PCA

For the fourth consecutive year, Rolling Plains Production Credit Association (PCA) has received a Farm Credit Achievement award from the Farm Credit Bank of Texas (FCBT).

The association has offices in Stamford, Abilene, Childress, Matador, Munday and Spur.

"The association board and management team have demonstrated their ability to effectively direct and manage the association's business affairs for the benefit of its stockholders," said Terry Dane, FCBT chief chief operating officer, in presenting the award with FCBT board vice chairman Billy Chesnut and director James McCarthy.

"Rolling Plains PCA has been attentive to its financial position and developed a financially strong organization," Dane added, "and has exhibited the ability to control credit risk while maintaining a loan

portfolio of the highest quality."

Directors of the locally owned cooperative are Tidwell of Munday. who is chairman; Dan Henard Jr. of Wellington, vice chairman; Lance D. Morris of Crosbyton; Dean Turner of Matador; Keith Corzine of Stamford; and Jack Reese of

John S. Rike III of Haskell is president of Rolling Plains PCA.

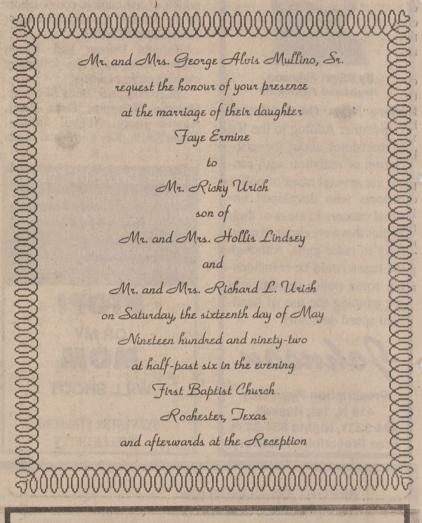


Recognized

The Farm Credit Bank of Texas has recognized Rolling Plains PCA as a 1991 Farm Credit Achievement award winner. Displaying the association's award are PCA president John Rike, left, and PCA board chairman Garon Tidwell of Munday.

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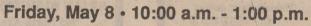
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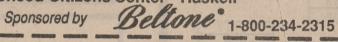
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--Paint Creek--

by Mabel Overton

I wish you all could have seen the Scout "village" at Scott Memorial Park at Lake Stamford last weekend. There were 37 Boy Scout units and three Webelos dens (about 400 boys and adults in all) in competition where Scouting skills were used in problem solving events. Some of the events were to pop a water balloon suspended 18 inche's above the ground using a fire made by flint and steel; constructing an "A" frame walker with rope lashings and poles that was mounted by a Scout and held upright by four guy ropes (using this device the boy had to walk across a river filled with "alligators"), morse code messages sent across a "raging river", compass courses, inspection of a badly maintained campsite, first aid problems, plant and animal identification, and the construction of a tripod with lashings capable of carrying a marble and spool of threads suspended on a bucket in the center over a measured course.

(Wallar told me all of this. I don't know what it all means.) But the boys were all so busy going from one event to another, and having such a good time doing it. Viking patrol of Paint Creek won a blue ribbon.

Saturday night the boys participated in a Council campfire ceremony conducted by Haskell's Dusty Garison where the Scouts from Paint Creek received a blue ribbon as a reward for their efforts. The troop wishes to thank Mr. and Mrs. Vernay Andress of the park for being such gracious hosts while

they were at the park

Scouts from Troop 148 attending this year's Council Camporee were Hans Overton, Marcus Overton, Casey Thompson, Jim Crawford, Jody Reel, and Hegan Lamb. Adults attending were Kenny Thompson and Wallar Overton. Troop 148 is sponsored by Paint Creek Independent School District.

Dr. Tom Hairgrove and Ross, Steffi Overton, James and Kim Crawford and Mabel and Gene Overton visited the scouts at Lake Stamford.

Arthur Watson returned to the Humana hospital Monday. His wife Maple and daughter Sue Holcomb of Olney were with him.

The Hasting Wagon Train will camp at Lake Stamford this week. It is composed of boys and girls on probation. They camped at the James Crawford farm Monday night.

