Indians nearing 7-2A title

The Haskell Indians, all alone in first place in the second half of district 7-2A round robin, can clinch the championship if they can get by their final three opponents.

The Indians were to meet Hamlin there Tuesday, host Stamford Friday and then close out the regular season at Anson next

Haskell brought its record to 4-0 Friday night, coming from behind with a 24-point fourth-quarter outburst to defeat Jim Ned, 50-42. The Indians trailed, 30-26, going into the final period

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Brian Brzozowski led the scoring with 21 points. Jonathan Tatum scored 13.

At Rotan last Tuesday, the Indians won a 78-63 decision over the Yellowhammers. Haskell led 16-12 at the end of the first quarter and 31-25 at halftime before forging ahead 48-38 in the third period. Both teams burned the nets in the final period, the Indians getting 30 and Rotan 25.

Brzozowski again was the top scorer, this time with 27 points. Tatum scored 16, Mart Guess had 15 and Cody Cooley added 12.

Haskell, which tied Stamford for the first-half championship, now stands 20-7 for the season. The Indians have won 10 of their last 11

DISTRICT STANDINGS Second Half BOYS

(Games	through		Feb. 4)	
	Dist.		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Haskell	4	0	20	7
Hamlin	3	1	13	10
Stamford	3	1	19	9
Rotan	2	2	17	9
Winters	2	2	13	14
Jim Ned	1	3	15	12
Hawley	1	3	3	23
Anson	0	4	9	17
GIRLS				
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Jim Ned	5	0	26	1
Winters	4	1	20	7
Stamford	4	1	17	10
Hawley	3	2	11	16
Haskell	2	3	14	11
Hamlin	1	4	11	14
Anson	1	4	10	17
Rotan	0	5	9	18



Slogan winner

Mary Kaigler accepts a \$100 bill from Chamber of Commerce president Andy Gannaway for winning the Chamber's slogan contest.

Haskell Alive!

Yesterday-Today-Tomorrow

Haskell Alive! Yesterday-Today---Tomorrow.

The above, submitted by Mary Kaigler, was chosen last week as the new slogan of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

A panel of judges chose Mrs. Kaigler's entry as best among 53 submitted in the Chamber of Commerce's contest to choose a new slogan. Among the entries city, and on other advertisements were several from out of town.

Haskell since 1985, was presented a \$100 bill for her winning entry.

While admitting that the \$100 prize was an incentive to her entering the contest, Mrs. Kaigler said it also gave her a chance to express her feelings about the community in which she chose to live after retirement.

"Haskell has a rich heritage, it offers a lot of things of real value and I believe it can become a model place," she said in explaining the

thought behind her entry.

Mrs. Kaigler and her husband, Tom, chose to move to Haskell from Austin after their retirement nine years ago. Her husband is a Haskell native, but he left here after graduating from high school.

The Chamber of Commerce will display the slogan on the highway signs at the four entrances to the for the community. A committee Mrs. Kaigler, who has lived in headed by Mary Rike is developing new art work to be used on the

Kiwanisfest scheduled Sunday

Serving begins at 11:30 a.m Sunday at the Kiwanis Club's Valentine's Day Kiwanisfest in the Civic Center. Feeding will continue

Advance tickets are \$5 each and may be purchased at Haskell National Bank, First National Bank, Sport-About, The Drug Store, Johnson Pharmacy, Lane-Felker or from any club member. Tickets at the door will be \$5.50.

The Kiwanis Club uses proceeds from the annual event to help finance its youth projects.

Early primary voting to begin next week

Early voting in the Democrat and Republican primaries will get underway next Wednesday, Feb. 16. Early voting will continue through March 4.

Those wishing to vote early by personal appearance may do so at the office of the County Clerk in the Haskell County courthouse.

Democrat and Republican primaries will be held March 8. The Democrat primary will be conducted at the county's regular polling stations. The Republican primary will be held in the community room of the First National Bank in Haskell.

Sharon Mullino, county Democratic chairman, reminds those intending to vote that they must vote in either the Democrat or Republican primary. They may not vote in both. Voters should present their registration cards before voting. The cards will be stamped with the name of primary in which they vote.

Local interest in the Republican primary has been generated by the candidacy of Doyle High for State Senate. The Haskell businessman is opposed by Tom Haywood of Wichita Falls for the Republican nomination to oppose Democrat incumbent Steve Carriker in the general election next fall.

Another local name on the Republican primary ballot is that of Rick Perry, who is seeking a second term as Texas Commissioner of Agriculture. He is unopposed in the primary.

Most local interest, however, is centered around four contested races among Democrats for Haskell County offices, making this one of the most spirited local election campaigns in recent years.

Four candidates are running for County Judge, including incumbent B. O. Roberson and challengers James M. (Stick) Raughton, Jerrell E. (Judo) Johnson and Giles Kemp.

Justice of the Peace Gina Brown, appointed last year to the unexpired term of the late Buck Everett, is a candidate for a full term in that office. She is being opposed by Don Flippin.

Contested races also are being waged in two County Commissioner precincts.

There are three candidates for Commissioner of Precinct 2, including incumbent Ronnie Chapman and challengers James R. (Jimmy) Hannsz and E. L. (Elmer)

contested The other Commissioner race is in precinct 4 where incumbent C. A. (Bud)

Turnbow is opposed by Don Hisey.

County Clerk Rhonda Moeller, County Treasurer Willie Faye Tidrow and District Clerk Carolyn Reynolds, all Democratic incumbents, are unopposed, as is District Judge Charles Chapman, also a Democrat.

Since there are no Republican

candidates for any of the local offices, winning the Democratic primary is tantamount to election.

In addition to the local races, there are several contested state races in the primaries, highlighted by the race for the Democratic nomination for U.S. Senate.



Field exercise

Teresa Unger explains things to her parents, Gwen and Ervin Unger, during an ROTC training exercise she helped stage in Haskell Saturday.

Tech ROTC unit practices here

Haskell was the site Saturday of a Military Science field training exercise by an ROTC unit from of the 15 participating students. Texas Tech University.

acant lot near the home of Erwin and Gwen Unger, parents of Teresa Unger, who is a tach officer with

Sergeant First Class Mireles

directed the exercise. Teresa, a tach officer, was one of the instructors

From Haskell, the group went to The exercise was performed in a Lueders for another field training

Teresa is a senior nursing student at Texas Tech. She will be commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army upon her graduation.

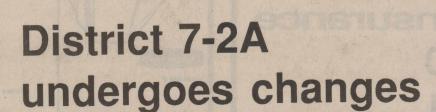
Weinert firemen sponsor Country Music Show Saturday

The Weinert Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor the Sheila Helton Country Music Show Saturday night at the Weinert school auditorium. The show begins at 7:30.

The program will be

approximately two hours long and provide entertainment for all ages.

This will be a fund-raiser for the Weinert Volunteer Fire Department. For more information, call 743-3519 or see Fred Horan.



District 7-2A will revert to a six-team district next year by virtue of UIL reclassifications and realignment. It has been an eightteam district for the past four years. Making up the district for the

1994-95 school year will be Haskell, Stamford, Hamlin, Anson, Hawley and Rotan. Moving out of the district will

be Jim Ned and Winters. As a result of the re-alignment, the Haskell Indian football schedule next fall will include some new

In addition to the games against district opponents, the Indians will meet Munday, Quanah, Knox City, Albany and Baird.

The Munday and Knox City games will be played in Haskell. Athletic director Walter Hargrove said Monday that the locations for the Quanah, Albany and Baird games have not been determined. He said either the Albany or Baird game will be in Haskell and the other will be away. He said he hopes the Quanah game will be in Quanah, which would give the

Indians five games at home and five games away.

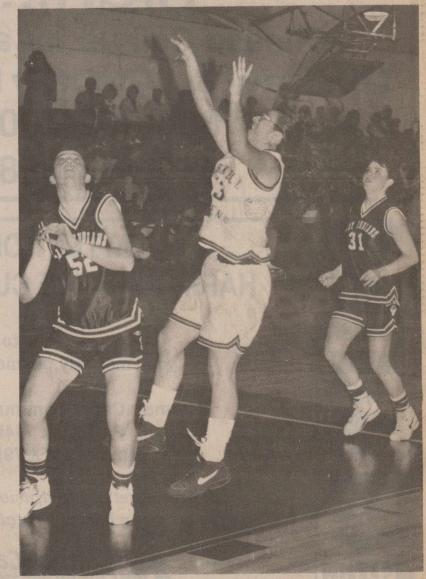
The addition of Quanah and Albany will reactivate some old rivalries for the Indians. Albany was a district foe until two years ago. The Indians have played Quanah several times in past years and has scrimmaged the Hardeman County team in recent years. Baird, the other new foe, is moving up from 1A ranks.

