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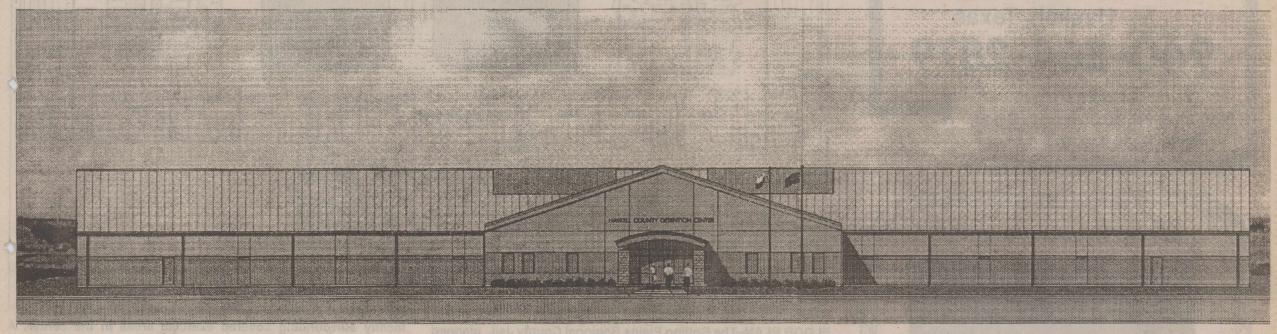
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Area counties pledge support to planned regional jail



REGIONAL COUNTY JAIL-An architectural drawing of the front elevation of the 200-bed Rolling Plains Regional County Jail to be constructed in Haskell shows a fully enclosed facility with all areas contained within the building, requiring no security fences. Expected to bring 55 to 60 new jobs to Haskell, it will be owned and operated under the joint auspices of the city and county, with the full support of the Haskell County Sheriff's office. The facility will also serve as many as six other counties with housing for their prisoners. (See page 2 for a detailed floor plan of the Regional County Jail.)

When completed, perhaps by fall of 1999, the new 200-bed Rolling Plains Regional County Jail is expected to bring as many as 55 to 60 jobs to Haskell.

Already gaining a pledge of

with the offer of such services as prisoners, the jail is designed to fill the need of additional housing for inmates and cut the individual

Knox and Stonewall County the pick up and delivery of Commissioners have signed on to use the regional jail, to ease their overcrowded county jails. A delegation of officials and the county expenses. Jones, Haskell Economic Development support from several area counties Shackelford, Throckmorton, Baylor, Corporation were meeting Monday

with Jack County and Eastland County commissioners. Earlier, Young County officials delayed their decision until the July meeting of their Commissioners

Hoping to begin construction of

the regional jail as early as and pay operating expenses by September, at an undecided Haskell renting cell beds to participating site, the planners of the \$5.2 counties for \$40.50 per day per

Lity Council hears status of regional jail

At the regular meeting of the Haskell City Council Mon, June 22, a report was heard on the status of the Rolling Plains Regional County Jail planned for construction in Haskell later this

With Jack and Eastland Counties yet to pledge their support of the Jail, Mayor Ken Lane and officials of the Haskell Economic Development Corporation left after the meeting to make a presentation about the Jail to those county commissioners. Young County commissioners will make a final

decision at their July meeting. Approval was given at the meeting for Mayor Lane to sign the outstanding tax deeds.

No action was taken on the possible purchase of Pogue Grocery and adjacent buildings.

Calendar

Bible School

The Haskell Church of Christ will hold Vacation Bible School Mon., June 29 through Wed., July 1 from 7 to 9 p.m. for children ages 4 and up. The theme is 'You're a Great Big God but You take time for me!' Buses will run, call 864-3101 if you need a ride. Bring children to the auditorium for opening session and children can be picked up there, too. Parents are encouraged to accompany their children. Those attending all three nights will receive a T-shirt. A closing program for the public will be held Wednesday at 9 p.m.

Social Security

A representative from the Social Security Administration will be in Haskell at the City Hall annex Thurs., July 2 at 9:30 a.m. Old Glory musical

The Old Glory Musical will be held Sat., June 27 at the Community Center in Old Glory. The best little concession stand in Texas will open at 5:30 and the music will start at 6 p.m.

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In his report, City Administrator, Sam Watson gave a 11.38 percent increase for June, report on the monthly sales tax 1998 over June, 1997.

rebate to the city, which reflected a

Watson also reported on the extent of hail damage to several city building roofs.

million dollar project, look for it to be completed in about a year. It will be the first of its kind to be constructed in Texas, according to the Texas Commission on Jail Standards. Corplan Corrections, a privately

funded company which designs, finances, builds and operates adult and juvenile detention facilities in Texas, will recover its investment prisoner. The figure includes transportation costs to and from the

The Haskell Economic Development Corporation, which was largely instrumental in obtaining the regional county jail, hopes to eventually also operate a juvenile detention center in the

History of Haskell store spans 70 years

In 1928, the 35 mile trip by wagon from Throckmorton to Haskell was an all-day trip for 'drummer' A. C. Boggs, salesman of cane-bottomed chairs and rockers to general merchandise and furniture stores and any other retail business needing his line.

Boggs' wife, five children and his father, who lived with them, were back in Oakwood on the small farm that was little more than a means of survival for the large family. To augment enough cash for the family's necessary tools, shoes, clothes and hardware items, Boggs divided his time between farming and being a traveling 'drummer'.

With his wife and family, his greatest love was for the Lord. He had personally helped construct a building for the Church of Christ in Oakwood. They were "at home" in

But his oldest child had married and now lived in Haskell with her husband, R. I. Johnson, a tin smith. Boggs reasoned that since he called on dealers in Throckmorton, he could expand his sales territory west to Haskell and be able to visit with this daughter from time to time.

During one visit, he and his sonin-law decided to combine their talents and open a retail business in Haskell in addition to the tin smith business and a mattress factory. With the cane-bottomed chairs and

by Mary Kaigler rockers added for sale, they decided The appliances were later rain, and rain, flooding name has remained the same. that they might make a decent living for their families.

Soon, A. C. Boggs, his wife Sally, four children, A. C. Jr., Malon, Minnie and Maggie, and his aging father, moved from Oakwood to join his daughter Ethel and sonin-law, R. I. Johnson in the business named "Boggs and Johnson" which has continued to operate in Haskell for almost 70

Sept. 5, 1929, an ad was run in the Haskell Free Press which read, "Have just installed new up-to-date mattress machinery. We are prepared to make your old beds new. East of jail. Phone 72. Boggs and Johnson.'

