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Calendar

Berryhill homecoming

The Berryhill homecoming will be held July 25 at the Community Center in Stamford. A covered dish luncheon will be served.

Old Glory musical

The Old Glory Musical will be held Sat., July 25 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. No admission is charged. Proceeds of the concessions and any donations will go to offset Community Center expenses. For further information call 940-989-2925.

Mammography

Haskell Memorial Hospital will sponsor a mammography screening day Mon., Aug. 31. The service, through United Regional Health Care System's Women's Mobile Diagnostic Unit, will be located on the parking lot of the hospital. Pre-registration is a requirement and can be done by contacting Delia at 940-864-2621.

HHS registration

Registration for Haskell Secondary students will be Tues., Aug. 4 in the HHS auditorium. Seniors will register at 8 a.m., Juniors at 9 a.m., Sophomores at 10 a.m., Freshmen at 11 a.m., eighth graders at 1 p.m. and seventh graders at 2 p.m.

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New Hope Homecoming set

The annual New Hope Homecoming will be held Sun., Aug. 2, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at the Bunkhouse in Stamford at the Rodeo grounds.

Those attending are asked to bring a picnic lunch/potluck dinner to share together. Old pictures,



33RD ANNUAL HASKELL SINGING SCHOOL

157 students attend annual singing school

Gathering in for the thirty-third annual Haskell Singing School, sponsored by the Haskell Church of

Christ, 157 students from Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Arkansas, Oklahoma and California

participated in the week-long activities.

Instructors attending were from Texas, Arkansas, Colorado and Georgia.

Classes were offered for all in songwriting and in learning

harmony. Instruction in song leading was offered for boys.

Housed by members of the local church, the students also enjoyed outdoor activities and entertainment provided for them.

At the end of the week, a closing program on Friday night played to a full house. Always popular, the program featured students presenting their original songs. The chorus also performed during the evening.

Indian workouts to begin Aug. 5

Don Flippen, head football coach and athletic director of Haskell CISD, has announced the schedule for the 1998 football season's Fall workouts which begin Wed., Aug. 5.

Coach Flippen reminded again that athletes must have a physical examination before they will be allowed to take part in any

organized workouts.

Workout times are:
Aug. 5: 8:00 to 10:30 a.m.
11:15 to 12:30
3:00 to 5:30 p.m.
Aug. 6: Same as above
Aug. 7: Same as above
Aug. 8: 8:00 to 10:30 only
Aug. 10: In full pads
8:00 to 10:30 a.m.
11:15 to 12:30
3:00 to 5:30 p.m.

A scrimmage game, starting at 2:00 p.m., Aug. 22, will be a 3-team scrimmage against Lubbock Roosevelt and Bangs in Haskell.

A scrimmage game against Jim Ned will be played in Haskell, Aug. 27, starting at 6:00 p.m.

The seventh and eighth grade football workouts will begin the first day of school.

mementos and funny stories will be exchanged and enjoyed.

Activities will include election of officers, discussion of the New Hope Cemetery, and a memorial service for those who have passed away since the last homecoming.

Anyone who is interested in attending is welcome.

Rolling Plains Industrial Foundation elects officers

The Rolling Plains Industrial Foundation elected officers during a recent meeting in Stamford. The foundation represents cities from Jones, Haskell, Knox, Stonewall and Fisher counties with the primary purpose of promoting economic development in the region. Members from Anson, Hamlin, Stamford, Haskell, Aspermont and Knox City were on hand to elect the first slate of officers.

Ken Lane of Haskell will serve as President. Vice President of the organization is Dave Byerly of Hamlin and Brenda Hawkins of Aspermont is the Secretary/Treasurer. Members also

approved the by-laws and articles of incorporation. Future meetings will be held the first Friday of each month in Stamford.

West Texas Utilities Company spearheaded efforts to help organize the Rolling Plains Industrial

Registration set Aug. 4 for HHS

Registration for Haskell Secondary students will be Tues., Aug. 4 in the Haskell High School Auditorium. Seniors will register at 8:00 a.m., Juniors at 9:00 a.m., Sophomores at 10:00 a.m., Freshmen at 11:00 a.m., Eighth graders at 1:00 p.m. and Seventh graders at 2:00 p.m.

Foundation. Rick Arnic of Hamlin and Fred Hernandez of Stamford, WTU Area Business Managers in the region, are the local company representatives. "We are committed to the foundation goals to pursue economic development activities for our area," said Rick Arnic.

New students may pre-register any time prior to July 27 in the high school principal's office and will need to bring copies of their social security card, birth certificate and high school transcript. For further information, you may contact Haskell High School at 864-8535.



ALL STARS—Haskell Minor League All Stars team members were ready to compete for the District title Mon. and Tues., July 20-21, at Lawn, with finals to be played on Wed. Pictured with coaches Sammy Bitner and Ray Benevides, standing, are: from the left, back row, Edward Benevides, Weston Rutkowski, Callen Pittman, Travis Adams and Kelby Vaughn. Front: Justin Vaughn, Justin Amaro, Samuel Bitner, Mathew Bowers, Moses Munoz. Not pictured are coaches, Rex Pittman and James Vaughn, and players Barrett Thomason, Dustin Shaw and Aaron Chestnut.



MAJOR LEAGUE ALL STARS—Haskell All Stars team, scheduled to play in the District tournament in Hawley Mon., Tues. and Wed., faced Anson, Jim Ned and Hawley. Team coaches, standing, are Jerry Coker, Ronnie Chapman and not pictured, Terry Blanks. Team members, middle row from the left are: Edward Mays, Austin Coker, Ronald Chapman, Josh Tidrow, Brandon Isbell, and Rylie Tatum. Front row, Nicolas Crosson, Jeremy Salazar, Caleb Hudgens, Ryan Barnes, Brad Blanks, Kendall Mitchell and James Markey.