Oddly, Haskell's five district games will be at the same locations they were last year, meaning the Indians will play Hamlin and Rotan here, while meeting Stamford, Anson and Hawley on foreign turf. "We drew for sites and that's the way it came out," Hargrove said.

The new alignment will be not only for football, but for all UIL sports and literary events.

Class 2A schools include those with average daily membership (ADM) between 145 and 294

Under the re-alignment, there will be 210 2A schools competing Continued on page 3



Scores 18

Veronica Gonzales' 18 points led the Maiden scoring Friday night when Haskell lost a heart-breaker to Jim Ned, 64-53.

Scores 21

Brian Brzozowski was the leading scorer with 21 points Friday night as the Indians thumped Jim Ned, 50-42, to remain unbeaten in the second half of district play.



Concession workers

Working a shift at the concession stand during the recent Haskell County Junior Livestock Show are Kay Smith, Joetta Burnett, Kim Crawford, Ophelia Newsom, Betty Sanders and Dolores Medford.

FCE clubs operate concession stand

The Haskell County Family and Community Education Clubs supply the concession stand each year for the Haskell County Junior Livestock Show.

This is the fund-raising project for the year for the clubs.

All supplies are donated by members and all members take turns working the booth during the two-day show. Coffee, hot chocolate, soft drinks, chips, brownies and Rice Krispie treats are sold each year.

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It has been a good time for fellowship while the ladies serve the participants and families and friends who come to watch the young people show their animals.

Kim Crawford and Dolores Medford have been co-chairpersons for this project for several years. They plan supplies and put it all together very well.

They deserve a big "Thank You" from everyone involved. Their hard work makes the concessions and work smoothly year after year.

Thursday: Hamburger or

English peas, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, fruit cocktail. Friday: Hamburger or



Medical Velma Voss, Knox City Rudy Fuentes, Haskell Frank Oman, Haskell Winifred Hiebert, Haskell Berlie Henderson, Haskell

Otis Stone, Margery Hitt, Robert Stephenson, Dora Brueggeman, Bessie Large, Walter Moeller, Louise Finley, Rogue

Haskell -School Menu-

> Feb. 14-18 BREAKFAST

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

Tuesday: Juice or fruit, scrambled eggs, buttered toast with

Wednesday: Juice or fruit, sausage and pancake on stick, milk. Thursday: Juice or fruit,

biscuits with gravy, sausage, milk. Friday: Juice or fruit, cereal, cinnamon toast, milk.

LUNCH Elementary School

Monday: BBQ on bun, french fries, pickle spears, Valentine cake, milk, juice.

Tuesday: Lasagna, pinto beans, cole slaw, sliced pears, buttered hot rolls, milk, juice.

Wednesday: Beef patties with brown gravy, creamed potatoes, carrot sticks, buttered hot rolls, pineapple tidbits, milk, juice.

Thursday: Turkey tetrazzini, English peas, tossed salad, buttered hot rolls, fruit cocktail, milk, juice.

Friday: Hamburger, french fries, hamburger trimmings, apple. milk, juice.

High School

Monday: Hamburger or BBQ on bun, tater tots, pickle spears, salad bar, Valentine cake.

Tuesday: Hamburger or lasagna, french fries, pinto beans, salad bar, cole slaw, sliced pears, buttered hot rolls.

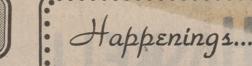
Wednesday: Hamburger or beef patties with brown gravy, french fries, creamed potatoes, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, pineapple tidbits.

chicken and spaghetti, french fries,

chalupas, french fries, grated cheese, salad bar, buttered corn, apple.



Walter Fischer, Haskell Dismissals



Elmer and Bernice Hilliard were in Abilene Tuesday night, Jan. 25 at the Wagon Wheel. The Country Cousins Square Dance Club held their graduating exercises for new square dancers. Leon Ivey of Munday was the square dance caller, Maxine Ivey was the country line dance caller.

On Sunday, Jan. 30, Eloise Burson of Abilene honored her husband, Stewart, with a 75th birthday dinner. Attending were sister, Lois Peckwood and from Haskell, brothers and wives, Leon and Ella Belle Burson and Botch and Doris Burson.

Recently, grandson, Chad Lundy of Canyon spent the night with me. He was enroute to Dallas on business. He also visited his cousin, Flint Nanny and family.

Dr. Frank and Billie Cadenhead and Elbert and Franciene Johnson have returned from Puerto Ordez, Venezuela. They participated in a mission medical clinic sponsored by the Southern Baptist Convention. Others in the group were a dentist and his assistant from Tenn. and a dental technician and her assistant from Florence, Ala. The group served a large number of people. They were assisted by Southern Baptist missionaries, Jim and Jani McDonald and Allen and Kylee Bare who live in Puerto Ordez.

Spending the weekend with Vivian Roberson were her grandson, Steven Drinnon and his sons, Damon and Mitchell from Dallas.

Henrietta Sego and Bessie Evans have returned from a weeks stay in Dallas in the home of Mrs. Sego's daughter and son-in-law, Jane and Bill Bell.

Don't forget the Kiwanisfest on Sunday, Feb. 13 at the Haskell Civic Center. The meal will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Proceeds will go to support the club's youth projects.

Two Haskell students were named to the ACU Dean's Honor Roll for the 1993 fall semester. They are Tiffany Kaye Bradford and Tonya Gail Cypert. A student must have at least a 3.45 grade point average to be included in the honor

Spending Sunday with Mattie English were her son, Dr. Michael Felker and his wife, Liz from Levelland. Felker is chairman of the English Dept. at South Plains

The Elmer Hilliards square danced Saturday night in Abilene at the Wagon Wheel with the Key City Squares. Ralph McMullen was the caller.

Spending the weekend with Lois Sherman were her daughter and son-in-law, Bobette and Roger Pierce and their granddaughter, Macy Briggs of Big Spring.

Janice Lauderdale of Irving and Wanda Jackson of Ft. Worth visited last weekend with their mother, Clariss Jones.

Sending Saturday with her parents, Leon and Ella Belle Burson, was Janice Hill of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mayfield of Weinert spent the weekend in Plainview with their son and daughter-in-law, Arch and Eddie Lou Mayfield. They attended the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of long time friends, Buster and Janie Lovell. They also attended two basketball games, Wayland College's Flying Queens playing St. Edwards College from Ill. and the Pioneers playing Cordian Lutheran College from

Mae Lou Yeldell, president of

the Greater Independent Baptist Church's WMU expresses thanks to all who helped make the 5th Sunday Mission program a success. Special thanks to Rev. L. C. Johnson, Sr.

Members of the Greater Independent Baptist Church were in Munday, Tuesday night for the Community Brotherhood meeting. Rev. J. M. Smith of Weeping Mary Baptist Church in Anson was the speaker.

Nancy Lewis is again in the hospital in Phoenix, Az. She is the wife of Armistice Lewis and the sister-in-law of Mae Lou Yeldell, Birdie and Susie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Johnson and baby son, Rodney Jerome of Copperas Cove visited with Rodney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Johnson, Jr. and grandfather, Rev. L. C. Johnson, Sr.

-Heart Donations:

Memorial donations to the Haskell County division of the American Heart Association during January were as follows:

Kathleen Haynes: Keith and Jill Everett, Frank and Bonnie Jircik. Leroy Hix: Joella Weinert

Perkins. Ivy Jones: Faye Stiewert, Terri and George Martin, Scott and

Stacey, Jerry Stiewert. Jesse Dean: Carolyn and Sonny Reynolds.

Mrs. S. G. Cobb: Iola Everett, Carolyn Everett.

To make a donation to the American Heart Association, contact Melba Lowrance at Haskell

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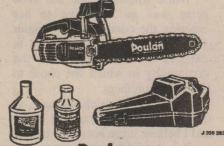
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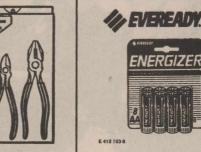
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Oct. 14: Hamlin here

Oct. 21: Anson there

Oct. 28: Hawley there

(*Location not determined.)