Chairs and rockers were stocked, all manner of tin items were crafted on order, and bedroom and living room furniture were added for sale "East of Jail"

Many years later the business was moved into a more spacious retail building on the square. Later it expanded into the old Ford House building. The Ford Company had moved to a more modern facility on Hwy. 277.

After years of limited success, and following a heart attack, Boggs sold his interest in the business to his son-in-law, R. I. Johnson. Later, Johnson's son Loraine and son-in-law, Gene Long bought the business and remodeled the building, upgrading the furniture selection and adding appliances.

Coach reminds athletes to obtain sports physicals

Don Flippen, head football coach and athletic director of Haskell CISD is reminding all athletes that they must have a physical permit signed by a doctor in order to participate in any school athletics for the upcoming 1998-99

Athlete physicals may be taken at two local clinics. Dr. William McSmith will give physicals at Hospital Clinic, 1400 S. First, July 8, at 1:00 p.m. Dr. Wayne Cadenhead and Dr. Frank Cadenhead

will give physicals at Haskell Clinic, 1417 N. First, at anytime, no appointments necessary.

Cost of the physical is \$10.00. It will be good for the entire year. The required U.I.L. forms are available at the clinics.

Coach Flippen stresses that positively no one will be allowed to participate in sports without the physical exam.

The schedule for the workouts, which will start Aug. 5, will be inued as being unprofitable.

However, mattresses were still being made on a regular basis, at a cost of \$29.50 for an innerspring, and \$14.50 for a 100% cotton mattress. When the old equipment wore out, bigger and more sophisticated methods and machinery made the handmade mattress obsolete and impractical, even uncomfortable. That part of the business was abandoned.

When aging R. I. Johnson died after lengthly health problems, his wife Ethel became sole owner of the business, that was being run by Loraine Johnson and Gene Long.

Through the years that the business has been in Haskell, many hazards have been confronted and overcome; drought being the worst. At one time business was so bad, that Long, leaving on a trip, vowed he would have to find something else to do when he returned if it did not rain. It did many homes in the area

Loraine Johnson saw the disaster of the flood as an opportunity. Submitting a bid, he obtained a government contract to fill the needs of those who lost nearly everything in the flood. From all over the country, big eighteen wheelers brought in supplies of furniture to Boggs and Johnson to be distributed in Haskell, Lake Stamford and Albany.

Within a few months, the firm had overcome the financial effects of the drought.

Following Ethel Johnson's death, the business belonged to Hartsell Johnson, Jo Iva Long and Loraine Johnson. Shortly, however, Loraine Johnson and Jo Iva Long bought out the other child of R. I. and Ethel Johnson.

After a long, painful bout with a back ailment, Loraine Johnson sold his half of the business to Gene Long and his son Thomas. As a courtesy to the original owners, the

A new sign was purchased, the latest products were stocked, carpet was installed, and a policy that was imperative to good business was initiated: "Boggs and Johnson will always try to take care of all problems. If it's broken they will fix it or replace it or refund what is appropriate.'

In 1997, Jo Iva Long retired from her Haskell Housing Authority job and now works part time in the business.

During recent remodeling of the building quality air conditioning was installed, adding to the yearround comfort of customers while they shop.

Still a family business, Boggs and Johnson Furniture is still proud to be dedicated to providing quality furniture at affordable prices. The latest owners assumed the motto of the business: "At Boggs and Johnson Furniture, we want to be your furniture store," and they are conscious of always striving to live up to the motto.



FAMILY AFFAIR-Owners Gene Long, left, Jo Iva Long and son, Tom Long, operate Boggs and Johnson Furniture Store, which has been a family business in Haskell for nearly 70 years.

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David Bruns named to Provost's List

David Andrew Bruns of Haskell was named to the Provost's List for the spring semester of the 1997-98 academic year at Texas Lutheran University. The Provost's List was announced by Dr. Edna Aguirre Rehbein, executive vice president and provost of the University. Bruns is a sophomore psychology major.

To be named to the Dean's List, students must have at least a 3.5 cumulative grade point average with a minimum of 12 graded hours in the past semester.

Texas Lutheran had a 1997-98 fall semester enrollment of 1,344 students, a 15 percent increase over the preceding academic year.

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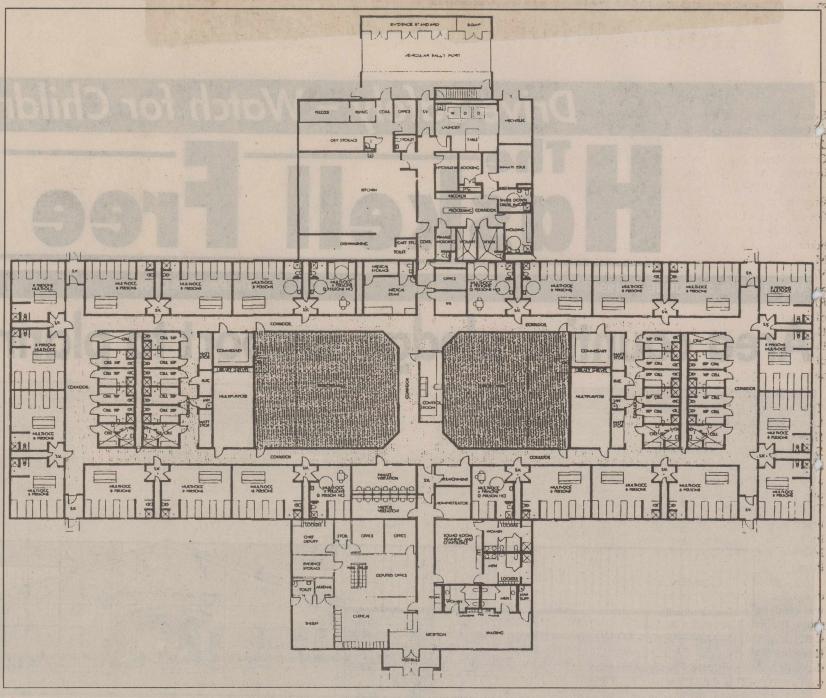
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FLOOR PLAN-The Rolling Plains Regional County Jail, planned to house prisoners from several counties, will be a fully enclosed

facility surrounding covered exercise areas in the center. A detailed locking system will provide the security needed.

Student in the news

McMurry University, Abilene, has announced the names of students receiving awards at the annual Academic Awards Luncheon held recently.