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Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1263 head of cattle at its sale on Saturday, July 18, according to Gary Tate, reporter.

The market was fully steady in all classes.

Cows: fat, .34-.38; cutters, .34-.39; canners, .20-.35.

Bulls: bologna, .42-.485; feeder, .55-.65.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .75-.90; 300-400 lbs., .68-.85; 400-500 lbs., .65-.85; 500-600 lbs., .60-.74; 600-700 lbs., .58-.72; 700-800 lbs., .58-.685; 800-up lbs., .45-.65.

Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .65-.80; 300-400 lbs., .60-.75; 400-500 lbs., .58-.75; 500-600 lbs., .68-.72; 600-up lbs., .45-.68.

Bred Heifers: medium frame, 350-450.

Bred Cows: young to middle aged, 350-525; aged or small, 250-350.

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 450-625; aged or small, 300-450.

Playday results

The Stamford Jr. Sheriff's Posse Playday was held Sat., July 18. Results of the playday include:

Barrels
8 and under: 1. Ashton Rutkowski 2. Weston Rutkowski 9-12: 1. Brittany Rutkowski 2. Preston Cox 3. Courtney Pierce
13-15: 1. Morgan Cox 2. Terry Branch
16-19: 1. Lacy Callon 2. Ryan Branch

Flags
8 and under: 1. Ashton Rutkowski 9-12: 1. Tara Ford 2. Brittany Rutkowski 3. Chad Plumlee
13-15: 1. Morgan Cox 2. Terry Branch
16-19: 1. Lacy Callon 2. Ryan Branch

Poles
8 and under: 1. Weston Rutkowski 2. Ashton Rutkowski 9-12: 1. Brittany Rutkowski 2. Tara Ford 3. Chad Plumlee
13-15: 1. Morgan Cox 2. Terry Branch
16-19: 1. Ryan Branch 2. Lacy Callon

Obituaries

Rev. Doris Anderson



REV. DORIS ANDERSON

Funeral services for Rev. Doris Anderson, 79, of Haskell were held Wed., July 15 at Merriman-Archer Funeral Home chapel in Throckmorton with Rev. Eric Clark officiating. Burial was in Throckmorton Cemetery.

Rev. Anderson died Sun., July 12 at a Haskell hospital.

Born in Throckmorton County, she had lived in Haskell County for 32 years. She pastored for 27 years,

ending with the Church of God in Rochester. She was a member of the Church of God. She married R. L. Anderson in 1933 in Elbert. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two daughters, Carolyn King of Haskell and Gwen Falco of Mesquite; one son, Robbie Dean Anderson of Knox City; one sister, Lessie Moore of Haskell; 13 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Barbara Trussell

Funeral services for Barbara Trussell, 62, of Haskell were held Sat., July 18 at First Baptist Church in Haskell with Rev. Jim Turner officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors.

Born April 4, 1936 in Las Cruces, N.M., she married Robert C. Trussell Sept. 15, 1957 in Boxy Farms, N.M. She was a homemaker and moved to Haskell in 1988. She was a cook at Rice Springs Care Home and a member of the Eastern Star and the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Robert C. Trussell, of Haskell; one daughter and son-in-law, Pam and Bill Steele, of Haskell; her mother and step-father, Pamela and Truman Howard of Artesia, N.M.; two brothers, Jimmy Alexander and Dewayne Howard, both of Artesia, N.M.; one sister, Rita Butts of Artesia, N.M.; three grandchildren, Heather, Wes, and Samantha Steele, all of Haskell.

Eugene 'Gene' Wendell Wood

Funeral services for Eugene 'Gene' Wendell Wood, 90, of Rule were held Sat., July 18 at First Baptist Church in Rule with Pastor Scott Hensley officiating. Burial was in Rule Cemetery under the direction of McCauley-Robison Funeral Directors.

Wood died Thurs., July 16 at a local nursing home. Born Sept. 5, 1907 in Dalhart, he married Myrtle Yarbrough March 18, 1940 in Hollis, Okla. He worked with the FFA and received 'The Honorary Farmer Award' for his time, equipment and advice to the chapter. He served as the local chairman of the 'Cattlemans Round Up for Crippled Children' farm equipment sale for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center. He was recognized in Cuernavaca, Mexico for achievements with the Oliver

Pallbearers were Gary Tidrow, Ricky Tidrow, Bryant Tidrow, Jerry Darden, Miles Hegwood and Roy Trussell.

Corporation. He was longtime owner and operator of Gene Wood Tractor Sales in Munday.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle Wood of Haskell; one son and daughter-in-law, Gary and Patte Wood of Austin; one daughter, Gail Wood of Waco; one sister, Willie May Stone of Henderson; three grandchildren, Stephanie Potts of New York, Mandy Potts of Waco and Wendy Wood of Austin.

Pallbearers were Malcolm Hertenberger, Spike Bryan, Phillip Homer, Bud Turnbow, Eddie Briles and Jeff Lewis. Honorary pallbearers were Buddy Lewis, Cotton Smith, Lamar Casey, J. T. Offutt, Festus Hunt and his granddaughters.

Food for thought

by Charles H. Spurgeon
"Stand firm therefore, having girded your loins with truth."

