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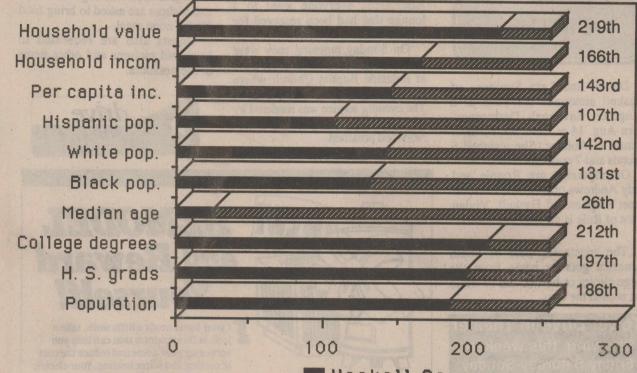
Haskell Business Association to

sponsor a "small business week".

and considered the 1992-93 fiscal

streets (center flowline only).

How Haskell County ranks among 254 counties



Haskell Co.

Haskell County median age ranks 26th highest in Texas

Haskell County has the 26th oldest population of the state's 254 counties, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

The median age of the county's 6,820 citizens is 40.4 years. Statewide, the median age is 30.8 years.

Llano County has the oldest

median age, 55.4 years, followed by Sabine (46.8), Coke (44.0), Hamilton (43.5) and Motley (43.5).

Starr County has the youngest median age, 23.9 years, followed by Brazos (24.0), Coryell (25.4), Webb (25.5) and Maverick (25.6). The same Census report lists

Haskell County's per capita income

Plans being made for Rule Jubilee

"Hometown USA" will be the theme of the annual Rule Jubilee at Slim Sorrells Park in Rule Sept.

featured during the afternoon. There will be drawings for gifts from merchants and the Rule at \$10,099, ranking the county 145th in the state. Collin County was highest at \$20,053 and Starr County was lowest at \$4,152.

Haskell County's median household income of \$19,386, put the county in 166th place among the state's 254 counties. Collin County also ranked first in this category at \$46,020 and Starr County again was lowest at \$10,182.

Of 10 categories in the Census report, Haskell County ranked lowest, 219th, in median household value (\$28,200). Collin County, with a median household value of \$106,600 topped all counties, while sparsely populated Loving County was all alone at the bottom at \$9,000, far below 253rd-place King County at \$17,500.

Supt. addresses

Dear Taxpayer: As most of you are aware, the State Legislature has not given much, if any relief, to the taxpayer. The requirement for revenue for the school district has not decreased, but continues to increase because of the state's failure to adequately fund education.

The Haskell CISD has been prorated \$56,682 thus far for 91-92 (these are monies the district earned but did not receive because of the lack of funds at the state level), and it appears the district could be prorated as much as \$200,000 in 92-93.

These are difficult decisionmaking times for school boards and superintendents as they try to develop budgets and estimate revenue which they may receive and at the same time be fair and reasonable to the taxpayers of the district.

The taxpayers should know that no control over this mandated tax increase.

needed services to our children.

City selects taxpayers 22 blocks for seal coating

streets.

gazebo).

Street).

Twenty-two city blocks are included on the city's list of streets to get seal coating.

Selection of the streets was made last Tuesday during a meeting of the City Council.

The project, to be done by Colthorp Construction Co. of Seymour, could begin as early as this week.

The areas included:

•One block on North Ave. J between 7th and 8th streets.

•One block on North Ave. K between 7th and 8th streets.

•Seven and one-half blocks on North Ave. D between 2nd and 8th streets and one-half block from M System to the football field.

•Five blocks on North Avenue B between 4th and 9th streets.

•Two blocks on South Ave. C between North 1st and South 2nd streets.

year budget (see separate story). **Budget hearing**

to a rollback election.

Council members Kenny Watson, Ruby Turner and Tony Burson voted for the increase, while Iva Lee Gipson and Kim Nemir voted against it. Mayor Pat Henry also voiced his objection to the increase

Effective tax rate (the rate necessary to generate the same

the State, by law, requires a \$.10 tax increase through the 1992 newly formed County Education District. Local school boards have The Haskell CISD Board of Trustee and Superintendent want to

assure the taxpayers of our district that as we develop a budget to adequately provide an excellent education for the children of the district, we will at the same time use good judgement in the raising of revenue to fund the budget. We shall strive to raise no more money than is necessary to provide the

The Board and Superintendent also wish to commend the taxpayers and other community members for your most generous support of the Haskell CISD. Your concern for an dedication to our school is a positive reflection of your interest in the education of the children of our district. It is our goal to see that the students receive a dollar's worth of educational benefit for each dollar you invest.

scheduled Tuesday The Haskell City Council

26.

Arts, crafts and other booths can be set up at any time, but Jubilee activities will begin at 2 p.m. with the parade.

There will be three categories in the parade---floats, children and others. Cash prizes of \$25 for first place, \$15 for second and \$10 for third will be awarded in each category. Contact Marie Herttenberger for parade entries.

Games, skits, music, cake walks and other entertainment will be

Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber will give half beef, a 19inch television set and a VCR. An evening meal will be served

at the park. The following may be contacted

for information:

John Pike for arts and crafts, John Greeson for games, Lou Landes for program and entertainment, Kenny Tanner for merchant donations and for food booths.

Indians, Roscoe scrimmage Friday

Haskell coaches and fans will get a preview of the 1992 football team Friday evening when the Indians scrimmage Roscoe at Haskell.

Junior varsity teams of the two schools will scrimmage first, beginning at 6 o'clock. The varsity scrimmage should begin about 7.

Head coach Walter Hargrove said pre-season practices have been going real well.

Fifty-four boys are out for the junior varsity and varsity, including

21 freshmen.

Hargrove said he was unable to give even a tentative lineup for the Indians. "We've been experimenting a lot and changing a lot of positions," said the coach. "We'll know more after the Roscoe scrimmage.

Next Friday, the Indians will travel to Quanah for another scrimmage. They will open the 1992 season the following week, Sept. 4, playing host to Munday.

Haskell County's 6,820 population placed it 186th among the state's counties. The county ranks 107th in percent of Hispanic population (19.2 percent) and 131st in percent of black population (3.6 percent).

Starr County has the greatest Hispanic population (97.2), Waller County the most blacks (37.6 percent) and Irion County the most whites (98.7 percent). Tyler, Newton and Lamar counties, each with 1.1 percent Hispanic population, were the lowest in this category, while 20 counties counted no blacks among their population.

With 58.4 percent of Haskell's population being high school graduates, the county ranked 197th in this category. Only 9 percent of the population has bachelor or higher degrees, ranking Haskell County 212th in the state.

Business Assn. to meet Tuesday

The Haskell Business Association will have its monthly meeting next Tuesday, Aug. 25. Members will beet at 7 p.m. at

Guadalajara's Restaurant.

Haskell CISD **Board of Trustees** William H. Stewart, Supt.

Rule Lions club sets turkey shoot

Rule Lions Club will sponsor a turkey shoot on Saturday, Aug. 29.

The event, which will run from 9 a.m. until dark, will be on US 380 just west of the Rule city limits.

Only shotguns will be allowed as contestants compete for cash and other prizes. Refreshments will be available. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed.

administrator Scott Wall calls for expenditures of \$1,135,322, about \$20,000 more than the current year's budget.

reviewed the proposed 1992-93

budget and approved an 8-percent

tax increase proposal during last

not come until after a public

hearing, scheduled for 6 p.m. on

Final decision on the budget will

The budget presented by

Tuesday's regular meeting.

Tuesday, Aug. 25.

By a 3-2 vote, the Council approved the 8-percent increase over the effective tax rate, the maximum allowed without subjecting the City

revenue as the previous year) is .1706, up slightly from this year's actual rate of .1685.

Wall estimated the tax increase will generate less than \$10,000. The increased taxes on a \$22,900 home, the average appraised home value in Haskell, would be about \$6.70, Wall said.

Fair cancelled

The 26-year-old Haskell County Fair has been cancelled for 1992.

Members of the Haskell County Fair Association said this week they had decided to forego this year's fair. They gave lack of money and lack of interest as the reasons.

Cancellation of the annual event came as no surprise to most citizens. The association had announced in April of last year that

dwindling interest was seriously jeopardizing the continuation of the fair.

The fair has lost money in recent years. It lost about \$1,500 in 1990. Although last year's finances improved, the fair still lost money. The fair board's decision pertains

to this year's fair only. Future fairs will depend on the support of the public.



Individual winners

Displaying the individual awards they won in the state competition in the Texas Math and Science Coaches math contests are, from left, Sarah Cothron, Tonya Burson, Anna Rieger, Amy Burson, Casey Burgess, Lyle Fouts and Joseph Phemister.

Haskell students take honors

Last April, Haskell elementary and junior high students participated in the Texas Math and Science Coaches Association regional math meet at Azle.

Their results were sent to be tabulated with those of seven other regional meets to determine state winners individually, as teams and as sweepstakes teams.

The seventh- and eighth-grade team placed second in the state sweepstakes of the small school division, consisting of 1A, 2A and 3A schools. Sweepstake team winners were Casey Burgess, Tonya Burson, Sarah Cothron, Wendy Dulaney, Aaron Earles, Lyle Fouts, Charissa Huff and Carol Thornhill.

The sixth grade placed third in the state sweepstakes of the small school division. Sixth-grad sweepstakes team members were Jason Briles, Amy Burson, Philip Huff, Beau Klose, Marci McSmith, Adrian Palacios and Anna Rieger.

State team winners were:

First place: Seventh- and eighthgrade calculator team consisting of Tonya Burson, Lyle Fouts, Casey Burgess and Sarah Cothron.

Second place: Sixth-grade number sense team consisting of Marci McSmith, Philip Huff, Adrian Palacios and Anna Rieger.

Third place: Sixth-grade calculator team consisting of Anna Rieger, Amy Burson, Jason Briles and Philip Huff.

State individual winners were: Joseph Phemister, sixth in fifthgrade number sense.

Anna Rieger, fifth, and Amy Burson, sixth, in sixth-grade calculator.

Lyle Fouts, second; Casey Burgess, fourth; and Sarah Cothron, sixth, in seventh-grade calculator.

Tonya Burson, fourth in eighthgrade calculator.

Other students attending the meet were Matt Blanks, Bree Burgess, J. J. Comedy, Mitchell Cox, Craig Cunningham, Kelli Cunningham, Heath Guess, Jonathon Lefevre, Misty McMeans.

Melanie Michaels, Vanessa Miller, Dacia Phemister, Jeremy Simmons, Kaki Stapleton, Cody Stone, Sarah SoRelle and Regina Tatum.

The students were coached by Paula Everett and Bonnie Fouts.

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appenings... by Lois Redwine .