Sunday afternoon at the Haskell National Bank Community Room, the Haskell County 4-H girls had their competition. Paint Creek girls were Amy Barbour, who wore a non-tailored day wear garment she had made, Amanda Crawford wore a non-tailored day wear garment she had made, Halee Walton had made a specialty wear garment which she wore, and these girls all won first place. They will go the district contest on June 29.

Amanda and Halee gave a

grew up in the McConnel Community, one of the communities that became a part of Paint Creek, and most of you know him as the cute, white haired man who plays the piano at our Rural Electric meetings (and sings "Sue City Sue") won the quilt made by the ladies at the Stamford VIP Center. (That, my dear readers is

what is known as a "run on"

sentence, and any good English

teacher would count off quite a few

points if she were grading me).

methods demonstration of "How to

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Walton

attended the wedding of Mrs.

Walton's niece, Mindy Bounds, and

Matt Barnet at the home of the

bride's mother, Mrs. Reta Bounds

Davis Jones of Stamford, who

of Stamford on Sat., April 30.

make a poster". They won 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair had all their children home for the weekend to help celebrate Ann's birthday. Their children sang several songs with their Dad at the Baptist church, and Ann accompanied on the piano. They all had lunch at the Cliff House in Stamford. Their children are Lyn Childress of Lubbock and her children Todd Bartlett and wife Ashlye and son Christopher, from Wolfforth, and Tanner Childress of Paint Creek; Steve Sinclair, wife Laura, Wesley and Emily of Tomball, Texas; Joel Sinclair, wife Gwen, and children

Brook and Mason; from Muleshoe;

Kelly Sinclair and Lisa Davis of

Stamford. Congratulations.

The Paint Creek Home Demonstration Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gene Overton. Our County Agent, Mrs. Lou Gilly brought a most interesting and informative program on sensible eating and dieting habits. Members present were Mrs. Frances Fischer, Mrs. Peggy Burnett, Mrs. Dolores Medford, Mrs. Ann Sinclair, Mrs. Lorene Harris, and Mrs. Fischer's guest.



René Toney and Jon McAden

Engagement of couple announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney of Sagerton have announced the engagement of their daugther, Tina Rene, to Jon Dee McAden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McAden of Abilene.

The bride-elect graduated from Rule High School and Angelo State University in San Angelo. She is a physical education teacher and coach at Abilene High School.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Cooper High School in Abilene and attended Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. He is an electrical trades teacher at Abilene High School.

A June 26 wedding is planned at Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton.

East Side revival to begin Sunday

Two-a-day revival services will be held Sunday through Wednesday at East Side Baptist Church in Haskell.

Ted Elmore of Euless will be evangelist and the Jay McKay Family of Rusk will be worship

Sunday morning services will be at 10:55 and Sunday evening services at 7.

Weekday services will begin at 12 noon and 7 p.m. A fish fry will precede the Monday noon service.

Daniela Guadalcazar to compete in state

Daniela Guadalcazar won first place in discus in last week's regional meet to earn a place in next weekend's state track and field meet.

The Haskell High School senior had a throw of 112-1, her best of the year to beat out all contestants in the regional in Abilene.

She will throw at 11 a.m. Friday, May 15, at the state track meet, to be held at Memorial Stadium at the University of Texas

n Austin.

Another Maiden performer, Heather Hobgood, qualified for the regional finals in the 200-meter dash, but did not place. Nevertheless, she posted her best time of the season at 26.6.

Eddy Gonzales, the lone Indian making the regional, also qualified for Saturday's finals in the 400 meter run, but was disqualified after a false start.



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Balloon lift-off moved indoors

The Haskell Elementary School sixth-graders' balloon lift-off is planned for Tuesday.

However, the environmentally concerned young citizens have changed tradition.

After discussing ideas from "Fifty Simple Things Kids Can Do to Save the Earth," students have reconsidered the lift-off. The book states:

"Even if the sea is hundreds of miles away, balloons can still land there. The salt water in the ocean washes off a balloon's color, making it look clear. Sometimes sea creatures think balloons are food and eat them. Sea turtles, for example, eat jellyfish---which look and wiggle just like clear balloons. The balloon can block its stomach, and it can starve to death."