Receiving the Cal C. Wright Ministerial Scholarship in the Religion and Philosophy Department was Patrick Middleton of Haskell. He is the son of David and Patti Middleton and grandson of Nadine and the late Alton Middleton, all of Haskell.

Obituaries

Rev. D. S. 'Bud' Moore, Jr.

Funeral services for Rev. D. S. 'Bud' Moore, Jr., 79, of Gainesville were held Thurs., June 18 at Grace Friendship Baptist Church with Rev. James Ruthledge, Lindale; Rev. Larry Huffman, pastor, Grace Friendship Baptist Church; and Dr. Bennie R. Slack, pastor, First Baptist Church, Gainesville, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Geo. J. Carroll and Son Funeral Home.

Rev. Moore died June 15 at Medical Center Hospital

Born Sept. 8, 1918 at Wills Point, he was the son of Durwood Stevens and Ada Vie Moore. He married Frances Damron Feb. 1, 1947 in Lubbock. He graduated from Plantersville High School and served in the U. S. Navy for 3 1/2 years. He attended Texas Tech University and graduated from Southwestern Baptist Theological Semi-

nary in Fort Worth. He pastored churches at Paint Creek, Crossroads Baptist Church in Rotan; Castle Avenue Baptist Church in Hobbs, N.M.; and Calvary Baptist Church in Gainesville. He founded Grace Friendship Baptist Church in Gainesville and upon retirement, was given the honor of Pastor Emeritus.

He was preceded in death by his parents and seven sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Frances, of Gainesville; two daughters and sons-in-law, Sheryl and Danny Carter of Hobbs, N.M., Jeanie and C. L. Williams, Jr., of Monahans; one son and daughter-in-law, Tim and Robbie Moore of Gainesville; 7 grandchildren and two great grandchildren; one sister, Tommy Burkholter of Fort Worth; two brothers, Jack Moore of Lipan and James Moore of Lubbock.

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Food for thought

"Be strong and courageous! Do not tremble or be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9

The third qualification for demonstrating authority over rulers and authorities in the spiritual realm is boldness. A Spirit-filled Christian is characterized by a true,

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godly sense of courage and boldness in spiritual warfare. On the eve of taking authority over the Promised Land, Joshua was challenged four times to be strong and courageous (Joshua 1:6, 7, 9, 18). When the early church prayed about their mission of sharing the gospel in Jerusalem, "the place where they had gathered together was shaken and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak the word of God with boldness" (Acts 4:31). Spiritinspired boldness is behind every successful advance in the church

The opposite of boldness is cowardice, fear and unbelief. Notice what God thinks about these characteristics.

I am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give to the one who thirsts from the spring of the water of life without cost. He who overcomes shall inherit these things and I will be his God and he will be My son. But for the cowardly and unbelieving and abominable and murders and immoral persons and sorcerers and idolaters and all liars, their part will be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second detth (Revelation 21:6-8).

That's pretty serious—cowards lined up at the lake of fire alongside murderers, sorcerers and idolaters! It should serve to motivate us to exercise authority with boldness (2 Timothy 1:7).

A lot of Christians fear the dark side of the spiritual world. It's true that a little knowledge can be a dangerous and frightful thing, but a growing knowledge of the truth is liberating. Seminary students have said, "I used to be afraid of that stuff, but now I know who I am in Christ and I'm not afraid anymore." That's exactly the perception we should have.

Lord, increase my courage to light candles of truth and dispel de darkness in Your name. I will fear only You today, not the enemy.

Around Town

By Joyce Hawkins

Donald Larned of Ormond Beach, Florida and Ronald Larned of Orlando, Florida spent their 10 day vacation visiting their father, Grover Mather Larned and relatives in Haskell the last 10 days of May.

Buddy Willis Franklin Larned of Breckenridge visited his brother, Grover Mather Larned recently.

Visiting in the C. E. Tidwell home last week were Nathan and Margie Harrell of Burkburnett. Visiting on Thursday were Pat, Sue and Katia Glover of Richardson; Bob and Lois Glover of Panhandle; Mike and Julia Harrell of Haskell; Lavern and Patsy Rogers and Johnny Scoggins of Rochester and Imogene Dobbs and Daisy Smith of Abilene.

On Thursday evening Margaret Tatum took mom Joyce to Lewisville to son's Bobby Hawkins. On Friday morning Bobby took them to Ft. Worth for eye checkup for Mom. She got a good report and will go back in one month for another checkup. They returned home on Friday night and Bobby drove back with them and spent the weekend. Michael Hawkins also went with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mayer and daughter, Kimberly, spent the weekend in Haskell visiting his om, Blanche Hernandez, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Hawkins. On Saturday afternoon they celebrated Kimberly's birthday with a party at Grandma Blanche's.

Ron Hilliard of Odessa spent a few days visiting his mother, Bernice Hilliard, the first part of the week.

On Saturday Linda and Mary Jane and Ross Short and Bernice Hilliard attended a 65th surprise birthday party for Ellen Hilliard at the Putt Putt in Abilene. Others attending were Pat Shaw of Colorado City, Ron and Edith Hilliard of Odessa, Jessie and Dot of Denison, Lynn and Flo of Plano and Jean Ballard and daughter, Michelle of Abilene.

Kids need lots of H₂O

Kids on the go need H₂O. Parents need to make sure children ave plenty of water when they venture outside in the sweltering heat this summer.

"Kids can become dehydrated very quickly," said Dr. Robert Shulman, professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine and director of the nutritional support team at Texas Children's Hospital in Houston.

In addition to water, sports drinks and fruit juices are good to give children. It is best to stay away from drinks that contain high levels of caffeine. Caffeine is known to increase the flow of urine, so instead of replenishing the body, it can contribute to

Keeping track of medications

be a pill. It's difficult to remember which medicine to take and when, especially for people who take several medications a day. Pill boxes with compartments for every day are helpful and can be bought at the pharmacy.

Dr. Eugene Frenkel, professor of internal medicine at UT Suthwestern Medical Center at Dallas said, "It is very important that patients take their medication at the indicated time. Otherwise the drug may not work as effectively as it should. In addition the patient may risk an adverse reaction, especially when several daily medications are involved."

Liquid medicines and inhalers cannot be divided into a pill box, but they can be color-coded. For example, bottles tagged with yellow dots could contain medicine to take in the morning, and those with green dots could be for bedtime.

Dr. Frenkel cautions patients to pay special attention to whether medications should be taken with meals or on an empty stomach.