Stacy Pipkin and friend, Carla from Denton stayed overnight last week with Stacy's grandparents, Howell and Christene Greene.

Chunky Tidwell underwent eye surgery in Abilene, August 11 and is recovering nicely. Spending Friday night with the Tidwells were Bob and Lois Glover of Borger. They were enroute to Possum Kingdom Lake for the 1952 Senior class reunion of Rochester High School.

Maxie and Sharon Mullins, Jeff and Joe of Midland visited last week with Maxie's parents, Pete and Reatha Mullins. Jeff is majcring in law at the University of Texas in Austin, Joe is attending **Baylor University.**

Spending several days last week with Helen Oates were her niece. Annie Mae Stewart of Tulsa, Ok. and her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy George from Fayetteville, Ark.

Receiving a Bachelor of Science legree from ACU were Shonda Michelle Scoggins Dunnam (cum aude) and Rhonda Lynn Hanson. Missy Gray, daughter of Lee and Barbara Gray of Odessa, spent everal days last week with her randparents, George and Faye Jray. The Grays and Missy spent riday night in Abilene with the

Gray's daughter and son-in-law, Judy and Chuck Hicks and family. Missy returned to Odessa and grandson, Mike Hicks came home with the Grays. On Saturday night, the Grays and Mike attended the Knox City monthly musical.

Bill and Peggy Middlebrook spent last weekend in McKinney with their son and daughter-in-law, Bryan and Nancy Middlebrook and seven month old grandson, Josh.

Jimmy and Helen Owens were in Lubbock last weekend visiting with their daughter and son-in-law, Beverly and Frankie SoRelle, Emily and Sarah. While there, they celebrated Emily's 18th birthday and watched Sarah play in a tennis tournament. Sarah came home with the Owens for a week.

Wanda Jackson of Ft. Worth and Janice Lauderdale of Irving spent last weekend with their mother, Clariss Jones. Also visiting, was Mrs. Jones' brother-in-law, Wesley Jones, of Abilene.

Bill and Nita Lawson of Temple visited last week with Leon and Ella Belle Burson. On Sunday, the Bursons visited Wallace and Opal Stark in Snyder and attended church with them.

Spending Saturday with Elmer and Bernice Hilliard were their daughter, Pat Shaw from Roscoe

and Mr. Hilliard's sister, Ellen Hilliard from Abilene. On Saturday night, the Hilliards were in Breckenridge, dancing with the Breckenridge Square Dance Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Ron McCandless, Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Standefer, Mr. and Mrs. Flint Nanny, Haskell and Mr. Standefer's mother and brother from Monahans were in Bandera last weekend. The men, along with Robbie Robison, made a tape extolling the Texas Hill Country. Texas Hill Country offers everything from fishing, canoeing, hiking, horse back riding, horse racing, dude ranches and beautiful scenery. Mr. Robison expects the tape to be released in mid September.

Birdie Lee Benford spent several days in Midland with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Odom and assisted with wedding preparations for their daughter, Fay. Mr. and Mrs. James Whitaker were in Midland for Fay's wedding. She is their granddaughter.

The Greater Independent Baptist Church Choir sang at the Sims Methodist Church in Stamford.

Brittany Jordan celebrated her 4th birthday with a Day Camp party in the home of her mother, Birdie Goudeau. Five little girls. including Brittany, Monique, Shanna, Bridget and Kaylee pretended from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. that they were attending Day Camp. Birdie was assisted by Syreeta Billington.

Danielle Ervin celebrated her

12th birthday in the home of Birdie Goudeau with her great grandmother, Willie Lee Thomas and friends.

If anyone knows what year the first school bus came to Haskell, please call me at 864-2295.

Rev. Benjamin Van Zandt from Hamlin was guest speaker at the Hopewell Baptist Church last Sunday. A covered dish meal was served in the Fellowship Hall following the services.



Daniel and Leta Stephens of Haskell announce the birth of a daughter, Savannah Desmornay, born Aug. 14 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces.

Grandparents are Ronnie and Judy Andrews of Rule and Don and Janet Stephens of Haskell. Vivian Hunt of Rule is great-grandmother.

Lewises attend family reunion

The Rev. and Mrs. John Lewis left last Thursday for their family reunion in Tulsa, Okla.

They spent Thursday night in Wichita Falls and left there Friday morning for Oklahoma City where they spent the night with his sister, Rosemary Richard. On Saturday. they went to Tulsa where they attended a banquet that evening. Afterwards everyone went to a lounge that had been reserved for the family.

On Sunday morning they went to Okmulgee for morning services at Eastside Baptist Church where the Rev. Larry Smith is the pastor. The evening service was rendered by the Lewis family and the Rev. Norwood preached.

They returned to Oklahoma City

Sunday night and came home Tuesday evening.

About 93 people attended the reunion.

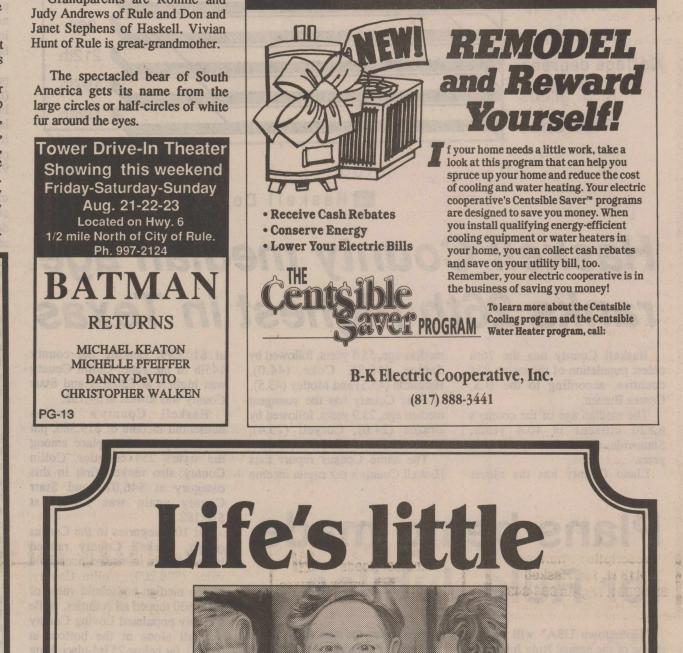
New Hope reunion planned

The 29th homecoming of the New Hope community will be Sunday, Aug. 23, at the Bunkhouse Rodeo Grounds in Stamford.

Registration will begin at 9 a.m. and visitors are asked to bring food for the noon meal.

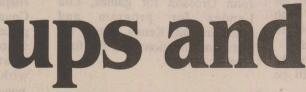
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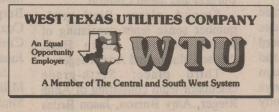
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Bruce Geilhausen graduated Saturday from Southwest Texas State University with a bachelor of science degree in Criminal Justice. He is the son of Bob and Lowell Anne Baker.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.



By Elbert Johnson, **Registered Pharmacist**

Candy Cigarettes Not Harmless: Focus groups of children aged 4 through 11 and a survey of seventhgraders suggested that children strongly associate candy cigarettes with real cigarettes and that playing with and eating the candy may be related to future smoking. The younger children enjoyed eating candy cigarettes, but associated them with illicit behavior and often shared them with playmates. Repeated use of candy cigarettes was positively correlated with later experimental tobacco use in the older students, as was having parents who smoked.

Johnson

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Arbor roundation offers free trees

Ten free Colorado blue spruce trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during August.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit foundation's "Trees for America" campaign.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between Oct. 1 and Nov. 30, with planting instructions enclosed. Members also receive a subscription of the news magazine, Arbor Day, which includes regular features about tree planting and

To become a member of the foundation, send a \$10 membership contribution to: Ten Blue Spruces; National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by Aug. 31.

Lunch Sunday at Country Club

The August luncheon at the Haskell Country Club will be this Sunday.

All members are encouraged to attend and to bring a covered dish.

The old poets little knew what comfort they could be to man...Sarah Orne Jewett.





A properly constructed well should have a cement seal between the well bore and casing and a concrete pad around the well at the ground surface.



One of the most important considerations in protecting your well from contamination is the location. If you choose the wrong location you can be inviting trouble by risking contamination of your water.

To avoid contamination it is best to locate the well on the highest available ground, above the flood level of any nearby stream and higher ground than other pollution sources such as septic systems, livestock yards, or gas storage tanks.

Protection from contamination on a well begins with the casing. The casing keeps surface runoff and shallow groundwater from entering the well and contaminating the well. The casing should extend to a depth of 25 feet, or 10 feet below the static water level, whichever is deeper.

To prevent contaminants from flowing into the well along side the casing a cement slurry should be placed around the well casing to a depth of 10 feet. A concrete pad should be

installed around the casing at the ground surface. The pad should extend at lest two feet out from the casing and be four inches thick. The pad should be sloped away from the well to keep water from standing alongside the casing. The well casing should extend at lest 12 inches above the pad.

Keep a check on the water quality in your well by having it tested annually for bacteria and nitrates.

For additional information on well construction and testing, call the Seymour Aquifer Project office in Haskell, 864-3334.

Peanut butter healthy sandwich

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Rule man's hobby brings recognition

A 43-year-old Rule farmer has a most interesting hobby. He takes pictures of wild turkeys.

Over the past two or three years, the Rule native has submitted a series of turkey slides to the "Turkey Hunter," a 70-,000circulation magazine published in Wisconsin.

Cloud's photos have appeared on two covers of the magazine, as well as in an advertising brochure for the magazine. The first cover came out in March 1989, and to his surprise, a second picture was selected for the April 1992 issue.

Two of Cloud's photos were on the company's first calendar in March and August 1989.

Cloud is a member of the National Wild Turkey Federation and the Rule Lions Club. His parents are Joe B. and Jean Cloud.

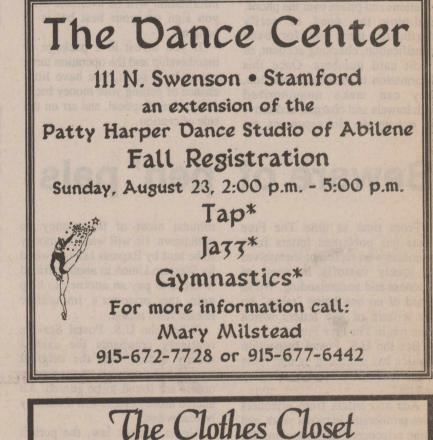
Joe Harold Cloud

Arts & crafts festival at Munday

The third annual Arts and Crafts Festival in Munday is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 3, at the Munday elementary school. The show will coincide with a new Munday Main Street Festival held on the downtown square.

The arts and crafts show will, feature area craftsmen who will be showing many new Christmas and gift items. It will run from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Booth spaces are available by calling 422-4540.