Students also expressed concerns about the litter caused by more than 500 balloons that students will be launching, plus the strings and tags attached to them.

Many students have looked forward to this day and have watched the lift-off every year with much anticipation. They have worked hard this year reading so as to earn the balloons. Students receive one balloon for every 300 pages they read. Yet, they are willing to forego the lift-off for the sake of the environment.

Here are some of their comments:

"I like the idea of launching the balloons in the cafeteria and when they deflate, we can dispose of them property." Jason Briles.

"We can protect our world by launching inside." Vanessa Miller.

"I am going on the side of the environment. If our fun is hurting other things, then we should replace it." Nisha Patel.

"Sea turtles are already low in number and don't need any more 'predators'." Beau Klose.

"I care for our environment and I don't want to do anything to harm

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it." Brooke McGuire.

"Even though I hate breaking tradition, I think not only sea animals would die, but also birds and farm animals would die." Shannon Jordan.

"Sure, it would be fun to launch balloons but we can't just think of our fun times. We have to think of the future for other people." Andrea Callaway

This was a difficult decision for the students to reach, and it was not a unanimous one. However, the majority agreed an outdoor launch simply would not be best for the environment.

This year will be the seventh annual balloon lift-off at Haskell Elementary. Perhaps it should be re-named the "Balloon Lift-In."

Sixth-graders will launch their colorful helium-filled balloons in the school cafeteria for all the other students to enjoy for days. (Won't the cafeteria have a colorful ceiling?)

Parents, grandparents, friends and neighbors are invited to come to the cafeteria at 2 p.m. Tuesday to watch the first indoor balloon lift-off.

Teachers are Diane Huff, Darla Coffman, Letha Newton and Debbie Earles.

Noah committee to meet Friday

Members of the Noah Project North advisory committee will have their monthly meeting at noon Friday at East Side Baptist Church. All members are urged to attend.

Three elected to School Board

Incumbent John Pike, Bobby Smith and Steve Lehrmann were winners in the Rule School Board election Saturday.

Smith was the top vote-getter with 148 votes. Pike received 141 and Lehrmann received 104.

Other candidates and their vote totals included Jackie Wilson, 101; Marsha Simpson, 70; and Shannon Kittley, 65.

Rule was the only county school district with contested races for the School Board.

In Haskell, Mike Guess and Bob Aycock were re-elected without opposition. In Paint Creek, Wallar Overton, Darlene Walton and Danny Griffith were elected to three-year terms, while Billy Lamb was elected to a one-year term. In Rochester, Larry Short and William "Bill" Penman were unopposed for re-election.

White, Landes win Council seats

June White and Ronald Landes were elected to the Rule City Council in Saturday's city election. White received 110 vortes and

Landes received 98.

Other candidates and their vote totals included James Marquis, 93; Sue Smith, 53; Tex Little, 8; and Naomi Watson, 3.

A. B. Arnett was unopposed for mayor.

Weinert elects Mahan as mayor

Leonard Mahan won the one-year unexpired term as mayor of Weinert in Saturday's city election.

Mahan received 49 votes, while Floyd Stout received 35.

Brian Adams, with 69 votes, was re-elected to the City Council. Also elected was Gilbert Jimenez Jr., who received 57 votes. A third Council candidate, Robert Horan, got 34 votes.

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The Haskell Consolidated Independent School District will accept bids for an 8'x20' walk-in freezer for the secondary cafeteria until 7:00 p.m. May 19, 1992, at the Administration Building, 605 N. Ave. E, Haskell, Texas 79521 (mailing address: P. O. Box 937, Haskell, Texas 79521), phone 817-864-2602 at which time bids will be read aloud. Bid specifications are available at P. O. Box 937, Haskell, Texas 79521 or 605 N. Ave. E, Haskell, Texas 79521. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

PUBIC NOTICE

The records of the R. C. Couch Family Trust are open for inspection as of May 14, 1992 at the Haskell National Bank, 601 N. 1st St., Haskell, Texas 79521. Phone 817-864-2631.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The annual report of the J. U. and Florence B. Fields Museum is available at the address noted below, for inspection during regular Commissioner, Precinct #1, Hasbusiness hours, by any citizen who kell, Texas. so requests within 180 days after this publication. Fields Museum, 401 N. Ave. E, Haskell, Texas 79521. Peggy Vaughter. 19c

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NOTICE

Haskell County Commissioner's Court will accept bids until 10:00 A.M., Monday, May 11, 1992, at the office of County Judge for one (1) new motor grader for Precinct #1. The unit must be new and current year model and must be fully serviced and ready for use upon delivery.