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Admissions
Lena Tackitt, Munday
Alma Merchant, Haskell
Alma Collins, Haskell
Delores Hall, Haskell
Dismissals
Lupe Valencia, Ida Boyd, Claude

Edwards, Lora Mullins

Visiting with parents Jack and Alta Faye Harvey and Neat Bevel over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Harvey of Odessa.

Darlene Cummings of Santo came for mother Neat Bevel to go home with her for the week.

The Greater Independent Baptist Church was at the installation of Rev. Clovis Dever on Sun., June 14 at the West Bethel Baptist Church, Rule. Other guest churches there were West Bethel, Munday; Hopewell, Haskell; Mt. Zion, Seymour; Mt. Olive, Snyder, Texas Street, Vernon; Weeping Mary, Anson; Macedonia, Aspermont; Union Chapel, Rochester; COGIC, Hamlin; Mission Revival, Haskell. Rev. D.L. Cooper, Vernon, gave the charge to Pastor Dever. Rev. Robert Sweet, Snyder, gave the charge to the church.

The nineteenth of June celebration was at the Greater Independent Baptist Church. Guest churches there were Hopewell, Haskell; Weeping Mary, Anson; Macedonia, Aspermont; Whirlwind COGIC, Aspermont; Revival Center, Haskell; West Bethel, Rule and West Buelah, Munday. Rev. W. M. Hodge brought the morning message. The text was Year of Jubilee, Lev. 25:10. The afternoon message was brought by Rev. Sam Blackwell, Anson.

Greater Independent had their Father's Day program Sunday morning. Rev. L. C. Johnson, Sr. brought the message. The theme was "The Greatest Father in the Whole World - Jesus Christ." Other guests on the program were his son, Otis Johnson, from Arlington, his daughter-in-law Karen Johnson, Rev. Camellia Wade, Susie Jackson, Donna Jordan and Birdie Benford. The program was closed with a big "I love you" to all fathers.

Coming event this weekend will be their Annual Women's Day, Sun., June 28, at 3:00 p.m. The theme will be "Not One Step Without God."

theme will be "Not One Step Without God."

Extension Cookse in sugar don't Setting dehydration. Dehydration can cause

and in severe cases become unconscious.

The Children's Nutrition Research Center cautions parents to keep in mind that infants should never be exposed to the sun for long periods of time, and never placed in direct sunlight. Always dress them in light-covered clothing and put a hat on their head. A light blanket can also protect their arms

a child to become dizzy or drowsy,

develop headaches and a dry mouth,



MISTI HENSON

Misti Henson named All-Star cheerleader

Misti Henson, a member of the Haskell varsity cheerleaders, attended camp last week at Texas Tech University. Misti was selected by the UCA staff as an All-Star Cheerleader. Misti now has the opportunity to attend a parade in London, England along

with other All-Star Cheerleaders.

Misti will be a senior at Haskell
High School.

Her parents are Tami and David Penick of Rowlett and grandparents are Sue and Cecil Bingham of Haskell.

Summer snacks can be healthy for kids

By Lou Gilly
Haskell Co. Extension Agent
Mommy, I'm hungry! How
often do parents hear that during
the summer break? Because
children have smaller stomachs,
they need to eat more often.
Extension nutritionist Dr. Dymple
Cooksey recommends snacks low
in sugar, fat and salt. And they
don't have to be fancy foods.
Setting out fruits and vegetables is
just as easy as giving them a bag
of chips.

Take the child's age into consideration. Some are too young for raw vegetables such as carrots because they can't chew them well. On the other hand, chewing slower can play to an older child's advantage because they'll be less likely to overeat. She suggests getting the children involved in planning their snacks. And she says snacks should complement meals.

If a meal is short of vegetables,

offer raw vegetables as a snack. The same goes for fruits, fiber and dairy products. Cooksey says whole grain crackers, cheese, pudding, even ice cream make good

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Weinert FCE Club sees video on DRI

The Weinert FCE Club met on June 16 in the Extension Office Kitchen. President Alice Yates called the meeting to order. Myrtle Therwhanger, hostess gave an inspirational reading.

Roll call was answered by members stating the most used household hint from the Yearbook '98.

The Council report was given by Alice Yates. Thank you notes were read from several 4-H students. The yearbook committee needs to meet fairly soon to discuss next year's yearbook. Agent Lou Gilly, gave a positive report mentioning Brandi Gardner and Amanda Crawford are the two 4-H students going to state. Christi and Bill Little served as judges for the 4-H scholarship. Ophelia Newsom presented Kaki Stapleton the '98 4-H Scholarship during the graduation exercises.

Hostess. Myrtle Therwhanger, showed members an educational video explaining the Disabilities Resources Institute in Abilene. A defensive driving course was suggested sometime in September.

The next meeting will be Aug. 4 at the Extension Office Kitchen with hostess Estalynn Liles.

Coffee, tea, cookies and donuts were served to Cordie Cunningham, Faye Jetton, Erma Liles, Estalynn Liles, Betty Sanders, Kathryn Schonerstedt, Myrtle Therwhanger and Alice Yates.







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OPINION



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

A renegotiated tobacco settlement resolving a conflict over lawyer fees was imminent last week, Texas Attorney General Dan Morales said, but he gave no clue as to when a new \$17 billion agreement with the industry might be announced.

No wonder. Lawyers for five counties and hospital districts have sued to be included in the original \$15.3 billion settlement and their lawsuit may affect the success of the new one.

The lawyers contend their clients have a right to a piece of the settlement because costs of treating poor people for smoking illnesses are largely not reimbursed by the state and federal Medicaid program.

Their lawsuit could affect the success of a new \$17 billion settlement Morales was free to renegotiate after the state of Minnesota settled with cigarette

Last week, however, Morales' spokesman Ron Dusek said, "We're finalizing a deal with the governor and finalizing a deal with the tobacco companies. Both of these are really, really close.

But, regarding the hospital districts and counties, Dusek said Morales is inclined to cut them out of the latest settlement. If that comes to pass, the counties and hospital districts will have to ask the Legislature for funds to pay for the treating of tobacco-related illnesses.