Ephesians 6:14
Persons in bondage are not liberated by what I do as the pastor/counselor, but what they do with my help. It's not what I believe that breaks the bonds; it's what they believe, confess, renounce and forgive. Notice the progressive logic of Scripture:

"You shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32
"I am the way and the truth and the life." John 14:6

"But when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth." John 16:13
"I do not ask Thee to take them out of the world, but to keep them from the evil one...Sanctify them

in truth; Thy word is truth." John 17:15, 17

"Stand firm therefore, having girded your loins with truth." Ephesians 6:14

"Finally, brethren, whatever is true...let your mind dwell on these things." Philippians 4:8

When Satan harasses you, you may be prone to languish in the shadows of your misery. You cry out for God to deliver you, like Jesus miraculously and instantaneously delivered the demonized people in the Gospels. But when you read through the Epistles, it is obvious that your deliverance has already been accomplished in Christ's work of the cross and His resurrection. Since you are with Christ in the light, you never again need to live in the shadows.

You must choose the truth and assume your responsibility to exercise your authority and resist the devil. From your position in Christ, you must resist the devil, renounce participation in his schemes, confess sin and forgive those who have offended you.

Lord, Your truth gives me life and leads me in the everlasting way. I embrace Your truth to direct my steps today.

Arts & crafts show set this weekend

The Abilene Civic Center welcomes the return of the Country Peddler Show after seven years on July 24-26. The Country Peddler Show, famous for its 20-year reputation of presenting quality arts and crafts shows, will feature 100 beautifully designed booths overflowing with handcrafted

designs.

The Country Peddler Show hours are Fri. 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Sat. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. and Sun. 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Admission is \$4.00 for adults, seniors are \$2.00 and children under 12 are free of charge.



Watermelon Festival Sale

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Alexander reunion held

Almost one hundred relatives registered at the annual reunion of the descendants of the late George and Harriet (Lovell) Alexander, pioneers of Haskell county, having moved to the community in 1900. The reunion that started to commemorate George Alexander's birthday was held in Seymour at the Donnie Portwood Building and Pavilion on July 18-19.

The two day event was filled with a variety of activities, including washer pitching for the adults and younger children, sack races, swimming, watermelon eating contest, visiting and telling stories about the "good ole days."

Andy Sanders of Cross Plains, assisted by his cousin Thomas Alexander of San Antonio, were auctioneers for an auction of donated crafts and antique items to help defray costs of the reunion. Martha and Loretta Maupin of Odessa serve as secretaries.

Kenneth Sanders of Weinert brought his dad, Eddie Sanders, to Seymour to visit with his relatives on Saturday. Eddie was the oldest at the reunion and Carl Austin Sartain, son of Scott and Brenda Sartain of Mesquite, was the youngest present.

George and Harriet had ten children, nine of them survived to adulthood. Their only living child, Melba Kim of Phoenix, Ariz., along with numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren came from both coasts and numerous points in between to attend the reunion.

Descendants of their oldest child, Minerva Touchstone, attending the reunion were: three grandsons, Russell Touchstone and his granddaughter of San Antonio; Roy Wayne Blakely and his wife Jo of Micanopy, Florida and their children and grandchildren, Tara and Loree Hayes and Jessica Perry of Micanopy, Florida; Cheryl, Catie and Charles Jackson of Lux, Florida; also Dr. Mark and Lori,

Amanda and Brianna Gregg of Phoenix, Ariz.; Doug Smith of Schultz, two granddaughters, Robbie Hoopes of Boothwyn, Penn.; and Debbie Taylor and her daughter Wendy Tatum of Jenrietta.

Descendants of Richard Alexander attending were: two daughters, Frances and Bill Babbitt of Gorman and Larry and Edith Ross of Midland; four granddaughters, Patti Isbell of White Settlement; Wade and

Delores Bowsher of Perrin; Jeannie and Brad Whittier of Gorman and Delene Hamilton and her daughters, April, Sandy and Brie of Arlington.

Washington Alexander descendants attending were: one son, Thomas Alexander of San Antonio and a daughter Evelyn and Carl Ellington of Muleshoe.

Nellie (Alexander) Rinehart descendants attending were: two daughters, Joy Kimbell of Burkburnett and June Parr of Phoenix, Ariz. and two granddaughters, Alline and Walt Turner and Brenda Weideman, all of Wichita Falls.

Sallie (Alexander) Sanders descendants attending were: Lona Mae Phelps, Kenneth and Elaine Campbell and their daughter, Karen Mitchell, of Haskell; Travis and Wilma Sanders of Coleman; Ethel and Darwin Slade of Eagar, Ariz.; Andy and Marlene Sanders; Ricky, Netha, ReNetha and A. J. Carruth; Megan and Austin Thomas, all of Cross Plains; Martha, Bill and Loretta Maupin of Odessa; Hank, Susan, Kim, Kris and Shawn Ray of Kilgore; Sue and Walter Cox of Naples; Brenda and Carl Austin Sartain of Mesquite; Jacky, Sandra, Rex and Jaclyn Sanders of Aledo; Ricky, Shana and Shambry Sanders of Weatherford.

Lola Mae Cowley descendants present were: Rocky and Lynn Cowley of Lueders; Pauline and Bill Burnswick of Eagle River, Wisconsin; Wanda and Lloyd Cohee of Casper, Wyoming; Gloria Shepherd of Columbus, Georgia; Gloria's children, Buster and Angel Grothe of Columbus, Georgia; Chris and Joanne Duke of Adel, Georgia; Jimmy, Shana and their three children of Paradise; and Robert and June Duke of Catuala, Georgia.