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Sept. 16: Knox City here

will have 188 participants.

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There will be 240 schools

Class 4A, made up of schools

Class 3A will have 220 schools

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Boy Scout week observed

Haskell Boy Scouts this week are observing National Boy Scout Week, marking the 84th anniversary of the founding of Boy Scouts of America.

The observance began Sunday when Boy Scouts attended services at the First United Methodist Church and Cub Scouts at the First Baptist Church.

The idea for the Boy Scouts of America began in 1909 when William D. Boyce, an American businessman, was lost in a London fog. A young boy's refusal of a tip, saying that he was a Boy Scout, intrigued Boyce. He asked the boy to take him to Lord Baden-Powell, scouting's British founder. As a result of this meeting, the Boy Scouts of America was officially born in 1910.

Through numerous eras of change, scouting has thrived. providing programs that teach citizenship, self reliance, leadership, physical fitness and lifelong values to young people.

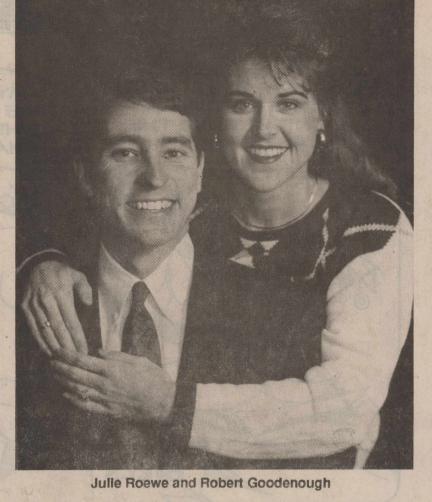
Boy Scout Week allows local scouts and those from all over the country an opportunity to show their respect and dedication to to the principles of scouting.

One-act plays coming soon

Coming soon to the Haskell Memorial Civic Center will be "A Night of One-Act Plays."

Participating in the event will be students from Haskell, Paint Creek, Rochester and Rule.

The annual fund-raiser will be



Roewe, Goodenough set wedding date

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Roewe have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Julie, to Robert Goodenough of Abilene. He is the son of Mrs. Linda Cheek of Amarillo.

Miss Roewe is a 1987 graduate of Haskell High School. She earned an Associates of Art degree from Western Texas College, a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Texas at Arlington and a Master;

of Education degree from Texas Tech University. She is employed at Hardin-Simmons University in

The prospective bridegroom is a 1984 graduate of Tascosa High School and earned a BA degree in Telecommunications from Texas Tech University.

The couple will be married June 11 at the First Baptist Church in



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Flippin candidate for office of JP

Don Flippin (Flip) is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Haskell County, subject to the Democratic party primary.

Flippin was born in Colorado City, Texas, the son of the late Noel and Linnie Flippin. He graduated form Colorado City High School and earned a Bachelor of Science degree from McMurry University with a minor in political

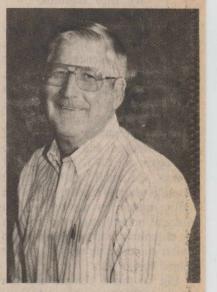
He taught American Government an Economics in the public schools of Texas. He also worked two years at an alternative school with kids on probation.

He is a former teacher, head coach and athletic director in the Haskell schools where he served for three years.

A resident of Haskell County, Flippin is married to Lynda Carver, daughter of the late Cyle and Mildred Carver of O'Brien. They have six children, Mike, Joey and Lisa of Haskell; Vickie of Amarillo; and Kirk and Lane of San

He is a retired teacher and now owns and operates a car wash located on East Highway 380. He is a member of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce, American Legion and East Side Baptist Church.

As a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Haskell



Don Flippin

County, Flippin feels that his experience in administrative duties of the public schools and his background in political science and public relations help to establish him as an outstanding candidate for this office. Don Flippin will serve Haskell County honestly, faithfully, and to the best of his ability.

A vote for Don Flippin is appreciated.

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State takes steps to protect citizens

By Bob Bullock Lieutenant Governor The most basic task of any government is protecting its citizens form violence. Texas state government understands this responsibility and has taken a national lead in combating crime. The results are beginning to show.

The crime rate in Texas fell 9.7 percent last year and is expected to fall again in 1993. Statistics, of course, are small comfort to the Houston waitress raped by a parolee hiding under her car or the San Antonio honors student caught in the crossfire of warring gangs or the Dallas grandmother sleeping in fear behind burglar bars.

But to those Texans and the other 142,353 victims of rape, murder, robbery and assaults reported across the state, I can say the decline in the statewide crime rate is a reason for hope, a reason to believe that some day soon Texas may be a safer place to live.

Texas government has not been swept away by the storm of violence but has confronted it head on, hiring more police and prison guards, building more jails and making sure that in the future those behind bars stay there. In the last two years, the number of parole releases has been cut in half.

Meanwhile, lawmakers in the last two sessions of the Texas Legislature have shaken up the system and brought logic and longterm planning to an organization on the brink of collapse. More than 24,000 people are "backlogged" in county jails awaiting cells instate prisons---a number greater than the total prison population in more than 40 states. Legislative action last session promises to significantly reduce this number.

Lawmakers started the work in 1991---the first year I led the Texas Senate--- and picked up the pace this past session. I'm extremely proud of the Legislature's work.

We created an innovative system of state "jails" that are cheaper to build and maintain and that free cells in state prisons for the most violent predators. We rewrote the state penal code and doubled the minimum stay for those who kill, kidnap, rape and maim. We set aside \$250 million to pay counties for jail overcrowding and to build cells so that these conditions never

Taken together, the reforms emerging from the last two sessions will change the face of Texas justice for decades to come. No other criminal justice system in America has seen so many changes at such a large cost in so short a time. By 1996, Texas will have

spent nearly \$2 billion from general obligation bonds to build correctional facilities, including bond money for state jail cells to be voted on in November.

And it would not have happened without the cooperation, imagination and commitment of a bipartisan group of civic and business leaders, law enforcement and state officials and lawmakers---and the support of

As a result:

•Texas is midway through the largest correctional construction project in the world that will more than double the number of cells from 55,000 in 1992 to about 128,000 in 1996.

•To manage this growth, Texas will hire more than 10,000 prison guards and peace officers out of a total of about 11,000 people to be added to the state, payroll. Nine out of every 10 new state employees in the next two years will find work in the criminal justice system.

•The Texas correctional system will have the largest substance abuse program in the world, with 12,000 beds. This program will work to get people off drugs and keep them off, since drug-related crime has increased four-fold since 1985 and now is the leading cause of recidivism.

·Texas will have one of the toughest parole policies in the country---there will be no more Raul Mezas under the new rules. The most violent offenders will serve at least 50 percent, rather than 25 percent, of their actual time, and capital offenders sentenced to life will remain behind bars for at least 40 years before they are considered for parole.

By the end of the century, Texas is likely to have the largest population under the control of the criminal justice system of an Western democracy. If present trends continue, Texas is expected to have close to 700,000 offenders on probation, in county jails, state jails or state prisons or on parole supervision by the year 2000. One out of every 21 adult Texans will be in the system.

Overseeing the success of this massive undertaking will not be easy. It will require planning, coordination, negotiations, monitoring of performance and the natience to allow the system to

adapt to the changes. This is why I recently asked Sen. John Whitmire and his Senate Criminal Justice Committee to oversee the program, to make sure that construction is done on time and within budget.

Lottery winnings total \$720 million

From \$3 to \$38.6 million, Lotto Texas players won 18 million prizes in 1993 worth a total of nearly \$720 million.

·A total of 87 players own a jackpot prize for matching all six of the winning numbers randomly selected during Wednesday and Saturday drawings. Prizes totaled nearly \$551 million, for an average of \$6.3 million. The largest jackpot prize was \$38.6 million won by Rebecca Brown of Irving on Sept. 8. Twelve other players won \$10 million or more during the year.

•The Lotto jackpot reached \$50 million twice, including the May 1 drawing when a record 14 lucky players split the jackpot prize.

•Since the advent of Quick Pick on May 29, 15 of the 42 jackpot winners have been Quick Pick tickets, in which the Lottery's computer randomly selects the player's six numbers.