The original January tobacco settlement met an early obstacle in Gov. George W. Bush and seven state legislators. They protested the amount of attorneys' fees-15 percent of the \$15.3 billion-to be awarded to private lawyers hired by Morales to represent the state. Bush and the legislators argued that the state would be liable for part of the

amount. Poll Shows Bush Has Big Lead

Republican Gov. Bush leads his Democratic gubernatorial opponent, Garry Mauro, by 53 percent, the latest Texas Poll revealed last week. Seventy percent of the 691 likely voters who answered the poll

picked Bush. One year ago, the margin in a similar poll was identical, though neither man had formally announced his candidacy at the time the poll

was taken. Texas' land Mauro. commissioner, said the poll was off base. "By the time Texans take part in the only poll that matters-the one on election day-they'll know

they are voting with us for the right to choose their own doctor." In his reaction to the poll, Bush said the election-day vote will narrow. "I've got to send a signal to my supporters that we've got to take this race seriously. We've got to make sure we turn out the vote and I will do so. I will campaign

Texas Poll director Ty Meighan told The Dallas Morning News, "Bush is so strong, it's going to take an awful lot of Mauro to close that gap and I don't know how he's

hard."

going to do it."

Taken by telephone June 1-12 by Scripps Howard and the Office of Survey Research of the University of Texas, the poll also showed:

•Bush leads by big margins in every region of the state and among every demographic group except blacks and Democrats.

•Sixty-five percent of those surveyed said they still would vote for Bush even if they knew he was going to run for president in 2000.

Officials Oppose Nuclear Dump

A dozen Mexican lawmakers last week spoke out against the proposed construction of a nuclear waste repository near the West Texas town of Sierra Blanca.

The officials met in Austin and tried unsuccessfully to get a meeting with Gov. Bush.

They charged that the proposed site-18 miles from the Rio Grandewould violate a 1983 pact between Mexico and the United States to curb pollution along the border.

Norberto Corella, a federal senator from the Mexican state of Sonora, said, "We cannot permit the U.S. to build (nuclear) garbage dumps on our border. ...

The site would store low-level nuclear waste from Texas, Maine and Vermont. Federal legislation approving the three-state agreement to store the waste at the Sierra Blanca site has been passed by the House and Senate and has been forwarded to a conference committee.

Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Bush, said the governor won't allow construction to proceed until there are scientific guarantees that the site won't pollute.

The proposed dump also has drawn heavy opposition from the Texas side of the border.

Veterans' Homes to Be Built

Groundbreaking for four longterm care homes for Texas veterans is expected on July 1 in Big Spring, Bonham, Temple and Floresville.

The homes will be the first built in Texas since one was built for Civil War veterans in Austin. It closed in the 1970s.

Land Commissioner Garry Mauro, head of the Veterans Land Board, said, "It was a long, hard fight to make people aware of Texas' aging veteran population."

The Austin architectural firm of Graeber, Simmons and Cowan will oversee the construction.

Other Capital Highlights •The National Trust for Historic Preservation last week listed Texas' 225 historic courthouses among the nation's most endangered structures, increasing chances that many of the courthouses will be repaired and

•Gov. Bush made about \$15 million in the \$250 million sale of the Texas Rangers major league baseball team. Five years before he was elected governor, Bush was part of a group of investors that purchased 84 percent of the team. His investment was \$606,000.

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FOLKS!

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago June 23, 1988

Haskell's Tom Watson, receives a trophy during the State Firemen's and Fire Marshal's convention in Beaumont designating him as the state's "Fireman of the Year."

United Sewing Agency will be opening a plant in Haskell employing 60 people.

R.G. Walton killed a 64-inch rattlesnake in the Cobb community.

20 Years Ago June 22, 1978

Haskell Little League coaches will meet members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department in a benefit baseball game.

Student's named to the President's Honor Roll at West Texas State Univ. are Mona Bledsoe and John Cox.

Showing at the Grand Drive-In in Stamford is "Saturday Night Fever" with John Travolta.

30 Years Ago

June 20, 1968

Announcement was made by Mobil Oil Corporation that Mrs. Joe B. Scrivner, employee at Gholson Grocery, is the recipient of a \$2500 check through Mobil "Strike It Clean" game.

Flossie and T.C. Walker are now the new agency owners of the Montgomery Ward Sales Agency, located at 415 S. First St.

Brenda Allison and Beverly Smith of Rule, are attending Jessie Lee's Beauty School in Lubbock.

40 Years Ago June 19, 1958 Jim Byrd was named chief of the

Haskell Volunteer Fire Dept. The NCTMWA water authority

has been approved by five towns for Miller Creek. Weinert received 1.10 inches of rain during an afternoon wind

storm. Considerable damage was done to shrubs and tree limbs. 50 Years Ago

June 24, 1948

from Haskell over the Wichita Valley Railway, according to Porter Sadler, local agent.

109 cars of wheat were shipped

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PLOW ..

I NEED HER

An estimated 5,000 people of Haskell and vicinity have viewed the 1949 Ford since the new models were place on display at Bill Wilson Motor Company.

80 Years Ago June 22, 1918

Ernest Poteet left for Austin, where he will enter the Univ. of Texas. He was principal of Haskell High School.

W.A. Duncan of Byers was in town. He is an experienced gin man and is considering locating in Haskell or nearby.

Mrs. R.C. Montgomery and mother, Mrs. J.S. Rike, left for a visit with relatives at Farmersville.

Mr. and Mrs. G.F. Atchison of east of town returned from College Station, where they had been to visit their son Earl, who is in training at that place

neighborhoods, looking for houses

that are dark or quiet night after

night. Consider getting a number

of timers and hooking them up to

lamps or your TV. Place the timers

in different rooms and set them to

work at different times. Another

good idea is to leave your air

conditioning on a higher

temperature, rather than turning it

off completely. It is a sure sign

that you are out of town if the A/C

to mark all your valuables with

your social security number or

driver's license number. Some

police forces will lend you an

engraver and provide you with a

window sticker that tells all

potential thieves that your house is

no easy mark. Many burglars will

move on to an easier target once

neighbor, friend or relative check

your house occasionally. He or she

can take care of things while you

are away, like removing advertising

flyers from your front door or

seeing that everything looks

normal. It might even be a good

idea to arrange for a house sitter-

that way, the house will look

lived-in because it is. Avoid

mentioning to anyone outside your

When all else fails

In spite of your best efforts,

someone could rob you while you

are away. To help settle insurance

claims if you are burglarized, have

a list of your valuable items with

an estimate of their cost. There are

now computer software programs

that can help you automate this

task. Many insurance companies

suggest that you also take

photographs of the valuables.

Check with your agent for more

you enjoy your vacation with a

calmer mind. Be safe, be smart and

have a great vacation.