J. T. Alexander and Albert Alexander families were not represented this year.

A special recognition was given to Troy Wayne Blakely, who has the invitations printed and mailed each year. His son-in-law and daughter, Dr. Mark and Lori Gregg, surprised him with a pair of designer jeans embroidered with "Alexander-Touchstone."

Everyone had a good time and are looking forward to next year's reunion which will be held the third weekend in July in Seymour. It is hoped that each year, relatives and friends can meet and memorialize the people in whose honor these happy get-togethers are held.

Births

Morgan Marie Beckham proudly announces the recent arrival of her little brother, Murphy Lynn Beckham, who weighed 7 pounds 12 ounces. Proud parents are Kyle and Renee Beckham of Flower Mound.

Grandparents of the infant are Truman and Sharon Murphy of Denton, and Bobbie and Melba Beckham of Fort Worth. Great-grandparents are Marie Marr of Haskell and Margie Dunlap of

Roswell, New Mexico.

Zack and Austin Coker announce the arrival of their baby sister, Macey McKay, born June 2, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. She weighed 6 pounds and was 18 1/2 inches long.

Parents of the children are Jerry and Vickie Coker of Haskell. Grandparents are J. W. and Sandra Wallace of Haskell and Jack and Charolette Coker of Rule.

Harrell reunion set this weekend

Descendants of Ike, Will, Nathan and Charlie Harrell will gather July 24-25 for their annual family reunion.

Upon arrival on Fri. night, guests will be served hamburgers at Mike and Julia Harrell's at 603 N. Ave. G.

Sat. noon the activities will be at the Haskell Country Club. Family members are asked to bring a covered dish and items for the auction which will be held after the noon meal.

Friends of the families are invited to attend.



MRS. MATT MARTIN

Tilson, Martin married in Knox City

Heather Tilson and Matt Martin were married on June 13 at the First Methodist Church in Knox City.

Jerry and Debbie Curd of Knox City and Lamar and Brenda Tilson of Boyd are the bride's parents. The bridegroom is the son of Ron Martin of Las Vegas, Nev., the late Shelli Martin and Sharyn Gorman of Las Vegas, Nev.

The bride's grandparents are Jimmy and Helen Green of Guthrie, Stella and Junior Curd of Knox City and June Tilson of Amarillo. Dick and Lee Hawthorne of Las Vegas, Nev. are the bridegroom's grandparents.

Lisa Pettiet of Odessa and Joanna Stone of Portland, Ore. were the maids of honor.

JoDee Homstad of Knox City, Danielle McCrary of Tyler and

Rachael Martin of Stephenville were bridesmaids.

Ron Martin, the bridegroom's father, was the best man. Scott Martin of Austin, Michael Wade of Fort Worth, Dillon McCrary of Tyler and Justin Bardin of Stephenville were groomsmen.

Alicia Pettiet of Guthrie and Amber Green of Ruidoso, N. M. were candlelighters. Chris and Michael Gorman of Las Vegas, Nev. were ushers.

Pastor Paul Chambers of Knox City officiated.

The bride attended Knox City High School and Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

The bridegroom attended Stephenville High School and is employed by Jay Menasco.

The couple traveled to Jamaica for their honeymoon.

Jones reunion held

The family of the late C. K. and Ethel Jones of Haskell held a reunion at the Marriott Courtyard in Dallas July 10, 11 and 12.

Approximately 40 attended. They were Mrs. Mamie Jones Watson, Duncan, Okla., originally from Knox City and Haskell; Mrs. David Counts, Knox City; Mrs. Patti Barnett and son Seth, Lubbock; Leo and Fran Stiewert, Duncan, Okla.; Johnny and Michelle Rue and their daughters Tierney and Alyssa, Duncan, Okla.; Richard and Dianna Seals and sons Parker and Logan, San Antonio; Pete and Linda Havelly

and sons David and Steven, Joplin, Missouri; Jerry and Sandra Mullins, Plano; Ronny and Laurie Mullins and family Shelbi, Matthew and Courtney, Plano; Randy and Denise Mullins and family Taylor and Ronny, Rowlett; Joe and Connie Daniels and

daughter Ashley, Rowlett; Mrs. Renee Parham, Carrollton; Jimmy and Carolyn Mullins, Irving; Rick and Laurita Domasin, Glendale, Calif. and Warren and Blille Ann Behringer, Anaheim, Calif.

A swimming party, lots of food and games were enjoyed by all.