The award will be based upon the following: Bids submitted, conformity with specifications, quality of article supplied, terms of delivery, terms of warranty of-

All bids submitted should include and take into account the aforementioned considerations reserved by the Court in its evaluation of the bid proposals received. Any bidder not meeting a particular specification may list the exception on a separate sheet of paper for the consideration of the Court and submit the same with the bid proposal.

The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids, to waive any informality in bids, and accept in whole or in part such bid or bids as may be deemed in the best interest of, and the most advantageous to Haskell County.

All bid proposals must be sealed and submitted to Haskell County Commissioner's Court, Office of County Judge, Haskell County Courthouse, Haskell, Texas 79521.

A complete list of specifications may be obtained from the office of the County Judge and will 19c be furnished by mail upon request. Please submit your bids with a trade-in allowance of (1) 140G motor grader, serial number 72V11954. The trade-in may be seen by contacting J. L. Grand,

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Happenings...

by Lois Redwine

Reggie Pitman, Cisco, visited last Sunday with the Roy Pitmans and me. He is Post Commander of the VFW in Cisco and attended the VFW convention in Stamford. Reggie is the son of the late Albert and Pauline Pitman.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stewart were their granddaughter, Kathie Galle and her son, Travis from Potosi. Travis enjoyed riding in the golf cart with great granddad. Visiting Saturday with the Stewarts were their grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stewart from Odessa.

Dewie Escue, Olney, visited with Frieda Nehring in Rice Springs Care Home and with Dimpel Nehring. Also visiting both ladies was Dimpel's cousin, Edna Mae Mindemann from Apache, Ok. She also visited cousins, Marie and Walter Kretschmer.

Erma Liles, Weinert, Mrs. Sammie White and Janoma Stephens, Knox City and Marie Ward from Aspermont attended the 95th State Convention of the Texas Federation of Womens' Clubs April 26-30. The convention was held at the Plaza of the Americas Hotel in Dallas.

Leon and Ella Belle Burson spent Sunday in Abilene with daughter, and family, Janice and Larry Hill and Justin. They also visited Estelle Burson in Hendrick Medical Center.

Visiting last weekend with Oleta Bowers were Jim and Jerry Bowers

Super Second Saturday

and

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from Denton.

Erma Liles, Weinert, and Bro. and Mrs. Paris Barton attended the funeral services for Donald Boyd in Anson on Sunday afternoon.

I visited last week in Odessa with daughter and son-in-law, Charlotte and Vern Foreman, daughter and son-in-law, Suzy and Coe McElmurry, granddaughter, Jennifer Lundy and granddaughter and family, Monica and John Childs, Alan and Richard of Midland.

Visiting from Austin with family and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Major Lewis III and Earlene Lewis. Major is the son of Major Lewis, Jr. and the grandson of the late Major Lewis Sr.

Rev. V. Norman of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of Robert and Mae Lou Yeldell. He was guest preacher for the Greater Independent Baptist Church Sunday

The Community Choir met Sunday evening at the Greater Independent Church.

On Thursday night, Leon and Delight Jones and Elmer and Berniece Hilliard were in Breckenridge for Breckenridge's Square Dance Club's graduation dance. Leon Ivey of Munday was

Pat Shaw and son Marshal of Roscoe and Ellen Hilliard, Abilene, visited Pat's parents, the Elmer Hilliards on Sunday. They attended "Sunday in the Park" and watched

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the Country Cousins square dance. Spending the weekend with Susie Kreger were her daughter and son-in-law, Jessie Pearl and Danny Hill of Ft. Stockton.