We hope these tips will help

confidence that you will be away.

Above all, have a trustworthy

they see this.

Before leaving, use an engraver

is off when the weather is hot.



From The Inside Out

By Mary Kaigler

I may indeed, be "dragging the bottom of the well" for this one, but last week's encounter with the source of our yard water ended ap with our doing just that. Before it was resolved, it became quite an

For one who tends to see, as Shakespeare wrote in As You Like It, "a sermon in stones and trees and good in everything," this incident of the well brought up buckets full of parables.

On Monday evening, during a day of watering, the 1/2 horse pump in our dug well stopped suddenly with no warning. Tuesday morning Tom drove to Knox City, bought a new one-horse pump and everything needed to install it. Bobby Medford built a new platform for it and a cover for the well, and when the old pump was pulled, there was no water at the bottom.

In an age when wells are drilled, not dug, we had no idea where to find someone to remove what we supposed was a cave-in below the brick-lined sides of the well.

In a big case of "you never miss the water 'til the well runs dry," we visualized this thirsty 1/2 block of Bermuda grass gulping down city water during these dog days of summer which have set in so soon.

Lowering a light down into the well, George Fouts and Tom saw a dried thatch of roots 14 feet down at what should have been the water line. On George's suggestion to use a heavy grappling hook and rope, a small hole was finally broken through to reveal a shining spot of water beneath.

That's when the 'fun' set in. After repeated tries, Tom and I finally got a good, solid locked-in hook on the mass, and laboriously pulled up a heavy, black, tangled glob of roots resembling a "creature from the black lagoon." Hanging about eight feet long below a

many-branched, errant hackberry root that had grown into the well at the water line, an almost solid interwoven 'capsule' of tiny black, hair-like roots was filled out with water like a giant balloon, just the size of the circumference of the well. Filling the well like a giant stopper, it had stopped the flow of water to the pump. Together we were able to pull it up and over the side of the well, into the wheel barrow, where it lay like a beached whale, almost pulsating as it gushed out water.

Immediately, on getting rid of the roots that had been growing and insidiously clogging the good flow of water, the water level rose to its natural potential. So elated was Tom at this turn of events, he pushed his wheel barrow down the street to show George the goshawful specimen. Estimating that it probably weighed nearly a hundred pounds while full of water, George urged Tom not to throw it away. The next few days he brought several people over to see the 'thing', which when dried, looked like a big, hairy buffalo carcass.

Needless to say, after the 'extraction', the new pump was duly installed and a cheer went up at our house when water began to turn sprinklers again.

Which brings me back to the parable of the well. It makes me think that in each of us, as in the well, without our being aware of it, unchecked errant roots of untruths, misunderstandings and bitterne's can grow and multiply and feed on itself, finally choking out, stopping up, strangling off and shutting down our better impulses and our potential for being productive. Recognizing and removing them all like a black, ugly glob from deep within ourselves takes shining some light on the subject, and may even require a grappling hook of iron determination and a strong rope of will power. But when everything good that was sealed off by it flows back in abundance, how rewarding the effort will become. End of

Meanwhile, the grass is getting greener every day, and (with yet another pun about our well experience), as Shakespeare a so wrote, All's Well That Ends Well. And that is as I like it.

Legal Matters

By Attorney General Dan Morales

Summer is a great time for vacations. Unfortunately, burglars do not take breaks. We at the Office of the Attorney General want your home to be safe while you are gone. That is why we have prepared a list of simple precautions.

Take a few minutes to safeguard your property. You will enjoy your trip more knowing that you took care of things at home and you will minimize your chance of being robbed while you are gone.

A vacation to-do list Few thieves like to break into an occupied home. Your best defense against robbers is a house that looks lived-in. Do not leave your house looking abandoned while you are away. At a minimum, be sure to do the following:

·Stop mail and newspaper deliveries. •Double-check all your locks

and windows. •Turn down the ringer on your

phone. If you have an answering

machine, turn down the speaker, and do not change your message to say you are on vacation.

•Mow you lawn before you leave. If you are going to be gone for a long time, have someone you trust maintain your yard. ·Leave blinds, shutters or

curtains open or partially open. Windows that are tightly covered all day, every day, are a signal to potential thieves. ·Have a friend come by

periodically to pick up any circulars or other evidence that you are away. Also, leave your itinerary with a friend and a list of phone numbers where you can be reached in case of emergency.

Many e-mail programs allow you to send an automated response to incoming mail. While this is a useful feature, avoid using it to announce that you will be away from home during vacation. You never know to whom the message might be sent.

More safety tips Some robbers cruise

Keeping an eye on Texas

Roads and highways a Texas investment A 77,000 mile network of roads and

freeways crisscross Texas to connect rural farms, hideaway towns, and metropolitan areas. As the Texas highway system continues to expand due to a growing population and economic development, it costs more than \$2 billion a year in roadbuilding and construction and another \$700 million for maintenance. In addition, 4,300 bridges in the state are structurally deficient and need repair.

Data does not include the cost to build and maintain county roads or city streets



miles and 4,511 miles of frontage

Farm-to-market roads: 40,784

SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller

U.S. highways: State highways: 16,208 miles

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Young athletes should learn proper nutrition

Teaching young athletes about good nutrition should be as important as teaching them the skills of the game.

"Sometimes coaches and parents overlook this important part of the training process," said Beck research nutritionist at the USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "It's up to parents and coaches to learn and teach kids what is good for the

Knowing how much to feed young athletes, what to feed them and when to feed them is important.

"Foods high in carbohydrates like fruits, breads, rice and starchy vegetables like corn will provide

that if every terminal has a cluster

of nuts, the tree needs to be

shaken. Stein says ordinarily you'd

take off 20 to 40 pounds of nuts.

He explains that native Texas

pecan trees follow a good

production year with a poor

production year. Shaking some of

those nuts off the tree can offset

that alternate cycle. If you shake

off nuts in big production years,

the tree won't be as stressed and

will produce better the next year

when it would typically grow a

alleviate the problem of up and

down prices for consumers. Prices

will not fluctuate as much if the

cropload is more consistent from

Stein says the practice will also

smaller crop.

year to year.

athletes with the energy their muscles needs," said Gorham. "Young athletes should also be encouraged to eat at least four servings a day of calcium-rich foods like milk, cheese and yogurts. These foods will help them build strong bones."

vitamin supplements will not provide a direct source of energy for young athletes. If the child is following the guidelines from the USDA Food Guide Pyramid, vitamins are not necessary.