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GENERAL	\$ 81,975.42	\$ 553,156.77	\$ 635,132.19	\$ 494,974.74	\$ 140,157.45
GENERAL MONEY MARKET	\$ 1,702.07	\$ 18.46	\$ 1,720.53		\$ 1,720.53
JULY	\$ 3,447.68	\$ 10,401.46	\$ 13,849.14	\$ 8,820.72	\$ 8,028.42
LAW LIBRARY	\$ 2,336.37	\$ 230.00	\$ 2,566.37	\$ 2,502.12	\$ 64.25
LATERAL ROAD 1	\$ 287.09	\$ -	\$ 287.09	\$ 1.58	\$ 285.51
LATERAL ROAD 2	\$ 531.93	\$ -	\$ 531.93	\$ 15.30	\$ 516.63
LATERAL ROAD 3	\$ 1,265.88	\$ -	\$ 1,265.88	\$ 1,012.01	\$ 253.87
LATERAL ROAD 4	\$ 452.64	\$ -	\$ 452.64	\$ 203.85	\$ 248.79
ROAD & BRIDGE 1	\$ 56,441.35	\$ 108,923.73	\$ 165,365.08	\$ 128,007.46	\$ 37,357.62
ROAD & BRIDGE 2	\$ 44,154.53	\$ 218,271.20	\$ 262,425.73	\$ 50,778.19	\$ 211,647.54
ROAD & BRIDGE 3	\$ 42,988.52	\$ 83,300.01	\$ 126,288.53	\$ 51,078.17	\$ 75,210.36
ROAD & BRIDGE 4	\$ 71,310.69	\$ 55,045.33	\$ 126,356.04	\$ 74,549.22	\$ 81,806.82
F&M LATERAL ROAD 1	\$ 49,846.98	\$ 31,522.26	\$ 81,369.24	\$ 33,129.20	\$ 48,240.04
F&M LATERAL ROAD 2	\$ 63,364.54	\$ 3,578.40	\$ 66,942.94	\$ 19,938.93	\$ 47,004.01
F&M LATERAL ROAD 3	\$ 39,159.63	\$ 24,997.41	\$ 64,157.04	\$ 34,390.75	\$ 29,766.29
F&M LATERAL ROAD 4	\$ 56,226.87	\$ 3,180.79	\$ 59,407.66	\$ 18,138.40	\$ 41,269.26
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	\$ 11,591.41	\$ 7,189.76	\$ 18,781.17	\$ 7,478.44	\$ 11,302.73
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	\$ 1,593.66	\$ 143.25	\$ 1,736.91	\$ 114.28	\$ 1,622.63
CAMP VICTIMS OF CRIME	\$ 8,892.13	\$ 4,988.33	\$ 13,880.46	\$ 4,950.11	\$ 8,930.35
ARREST FEE	\$ 16,990.07	\$ 4,438.54	\$ 21,428.61	\$ 769.51	\$ 20,659.10
JUDICIAL TRAINING	\$ 1,079.93	\$ 327.01	\$ 1,406.94	\$ 330.01	\$ 1,076.93
CRIME STOPPERS	\$ 154.36	\$ 48.00	\$ 202.36	\$ 49.76	\$ 152.60
STATE GEN REVENUE	\$ 1,473.81	\$ 118.75	\$ 1,592.56	\$ 118.45	\$ 1,474.11
CAMP REHABILITATION	\$ 2,000.23	\$ 160.00	\$ 2,160.23	\$ 81.91	\$ 2,078.32
BREATH ALCOHOL	\$ 49.21	\$ 120.00	\$ 169.21	\$ 49.21	\$ 120.00
911	\$ 0.01	\$ 231.54	\$ 231.55	\$ 231.54	\$ 0.01
SECURITY FUND	\$ 13,172.46	\$ 1,683.92	\$ 14,856.38	\$ -	\$ 14,856.38
SEIZURE FUND	\$ 3,550.93	\$ 81.90	\$ 3,632.83	\$ 1,005.98	\$ 2,626.85
COUNTY ATTORNEY	\$ 5,592.79	\$ 1,752.49	\$ 7,345.28	\$ 966.94	\$ 6,378.34
DISTRICT ATTORNEY	\$ 125.00	\$ -	\$ 125.00	\$ -	\$ 125.00
MANAGEMENT PRESERVATION	\$ 5,461.80	\$ 487.90	\$ 5,949.70	\$ -	\$ 5,949.70
PERMANENT SCHOOL	\$ 3,191.03	\$ 1,052.92	\$ 4,243.95	\$ -	\$ 4,243.95
COUNTY LIBRARY	\$ 6,626.16	\$ 893.34	\$ 7,519.50	\$ 1,914.48	\$ 5,605.02
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$ 884.24	\$ 23,971.52	\$ 24,855.76	\$ 24,826.02	\$ 29.74
ECC BUILDING	\$ 5,911.92	\$ 3,757.94	\$ 9,669.86	\$ 4,409.33	\$ 5,260.53
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$ 33,824.43	\$ 549.95	\$ 34,374.38	\$ -	\$ 34,374.38
RECORDS MANAGEMENT	\$ 16,629.13	\$ 2,768.33	\$ 19,397.46	\$ 669.50	\$ 18,727.96
TOTAL	\$ 693,830.86	\$ 1,183,109.23	\$ 1,876,940.09	\$ 962,106.31	\$ 914,833.78

INVESTMENTS:

SOCIAL SECURITY C.D.	NO. 34313	\$ 8,603.02
GENERAL FUND C.D. - 3.30% @ 90 DAYS	NO. 34476	\$ 100,000.00
GENERAL FUND C.D. - 5.00% @ 90 DAYS	NO. 34690	\$ 100,000.00
GENERAL FUND C.D. - 5.00% @ 90 DAYS	NO. 34691	\$ 100,000.00
ROAD & BRIDGE #3 C.D. - 4.42% @ 90 DAYS	NO. 34693	\$ 25,000.00
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TOTAL INVESTMENTS FOR HASKELL COUNTY \$ 383,603.02

TOTAL CASH ASSETS FOR HASKELL COUNTY \$ 1,300,436.80

Willie Faye Tidrow
Willie Faye Tidrow
County Treasurer & Investment Officer

On July 13, 1998 the Commissioners' Court of Haskell County met in regular session, examined and compared the Quarterly Report of Willie Faye Tidrow, County Treasurer, for the quarter ending May 31, 1998 and found the same correct and respective amounts to have been paid out during the quarter.