I went with daughter and son-inlaw, Suzy and Coe McElmurry of Odessa to visit his parents, Rex and Almo McElmurry. We flew to Springfield, Mo. then drove to Miller, Mo., where the McElmurrys live. On April 25, Mrs. McElmurry and I attended the Missouri Writers Guild annual convention at the College of the Ozarks in Hollister, Mo. She is a member of the Guild and has had several articles published. The 1400 students who attend the College of the Ozarks pay no tuition. Each student works at one of the 80 jobs or industries. This is a 4 year, fully accredited college founded in 1906. It is related by covenant to the Presbyterian church.

Branson and Hollister are separated geographically by the narrow Lake Taneycomo but joined with numerous highways and streets. Much construction is going on in both. There are no signs of a depression up there. Country and western stars have made Branson their own. Japanese star (turned western), Shoji Tabuchi, has his own garish Japanese-Western theater. Andy Williams' Moon River theater has just opened as has the Johnny Cash theater, the Willie Nelson theater and the Grand Palace theater will soon open and will seat 4000. Many other stars 'have their theaters and many will make appearances in Branson this summer. A 16,000 acre tract is

being cleared and readied for the construction of a marina, golf course, motels, RV parking, more theaters and shopping centers. Many businesses have "Help Wanted" signs in their windows. It's a different world.

Grand Jury indicts 10

Indictments were returned against 10 individuals during the April 27 session of the Grand Jury of the 39th Judicial District Court.

Those indicted included: John Franklin Eaton, two counts of delivery of a controlled

substance, one count of possession. Brandy Alaine Eaton, possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver.

Darnell McCulloch, delivery of a controlled substance.

Nancy Jiminez, attempted burglary.

Ramerio Saucedo, burglary of a building. Tammy Gibbs Gordy, two

counts of delivery of marijuana. Judy Jones, forgery with intent

Dayton Hobbs Goble, DWI, subsequent offense.

Kenneth Wayne Rogers, DWI, subsequent offense.

Bobby Lynn Miller, indecency with a child (waiver indictment).

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.



Getting ready

Brooke Baker, co-editor of The War Whoop, studies newspaper editorials prior to competing in the state UIL editorial writing contest in Austin on Friday. She placed third at regional in editorial writing and fifth in feature writing. Katy Martin placed sixth in prose reading. (Photo by Brad









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Written By James E. Rodgers, CPA



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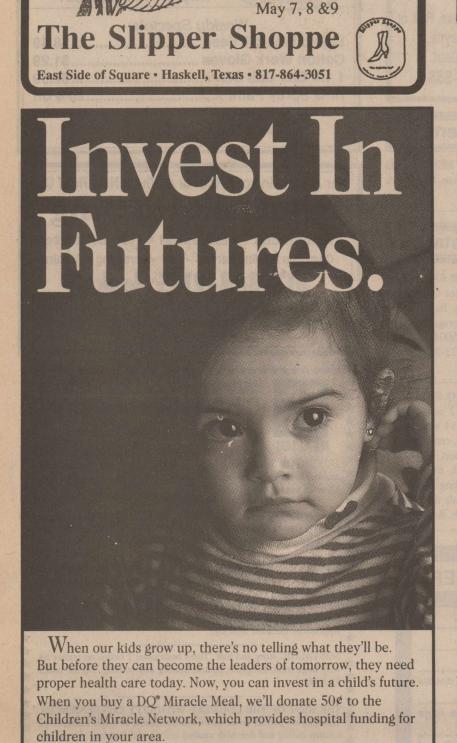
Before you invest, ask yourself: 1) How much risk do I want to assume? Generally, the greater the risk, the greater the potential reward. 2) When will I need the funds? The more distant the need, the more risk you may want to assume. Once you have decided on your investment objective, call for a prospectus for each fund that you're considering. While a prospectus is not the most entertaining reading, it's imperative that you review it for four major

First, read the statement of objectives. This section describes the fund's goals and the types of securities the fund buys. Make sure the fund's objectives match your investment objectives. Second, look at the sales charges. Generally, the lower the charge, the better. Third, review the prospectus section on management expenses, again looking for lower annual fees. (Annual fees are generally in the 1-2% range.) Finally, determine the minimum investment required for initial purchases as well as subsequent additions.

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