·More than 17,200 winners matched five of the six lucky numbers for a combined prize total of \$25.5 million. The average 5-of-6 prize was \$1,481, and the largest was the \$6,923 paid on March 6.

•More than 920,000 winners matched four of the six winning numbers for a combined prize total of \$91.7 million. The average 4-of-6 prize was \$100 and the largest was the \$248 paid on March 6.

•More than 17 million tickets matched three of the six winning numbers to collect the guaranteed \$3 prize.

On May 1, nearly 1 million

the winning numbers (7-10-11-23-34-43) to win prizes ranging from \$3 to \$3.5 million.

Take a deep breath: If you're average you'll take about 740,000,000 breaths over your lifetime.

players matched three or more of

THIS YEAR YOU'LL MY, HOW TH' GET THE TAXES TIME FLIES—EVEN DONE BEFORE THE WHEN YER NOT LASTMINUTE! HAVIN' FUN ... RECEIPTS

-- From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

20 Years Ago Feb. 7, 1974

HOPEFULLY,

Leonard Passmore, well-known humorist and after-dinner speaker, is headlined for the 38th annual Haskell Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday night.

Mrs. Barbara Elliott, Haskell County home demonstration agent, was guest speaker at the Lions Club Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert H. Klose, Pamela and Camille, visited the Billy Giles family in Lubbock Sunday and Monday.

W. O. and Joel Nanny and Danny Josselet went rattlesnake hunting over the weekend. The longest caught was 52 inches.

Visiting in the S. W. Kelso home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mitchum and Missy of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Annie Fry of Abilene spent the weekend in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. B.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith had their son, Jack, home from Tarleton this weekend.

The Progressive Study Club thoroughly enjoyed a meeting Jan. 24 in the Jones Cox Country Store. Hostess Jo Cox toured them through the store and as they gathered upstairs, she gave a program on the history and background of the business---one of Haskell's oldest.

Alexia Mayfield, a junior from Weinert, has been selected as Best Dressed Coed for 1974 at Hardin-Simmons University.

Dan Griffith represented Haskell County at a statewide meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Division Jan. 31-Feb. 1 at the TFB headquarters in Waco.

> 30 Years Ago Feb. 6, 1964

Charles M. Conner, who has served with dedication as chairman of the Haskell County Democratic Executive Committee since 1952, is not announcing for re-election, he revealed Tuesday.

Poll tax receipts issued by the Jan. 31 deadline this year totaled

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2,949, compared with 3,185 in the previous presidential year of 1960. Clyde Grice has accepted the

position of manager of the Rule Co-operative Gin, replacing Toby Collet who has resigned to return to Spur to fill a similar position.

Dunn & Bradstreet lists 199 Haskell County businesses.

Marvin H. Hancock, Jr., a native of Haskell, has been named president of the First National Bank of Carrollton where he has served as executive vice president since May

County Judge Jim Alvis attended a seminar on civil defense matters sponsored by the Texas Department of Public Safety in Austin Monday

Tickets are on sale by the Rule Boy Scouts for their annual Boy Scout Dinner to be held Feb. 9. Tickets sell for \$1 a plate.

Sandra Dutton and Johnny Cunningham were enthroned as Football Sweetheart and Hero, respectively, as the climax to the annual football banquet recently honoring the Weinert regional 6man gridiron champions.

Haskell has a new business, an International Harvester Company dealership, which is expected to open by March 1. A. C. Richardson of Olney will open the establishment to be known as Richardson Truck and Tractor Company.

John Gannaway of Haskell, senior at Texas A&M University, has been named president and general manager of the Agronomy Society, a select honorary group of agronomy majors.

60 Years Ago Feb. 1, 1934

Acting in conjunction with churches in Stamford, four Haskell ministers will present petitions to their churches next Sunday calling

upon county officials to lend their aid in closing all places retailing beer in Precinct 4 in Haskell County.

Ed Welsh Jr. returned home the first of the week from a three weeks visit with relatives and friends in Lufkin and Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Williams

and little son of Mertzon visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Edith English, this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman

and children, and Mrs. Doyle Jacobs of Arp, Texas, are here for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Norris spent the weekend in Lawton, Okla.

70 Years Ago Feb. 1, 1924

The concrete seats at the four entrance walks leading to the courthouse were completed this wek by Frank Dodson. These improvements add much to the appearance of the well-kept lawn.

A new four-room brick school house has been completed at Lone Star School District No. 13.

Mrs. John Oates has returned home after a few weeks visit with

relatives in Dallas and Farmersville. Miss Exa Cahill and Emory Menefee visited friends in Wichita Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith returned Saturday from a week's stay in Dallas where they attended the state convention of hardware

Judge and Mrs. Clyde Grissom are visiting friends in Wichita Falls this week.

Misses Eunice Huckabee and Sula Mae Ratliff spent the weekend with friends in Abilene.

J. C. McKinney has been added to the board of directors of the Farmers State Bank.

and table games are all popular

theme will provide a festive

atmosphere to the event. Thursday's

theme party will feature some

exciting activities and

participants at a nominal fee. Call

the county extension office at 864-

Each week is limited to 165

A special "Hats Off to You"

Green Thumb-

By Gladys O'Neal Haskell Garden Club

Spring can seem centuries away when February comes. Many people get the blahs when it's a cold, dark and dreary day in winter. A few suggestions might be in Warm the heart of a neighbor, or

lonely widow or widower or a young mother and warm, your kitchen too, by baking a surprise

Fill a room with sight and scent appeal by simply adding some pretty potted hyacinths.

Some time ago I wrote some garden tips which I thought might be of interest to us. I want to repeat some of them with additions.

•Tie fragile plants with old nylons to protect them from harsh

•Pour a little household bleach on weeds that crop up between flagstones or in gravel.

·Lightweight styrofoam packaging pellets are excellent aids to moisture retention in houseplants, especially hanging baskets.

·Before potting plants, put one or two coffee filters in the bottom of the pot. This retards loss of soil through the pot's drainage hole.

·Singed stove burner covers make excellent saucers under potted

·Cooled water from boiled eggs, potatoes and other vegetables is great for plants. The water is loaded with minerals.

•It is an odd and little known fact that cats dislike the smell of citrus fruit. So put some orange peels where you don't want cats, e.g., in a flower pot, or in a garden, or close to your car.

•For a problem with ants, put cucumber peelings where they enter; the ants will leave.

Instead of planting your flowers or vegetables in rows, why not try raised beds? More vegetables or flowers can be grown in a raised bed as from rows in the same space. Raised beds warm up earlier in the spring and retain heat longer on a daily basis than surrounding soil.

Spring rains cannot drown their new roots. Weeds are fewer in raised beds because they are easily destroyed by shade from leafy plants. Also, gardening in beds saves fertilizer, water, and disease and pest potions because nothing is wasted between the rows.

Start with a 4-foot square bed. That will enable you to work it easily from all sides. Dig a trench 12 inches deep, shoveling the soil into a wheel barrow. Loosen the subsoil with a fork. Place some of the reserved sod top down in the trench, then add 3 to 5 inches of compost or aged manure. Continue digging trenches and repeat the procedure until you are at the opposite edge of the bed. Rake and shape the bed into a steep-sided, flat-topped mound.

Flowers or vegetables grow well in these raised beds.

Remember the Chinese proverb, "He who plants a garden, plants happiness.' Plants are living things and you

must know what you are doing and choose a plant suitable to your way of life. If you travel a lot, stay away from tropical plants that require total involvement. It was Wordsworth who said,

"Nature never did betray the heart that loved her." So love your plants. They are

well worth the care. Don't be afraid to nourish them.

Here are some seed catalogue addresses for you:

Gurneys Seed and Nursery Co., 110 Capital St., Yankton, SD

Dutch Gardens, P.O. Box 200, Adelphia, NJ 07710.

Jackson and Perkins, P.O. Box 1028, Medford OR 97501. W. Atlee Burpee Co.,

Warminster, PA 18974.

"Seed catalogue fever is a harmless winter affliction."

--Social Security--

Security checks sent to their bank received a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) notice telling them what their new benefit rate would be effective January 1944.

This notice can be used when people need to prove the amount of

their Social Security payments to the welfare office, a landlord, an energy company, or any other business or agency that provides a service or subsidy that takes into account the amount of a person's Social Security check.