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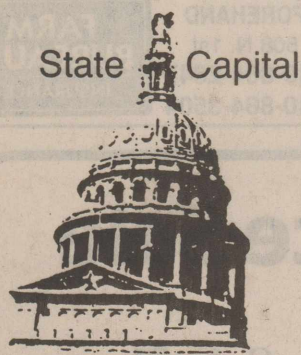
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OPINION



HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

A defendant's guilt or innocence is the key to his decisions in death-penalty appeals, Gov. George W. Bush said last week.

"Of all the death penalties we've had in our state, I am confident that those who have been put to death have been guilty under the eyes of the law," Bush said while speaking to the Sheriffs Association of Texas.

Following a recommendation from the Board of Pardons and Paroles, Bush recently commuted the death sentence of Henry Lee Lucas to life in prison. Lucas recanted testimony claiming responsibility for hundreds of murders, including the "Orange Socks" murder for which he was sentenced to death.

Bush also followed the board's recommendation against clemency for convicted murderer Karla Faye Tucker, who did not claim innocence and was put to death Feb. 3.

Lee County Sheriff Joe G. Goodson, head of the association, disagreed with Bush's decision to commute Lucas' sentence to life. "He let a guilty man not go free, but he commuted his sentence to life and the guy is evil. He should have died," Goodson said, but added, "I still like (Gov. Bush). Everybody makes mistakes."

Garry Mauro, a Democrat challenging Bush in the upcoming gubernatorial race, also disagrees with Bush's decision on Lucas.

Mauro said he agrees with the jury that found Lucas guilty and sentenced him to death and 23 appellate judges who reviewed the case and let the jury's decision stand.

At the sheriffs association meeting, Bush also said he would seek:

- Automatic jail time for minors who commit crimes with a firearm or are caught unlawfully carrying handguns.

- Additional funds for juvenile probation officers.

- Expansion of regional gang databases to a statewide database.

Funds Available for Crime Victims

Texas counties in 1997 collected \$61.5 million in court fees that went to the Texas Crime Victims' Compensation Fund.

In fiscal year 1997, \$23 million was paid to victims in those counties, the office of the Texas attorney general reported.

"Even though we've done a lot to make it known across Texas that this money is available, there is still more money coming into the program than going out," Ron Dusek, spokesman for Attorney General Dan Morales, told the Associated Press last week.

At the end of last fiscal year, there was a \$140.8 million in the fund created in 1979.

The main requirement for a person to be eligible to receive money from the fund is that the crime be one in which the victim died or suffered physical or emotional harm. Sources such as health insurance benefits and Medicaid must be exhausted before money is given from the fund.

Expenses paid from the fund have included medical treatment, counseling, compensation for loss of support payments to dependents of a deceased victim, loss of wages, funeral expenses and child care.

23 Die From Oppressive Heat

Record-high temperatures across the state have caused 23 heat-related deaths this year. Sixteen of those deaths have occurred in Dallas since June 1.

Criteria for determining whether a death is heat-related:

- A person is found dead from stroke, emphysema or heart attack in a hot, closed area.

A person's body temperature is above 104 degrees at the time of death, or immediately thereafter.

Fire Preventing Crops OK'd

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has approved a waiver in 49 Texas counties allowing farmers to grow one cutting of hay on their Conservation Reserve Program land.

The waiver for haying on the fallow land, requested in May by Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry, is meant to remove a source of fuel for wildfires.

Perry said the waiver will provide a source of forage when hay supplies are dangerously low because of drought in many areas of the state.

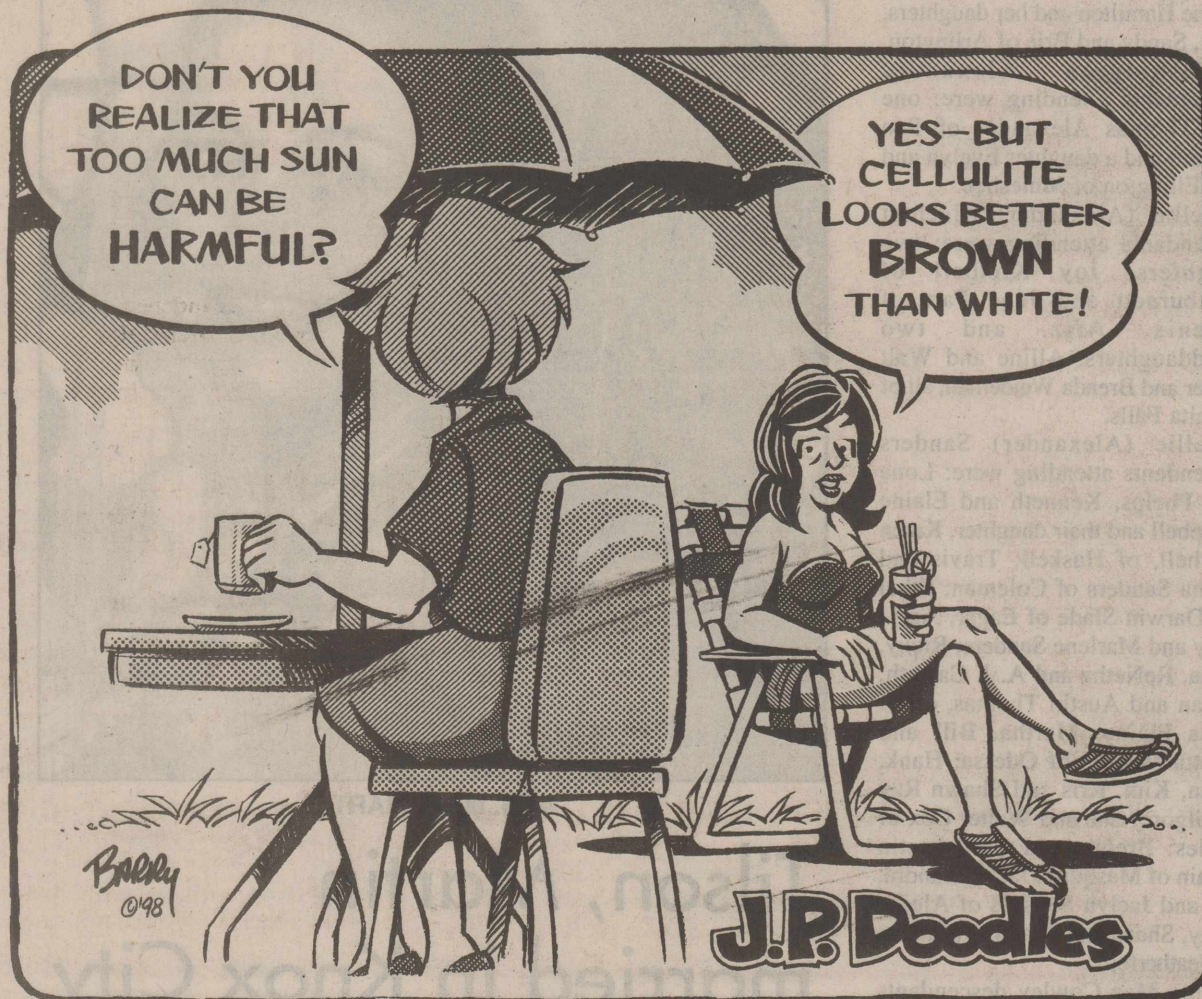
The waiver expires Aug. 31, or earlier if the USDA deems the haying is no longer necessary.