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You may think you're spreading it on too thick, but a peanut butter and jelly sandwich is a healthy and economical choice for your child's lunch.

"Peanut butter is a great choice," says Molly Gee, chief dietitian at The Methodist Hospital's Institute for Preventive Medicine in Houston. "It's nutritious, inexpensive, and kids love it."

Gee says the recipe for packing a nourishing lunch is really simple. "Let your child choose things he or she likes, be sure the lunch is 'safe', and most of all, make it fun."

Start with a lunch box or bag your child finds interesting or attractive. "Insulated lunch kits are the best choice because they help keep foods at the proper temperature," Gee said. "Refrigerating the lunch for several hours or overnight will also help prevent spoilage.

Once you and your child have chosen a lunch kit, you'll want to start thinking about what you're going to put in it.

"It's important to remember that children are growing and need extra calories," said Gee.

"Turkey, chicken and water packed tuna are nutritious choices, but won't do your child any good if he trades is lunch for a good old peanut butter sandwich," she continues. "Give them what they like."

Make the lunch more interesting

by varying ingredients. Try trading your usual sandwich breads for bagels, kaiser rolls or pita pockets," says Gee.

Use interesting mix-ins with tuna and chicken salads to add color and taste. Some suggestions are nuts, pickle relish, carrots and water chestnuts.

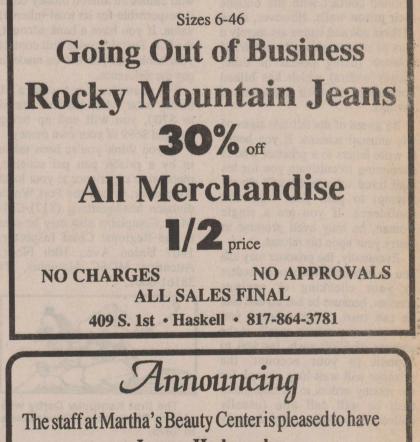
Skip the usual iceberg for the more colorful and flavorful romaine, leaf, red-tip or bib lettuce. Find out which fruits are your child's favorites, and be sure to pack at least one a day.

Also, instead of potato chips try pretzels, popcorn, baked corn chips and breadsticks.

If your little angel can be a (cookie) monster at times, don't fret. Two cookies won't hurt and will probably make your child reach for a carton of milk.

Fig or fruit cookies and bars, animal crackers, oatmeal cookies and graham cookies or crackers are good choices. Quick breads or muffins made with bananas, blueberries or zucchini also make healthy sweet treats.

Remember: It's not what's in the bag, but what ends up in your child's tummy that ensures good nutrition.



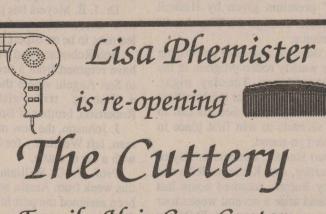
Loran Hedgecoke join them. Loran will work Tues. thru Sat. 8 a.m. til. Appointments can be made after 5 p.m. Loran enjoys family hair cutting and styling.

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If it's too good to be true, beware

"Congratulations?" exclaims the voice on the other end of the phone. "You've just won a trip to Hawaii!"

It may sound like the chance of a lifetime, but before you start packing, make sure you know exactly what you're getting. And more importantly, what you're not.

Travel scams can take a variety of forms, and many sound like legitimate travel deals. But all too often the promise of a dream vacation turns into a nightmare. The Federal Trade Commission offers the following advice on how to protect yourself from fraud, and avoid a trip to the cleaners.

A common scheme requires joining a travel club to be eligible for special "deals." After paying a membership fee from 50 to several hundred dollars, the consumer receives a package which includes round-trip airfare for one, and hotel accommodations for two, at a choice of destinations. But in order to take advantage of this opportunity, a second person must purchase plane tickets from the club---at two or three times the airline price.

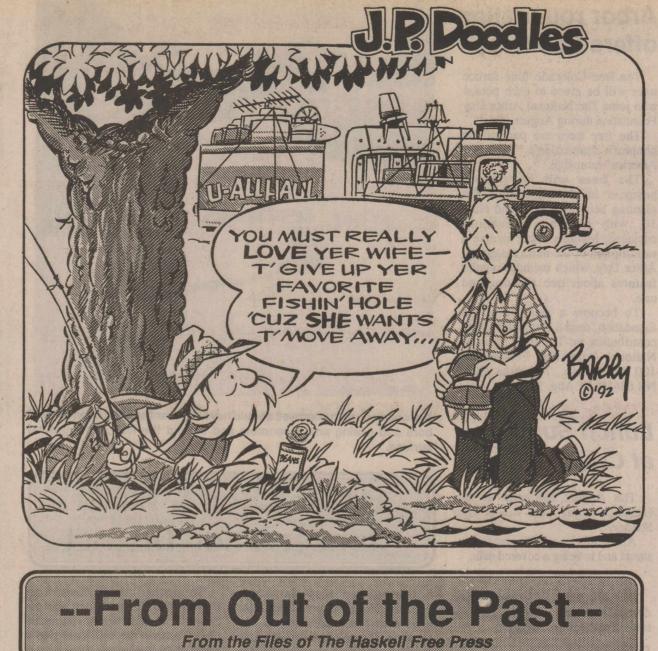
Another scam involves phony operators awarding free or low-cost vacations and prizes over the phone. Claiming the need to verify eligibility, they ask for bank identification, checking account, or credit card numbers. Once this information is in their possession, they can make unauthorized withdrawals and charges, and move on before the discrepancies are

noticed on monthly statements. To protect yourself, never give out bank or credit card information over the phone to unsolicited callers.

What more can you do? Be cautious of "great deals" that come with an incredibly low price tag. If something sounds too good to be true, it probably is. Scam artists will often claim that an immediate commitment is necessary if you want to benefit from a limited offer. Although air fares are constantly changing, don't be pressured into making a decision on the spot for fear of losing out on special incentives. Check directly with the airline for current ticket prices. This allows you to decide if those offered in the package seem reasonable, or too low to be genuine.

Before making a purchase, find out exactly what is included in the price, and if there are any additional charges. Get the specific names of participating hotels, airlines and restaurants, and double-check all arrangements with them. Always ask for detailed written information, and make sure it matches what you were told on the phone. If the operator cannot answer your questions, or claims the information will be available after you sign on, your best bet is to hang up.

If you invest in a package or membership and the operation turns out to be a scam, you have little chance of getting your money back. Always be skeptical, and err on the side of caution.



Beginning Aug. 29, a new promotion will be sponsored by Haskell merchants. Entitled "Gold Rush Days," the program will feature reduced prices and special

David Dodson was elected president of the senior calass at the first class meeting Monday morning. Ricky Phemister is vice president, Deanna Frierson is secretary, Paula Middleton is treasurer and Becky Pierce is

Mrs. Janette Maxwell of Chow

Haskell Memorial Hospital has hired Ervin Frierson, local building contractor, to supervise the building project at the hospital.

Middleton of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottie Johnson returned today from Meridian where they had gone to bring their son, Max, and two other Haskell boys, Tommy Robison and Carl Worsham, home from baseball training camps the youths have been attending.

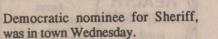
Charles Swinson was elected president of the Haskell Quarterback Club Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sanders of Fort Worth spent the weekend here visiting in the home of his father, Fred T. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lackey, Lida and Jay and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Nicholson and Clifford Ray have returned from a vacation trip to Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming, Idaho and Utah.

> 60 Years Ago Aug. 25, 1932

Lucille Kendall, high ranking girl in the Haskell High School graduating class of 1932, has been awarded a scholarship by Randolph



Cary Touchstone of this city has been employed as one of the teachers in the Stamford schools for the coming year.

90 Years Ago Aug. 23, 1902

Judge F. M. Henry of Texarkana was here this week and made an investment of several thousand dollars in land in the southwest part of the county, through A. C. Foster, who induced him to come out and look at the country.

Guy Hemphill brought in a 40pound catfish the other day, caught in Paint Creek. He says this is his third 40-pounder this season.

Rev. R. B. Young has gone to the camp meeting at Spring Creek in Jones County and will not be here to fill his pulpit Sunday.

In roping a horse at his ranch Thursday, T. E. Ballard accidentally got the rope twisted around his hand, and as the horse ran, Mr. Ballard's right thumb was jerked off at the first joint



The nation's biggest shopping center opened last week in Bloomington, Minn., a suburb of Minneapolis.

The Mall of America contains 4.2 million square feet, and boasts 350 stores, including 30 restaurants and food stands, a miniature golf course, a 7-acre indoor amusement park, movie theaters and a nightclub.

Wonder if they have their own ZIP code?

-0-Why do big league sports franchises expect the public to build them elaborate playing fields? And why does the public allow it? Franchises are big businesses, and owners make millions. Why can't they build their own facilities?

Bob Lurie, owner of the San Francisco Giants, has announced he is selling the team to a group of Florida investors who will move the team to St. Petersburg. He's deserting San Francisco because the city won't build him a new stadium.

Lurie bought the Giants in 1978 for \$8 million. His agreement with the Florida group calls for a sales price of \$111 million. -0-

"Little Debbie", whose bright smile entices shoppers to buy her product in the cookie section of the grocery store, needs to take a history lesson.

I picked up a box of her Swiss Cake Rolls the other day, and on the back side was a "presidential card", one of those you cut off the box. The idea is to get a card for each president, which, of course, would require a lot of cookie purchases.

The box I bought happened to feature Andrew Jackson. Under his picture was a list of significant data: date of birth, date of death, term of office, etc.

The last line was the one that got me---"Notable event: Battle of the Alamo."

If I recall my history correctly, Old Hickory's fighting days were long behind him when the Battle of the Alamo took place. In fact, in 1836 Jackson was 69 years old, completing the final year of his two-term tenure as president and looking forward to retirement. No doubt, the "notable event" should have been the Battle of New Orleans which occurred more than 21 years before the Alamo.

Beware of 'pen' pals

From time to time The Free Press has published letters from prisoners who represent themselves as lonely castoffs in need of kindness and understanding. We've heard of no one being "taken" by the writers of any letters which have run in The Free Press.

But the U.S. Postal Inspection Service has reminded us that these and up."

Ads and letters from prisoners have proliferated in recent years, and some prisoners may be looking for genuine contact with life outside their prison walls. However, some of these ads and letters are merely a

request most of the money be

withdrawn. He will want the money to be sent by Express Mail or wired by Western Union to another friend in order to pay an attorney to help gain the prisoner's immediate release from prison.

When the U.S. Postal Service routinely compares the cashed money orders with the original letters are not always on the "up --- money order receipts, these money orders are found to be altered. All altered money orders will ultimately be discovered.