Seniors may attend annual Spring Fling shuffleboard, dominoes, and card

activities.

entertainment.

Experience spring and nature at its best this year "Deep in the Heart of Texas.

That's what folks 55 and over will be doing at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood when several hundred will enjoy the annual Spring Fling during April, said Lou Gilly, Haskell County extension agent-home economics.

Sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, four weeks are offered from which men and women alike may choose:

April 4-8; April 12-15; April 19-22; April 26-29. Opportunities include "hands-on"

learning centers where one can learn leather working, oil painting, woodworking, stained glass and other exciting projects. Educational programs on topics such as horticulture, photography, nutrition, finances, and other current interests are a popular highlight.

Boat rides and fishing on Lake Brownwood add popularity to your stay. Lighted tennis courts, horse shoes, billiards, volleyball, People who have their Social

Economic growth predicted for Texas

Economic growth in Texas should outpace the rest of the nation in 1994, State Comptroller has predicted.

"In fact, the Texas economy should continue to outperform the U.S. economy through 1996, maintaining the same mild growth pattern we've seen for the last few years," Sharp said.

Details of Texas' economic outlook are presented in the latest issue of Fiscal Notes, a monthly publication of the State Comptroller's office.

The Fiscal Notes report predicts that the gross state product will increase at a rate of just over 3 percent through 1995---slightly above the U.S. rate---before easing to 2.9 percent in 1996. Employment should grow about 2 percent annually, while personal income should rise about 67.5 percent per year. Some regions of Texas and certain sectors of the economy are expected to fare better than others.

From September 1992 to September 1993, Texas gained about 160,000 new jobs---more than any other state. Like the rest of the nation, Texas added the most jobs in lower-paying fields such as services, government and trade. has also begun to experience job growth in manufacturing.

"In the past year, Texas has gained more than 15,000 manufacturing jobs---mainly in apparel industries along the Mexican border, electronics, plastics, food processing and construction-related industries," Sharp said. "The overall growth in

manufacturing is especially impressive, when you consider that during the same period, Texas lost more than 5,000 defense-related manufacturing jobs."

Housing and automobile sales are relatively strong in Texas. Low interest rates sparked a home building boom in some parts of the state and helped create nearly 7,500 construction jobs last year. Low interest rates also pushed Texans into the automobile market. Many drivers are replacing vehicles purchased prior to the mid-1980s economic slump. About a million new cars were sold in Texas in 1993, and annual sales are expected to climb to 1.2 million by 1996.

"New home building boosts employment in lumber and wood products, furniture, appliances and other construction-related industries. New car and truck sales spur growth in metal products, plastics and petrochemicals," Sharp said. "We estimate that every dollar spent on new housing construction in Texas generates another \$2.75 for the rest of the state economy, while every dollar spent at an auto dealer generates another \$1.70.'

Unfortunately, Texas' job gains in manufacturing and construction are partly offset by weakness in the Unlike the U.S., however, Texas energy industry. Oil and gas employment is flat, mainly because of low prices, and because exploration and production are shifting overseas.

"For now, Austin and San Antonio have by far the strongest local economies. Job growth in those cities is running at more than percent per year, led by the electronics industry in Austin and

We want to thank all of our friends who attended our 50th wedding anniversary party. We received so many phone calls and nice cards. It is a pleasure to look back through them and remember all of the good times we have enjoyed with each of you. We really want to thank our children and grandchildren, Kathy Hager of Houston, Tx; Sue and Danny Stewart, Heather and Justin of Haskell, Tx.; Kim and Bobby Howard, Mindy and Rusty of Haskell, Tx.; Stanley and Brenda Hager, Eric, Angela, and Jeremy of Weinert for providing a most memorable event in our Joyce and W. R. Hager, Jr.



Derby winners

Local winners in the Double Mountain District Cub Scout Pinewood Derby in Aspermont Saturday included, from left, A. J. Shaw, second place best looking car; Leon Goudeau, second place Bear division; Kendall Mitchell, first place Tiger division and second place sweepstakes race; and Scott Kennedy, first place Wolf division and first place sweepstakes race.

tourism in San Antonio," Sharp

"El Paso is seeing a 2-percent job growth, about the same as Dallas. Fort Worth's job growth is running at about 1.5 percent. Houston's job growth has slowed dramatically since the 'boomlet' of 1989-90, dropping from a peak of 6 percent to the current level of less than 1 percent.

"Texas' economic growth will remain ahead of the U.S. as new business is attracted by access to markets and the relatively low cost of doing business. The North American Free Trade Agreement could attract even more business," Sharp said.

"Factors that could have a slight negative impact on the Texas economy in the next three years include health care reform, which could slow the rapid growth of

Noah committee to meet Friday

Members of the Noah Project-North advisory committee will have their monthly meeting Friday.

The meeting will be a noon at

health services. A major, long-term plunge in oil prices may further weaken the energy sector, but the rest of the state economy would probably feel little fallout. And if the U.S. economic recovery falters. Texas would feel some effect because of the increasingly close relationship between the U.S. and Texas economies," Sharp said.

There are 13 known vitamins. five of which are produced in the body itself---biotin, niacin, pantothenic acid, vitamin D and vitamin K

ALL TYPES

Haskell teenager modeling graduate

Cynthia Halliburton recently graduated from Barbizon International Modeling School. Her diploma signifies 60 hours of major modeling.

Graduation was held at the Worthington Hotel in Fort Worth. Graduation consisted of a runway type fashion show. More than 80 girls appeared in five scenes, wearing the latest fashions in front of 400 to 500 guests.

Barbizon, for over a half century, has been training children, women and men to either "be a model, or just look like one.'

The curriculum included makeup artistry, skin care, runway techniques, voice and dictation, showmanship, hair and nail care, photo movement, commercials, personality development and fashion workshops.

"The training enriched my life, developed my self-confidence, poise and grace," Cynthia said.

She attended classes in Abilene twice a month and the professional photo shoots in Fort Worth.

The course was fun and enjoyable, but it was a lot of hard

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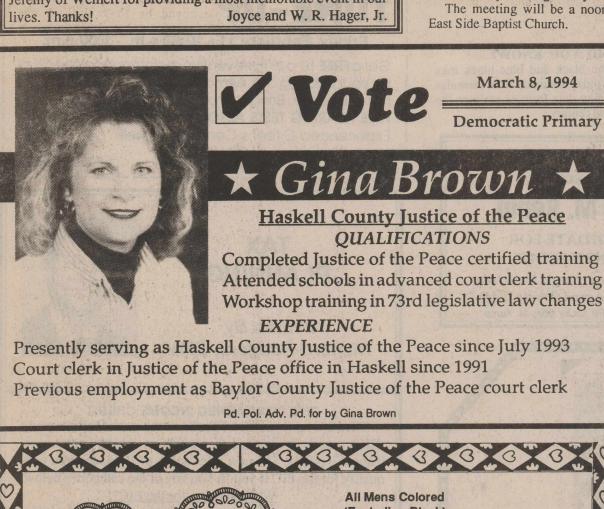
Cynthia Halliburton

work. I expect to use the knowledge I received from this course to help with my educational expenses," Cynthia said.

Cynthia is a senior at Haskell High School where she is involved in the school newspaper, band, National Honor Society and Quill and Scroll.

She is the daughter of Leland and JoAnn Thane.

If you want to write the President, the address should read: The President, The White House, Washington, D.C. 20500.









Haskell Elementary School students gathered Feb. 1 to hear a presentation by actress Judith Helton on the life and times of Laura Ingalls Wilder.

Students hear program by actress

Haskell Elementary School was honored last Tuesday (Feb. 1) with performances given by Judith Helton, a professional actress from North Hollywood, Calif.

She portrayed Laura Ingalls Wilder. With permission given to her by Harper Collins Publishing, she has been to many schools, libraries, clubs and museums throughout the country.

Judith dresses up like Laura



By Elbert Johnson, Registered Pharmacist

Caffeine Adds to Anxiety: Not unexpectedly, a study of 12 patients with generalized anxiety disorder found that caffeine caused an increase in all subjective measures and half of the objective measures of anxiety. The anxiety was related to the dose of caffeine, with the higher dose causing greater anxiety. Interestingly, another group of 12 patients with panic disorder had less reaction to caffeine in several measures than those with generalized anxiety disor-

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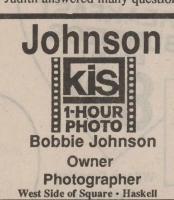
Ingalls Wilder and performs a show that includes many interesting and funny stories from LIW's childhood. The stories she retold can be found in Little House in the Big Woods, Little House on the Prairie, On the Banks of Plum Creek and The Long Winter. She also told many fascinating facts about the Ingalls family, many of which are not found in LIW's books.