Other Capital Highlights

- Last week, Garry Mauro reported he had about \$222,000 in his Democratic gubernatorial campaign account. Incumbent Republican Gov. Bush said he had about \$13 million in his campaign account. About \$2 million of Bush's money came from out-of-state supporters.

- A New Jersey police officer who won a \$10.4 million Lotto Texas jackpot settled last week for \$3.2 million. He sued in 1995 to collect the entire prize after the Lottery refused to honor his claim. His lawyer will receive \$1.2 million of the settlement.

- The U. S. House of Representatives voted last week to name the federal office building in downtown Austin in honor of retired Rep. Jake Pickle, a Democrat who served in Congress for 31 years.



From The Inside Out

By Mary Kaigler

The language of children and the way they perceive words is often unique. Sometimes they get mixed messages from what they hear being said, and very often, in replaying the words back to us they send an altogether different message than what was intended. Sometimes this amuses us.

One classic case is the story of the precious little Haskell boy, many years ago, who was being taught by his mother to be tolerant and kind to those who are of a different race. After she had given several examples and reasons for the lesson she was trying to get across to him, his very surprising reaction was "Well! I knew God is a Baptist, but I didn't know Jesus was a Jew."

Having once had the joy of teaching Wednesday night classes for three-year-olds, and Sunday school for five-year-olds, I can relate to some of the difficulty all teachers face in being perfectly clear in all instances. Sometimes children's misunderstanding of words can also almost become a social comment on the way things are in reality.

There is the story told of the little boy who, when asked what his favorite Bible story was, said that it was the one about when Jesus gave the picnic for that multitude of "loafs and fishers." (An apt description of many of us on Sunday morning?)

Humorist Bennet Cerf tells of the little boy who was asked by his Sunday school teacher to tell what he had learned from the story of

Jonah. He said, brightly, "I learned that people make whales sick." (A future environmentalist, perhaps?)

John Heisser, my friend and manager of the store where I worked in Midland, had six young children. His life with them was a constant delight and dilemma for him. Amazed at their antics, he quite

generously shared his enjoyment of them with us.

They all attended a parochial school, and once before Easter, they came home excitedly telling of what each one had stood up in chapel that day and promised to give up doing during Lent. As the recital of this went around the supper table that night, with each one listing such things as TV, movies, Milk Duds and comic books, the youngest, three-year-old Tommy, ended it by saying, "I told them I was going to give up smoking and drinking."

Incredulous, John said, "Tommy, you didn't say that!" "Yeah," Tommy said. "But don't worry, Dad. Just like you said, it's only for a few weeks."

Complex ideas can seem so simple and uncomplicated to a child. This same Tommy announced at supper one night, "Today, Sister Margaret told us that God is a string bean."

His sister, four-year-old Gretchen, was aghast at this, and very disgustedly told him, "Oh, Tommy, you are so dumb. Sister Margaret didn't say God is a string bean. She said God is a cream bean." It seems that Sister Margaret was trying to explain that

God is the Supreme Being; a concept hard to grasp, even for adults, sometimes.

Little ears often hear strange (to them) messages, especially in the abstract world of ideas. They try to equate what they hear with something they can see, feel, hear and smell; to convert it into some known quantity that they have experienced. We adults sometimes haven't outgrown that tendency. Do we ever try to find a rationale for an idea, precept or promise that must be accepted on faith alone?

In every aspect of life, children are not only listening to our words. They are also constantly absorbing, recording and reacting to the tangible world of reality they see and experience around them; to our attitudes and actions. Perhaps we shouldn't be so surprised by what they say and do and think about things.

If the children in our community, homes and schools are not getting the positive messages we want them to get from what they see us do, they will get some kind of message from someone or something. We can be assured of that. And, in playing it back through their own actions and interactions with others, it may not be so innocently amusing. It may be chilling.