Under current law, the person who cashes an altered money order is responsible for its total (altered) value. If you have a bank account,

money order, which has been altered

to \$700, you will end up being

If you think you've been taken

charged \$699 of your own money.

in by a prison pen pal scheme,

report your experience to your local

postmaster, or call the Fort Worth

division headquarters, (817) 625-

3411. Complains also may be sent

to the Regional Chief Inspector,

1407 Union Ave., 10th Floor,

Attention: MOSC, Memphis, TN

pay the difference.

38161-0001.

20 Years Ago Aug. 24, 1972

bargains for shoppers in this area.

reporter.

Chila, Calif., is in Haskell visiting with Mrs. Edith Hudspeth.

Mrs. Louise Thornhill, president of the Young Homemakers, will present certificates to participants in the Texas Reading Program Aug. 26, at 4 p.m. at the county library.

The board of directors of the

part of a sophisticated mail fraud scheme (using postal or other money orders) which has bilked consumers of their hard-earned savings.

Be aware of the tell-tale signs of this unusual scheme. If you begin to write letters to a prisoner who is attempting to cultivate you for his mail fraud scheme, he will slowly attempt to gain your trust and confidence. If you are a single woman, he may even promise to marry your upon his release.

Eventually, the prisoner may ask you to deposit some money orders in your checking or savings account, because he has no one else he can trust. After sending you several money orders, usually in the amount of \$700 each, for you to deposit in your account, the prisoner will wait long enough for the money orders to be deposited, then he will call you (usually collect) by telephone and urgently



won by Black jockey Oliver Lewis in 1875.

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the U.S. Postal Service will contact Alfred Turnbow, administrator of your bank, and you will be made to the Haskell Memorial Hospital, has announced that the hospital chapel For example, if you cash a \$1 fund has gone over the goal.

Football coach Tommy McAdams told Haskell Lions Club members Tuesday that he feels the Indians have very good potential.

Mrs. R. H. Henshaw, Scott and Brady of Casper, Wyo., and Mrs. James Lundy, Chad and Jennifer, of Canyon, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Redwine.

Berta Morrell has announced the opening of a day care center at 707 S. Ave. E in Haskell.

30 Years Ago

Aug. 21, 1952 Directors of the Central West Texas Fair announced Wednesday the 1952 fair will not be held.

With a potential of 49 squadmen due to report when football practice starts at the beginning of the new school term, Coach Royce Smith and Assistant Coach Ray Overton Jr. will have a better foundation on which to build the 1952 HHS Indian team.

A Haskell man, D. C. (Clinton) Bailey, will head the men's department in the Fedway department store which will open Oct. 1 in Wichita Falls.

A. L. Roden Jr., farmer living on the Harvey farm on the east outskirts of Haskell, brought in this season's first bale of cotton last week to win the annual \$50 "first bale" premium given by Haskell merchants through the Chamber of Commerce.

In three go-rounds of calf roping at the weekly rodeo program in the Wisdom Arena Tuesday night, Brooks Middleton set the best time when he roped and tied his calf in 14.3 seconds to win first place in the third go-round.

Two Haskell students in Baylor University, Ann Katherine Rike and Nancy Burton, returned home last weekend after a several weeks tour of Europe with a party of 22 Baylor students.

The annual reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cobb, pioneer settlers in Haskell County, was held Aug. 19 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. College, Cisco.

Theis Dry Goods Co. of Big Lake has leased the Alexander building on the southwest corner of the square and will open a modern dry goods store here.

Perkins-Timberlake Co. of Wichita Falls has leased the building on the north side of the square formerly occupied by Grissom-Robertson. The Wichita Falls firm, one of the largest in northwest Texas, has announced it will open a modern new department store here in the near future.

While two members of the Legislature were speaking here on the courthouse steps Saturday in the interest of Governor Sterling's candidacy, several spoiled eggs were dropped from an upper floor window of the courthouse. The eggs struck near Rep. Bob Long of Wichita Falls, who made the principal talk, and Rep. Dennis P. Ratliff of this district, who introduced him. The eggs splattered on the trousers of both men.

Mrs. Edward Burleson of Waco is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Ms. John A. Couch.

80 Years Ago

Aug. 24, 1912 Mr. and Mrs. Will A. Dunwody left Saturday for Aspermont to spend a few days with Mrs. Dunwody's parents, then will spend the remainder of the week in Anson with Mr. Dunwody's parents.

Dr. J. B. Meyers has purchased a new automobile and is rapidly learning to be an expert driver.

Bob Robertson and W. A. Black have returned from a few days trip to San Angelo where they went on a fishing trip with Walter Robertson, brother of Bob.

J. Johnson, the new meat market man, left Wednsday for Fort Worth with a car of cattle.

Prof. T. C. Williams returned this week from Austin where he has been assigned the past few weeks to duty in the state department of education.

I. S. Grindstaff has purchased the West Side Pharmacy and has employed a good pharmacist for the prescription department.

W. C. Allen of Jud, the

We are informed that our railroad committee has signed a contract with the parties proposing to build a north and south road from Abilene on the T&P to some point on the Fort Worth & Denver not yet determined.

Obsessive compulsive discords

Some people spend hours each day washing their hands over and over, convinced they cannot get clean enough. Others may constantly rearrange objects in an attempt to have them perfectly placed.

This type of behavior, in which a person deals with unwanted ideas or impulses by engaging in senseless, repetitive tasks, is classified as obsessive-compulsive disorder (OCD).

OCD has been found to be more prevalent than schizophrenia and other severe mental illnesses.

The behaviors of a person with OCD are so extreme they interfere with normal, everyday life. Symptoms usually emerge during the teens or young adulthood, and tend to last for years, or even decades. The longer a person hides the problem, the more ingrained the behavior becomes. However, once help is sought, medication and behavior therapy can be used to overcome the illness.

To provide more information on this disease, including its causes and treatments, the National Institute of Mental Health has published" Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder." To get a free copy, send your name and address to Consumer Information Center, Dept. 613Y, Pueblo, CO 81009.



-0-Flash: Gov. Ann Richards has proclaimed August as "JTPA Alumni Month."

That's JTPA as in "Job Training Partnership Act." Just remember---you read it here.

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Who said that crime does not pay.

Junk-bond king Michael Milken, who got a 10-year sentence in 1990 for masterminding the biggest securities-fraud case in history, is expected to go free next March after just two years behind bars.

U.S. News & World Report says a nest egg of nearly \$500 million awaits him on his return to "civilian" life.

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In 1980, there were 4,414 taxpayers who reported incomes of more than \$1 million. In 1990, there were 64,000, an increase of 1,350 percent.

During the same period, the number of U.S. children living in poverty increased 26 percent.

There may be a message there, somewhere.

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Some days, it doesn't pay for an editor to get up.

Like, when he sees things like this in his newspaper:

"Tuesday will be marked by a public supper featuring pancakes. There will be men flipping the flapjacks and costumed waitresses."

"Mr. and Mrs. Jones announce the coming marriage of their daughter, Helen. No mate has been selected for the wedding."

"Lettuce won't turn brown if you put your head in a plastic bag before placing it in the refrigerator."

"Rev. Robinson was congratulated on being able to get his parish plastered." "Mr. and Mrs. Douglas have lied

most of their married life in Hartford."

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Dick Andrews

Dick Andrews of Rule died Friday at Haskell Nursing Home. He was 75.

Funeral services were Sunday afternoon at Sweethome Baptist Church with the Revs. Matt Harrington and J. R. Williams officiating. Burial, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home, was in the Rule Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jack Wilcox, Derrell Sorrells, Jeffery Sorrells, James Marquis, Willard Cox and Wayland Baugh.

Mr. Andrews, a retired oil field worker, was born Aug. 25, 1916, in Moran. He had been a resident of Rule for the past 47 years, moving there from Cross Plains. He was a member of Sweethome Baptist Church. He married Willie Jo Grissom in Pioneer, Texas, on June

8, 1937. She died July 29, 1977. Survivors include a son, Richard

Andrews of Rule; two daughters, Glenda Brothers and Betty Sorrells, both of Rule; a brother, Renard Andrews of Odessa; eight grandchildren; and nine greatgrandchildren. In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by four sisters and six brothers.

Albert Landreth

Albert (Lee) Landreth of Rule died Thursday, Aug. 13, at Haskell Memorial Hospital. He was 69.

Funeral services were Saturday afternoon at Sweethome Baptist Church with the Rev. Matt Harrington officiating. Burial, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home, was in Rule

Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Jack Wilcox, Roy Letz, Arlis Brothers, Lee Roy Walker, Carl Norwood and Jimmy Dugan.

Mr. Landreth, a retired oil field worker, was born Sept. 3, 1922, in Merkel. He served in the U.S Navy in World War II. He was a long time resident of Rule, moving there from Knox City. He was a Baptist. He married Betty Ruth Hennigan in Sagerton on July 17, 1948. She survives him.

Other survivors include three daughters, Linda Ruth Jones of Colorado City, Sherrie Lee Jernigan of Hamlin and Janet Kay Brannan of Clyde; a son, Paul Dwayne Landreth of Rule; two brothers, W. C. Landreth of Odessa and Cranford Landreth of Perryton; nine grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

Vannah Carmack

Vannah Mae Carmack, 86, of Rochester died Tuesday, Aug. 11, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Funeral services were Thursday afternoon (Aug. 13) at the Rochester Church of Christ with Jim Pratt officiating, assisted by Owen Aikens. Burial was in the Rochester Cemetery, directed by Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carmack was born May 19, 1906, in Birdstown, Tenn. She had lived in Haskell County since she was 3 years old. She was a member of the Rochester Church of Christ.

She is survived by a son, Dalton Kendall Carmack of Rochester; a sister, Wanda Burler of Burleson; three grandchildren; and four greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, A. D. Carmack, who died in 1988, and a son, Darwin.

John W. Nichols

John W. Nichols, 89, of Knox City died Thursday night (Aug. 13) in the Knox County Hospital in Knox City.

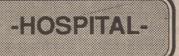
Services were Saturday morning at the First Baptist Church of Rochester with the Rev. Truett Kuenstler officiating. Burial was in the Crowell Cemetery, directed by Smith Funeral Home of Knox City.

Pallbearers were Sonny Correll, Leslie Nichols, Keith Nichols, John Ben Glover, Troy Brown, Angelo Pisasale and Jim Beauchamp. Buck Townsend was an honorary pallbearer.

Mrs. Nichols was born Oct. 20, 1903, in Crowell. His parents, the late Walter W. and Josie Nichols were pioneer settlers of Crowell.

He moved to Rochester from Crowell in 1945 after serving four years in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He married Evelyn Maye Parker in Crowell in 1925. She was a teacher. She died Oct. 13, 1984. Mr. Nichols raised quarterhorses, was a farmer and worked for Texaco as a pumper. He was a member of the Rochester Baptist Church and the VFW.