Mrs. Helton brought pictures of Laura's family to share with the groups. Also, she brought a coffee mill, a tin cup and toys that were made druing that time. In addition, she showed how a button lamp was made and how straw had to be twined to keep the family warming during the long winter of 1880-81. All of these items are found in the writings of LIW's books.

Judith concluded her show by letting the children hear Pa's fiddle being played. Also, some of the children volunteered to come to the front and Mrs. Helton showed them how to do a dance that was in *Little House in the Big Woods*.

After Mrs. Helton finished her presentation, she spent some extra time with the sixth-grade students, who have been reading Laura Ingalls Wilder's books. Students appreciated the extra time to spend with Mrs. Helton.

Judith answered many questions





Weinert club meets

The Weinert FCE Club met Feb. 1 in the Extension office for its monthly meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Faye Jetton, vice president. Members repeated the prayer together. Estalynn Liles gave a reading, "Learn to Spell Love," written by Billy Graham.

Roll call was answered by 11 members answering, "What was your most memorable Valentine?"

Lou Gilly, county agent, gave her program on "Paper: What to Do With It, and How to File It." It was an interesting and helpful presentation.

Betty Sanders, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting which were approve as read. Alta McGuire, treasurer, gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Sanders also read letters of appreciation from the Noah Project, Haskell County Welfare Board and the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene for donations the club made to these organizations. The Council report was given by Estalynn Liles.

Clubs have been asked to write an article about their club for the Messenger. Haskell County is responsible for submitting articles by the deadline of April 15, with some type of picture accompanying the articles.

Jimmie Weinert reported on the Livestock Show and the money the club made. The club brought Valentines for 4-H members.

Tables were decorated in white and red for Valentine's. A doll helped decorate one table and was drawn by Faye Jetton from the hostess as door prize.

Refreshments were served to Alta McGuire, Jimmie Weinert, Erma Liles, Faye Jetton, Betty Sanders, Henrietta Rueffer, Cordie Cunningham, Alice Yates, Agnes Winchester, Myrtle Phemister, Kathryn Schonerstedt, Lou Gilly and the hostess, Estalynn Liles.

Next club meeting will be March 1 with Alta McGuire as hostess.

DID YOU KNOW?

The black and blue-black inks used today are made from formulas that may date from as early as the second century.

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from the students. She also told

some more stories. The students

received a special treat when they

got to hear a taped interview of

Laura Ingalls Wilder. This is the

only known recording of Laura's

Elementary students benefited

greatly from Mrs. Helton's

presentation as they learned how

times were in the 1870s and 1880s,

in a fun and exciting history lesson.

program on India

A meeting of the Haskell senior

A very special guest, Usha

Club members asked questions

At the end of the meeting, Usha

Patel, presented a very informative

program on India. An interesting

abut life styles, education, religion,

dating, marriage, clothes and

Steven, Gina and Kory Foster

wish to announce the arrival of

Koby James Foster into their

family on Feb. 1. He weighed 9

pounds, 3 1/2 ounces and was 21

grandparents, Bill and Charlene

Dumas and Dolores Foster.

Haskell Free Press.

He was welcomed home by his

Thank you for reading The

inches long.

discussion on India followed.

served authentic Indian food.

4-H club was held Feb. 6 in the

4-H club has

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USDA announces signup program

met Program (WRP) signup will be held Feb. 28 through March 11, according to Grant Buntrock, administrator of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Stabilization and

"Landowners in Texas and other states will have the opportunity to enroll eligible acreage in the WRP," Buntrock said.

Conservation Service (ASCS).

The WRP, funded at \$66,675 million to enroll up to 75,000 acres during fiscal year 1994, protects and restores habitat for migratory birds and other wildlife, helps purify water supplies, and helps absorb flood waters.

Last funded in FY 1992 with a limitation of 50,000 acres, landowners on 2,337 farms sought enrollment for over 462,000 acres. Acreage was tentatively accepted for 49,888 acres on 265 farms. This acreage will be restored to 30,868 acres to forested wetlands, 14,105 acres to emergent wetlands, 3,374 acres to scrub-shrub and other types of wetlands and 1,542 acres of riparian area or upland buffers.

About 7,509 acres will directly benefit the recovery of threatened or endangered species. Another 30,085 acres may be utilized by threatened or endangered species or lie within ongoing state or federal wetland restoration and wildlife project areas.

Under the program, permanent easements are purchased from participating landowners of farmed wetlands, prior converted wetlands and riparian areas that link wetlands. Participants agree to accept no more than the fair market value of their land for agriculture use, in return for a lump sum payment and cost-share assistance

for implementing wetland restoration practices. Specified compatible uses are permitted on the restored acreage by the landowner and any successors.

"Many provisions which applied to the first WRP signup held in June 1992 are applicable for this signup," Buntrock said. "However, state ASCS committees will be given greater discretion in selecting wetlands that meet specific state environmental goals, such as food protection, water quality, migratory birds and wildlife habitat benefits.

Interested landowners should contact their local ASCS office for further information.

Maidens close season Friday

The Haskell Maidens will close out their district 7-2A season against Stamford here Friday night. They were to play Hamlin there Tuesday.

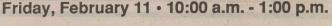
The Maidens lost a heart-breaking 64-53 decision to Jim Ned last Friday after leading by 8 points going into the fourth period against the 25-1 Jim Ned team.

After falling behind 19-11 in the first period, the Maidens scored 22 points to Jim Ned's 6 in the second quarter to take a 33-25 halftime lead. Each team got 14 points in the fourth period.

Veronica Gonzales led the Maiden scoring with 18 points. Betsy McDermett had 12 and Teresa Diaz scored 11.

Haskell defeated Rotan 45-40 last Tuesday. The Maidens led by 10 points at the three-quarter mark, but Rotan pulled to within 5 in the final frame.

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Written By Richard Rodgers, CPA



THE 1994 EARNED INCOME CREDIT
The 1993 tax legislation liberalized the earned income credit
(EIC), which is intended to provide an incentive to lower-

income workers. The new rules apply to 1994, and you may qualify for the EIC if you fit into any of the categories below.

Who Qualifies for the EIC?

•You have no children and your 1994 income is less than \$9,000. The maximum credit in this case is \$306 with earned

\$9,000. The maximum credit in this case is \$306 with earned income of \$4,000 to \$5,000. The credit is phased out as you earned income approaches \$9,000.

•You have one qualifying child and your 1994 income is less

•You have one qualifying child and your 1994 income is less than \$23,753. The maximum credit in this case is \$2,038 with earned income of \$7,750 to \$11,000. The credit is phased out as your earned income approaches \$23,753.

•You have two or more qualifying children and your 1994 income is less than \$25,293. The maximum credit in this case is \$2,527 with earned income of \$8,425 to \$11,000. The credit is phased out as your earned income approaches \$25,293.

If you don't have a qualifying child, you must live in the U. S. for more than half the year, you (or your spouse, if married) must be over 25 but under 65 years old, and you cannot be a dependent on another person's (for example, your parents') tax return.

The EIC Is a Refundable Credit

The EIC is a refundable tax credit, meaning you can file your return and collect the credit even if it exceeds the income tax you owe for the year. You may also be eligible to receive advance payment of the EIC from your employer. That's a pretty good deal. Call our office if you think you might qualify. We can help with the paperwork.

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Kay Smith Darrell Smith Ronnie Webb Kendall Mitchell Charlie Smith Josh Tidrow Geoffrey Phemister Jeremy Torres Brad Blanks Nathan Webb Tony DelRio Woody Oberry

Den 2 Wolf Den Leaders:

Lisa Shaw Randy Shaw Peggy Hairgrove Jason Barnes Ryan Barnes Adam Greenwood Ross Hairgrove **Bradlee Harris** Scott Kennedy A.J. Shaw



BOY SCOUT WEEK Feb. 6-12, 1994

Den 3 Webelos II Den Leader:

Leland Terry Asst. Gery Walters Tom Fouts Dan Fouts Jeff Blanks Levi Terry John Adamson Johnathan Gholson **Dustin Threet**

Den 4 Bears Den Leader:

Valiene Bullinger Asst. Birdie Goudeau

Dorothy Stout Den Chief:

Kevin Patton Ross Bullinger Leon Goudeau Jason Biba Johnny Stout

Den 5 Bears Den Leader:

DeeAnn Brueggeman Asst.