"Providing young athletes with them for the rest of their lives.'

One of the most essential of all nutrients for athletes is water.

"Children should drink three to six ounces of water every 15 minutes of practice to avoid dehydration," said Gorham. "Children need to be taught and reminded during workouts to drink water even when they are not thirsty because thirst is not an accurate measure of hydration."

Contrary to popular belief,

healthy food choices is one of the keys to helping them reach their full athletic potential," said Gorham. "And in most cases, these healthy food choices will stay with

Students in the News

Midwestern State University. Wichita Falls, had 584 students make the Dean's List and University Honor Roll during the Spring of 1998. The Dean's List included 205 students and 379 students made the University Honor Roll.

To make the Dean's List, a student must complete a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with no grade lower than an "A. Requirements for the University Honor Roll include completing a semester schedule of at least 12 hours with a minimum grade-point average of 3.5 and no grade lower than a "C."

Included on the University Honor Roll are Colin Howeth and Andrew Martin, both of Haskell.

Attention Area Producers and Citizens:

Charles Stenholm will be at the Farmers Co-op Gin Thurs., July 2 at 8:15 a.m. Everyone is invited to come and visit with him.

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Shaking pecan trees helps crop

Haskell Co. Extension Agent The drought is actually helping pecan growers. Water is not a big concern for many because they irrigate their orchards. Extension

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quality of pecans this year because it is reducing the risk of disease.

Growers are also encouraged to shake their trees during July to thin out the crop and improve quality. Stein says the earlier you shake them, the better. He tells growers

horticulturist Dr. Larry Stein says the drought may improve the

Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1102 head of cattle at its sale on Saturday, June 20, according to Gary Tate, reporter.

Active demand good, all classes; packer cows higher \$1-\$3. Cows: fat, .36-43; cutters, .35-

42; canners, .25-.35. Bulls: bologna, .44-.53; feeder, .57-68; utility, .38-48.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .90-.96; 300-400 lbs., .84-.94; 400-500 lbs., .74-.84; 500-600 lbs., .70-.77; 600-700 lbs., .69-.74; 700-800

lbs., .67-.72; 800-up lbs., .57-.68. Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .75-.84; 300-400 lbs., .70-.79; 400-500 lbs., .67-.76; 500-600 lbs., .65-.73; 600-up lbs., .54-.72.

Bred Heifers: medium frame,

Bred Cows: young to middle aged, 450-640; aged or small, 350-

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 525-725; small or aged; 450-

Student in the News

One hundred and seventeen students received degrees at the Spring Commencement at McMurry University Saturday, May 9, in Radford Auditorium.

Among those graduating was Wendy Lynn Mathis of Haskell, with a degree in Multidisciplinary Studies III.

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Flint-knapping demonstration set Saturday

Flint-knapping, the art of making stone arrowheads, spear points and knives and other tools like those used long ago by Native Americans, will be demonstrated during a special family-oriented program set for Sat., June 27 at Copper Breaks State Park near Quanah. The Campsite Program will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the park amphitheater, located near Comanche Campground.

Presenter Bob Hopkins, Copper Breaks interpretive ranger and longtime avocational archaeologist,

will explore the ancient art of projectile point manufacture developed by various Native American groups. Using traditional, natural materials such as deer and elk antlers, flint and sandstones, Hopkins will shape a variety of common tools once vital to the survival of native peoples.

Hopkins' presentation is free with regular park admission. The flint-knapping program is another in a continuing series of campsite programs designed to enhance visitors' Copper Breaks experience.

All campsite program activities are free with regular park admission of \$2 for adults and \$1 for senior citizens. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Special rates are available for groups.

For more information about

flint-knapping or other scheduled campsite programs, contact Copper Breaks State Park between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 940-839-4331 Copper Breaks is located 13 miles south of Quanah and 8 miles north of Crowell on State Highway 6.

ECC Calendar and Menu

Monday, June 29 Lunch-Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, pickles, tater tots, pinto beans, fruit cobbler, milk, tea or

Wednesday, July 1 Lunch-Swiss steak, lima beans, macaroni/cheese, carrot cabbage slaw/dressing, chocolate pudding, bread, milk, tea or coffee Friday, July 3

11:00 a.m. Tim and Susanne Townsend music

Lunch-Baked ham, glazed yams, steamed cabbage, cake, bread, milk, tea or coffee

All over 60 are invited to come and eat. Call 864-3875 for transportation to the center or for home delivered lunches for the sick or disabled.

Haskell Summer Lunch Menu

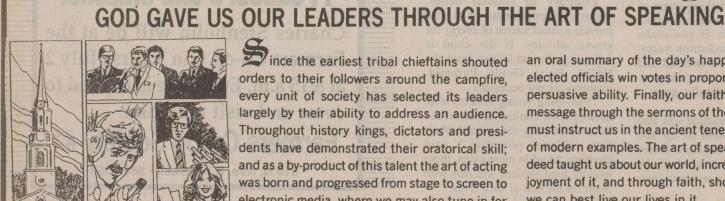
Monday, June 29 Nachos, pinto beans, apple sauce, cookies, milk

Tuesday, June 30 Chicken & spaghetti, green beans, tossed salad, buttered hot rolls, ice cream w/topping, milk Wednesday, July 1

tortillas w/hot sauce, buttered corn, fresh strawberries, milk

Thursday, July 2 Hamburger, tater tots, hamburger trimmings, sliced watermelon, milk

Friday, July 3 Manager's Choice



ince the earliest tribal chieftains shouted orders to their followers around the campfire. every unit of society has selected its leaders largely by their ability to address an audience. Throughout history kings, dictators and presidents have demonstrated their oratorical skill; and as a by-product of this talent the art of acting was born and progressed from stage to screen to electronic media, where we may also tune in for

an oral summary of the day's happenings. Our elected officials win votes in proportion to their persuasive ability. Finally, our faith delivers its message through the sermons of the clergy, who must instruct us in the ancient tenets by the use of modern examples. The art of speaking has indeed taught us about our world, increased our enjoyment of it, and through faith, showed us how we can best live our lives in it.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

This Week's Devotional Message:

-HASKELL-East Side Baptist Church David Page, pastor Sun. 8:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m. 600 N. 1st East, Haskell Christian Church Dusty Garison, minister Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 107 N. Ave. F, Haskell Church of God Eric Clark, pastor • 864-2021

Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7:00 p.m. East Hwy 380, Haskell Trinity Lutheran Church Gary Bruns, pastor Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30

Hwy 380 East, Haskell Iglesia Bautista El Calvario Vergil Smith

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 607 S. 7th, Haskell First United Methodist Church Shane Brue, pastor

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m. 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m. 201 N. Ave. F, Haskell First Assembly of God Rev. J.C. Amburn

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell St. George Catholic Church Father Michael Melcher

Sat. Mass 7:15 p.m.; Sun. Morn. 9:00 a.m. 901 N. 16th, Haskell Church of Christ Dale Huff, minister

Sun. Morn. 9:30 a., 10:30 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m. 510 N. Ave. E, Haskell First Presbyterian Church

Luther S. Hollowell, II, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m. 306 N. Ave. E, Haskell Trinity Baptist Church Rev. Kenneth Blair Sun. Morn. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.