He is survived by several nieces and nephews.



Dismissals

Civil War vets' roster compiled

A former Rule man is compiling a list of names and information of all Haskell County Civil War veterans.

Jack Westbrook of Tulsa, Okla, who grew up in Rule and maintains a keen interest in the history of this area, has a list of 42 names of Civil War veterans, most of whom are buried in Haskell County cemeteries.

He would like to have as much information as possible on each of the old soldiers. He has quite a bit of information on some of them, but on others, he has no more than the names.

Specifically, he wants the date of birth, date of death, rank and name of the outfit in which each man served. Any other biographical data would be welcome. The information may be left with Ernestine Herren or at The Free Press office and it will be forwarded to Westbrook.

Here are the names of the men and the information Westbrook has on each:

Bob Bagwell, buried in Rochester Cemetery. Clem Barbee.

James K. Polk Baugh, Rule

Cemetery, born July 9, 1844, died April 13, 1914; 2nd Partisan Rangers, Mississippi Cavalry. A. H. "Dock" Bell, Fairview Cemetery. Born Dec. 4, 1840, died Oct. 28, 1926; Private, 28th Texas

Cavalry. William Henry Bradley, Capps Cemetery.

John Milton Cannon, Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, Ind., Born ??, died Jan. 11, 1865; 8th Battalion, Georgia Infantry, Co. "B".

James M. Carr, Willow Cemetery. Born 1846, died 1931. 4th Tennessee Cavalry.

J. H. Caudle, Fairview Cemetery, born Dec. 22, 1835, died April 8, 1895. Colonel, commander

of 34th Texas Cavalry Regiment.

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George Washington Clanton,

Rev. H. F. Curry, Pinkerton

Henry Donohoo, Rule

Cemetery. Born April 2, 1837, died

July 13, 1912. Co. "F", 15th

Cemetery. Born ??, died 1914.

Captain, Co. "H", 62nd Tennessee

Co. "M" Woods Mississippi

Cemetery. Born 1839, died 1893.

Captain, Co. "C", 13th Texas

Lewis Edwards, Rule Cemetery.

John Crockett English, Willow

Peyton M. Florence, Pinkerton

Charles H. Foote, Willow

Cemetery. Co. "G", 15th Georgia

Cemetery. Born Dec. 20, 1848, died

Nov. 2, 1944. 6th South Carolina

J. R. Frazier, Rochester

James Madison Gann, Rule

Cemetery. Born 1838, died 1927.

Private, Co. "K" 10th Arkansas

T. W. K. Head, Rule Cemetery.

Born June 11, 1844, died Dec. 22,

1936. Co. "C", 3rd Battalion,

Lemuel Sidney Ivy, Rockdale

Cemetery. Born March 19, 1842

Cass County, Georgia, died Haskell

County Dec. 2, 1922. Co. "D",

J. E. Lindsey, MD, Willow

Issac Helton Miller, Idella

William H. Nabors, Rule

Benjamin F. Neal Sr., Rule

Cemetery. Born 1836, died 1911.

Cemetery. Born 1837, died 1914.

23rd Georgia Infantry Regiment.

Marshall B. Lewis.

W. W. McCandless.

Bill McDaniel.

South Carolina Light Artillery.

Mississippi Infantry Regiment.

Willow Cemetery.

Mounted Infantry.

Cavalry Regiment.

Infantry Regiment.

Benjamin Harris.

Lackey Hughes.

Captain ?? Fields.

Cavalry.

Infantry.

Cemetery.

Cavalry.

Cemetery.

Co. "L" ???

July 1, 1910. Private, Co. "G", 11th Georgia Infantry Regiment. Robert J. Norman, Rule Cemetery. Born May 27, 1846, died Oct. 4, 1919.

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Martin M. Roberts, Willow Cemetery. Born Hall County, Georgia, July 23, 1829, died ?? Co. "A", 31st Alabama Infantry Regiment.

George W. Smith, Rule Cemetery. Born Nov. 1, 1839, died Nov. 23, 1926. Co. "A", 27th Alabama Infantry Regiment.

Hays Smith, Rule Cemetery. Born ??, died ?? 2nd Lieutenant Co. "A", 25th Tennessee Infantry Regiment.

Uriah Dekalb Smith, Gillispie Cemetery. Born ??, died ?? Co. "C", 61st Alabama Infantry Regiment.

Carter C. Stoker, Rochester Cemetery. Born ??, died ??

Davis Summers, Rochester Cemetery. Born ??, died ??

George Washington Tanner, Fairview Cemetery. Born July 4, 1843, died Aug. 24, 1920.

Z. B. Thompson, Willow Cemetery. Born Jan. 15, 1839, died Nov. 8, 1938. Co. "G", 24th Georgia Infantry Regiment.

William M. Turner, Rule Cemetery. Born Dec. 5, 1846, died Dec. 28, 1924. Private, 10th Regiment, Texas Cavalry.

William J. Weaver, Rule Cemetery. Born Jan. 26, 1846, died June 12, 1913.

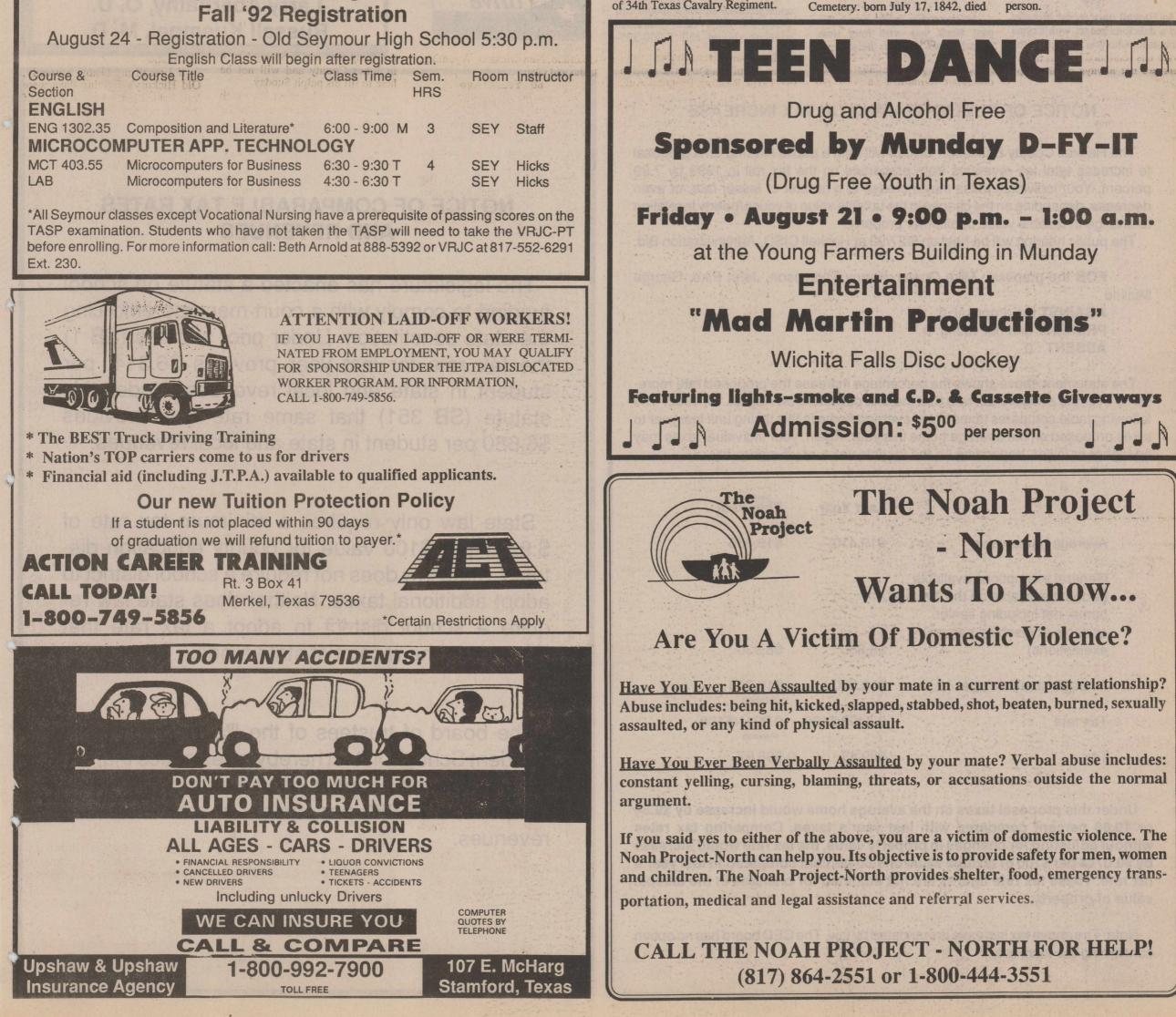
William J. Wooldridge, Hooker Cemetery. Born 1840, died 1935. Co. "A", 9th Texas Infantry Regiment.

Munday hosts dance for teens

Area youth between 13 and 19 are invited to attend an alcohol-free, drug-free dance Friday night in Munday.

Sponsored by the Munday chapter of D-FY-IT (Drug-Free Youth In Texas), the dance will be from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. at the Young Farmers building.

Entertainment will be provided by Wichita Falls disc jockey "Mad Martin." Admission is \$5 per person.



Vernon Regional Junior College **Seymour Learning Center** Fall '92 Registration

Alta Carothers, Rule Knox Tuggle, Munday

Ruby Beaty, Janie Walker, Howard Brass

Medical Patients

Clayton Hawkins, Haskell

Joyce Hise, Desmond Coleman,

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by Vicky Anderson Most sincere sympathy is sent to the family of Nora Powers Hixson of Abilene, who at the age of one hundred years, had been ACU's oldest alumnus. Mrs. Hixson was a cousin of late Haskellite Alpha Anderson, and a second cousin to Marguerite Anderson of Dallas.

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Also, our sympathy is sent to the families of two former Rule citizens: Lee Landreth and Dick Andrews.

The Hoyt Whitworths are wished the best as they convalesce. We understand that Earline is recuperating at Teakwood Manor. Nice to know that Charlene Bishop has been home from the hospital for a week.

Good luck to Louise Massey as she undergoes surgery soon.

In Rule, there will be a gospel meeting conducted by Billy Patton of Big Spring on Sept. 13-16.

Spending the night in Rule Sunday night before last with relatives, was great as I saw so many friends, beginning with church that night. One regret about the visit was that I didn't get to see good friend, Fay Webb.

Enjoyed coffee with Ruth Wilcox while in Rule. Did get to walk early that Monday morning with Ruth Eaton, Peggy Kittley and Opal Grice. Later, we saw three earlier walking group: Jo Simpson, Doug Laughlin, and Joyce Hester. Missing were Lorene Boyd and Faye Webb, whom I understood were working that morning.