Liz Pharris Den Chief:

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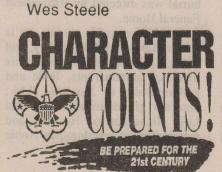
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Den 6 Webelos I Den Leader:

Mike Poteet

Assts. Pam Steele

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Boy Scouts Troop 136 Scoutmaster

Paul Brown

Asst. Scoutmasters Doyle Mitchell Tom Dewey **Leland Terry**

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--Obituaries--

Tom Whittemore

Tom Whittemore, formerly of Rule, died Saturday at his home in Belton. He was 66.

Funeral services were Tuesday afternoon at the Rule Church of Christ with John Greeson officiating. Burial, directed by McCauley-Robison Funeral Home, was in the Rule Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Mike Whittemore, Billy Whittemore, Kevin Whittemore, Kerry Whittemore, Kyle Whittemore and Bob Brown.

Mr. Whittemore, a selfemployed truck driver, was a native of Rule, having been born there June 22, 1927. He was a policeman in Odessa for 12 years, including nine years as a sergeant. He was manager for A. Z. Terminal in Venice, La., and Tulsa, Okla., for 12 years and was former owner of Bailey Tank Truck Inc. in Rule for seven years. He was a member of the Church of Christ and a past member of the Odd Fellows.

He married Marguerite McQuinn in Rule on Dec. 25, 1979. She survives him.

Other survivors include three daughters, Doy Lynn Perry of Rule, Karen Marie Smith of Knox City and Tommi Ann Barbee of Rule; a son, Mark Thomas Whittemore of Midland; a step-son, Kevin Lane Corley of Pasadena, Texas; two brothers, C. W. Whittemore Jr. of Stamford and Doyle Ray Whittemore of Odessa; and six grandchildren, Shana and Shayne McKenzie of Rule, McKenna Smith of Knox City, Dustin Threet and Joshua Barbee of Rule and Jennifer Corley of Pasadena.

Elvey Parsley

Elvey L. (J. R.) Parsley of Rule died Thursday, Feb. 3 at Haskell Health Care Center. He was 65.

Funeral services were Saturday morning at the First United Methodist Church in Rule with the Rev. Carol Crumpton and John

Greeson officiating. Burial was in Rule Cemetery, directed by McCauley-Robison Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were J. R. Cornelius, Paul Cornelius, Richard Cornelius, Frank Frazier, Claude Frazier and Cecil Perryman.

Mr. Parsley was born March 15, 1928, in Lyman, Okla. He served three and half years in the U.S. Navy, worked for Western Electric in Oklahoma City, and a tank truck business in Purcell, Okla., before moving to Walters, Okla., where he farmed for 20 years. He moved to Rule in December. He married Oleen Branstetter in Walters on Feb. 1, 1975. She died June 16,

He is survived by his mother, Dollie Bewley of Wichita Falls; a sister, Oleta Cornelius of Rule; and a brother, Alvin D. Parsley of Midwest City.

Toby Nicholson

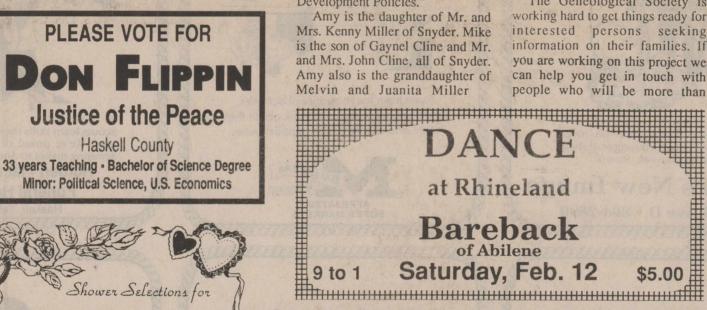
Graveside services were held Friday at Terry County Memorial Cemetery in Brownfield for Toby Ray Nicholson, infant son of Eddie J. and Donna Bates Nicholson of Brownfield

He was born Feb. 1 in Lubbock. John Snider of the Andrews Church of Christ officiated and burial was directed by Brownfield Funeral Home.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a brother, Jeremy, and sister, Deanna, of the home; his maternal grandparents, Jesse and Lillian Bates of Mayhill, N.M.; paternal grandparents, Cliff and Lois Nicholson of Haskell; and maternal great-grandmother, Annie Scott of Mayhill, N.M.

Jennifer Shaver graduates at Tech

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Mike and Amy Cline

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Mike and Amy (Miller) Cline recently earned degrees from Kansas State University in Manhattan,

Amy, a 1989 graduate of Snyder High School, received her bachelor of arts degree in English literature in December.

Before transferring to Kansas State, she attended Texas Tech University where she was a member of the Texas Tech University Singers.

She is employed by First International Theaters and the. Kansas State Union Bookstore. She plans to pursue a master's degree in library science.

Mike, a 1987 graduate of Snyder High School and a 1991 graduate of Texas Tech, will receive his master of arts degree in geography in March.

A member of Gamma Theta Upsilon Honorary Fraternity, he also served on a community service team in Oswego, Kan. He is employed as the Geographic Information Systems technician at the Environmental Office of Fort Riley, Kan. He plans to pursue a career in community development or regional planning.

Mike's master's thesis was entitled "Small Town Population Change in Northwest Kansas: Causes and Implications for Development Policies.'

Amy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Miller of Snyder. Mike is the son of Gaynel Cline and Mr. and Mrs. John Cline, all of Snyder. Amy also is the granddaughter of Melvin and Juanita Miller DANION ...

--Library Notes--

By Joan Strickland

A few new books have come into the library recently. A romance or two by Karen Robards and La Vyral Spencer and biographies by John Connley, Chief Mankiller and Michael Jordan.

Also a few more new children and adult books. Another popular book is Cash for College and there is a long waiting list for this one. We now have two copies of Bridges of Madison County and Slow Waltz in Cedar Bend by Waller, so maybe everyone will eventually get to read them now.

We received a new cookbook this week, compliments of Charles Stenholm, published by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The library receives a number of publications from Austin. We have Fiscal Notes from the Comptroller of Public Accounts, Texas Insurance Watch, Texas Library Advocate, Bottom Line and Financial Management. We also receive Missing Children and The Locator. These are very interesting reading for those interested in what is happening in Austin, reports on insurance and doctors, finding and locating children and how to locate birth parents.

Also, it is that time of year we all look forward too---Income Tax Time. We have almost all of the forms you might need. We have a book with "hard to find" forms and you can have a copy made for 25 cents. These forms are specifically designed to be copied and are the only copies the IRS will accept. We do have a library Hot Line to the IRS and can order your forms if they are not in the book. It takes 5-15 days for them to arrive. I have a very few 1099s that I've managed to get and also a video tape on how to prepare your taxes. We have a number for Farmers Tax Guides and application for extension forms too.

We have also received books on federal Financial Aid for College.

If anyone is interested in any of this information, please feel free to call or ask at the library. We do not have room to put everything out but it is there for the asking.

The Geneological Society is working hard to get things ready for interested persons seeking information on their families. If you are working on this project we can help you get in touch with people who will be more than

happy to help you. Just write or call the library if you are looking for this kind of information.

We have a small selection of books by local authors. I would encourage anyone who has had a book published or is working on a book to please donate a signed copy to your local library. If anyone has copies of the Sherrill or Felker county history books and would like to donate them they would be greatly appreciated. Also, we need county history books of Knox, Throckmorton, Jones, etc.

We are very crowded at the library but we have come so far we can't stop now. Our funds are so very limited that we need everyone's help to keep our library growing. The county can only do so much so I ask that you remember your library when making bequests for loved ones or in wills or any other means possible. It would be wonderful if we could expand someday, but that will take a great deal of money from people who truly love the library and want to see it continue to grow into something we can be even more proud of.