401 S. Ave. D, Haskell Hopewell Baptist Church John Lewis, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

908 N. Ave. A, Haskell Greater Independent Baptist Church Rev. Camellia Wade, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p.

301 N. 3rd St., Haskell New Covenant Foursquare Freddy Perez, pastor

Sun. Morn. 10 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p.m. 200 S. Ave. F, Haskell Mission Revival Center

Rev. William Hodge Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Tues. 6 p.m. 1600 N. Ave. B, Haskell First Baptist Church

Jim Turner, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell Church in the Park Rev. Tim and Suzann Townsend

Sun. Morn. 10:30 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Gazebo or Pavillion ---PAINT CREEK---Paint Creek Baptist Church Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.

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---ROCHESTER---Church of Christ Steve Wilis, minister

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m. West on Main Street, Rochester First Baptist Church Ed Buerkle, pastor Sun. 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7:00 p.m.

500 Main, Rochester

Union Chapel Baptist Church Rev. Andrew

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

Rochester Faith Chapel of Rochester Katherine Byrd, minister Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Hwy 6, Rochester First United Methodist Church Dolan Brinson, pastor Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

-SAGERTON-Sagerton Methodist Church Daniel Ramey, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.

Rochester

Sagerton Faith Lutheran Church Jeff Zell, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Sagerton

·--RULE-First Baptist Church Scott Hensley, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 11:00 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 1001 Union Ave., Rule Primitive Baptist Church Dale Turner Jr., pastor First & Third Sundays 10 a.m. Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule Church of Christ

John Greeson, minister Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:40 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 811 Union, Rule First United Methodist Church

> Daniel Ramey, pastor Sun. Morn. 10:50 a.m., 6 p.m. 1000 Union Ave., Rule **New Life Baptist Mission** Jesus Herrera

Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m. Elm Street•Hwy 380 E, Rule Sweet Home Baptist Church Matt Herrington, pastor Sun. Morn. 10:00 a., 11:00 a., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m.

Gladstone Ave., Rule West Bethal Baptist Church Rev. Robert Sweet Sun. Morn. 10 a.., 11 a., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m. 300 Sunny Ave., Rule

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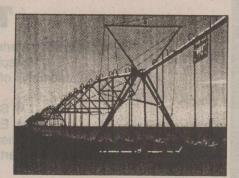
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Sagerton News

By Dorothy M. Clark

Farmers are working long hours getting the cotton planted and everyone is sweltering as temperatures rise. At the writing today on Friday afternoon our thermometer reads 110 degrees! That's pretty hot. Needless to say, we work outside very early in the morning and late in the afternoon and stay close to the air conditioner the rest of the day. Everyone is urged to use caution in getting overheated to avoid heat strokes.

The community is happy to welcome the Bruce Toney family back to Sagerton. It's rare when we have someone move into our town and it's a welcome sight to see Clay and Megan playing around the house. Grandparents, J.B. and Dorothy will enjoy having the little ones around again, too.

The Friendship Club met at Faith Lutheran Church for dinner on Thursday. The birthday song was sung for Isabell Mrazek and the anniversary son was for Joe an Dorothy Clark. Joe thought that they had been married for 60 or 65 years, but Dorothy said it was really 52! Present for the meal were Leona Schonerstedt, Minnie Monse, Isabell Mrazek, Doris Lehrmann, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, J. B. and Dorothy Toney, Frances Clark, Michelle, Clay and Megan Toney, Pastor Jeff Zell, Joe

Appreciation Day is Aug. 22. Gates open at 9 a.m. More than 100 air and ground demonstrations and displays are planned and organizers say people of all ages should find something of interest.

Admission and parking are free, food and beverages will be on sale. Featured aerial demonstrations this 1985 when the first B-1 was delivered to Dyess. A low altitude, spectators a close, although brief, look at the sleek, stealthy aircraft, whose silhouette is a familiar one around Abilene.

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and Dorothy Clark, Ed Fouts, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Mary Neinast, Jill, Kinsey, Cade and Tully Brown, Larry LeFevre, Bubba Mrazek and Jon Jackson of

The men's monthly breakfast was held at Faith Lutheran Church Friday morning with Pastor Zell bringing the devotion based on Job 42:10 and on prayer. Those in attendance included Marchel Nauert, David Letz, Alvin Bredthauer and Fred Teichelman.

Kyle Clark, grandson of Charles and Dorothy Clark was one of 12 Americans winning Student Academy Awards last week. The awards were presented through the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences to notable film students at the university level. Kyle received his award for a 3.5 minute stop-action animated short feature. He received his masters degree in film, video and animation from the University of Southern California in May 1997. His feature was a degree project and qualified for the 1998 student academy awards by beating the oneyear deadline. Since gaining his degree, Kyle has been employed by noted producer George Lucas'

International Light and Magic Studios in San Francisco. He is working on Lucas' next "Star Wars" film expected to be released in the summer of 1999. Kyle is the son of Bob and Tommye Jo Clark, formerly of Abilene and now living in McAllen and his grandmother is M. Y Congratulations to the entire

Children of Delbert and Joyce LeFevre were guests in their home for a Father's Day dinner Sunday. Enjoying the reunion and fun were Larry LeFevre, Jill, Ken, Kinsey, Tully and Cade Brown, Frances Clark, Kent, Kathy and Kit LeFevre of Tuscola and Linda LeFevre of Wylie.

Boyd and Elizabell Young of Abilene visited with her father, G.W. and Ophelia LeFevre on Sunday. Boyd led the singing at the Methodist Church for the morning worship service.

Joe and Dorothy Clark and Mae Stegemoeller attended the wedding ceremony of Stacy Bruns and Carl Miller at Trinity Lutheran Church in Haskell Saturday afternoon.

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