At FMA (Family Medicine Associates) recently, also, saw Ruth Wampler of Rochester and had a brief visit with her.

In Haskell on a recent Monday had a delicious burger with Coline Nicholson, who was working at the

corner Bargain Center for Della Pearl Walker.

After lunch, dropped by Rice Springs Nursing Center. This proved not to be a good time as half of the people whom I had intended to visit were having their afternoon naps: Modena Lewis, Gladys Dykes, Velma Gann, Belle Turner, Dee Kirkland and others. Awake were Ruby McCafferty, Frieda Erdman, Rosa Weaver, Delanie Camp, Katie Doyle, Lois Speck of Rochester, and Lois Rogers of Stamford. Learned that Lois Speck's sister is Leota Covey of Rule. Katie Doyle was asked if she never napped, and was told that she might miss something. Hope that when I am 96, if I should live so long, that I am half as alert as she is. A year or so ago while delivering Katie's meal, she was nowhere to be found in the house. As I was about to panic, looked out the back door and there she was. having out her washing. Another time, she was chopping weeks.

The question has been asked your writer if it isn't depressing to visit a nursing home. Not a bit for a word or two to these lonely people makes the visit worthwhile as well as the thought: "Here but for the grace of God go T" or something to that effect. Good to see Lou Hisey and other employees, too.

Really do envy the "Four Musketeers" for their motorcycle trips to New Mexico, especially to Cloudcroft. Have forgotten who two of them are, but do know the two who live in Rule. An amusing incident is connected with this because the first time they were referred to in this column, no names were used so many people assume that my husband and I were two of the group. I only wish that were true.

An enjoyable coffee break this past week was with long time friends and former neighbors: Pauline Locke McKinley and her brother, Jesse Locke of Dallas, also, Pauline's granddaughter, Nikki Powell of Seymour.

Nice to see Alma Counts of Rule here in Stamford the other day.

CORRECTION: A few weeks

back, a reference was made to grandson A1C Kevin Saffel but he has been promoted to Senior Airman now. Sorry about that, Kevin.

Thanks to Mary Vernon, Marka Wilcox and Erma Warner for their remarks about this column. Compliments are always appreciated.

Arean an Ale

It was good to see Joyce Howell able to be out last week at the VIP Center.

*** THINK ABOUT IT: Of all our troubles great or small, the greatest are those that don't happen at all. (Borrowed from the "Rule Reminder", dated Nov. 27, 1988.)

ACU has evening classes

Area residents who want to go back to college but find that work keeps getting in the way may find an easier route to additional learning this fall at Abilene Christian University.

Beginning Aug. 31, ACU will offer 90 different courses ranging from accounting theory to family and parenting skills---all in the evenings when working people can attend. Both graduate and undergraduate courses are planned.

A new express registration process allows students to choose a course and call a toll-free number to sign up. Students can learn more about course descriptions, financial aid and other aspects of the university with one phone call.

For express registration, undergraduate students should call 1-800-677-8684 and graduates students should call 1-800-395-2743.

Haskell -School Menu-

Aug. 23-29 BREAKFAST Monday: Juice or fruit, cereal, buttered toast with jelly, milk.

Tuesday: Juice or fruit, breakfast burrito, milk.

Wednesday: Juice or fruit, pancakes with syrup, milk.

Thursday: Juice or fruit, biscuits with gravy, sausage, milk.

Friday: Juice or fruit, cereal, cheese toast, milk.

LUNCH

Elementary School Monday: Chili dogs, french fries, pickle spears, sliced pears, milk, juice.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, buttered hot rolls, sliced peaches, milk, juice.

Wednesday: Fajitas, pinto beans, tossed salad, fruit cocktail, cookies, milk, juice.

Thursday: Swiss steak, macaroni and cheese, buttered carrots, sliced pineapple, buttered hot rolls, milk, juice.

Friday: Hamburgers, tater tots, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, Sunshine bars, milk, juice. LUNCH

High School

Monday: Hamburgers or chili dogs, french fries, salad bar, sliced pears.

Tuesday: Hamburgers or chicken nuggets with gravy, french fries, creamed potatoes, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, sliced peaches.

Wednesday: Hamburgers or fajitas, french fries, pinto beans, salad bar, fruit cocktail, cookies.

Thursday: Hamburgers or Swiss steak, tater tots, buttered carrots, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, sliced pineapple.

Friday: Hamburger or burrito, french fries, grated cheese, salad bar, Sunshine bars.

Note: Milk and tea offered daily.

Menus subject to change.





by Alice Bredthauer

Those who attended the breakfast at the Sagerton Community Wednesday were Mrs. Hazel Letz, Mrs. Edna Diers, Mrs. Odene Spitzer, Mrs. Rose Gholson, Mrs. Anita Dozier of Old Glory, Mrs. Joyce LeFevre, granddaughter, Mrs. Alice Bredthauer, Mrs. Odene Dudensing, Mrs. Aline Summers, Mrs. Bernice White, Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mrs. Mary Neinast, Mrs. Charles Clark.

Those who enjoyed playing 84 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark were Clarence Stegemoeller, Mrs. Mary Neinast, Bea and Hazel Trice of Stamford.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schockley of Levelland visited for a short time in the home of James Gellner last week. Those who were at the Friendship Club which meets in the fellowship hall of Faith Lutheran Church twice a month were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Tullie and Kinsey Brown, Clarence Stegemoeller, Mrs. Aline Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Larry LeFevre, Herbert and Christine Stremmel.

Mrs. Pinkard and Mrs. Liles of Rule visited in the home of Mrs. M. Y. Benton.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

The Haskell County Education District will hold a public hearing on a proposal

to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1992 by 7.99 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on 8/27/92 at Haskell CISD, Administration Bld.

FOR the proposal: Mike Guess, Kenny Thompson, John Pike, George Mullino

AGAINST the proposal: 0 PRESENT and not voting: 0 ABSENT : 0

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 13, 1992. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

e Noah Project	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	\$19,410	\$19,460
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	ge \$8,880	\$8,930
Average taxable value	\$10,530	\$10,710 (Proposed)
Tax rate	0.8493/\$100	0.9241/\$100 (Proposed)
Tax de ladres ference autor ed	\$89.43	\$98.97

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$9.54 or 10.66 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$0.0748 per \$100 of taxable value or 8.80 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

Note: The above tax increase is mandated by law. The CED board has no option concerning the increase.

NOTICE OF COMPARABLE TAX RATES AND REVENUES

The legislature has enacted a statute on school funding to comply with a court mandate enforcing the state constitution. Under prior statutes (SB 1) the tax rate for last year provides \$6,314. per student in state and local revenues. Under this statute (SB 351) that same rate now provides \$6,680 per student in state and local revenues.

State law only requires a minimum tax rate of \$.9241 per \$100 value for county education districts. State law does not require a school district to adopt additional taxes. Neither does state law require a school district to adopt a tax rate that maximizes the receipt of state funds.

The board of trustees of the Paint Creek Independent School District hereby gives notice that it is considering the adoption of a tax rate of .2711 that will provide \$6,680 per student in state and local revenues.

East Side women meet Aug. 11 attends conference

Wilma Bartley hosted the East Side Baptist WMU on Aug. 11. The meeting was opened in prayer by Callie Moore and the watchword was said in unison.

Nell Rogers mentioned that James and Ann Sinclair were moving to Glendyne, Montana, on Sept. 10 and led in special prayer for them. There were others mentioned in need of prayer and Dell Anderson led in prayer for them.

Part of the study for the day featured Jeremiah, the "weeping prophet," from Jeremiah 14:1-9. Jeremiah's name has been used to describe a person who is always complaining but when he cried unto the Lord, the Lord always was nearby.

Dr. Bradley Brown is executive director of the Southern Baptist Mission in Liberia and requests prayer for wisdom as he leads the greatly reduced number of missionaries in strategic planning for priority ministries.

As we read Jeremiah 14:22 we were reminded to pray that these missionaries will see God at work beyond all false and empty promises. Minnie Fay Dean read the missionaries' birthdays for today in the United States and around the world and led in prayer for them.

Members discussed how they can know there is a God by the many things He made.

"Each New Day," a mission book by Corrie A. Broom, was taught by Dee Sprayberry. Many scriptures and poems were in the book that apply to our lives today. It was enjoyed by all.

Dorothy Bowers dismissed in prayer for a time of snacking and fellowship. Drinks, sandwiches, chips and pecan pie were enjoyed by the eight ladies present.

Musical set at Old Glory

This month's Old Glory Musical will be Saturday at the community center in Old Glory.

The concession stand will open at 5:30 p.m. and the music will start at 6:30.

To insure a spot on the program, call 989-2760 or 989-2925.

Life Is a Journey.

Wanda Thompson, vocational home economics teacher at Haskell secondary school, joined some 2,800 teachers Aug. 2-6 for a professional development conference. The conference, coordinated by the Home Economics Division of the Texas Education Agency, was at the Hyatt Regency Hotel at the Dallas-Fort Worth Airport complex.

Home ec teacher

The official conference opened Monday evening (Aug. 3) with nationally known speaker, Emory Austin, offering the timely presentation, "Close Encounters of the Crucial Kind" on how to build self esteem, productivity and survival in the midst of change.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, home economics educators attended workshop sessions which covered topics ranging from marketing strategies, campus-based management, strategic planning, to

other home economics specialty areas.

Karl Davidson, with 22 years experience in helping to reach the hard-to-teach, spoke on "Using Your Brain . . . For a Change," giving practical information and skills to enable teachers to make a difference. "It's time to make learning fun again and to put what has been learned into action," Davidson said.

Dr. Blandina Cardenas Rameriz, vice president of Institutional Advancement at Our Lady of the Lake University in San Antonio, closed the conference by addressing societal issues teachers must deal with today, such as the multicultural classroom, global society, stress on the family unit, the high demands of the world of work, and ways teachers can make significant differences in the lives of their students.

70 attend reunion

The 10th annual Hawkins-Vaughn reunion was held July 24-26 at the American Legion Hall in Haskell. There were 58 family members and 12 visitors present.

Friday night was started off with the "bring your own sandwich makings" and having supper, followed by visiting and games of 42 and ping pong.

Saturday morning began with doughnuts and coffee at 8, followed by a treat walk and more games and visiting. The noon meal consisted of sandwiches, chips, melons and lots of dessert.

The 42 tournament followed with first place winners being Russell Magby and Dian Vaughn. Second place was won by Philip Cockerell and Yvonne Hufhines with caps lettered with "42 Champ 92" and "42 2nd 92."

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Driving course at Munday Sept. 5

A defensive driving course will be conducted Saturday, Sept. 5, in Munday.

Conducted by the Continuing Education division of Vernon Regional Junior College, the course will run from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Those who complete the course

Joyce Hawkins was taken by Paula Hufhines of Amarillo.