Our circulation continues to increase and new people sign up for library cards daily. We have students from Midwestern, Cisco Junior College, Knox City, Benjamin, Stamford, Hamlin, Paint Creek, Rule and Rochester using our library along with the public and our own students from Haskell. Many people who come in new are greatly surprised at what our library has to offer. If you have not visited the library I encourage you to come by and see what we have for our

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Four listed on HSU honor rolls

Four students from Haskell are included on the fall semester academic lists at Hardin-Simmons University.

Rebecca Russell was a memberof the President's List, made up or students with a 4.0 grade-point

Gerald Walters was included on the Dean's List of students with at least a 3.75 grade-point average.

Kathy Futch and Craig Hanson were members of the Honor Roll of students with at least a 3.6 gradepoint average.

Laurie Boger on Dean's List

Laurie Elizabeth Boger of Rule qualified for the Dean's List for the fall semester at Texas Tech University.

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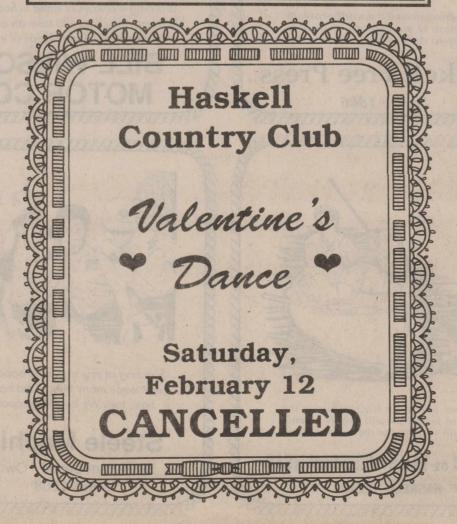
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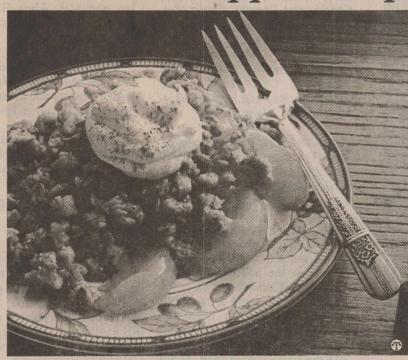
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Seventh- and eighth-grade "mathletes" at Rule Junior High School have been working on this and many other challenging problems for the past several months. Coached by Mitchell Arnold, they are preparing for the Feb. 12 regional Mathcounts contest at McMurry University in Abilene, where 15 teams will compete for trophies and a chance to advance to the state-level contest in Austin on March 5.

The competition is sponsored by the Abilene chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers. Members of TSPE organize the regional and state competitions in Texas each year. They are supported by NationsBank employees who contact schools and work on competition day. In addition to the volunteer support, NationsBank has given \$150,000 to the Texas Mathcounts program over the past three years.

Mathcounts is a popular coaching and competition program for seventh- and eighth-graders. Based on innovative problemsolving methods, enjoyable teamcentered practice sessions, and spirited "count down" rounds, Mathcounts has won thousands of fans among teachers, parents and students throughout the 50 states, in four U.S. territories and even overseas in American schools for children of diplomats and military personnel.

Students who advance to the state contest will compete for scholarships and other prizes, and a chance to represent Texas at the national Mathcounts competition in Washington, D.C., in May.

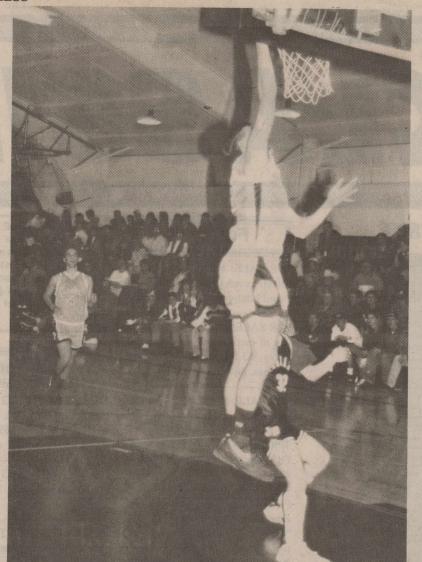
(The answer to the problem above is 15 miles per hour. A simple way to solve it is by drawing a sketch of the situation. Mark off eight sections on the bridge. We know that the woman can run 3/8 of the bridge in the time it takes the train to reach the beginning of the bridge. So, suppose the woman runs 3/8 of the bridge toward the end of the bridge. She now has only 2/8 or 1/4 of the bridge to travel, while the train must travel the entire length of the bridge. Since the woman and the train will reach the end of the bridge at the same time, and since she will only travel 1/4 the distance that the train will travel, the woman must be traveling at 1/4 the speed of the train. Therefore, the woman's top speed must be 1/4 of 60 mph, or 15

V-ball tourney set for March 4-5

Noah Project-North will sponsor a volleyball tournament March 4-5 at the little gym in Haskell.

Entry fee will be \$60 per team and entry deadline is March 1. For more information, call 864-8934, 3414 or 2551.

A concession stand will be in operation during the tournament.



Scores 13

Jonathan Tatum scored 13 points Friday night as the Indians won their 20th game of the season with a 50-42 victory over Jim Ned.

-- Market Report--

Haskell Livestock Auction

Packer cows were \$1 to \$2 higher at the Haskell Livestock Auction Saturday. Packer bulls and stocker calves also were \$1 to \$2 higher and feeder cows were steady. Saturday's sale was on a run of

764 head of cattle. Packer cows: canners 41-48;

utility 48-56. Packer bulls: 60-67.50; feeder

bulls 65-75.

Steer calves: 200-400 lbs. 105-130; 400-600 lbs. 85-100; 600-800

Heifers: 200-400 lbs. 90-110; 400-600 lbs. 75-90; 600-800 lbs. 65-75.

Bred cows: young 600-700; old

Pairs: Young 700-900; old 500-



VOTE FOR

Jerrell (Judo) E. Johnson

HASKELL COUNTY JUDGE I encourage every registered voter

in Haskell County to vote. Pd. Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Franciene Johnson, campaign treasurer

--Sagerton--

by Alice Bredthauer

Those who enjoyed the supper which was held in the Community Center last Tuesday were Dorothy and J. B. Toney, Joe and Dorothy Clark, Alvin and Alice Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre, Mrs. Mary Neinast, James Gellner, Charles and Dorothy Clark, Mrs. Odene Dudensing, Herbert Lammert, Clarence Stegemoeller, Jack and Peggy Tabor, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Mrs. Aline Summers, Carl Hunt, Brian Lehrmann, Ray and Mable Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Mrs. Frances Clark and Larry LeFevre of Rule attended funeral services at the Methodist Church in Wortham, Tx. for Zella LeFevre, who was an aunt of Delbert and Frances Thursday of last week.

We are happy to have a new curtain in the auditorium of the Sagerton Community Center. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer who went to Waco last week to get the curtain. The curtain was purchased by the community and the homecoming fund. It will now be ready for the Sagerton Hee Haw on March 24, 25 and 26 and the homecoming on May 28 and

Billie Kupatt director for the Hee Haw is putting the final touches to the script and parts will be handed out Feb. 24.

The bi-monthly Friendship Club lunch will be this Thursday, Feb. 10 at the Faith Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall.

Those who went bowling lat Thursday from around here were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Herbert Teichelman, and Herbert

There really was a nice crowd at the Sons of Hermann Hall Sunday for the meeting and the meal which was stew and chili and sweets.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Mrazek visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse Sunday.

Nontaxable Items for Military

Military subsistence, uniform and quarters allowances, or the value of quarters or subsistence provided in kind to members of the Armed Services are not taxable income. See IRS Publication 3, Tax Information for Military Personnel, for details. Call 1-800-829-3676 to order it.

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I can't vote in the March election because I live in Knox County, but I own land and farm in Haskell County and pay taxes there.

If I could, I would vote for Elmer Adams for Precinct 2 Commissioner.

Vote for a person who will serve all of Haskell County equally.

Ad Paid for by Thomas Ratliff West

VERNON REGIONAL JUNIOR COLLEGE ANNOUNCES INTERVIEWS/TESTING

FOR

THE SEYMOUR VOCATIONAL NURSING (LVN) PROGRAM ARE BEING CONDUCTED NOW. TESTS ARE GIVEN MARCH 9 AND APRIL 20, 1994



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