The auction was the big event of the afternoon with items being donated by family members.

A splash time at the city pool was enjoyed by all at 6:30, followed with a hamburger cookout for the evening meal.

Represented at the reunion were Amarillo, Anson, Goldthwaite, Snyder, Georgetown, Munday, Irving, Panhandle, Dimmitt, Lubbock, Lewisville, Abilene and Haskell.

Cub Scouts plan family picnic

Cub Scout Pack 136 will have a family picnic Saturday at the Anchor at Lake Stamford. Supper will be served at 6 p.m.

Games will be played and those wishing to swim are invited to come earlier.

Scouts and their families are invited. Each family is asked to bring a picnic supper for their family members.

This will serve as the pack's regular meeting for August.

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Weinert club meets

The Weinert Homemakers Club met in the home economics room in the Weinert school with Estalyn Liles as hostess.

The meeting was called to order by president, Jimmie Weinert. Estalyn read a poem about discipline. Then all repeated the club prayer.

Roll call was answered by 11 members. Three ladies joined the club, Barbara Pratt, Francis Mahan and Erma Liles, all of Weinert. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Betty Sanders and the treasurer's report was given. Henrietta Rueffer gave the council report.

Alice Yates, chairman, Jimmie Weinert and Edna Anderson, delegates, will go to the state convention in Galveston Sept. 22-24. Estalyn Liles is alternate. The calendars have arrived and will be delivered to those who ordered.

The club voted in favor of the beautification project. For the Weinert club, Barbara Pratt and Francis Mahan will be chairman and co-chairman to check with the highway department about the flowers for the Weinert area. Jimmie Weinert and Estalynn Liles will be chairman and co-chairman to be on the food committee; the club will sell food and drinks in the big kitchen and dining room in the school building for the October homecoming.

Betty Sanders brought the program for the day on "Dare to Discipline."

There was a lovely table for refreshments served to Jimmie Weinert, Betty Sanders, Faye Jetton, Myrtle Phemister, Cordie Cunningham, Henrietta Rueffer, Lavita Burgess, Francis Mahan, Barbara Pratt, Erma Liles and hostess, Estalynn Liles.

Next meeting will be Sept. 1 in the home of Betty Sanders.

Missionaries to speak at Rule

Gary and Charlotte Wester, missionaries on leave from Ecuador, will be guest speakers at both morning and evening services Sunday at the First Baptist Church

in Rule. Gary's parents, Nell Eakins and the late Pat Wester were both Rule High School graduates. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. The public is invited to attend both services.



Bill and Vicky Murphy

Abilene couple to lead revival

The Paint Creek Baptist Church will have revival services Sunday, Aug. 23, through Wednesday, Aug. 26.

Leading in the revival services will be Bill and Vicky Murphy of Abilene. They are full-time evangelists.

Bill has been blessed with the talent to not only present the gospel of Christ through the preaching of the word, but also through singing. Vicky is a keyboard artist and often sings solos and gives testimonies in the services.

Sunday services will be at the usual 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. times. A fellowship for the young people will follow the Sunday evening service.

Children's night will be Monday, beginning at 6, with revival services beginning at 7:30 each night Monday through Wednesday.

Kindergarten through sixth-grade children will be served hot dogs and lemonade Monday night at 6 o'clock in the children's night program. Wednesday night is youth night. Hamburgers will be on the menu for the young people and all young people are invited to attend. The program begins at 6.

Members of the church extend a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the services.

Granada indicted for murder

A 39th District Court Grand Jury indicted Benino Granada Jr. last week for the July 3 death of Fermin Cruz O'Con.

The murder indictment against Granada was one of four indictments returned by the Grand Jury Aug. 11.

Others indicted were Raymond Welton Dunlap III for burglary of a building; Ray Gene Gardner for forgery, possession with intent to pass; and Reyes Perez Benavides, DWI, subsequent offense.

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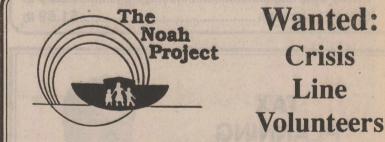
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are eligible for a reduction in their insurance premiums for a three-year period. Cost of the course is \$25. Pre-registration is necessary. For registration forms, contact Randy Whiteside at 422-4234.

Around town

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Howard visited over the weekend with Hollis and Louisa Howard and Holli and Chris of Graham. They attended the graduation exercises at Ranger Junior College Saturday afternoon, during which Hollis received his degree in nursing. He will be employed at the Graham hospital.





For The **Noah Project - North**

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HONDO----The young steer spots some fresh grass at the back of a pasture and walks leisurely toward it. Suddenly, his head jerks up, and with ears laid back, he wheels around and trots away. About 50 yards later, he stops and looks back, confused, at the unseen intrusion into his life.

The steer had walked into an invisible "fence." He was wearing an experimental electronic eartag that administered a small electrical shock when he entered an area where cattle grazing wasn't' permitted.

The eartag, field tested for the first time in Texas this summer, is the brainchild of Drs. Art Tiedemann and Tom Quigley, who are both researchers with the U.S. Forest Service and Blue Mountains Natural Resources Institute in La Grande, Ore.

They believe the eartags can protect new forests, archaeological sites, and riparian areas from livestock or wildlife. Quigley even visualizes that eartags on bears pould keep them away from campgrounds.

The high cost of traditional fencing on public grazing land in the western United States also has encouraged research into alternative ways to control livestock.

The scientists conducted their two-week field tests on the Petty Ranch near Hondo. Working with them was Dr. Larry White of Uvalde, a range specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Wes Newman of Hondo, extension assistant.

In Texas, Newman said, electronic eartags could be utilized in rotational grazing, protecting crops, or "any place you want to keep cattle from grazing."

"You don't have an expensive and unsightly traditional fence, or any gates to open," he added.

Fenceless livestock control could save \$1,900 to \$5,100 per mile compared to conventional fencing, Quigley said.

"Back in 1982, I had this idea that you ought to be able to control animals without using fences," he said. Taking a cue from dog trainers, he and Tiedemann first tried using electronic collars for cattle.

However, they found that the adapted collars were too expensive and bulky, so they began experimenting with electronic circuitry on cattle eartags, now used for identification or fly control.

White heard of their research and agreed to help them test the eartags in Texas. The experiment is part of the Seco Creek Water Quality Project, one of several federal endeavors to provide agricultural producers with the knowledge and technical means to protect ground and surface water supplies. The Seco Creek watershed provides much of the water for the Edwards Aquifer.

"The eartags are innovative and could revolutionize traditional grazing management," White said. 'It's a unique opportunity to help develop a new technique potentially valuable to ranching everywhere."

Scott J. Petty of Petty Ranches provided the cattle and pastures for the project. Each test utilized 15 steers that wore the eartags and 15 that did not.

"His help and assistance were extremely important to the success of this project," Newman said. "None of us really knew what was

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going to happen. Any time you try a new technique, the animals are put at some risk. However, the test did not have any noticeable detrimental effects on the steers."

A tone from the eartag is activated by a signal from a transmitter when the animal enters the "forbidden" zone. Four seconds later, the animal receives a mild electrical stimulus if he has not turned around. He will receive three more at 4-second intervals if he is still within range. If he still has not moved, the electrical instrument "locks up," so the animal will receive no further shocks.

'That's for the safety of the animal," explained Tiedemann. "We don't know exactly what it could do, but continuous shocks probably could drive an animal out of its mind."

From the Texas test, the researchers determined that a second tone should be repeated before each electrical stimulus, so that the animal can better associate the sound with the stimulus.

They also learned that they needed to know more about the response of animals to the stimulus. Tiedemann said. Each animal reacted a little differently.

"There were some surprises, but we learned many things we needed to know to modify the eartag and train the animals properly," he said.

One of the surprises was how much the signal from the transmitters would "widen" or spread with changing environmental conditions. The researchers would leave in the evening with the 15 tagged steers grazing in the "safe" zone, then return the net morning to find the steers, with eartags "locked up," scattered past the signal to the other end of the pasture. Tests the first week verified that the signal enveloped the safe zone at night.

"It may have been the temperature change at night, or a change in the resistance of the circuitry as the temperatures

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dropped at night, making the signal 'widen' substantially," he said. The second week, the signal

strength was decreased at night and the cattle remained in the safe zone without "locking up" their eartags.

"This verified that the technology works and this can be a successful method for controlling animal grazing distribution," White said.

Several modifications of the eartag will be necessary before commercial production, such as protecting the circuitry from moisture, making antennae that cannot be chewed off, reducing the weight of the eartag, and changing the transmitter output, he said. All of these are possible with miniaturization and current technology, he said.

Tiedemann said that more research will be done on animal behavior, particularly regarding livestock conditioning to the tone and the stimulus.

"Cattle producers can expect to hear more about this technology over the next several years," White said, adding that fenceless grazing control may be commercially available in the next five years.



Joseph C. Zengerle of Bethesda, Md., a West Point graduate, former assistant secretary of the Air Force and Vietnam era disabled veteran, has been elected national commander of the more than one-millionmember Disabled American Veterans (DAV) for the 1992-93 membership year.

Perry applauds free trade accord

Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry applauded the North American Free Trade Agreement and said he is looking forward to reviewing the accord, announced last week in Washington after months of negotiations with Mexico and Canada.

"I want to commend the trade ministers from the United States. Mexico and Canada for reaching this agreement, which we believe will bring jobs and prosperity to Texas. I support the agreement in principle, but I have to reserve my final judgement until I have reviewed the document and know that the issues affecting Texas agriculture have been adequately addressed," Perry said.

"What we have heard about the agreement so far has been positive. But now we will scrutinize the final version in detail, especially on the key issues such as import licenses and the reduction and elimination of tariffs to make sure that it does what we've sought all along--benefits Texas agriculture and the entire Texas economy."

To accomplish this, Perry intends to recall the 13-member task force he named in February 1991 to review the agreement. The task force, which represents all aspects of the state's agricultural industry, developed a consensus position Perry presented to trade representative Carla Hills.

Perry is a member of the Intergovernmental Policy Advisory Committee, a key trade advisory body to the U.S. Trade Representative's office and serves

on the committee's task force on the free trade agreement. He was chosen for the task force because of his strong background in agriculture. He is the only state commissioner of agriculture on the panel.

Long a supporter of a mutually beneficial trade agreement between the U.S. and Mexico, Perry said that a free trade pact would pave new avenues for Texas agriculture.

"One of my top priorities is to ensure that Texas farmers and ranchers have the ability to survive and prosper in the global marketplace," Perry said.

New brain treatment told

A new non-surgical procedure to treat brain aneurysms from the inside out is being used by physicians at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

Traditionally, surgeons have performed an operation on the brain and used metal clips on the aneurysm to cut off the blood supply. The new procedure, platinum wire electrothrombosis, involves no surgery.

An aneurysm, a balloon-like pouch that forms in an artery, is caused by a weakened arterial wall resulting from a defect at birth. Brain aneurysms can trigger a fatal hemorrhage.

The procedure takes about three hours to perform, and it is much less traumatic to the brain than surgery.



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Computer viruses, such as the so-called "Michelangelo" virus, are unauthorized, hidden computer codes that reproduce themselves onto other disks and hard drives. Written by sophisticated programmers, viruses strike at a predefined moment. Some viruses merely cause irritating messages on your screen, but others completely destroy your programs and data.

Because viruses spread through the transfer of data between computers, prevention is your best protection. The following procedures can significantly reduce the likelihood of being struck by computer viruses.

1) Locks. Use electronic passwords and physical locks to reduce unauthorized access to the computer itself.

2) Clean files. Prevent infected files from entering your computer in the first place. Buy software form reputable dealers, store the originals in a safe place, and test all new software on a standalone computer before installing the software on your network. Be aware that electronic bulletin boards and and modem transmissions can also spread viruses.

3) Policies. Establish anti-virus policies. Prohibit the use of "bootleg" copies of software (which can also prevent legal problems) and non-work programs, such as games. "Write-protect" program disks and keep network programs "read only" to prevent them from accepting a virus. Require that employees who transfer files between work and home follow the same procedures for their home computers.

4) Back-ups. Prepare for detecting and decommissioning viruses that get past your preventive procedures. Back-up your data frequently so you can quickly restore it if a virus strikes.

If you do get a virus, the only reasonable cure is anti-virus software, which detects and destroys known viruses. Such software costs about \$100-\$200 and is periodically updated as new viruses become known.

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Ann Young, City Secretary

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Pursuant to Section 152.905 of the

Local Government Code of the

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will be held to set the annual com-

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and the Assistant County Auditor

of Haskell County, at Haskell,

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NOTICE

The City of Haskell is soliciting

proposals for new occupants in the

old city hall. Proposed users

should be public entities or non-

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be available in early November

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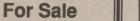
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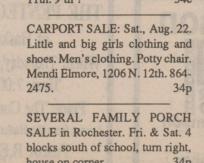
The Haskell Consolidated Independent School District will accept bids for carpeting for the newly constructed band hall at 12:00 a.m., August 25, 1992, at the Administration Office, 605 N. Ave. E, (P. O. Box 937), Haskell, Texas 79521. Specifications may be obtained by calling Mr. William H. Stewart, Superintendent, 817-864-2602 or Mr. Hal Williams, Electra Construction 817-495-3644. Bids will be opened and read aloud at the above stated time. Haskell CISD reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 33-34c

NOTICE

The Cty of Rule is inviting bids for Workers' Compensation insurance coverage for the period October 1, 1992-September 30, 1993. Sealed bids will be accepted until September 15, 1992 at 2:00 p.m. at City Hall, 405 Union, or P.O. Box 607, Rule, Texas 79547. Bids will be tabulated and presented to the Rule City Council on September 15, 1992 consideration during a Special City Council meeting. The City of Rule reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any proposal. The insurance firm awarded the bid will be given an option to renew insurance coverage for a three year period contingent upon budget approval each year by the City Council. Insurance specifications have been prepared for your use and may be obtained at Rule City Hall, 405 Union, or by mail, P. O. Box 607, Rule, Texas 79547. For additional information, please contact Tammy Sorrells, City Secretary, at P.O. Box 607, Rule, Texas 79547, or call 817-997-2214. 33-34c

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Carriker named to board

Sen. Steve Carriker has been appointed to the Hospital Data Advisory Committee for a threeyear term.

The committee was created to monitor the delivery of indigent health services in hospitals across Texas. Its mission is to determine the extent of uncompensated care provided in the state's acute care facilities and to evaluate the effect of the provison of these indigent health services on hospitals.

"No issue is more important to the people of this state than health care," said Carriker. "I am pleased to have this opportunity to have an influence on the future of health care in Texas."

He added that the rural perspective he brings to the committee is vitally important to the citizens of Texas' 206 rural counties.

City manager on committee

City administrator Scott Wall has been selected to serve on the annual conference committee of the Texas City Management Association (TCMA).

Committee members plan all TCMA annual conference-related activities, including programming, exhibits and host-site selection.

TCMA has more than 700 members, representing 140 city governments in Texas.

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Coaches introduced to Indian Boosters

Coach Walter Hargrove introduced the coaching staff and their families at the Monday night meeting of the Haskell Indian Booster Club.

In addition to Hargrove, the coaches are Johnny Kinzy, Mark Coffman, Richard Holloway, Alan Phillips, John Foster and Kerry Gartman.

Hargrove told the Boosters that the football practices have gone well and that team spirit is very good. He said there are 56 players out for the JV and varsity teams, including 21 freshmen. There also are 46 students out for the seventhgrade team and 27 for the eighthgrade squad.

The coach said the varsity will have a maximum of 25 boys. Varsity players will be introduced at the Aug. 31 Booster club meeting.

The JV and varsity will have two pre-season scrimmages, the first this Friday at home against Roscoe. The second scrimmage will be next Friday, Aug. 28, at

Proposals sought for old City Hall

The City of Haskell is soliciting proposals for occupants in the old City Hall building. Users should be public entities or non-profit organizations.

Space will be available in early November. Users will be responsible for utilities and maintenance of facilities.

Proposals should be submitted to City Hall by 5 p.m. Friday, Aug. 21.

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Quanah. Both scrimmages will begin at 6 p.m.

The Booster club will host an ice cream supper following the Roscoe scrimmage. Anyone interested in bringing ice cream should contact Vickie Josselet.

The Booster club supper will be Thursday, Oct. 29. The club voted to sell license plate frames which promote the Indians and Maidens.It was reported that T-shirts and caps are being prepared for sale.

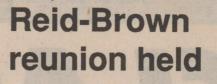
In addition, the club will sponsor a bonfire on Monday, Sept. 21, the week of the first district game. It will be behind the home of Danny and Vickie Josselet.

A football mothers' meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 1, at 5:45 p.m. at Discovery World.

More gambling efforts predicted

Texas should brace for a potential "feeding frenzy" by gambling promoters when the Texas Legislature reconvenes in January, says Weston Ware of the Texas Baptist Christian Life Commission.

With the Texas lottery in place and tickets still selling briskly, gambling proponents will seize the moment to lobby for a broad range of new gambling enterprises, from casinos on off-shore islands and riverboats to legalized video lotteries in neighborhood convenience stores, Ware predicted.



A happy time was celebrated by the Reid and Brown families at their reunion.

Fun and games were on the agenda. Memories about each other led to lots of laughs at Lake Stamford. Prayer and lots of food were consumed by all.

Those present included:

Bud Reid and family of Fort Worth; Thural Reid, Glenda and Rhonda of Anson and San Antonio; Wilma Pearl Culbreth of Abilene: Claudia Reid of Rochester; Alma and Travis Solomon of Haskell; Gracie and Don Griffis of Weinert; Janice and Roger Tuttle and Shannan King of Rochester.

Linda Ford and Mutt of Abilene, also Becky and Bobby Howeth and family; Darla and Lee Lane of Austin; Larry and Leah King of Abilene; Chriti and Gary Malicot of Burleson; Michael Malone of Abilene; Cathy and Gary Thomas of Abilene; Roger and Leah Smith of Dallas.

David Smith and daughter of Abilene; Linda Stork and family of Cameron; Wilma Joy Smith and Teresa Smith of Cameron; Bobby and Amanda Muhle of Rochester. The group made plans for the

1993 reunion.

Special cow sale set for Sept. 19

A special cow sale is scheduled for Sept. 19 at Haskell Livestock Auction.

Call 864-2624 for consignments or information.

THE PENTECOSTALS of Haskell When: Thursday, August 20 Time: 7:00 p.m. Place: The Corral Bldg. Across from the Haskell Civic Center **Pastor B.E. Hart**



Robert and Alma Barnett

Barnett couple mark anniversary

sponsor the joyous occasion. Doy

Taylor came from Denton a week

early and did many of the details.

Her husband, Gary, helped her in

many of these activities. The other

daughters are Lee Barnett of

Haskell, Bobbye Langford of San

Diego, Calif., and Marguerite

Lambie of Nokomis, Fla. Her

Robert and Alma were married in

Tappahannock, Va., in 1942 at the

Beale Memorial Baptist Church

They attended Southwestern Baptist

Seminary in Fort Worth, and spent

25 years in the military in

Chaplaincy ministry and have lived

in San Antonio the balance of the

husband also attended.

Robert and Alma Barnett celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Aug. 8 at Trinity Baptist Church in San Antonio.

More than 175 friends gathered in the fellowship hall of the church for a real friendship fest. Guests came from Washington, California, Indiana and Oklahoma.

From Texas, they came from Melvin, Gustine, Bryan, Blanco, Tuscola, Canyon Lake, Dallas and Kendalia

Several hundred cards were received from all over the United States.

Two of Robert's brothers, John of El Paso and Tom of Haskell and their wives, were present.

Their daughters helped to

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE



NOTICE OF COMPARABLE TAX RATES **AND REVENUES**

The legislature has enacted a statute on school funding to comply with a court mandate enforcing the state constitution. Under prior statutes (SB 1) the tax rate for last year provides \$4,961. per student in state and local revenues. Under this statute (SB 351) that same rate now provides \$5,460. per student in state and local revenues.

State law only requires a minimum tax rate of \$.9241 for county education districts. State law does not require a school district to adopt additional taxes. Neither does state law require a school district to adopt a tax rate that maximizes the receipt of state funds.

The board of trustees of the Haskell CISD School District hereby gives notice that it is considering the adoption of a tax rate of .3086 that will provide \$5,449 per student in state and local revenues.

Note: The dollar amounts in paragraph one above are figures based on State Property Tax Board taxable values not actual appraisal district taxable values.

The City of Haskell will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1992 by 15.41 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to change in taxable value of all other property. The public hearing will be held on 8/25/92 at 7:00 P.M.

FOR the proposal: Kenny Watson, Ruby Turner, Tony Burson AGAINST the proposal: Kim Nemir, Iva Lee Gipson **PRESENT** and not voting: 0 **ABSENT:**0

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 13, 1992. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again, your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

	Last Year	This Year
Average home value	\$22,837	\$22,944
General exemptions available (amount available on the avera home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)		\$0
Average taxable value	\$22,837	\$22,944 (Proposed)
Tax rate	0.1685/\$100	0.1969/\$100 (Proposed)
Tax	\$38.48	\$45.18

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$6.70 or 17.41 percent compared with last year's taxes. Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by 0.0284 per \$100 of taxable value or 16.85 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.