Some say it doesn't take a village to raise a child, but it surely cannot hurt any child to be in a community that is consciously attuned to the responsibility we all must share for their training.

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago

July 21, 1988
Chad Gibson, a Haskell 4-H member, will compete in the 1988 State 4-H Horse Show in Abilene.

The "dog days" of summer are being replaced in the Big Country this year by the "duck days."

William L. (Bill) Hudson, Democratic nominee for the State Board of Education, is a Rochester native has kicked off his campaign in Haskell.

20 Years Ago

July 20, 1978
The second annual Bob Mobley Golf tournament is set for this weekend.

Four Haskell students received

the Lone Star Degrees at the FFA state convention. They were Nathan Frierson, Jeff Frierson, Dwain Weise and Frankie Moeller.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer of Sagerton, have returned from a vacation in Arizona, Utah and New Mexico.

30 Years Ago

July 18, 1968
Announcement was made this week that Western Union has been moved from Wooten Oil Company to the Duncan Insurance Agency.

Perry Bros. Variety store has received a new manager, Dale Lawrence, formerly of Ballinger.

The Haskell Co-op Gin has been presented the "Safety Award" by the Texas Farm Bureau Ins.

40 Years Ago

July 17, 1958
Fire started in grass and weeds destroyed a small wooden bridge on a farm road. The bridge is located on what is known as the Old Rayner Road.

W.R. (Roy) Johnson of Haskell, and Morris Neal of Rule were elected to Head the NCT Water Authority board.

Golf course site has been secured and plans are now in process to build a nine-hole course

near Haskell.

50 Years Ago

July 22, 1948
Coming almost a month ahead of the usual harvesting season, first grain sorghum from this year's crop was brought to Haskell Monday.

Haskell's newest department store, The Fair Store, is opening for business this week in the recently-remodelled Oates building on the north side of the square.

A fishing party composed of Alton Middleton, Jim Byrd, S.A. Norris and R.A. Lane returned from Don Martin Lake in Old Mexico where they spent several days fishing.

80 Years Ago

July 20, 1918
S.A. Huskey, who has been manager of the Haskell Bottling Works has sold the business to W.I. McCarty of Haskell.

R.S. Denson of Sagerton was in Haskell on business. He reports that section badly in need of rain.

O.E. Patterson, Hardy Grissom and Ross Hemphill and their families are spending the week in Throckmorton County fishing and hunting.

Victory declared for producers

Declaring victory for the nation's livestock producers, the National Farmers Union recently hailed Senate passage of Legislation that will require price reporting in the livestock industry. The legislation was adopted as an amendment to the fiscal year 1999 agriculture appropriations bill.

NFU has long called for mandatory price reporting on all livestock sales. Just last month, NFU President Leland Swenson testified before the Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and forestry Committee on concentration in the livestock industry. The farm leader recommended that Congress enact legislation to require price reporting.

"This is a real victory for livestock producers," Texas Farmers Union President Wes Sims said, stating that "For too long, producers have been at the mercy of packers who called low prices an inevitable outcome of the market. Without price transparency, the buyer rules and the seller gets a low price. That is by no means a fair, free or competitive market."

"This legislation will help ensure sellers get the information they need to make a sound market decision and a fair price," Sims said.

- Mandatory market reporting on a pilot basis. Provides the U. S. Department of Agriculture authority to design and administer a three year pilot testing program to test the impact of mandatory reporting of live cattle and boxed beef on the public market for livestock.

- Prohibition of non-competitive practices. Requires the secretary of agriculture, after consultation with affected parties, to define and prohibit noncompetitive practices.

- Protection of livestock producers against retaliation by buyers. Establishes civil penalties for packers or buyers who retaliate against producers for public comments regarding industry practices.

- Review of federal agriculture credit policies. Requires the president to study federal lending practices to determine: 1) if the practices have contributed or are contributing to packer concentration; and 2) if the practices are adequate to address the cyclical nature of modern livestock production.

In the current industry structure, more than 80 percent of red meat processing nationwide is controlled by just four multinational firms. Less than two decades ago, the same three corporations handled only 40 percent of all U. S. beef processing. Also, consumer prices have remained constant despite precipitous drops in the prices of live animals.

Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:
Just a note of thanks to everyone who helped to make the 90th Anniversary of Weibert Baptist Church such a wonderful weekend of celebration. All the many committees did a super job and made my job easy and the individuals who fell in and helped at any and everything was great.

The Saturday evening meal with homemade ice cream, the buggy rides and the singing were an appropriate beginning, leading to a Sunday of rejoicing, praise to the Lord, visiting, great food and sweet memories. Every speaker was wonderful and we do so appreciate each one.

The sale of the commemorative Weibert coverlets were a huge success and if we receive orders for fifty more before the school homecoming, we can have more.

Thanks again for a true Christian-family effort to celebrate our past and look to the future.
Mary Murphy
90th Anniversary Chairman

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Student in the news

In recognition of scholastic achievement, Ryan Olson, has qualified for the Dean's Honor List at Texas Tech University. This recognition is awarded to full time students who have attained a semester grade point average of 3.5 or better.

Around Town

By Joyce Hawkins

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Wilfong of Knoxville, Tenn. visited his mother Laquita Wilfong and other relatives and friends over the 4th of

July holidays; they also attended the Stamford rodeo.

On Thursday Dorann Redding of Seymour came for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White. They all went to Abilene where they had lunch and shopped. It was Dorann's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Hicks of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, and attended the homecoming at the First Baptist Church in Weinert.

Kaye Derrick of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Barton, and took them for the First Baptist Church homecoming in Weinert.

Thursday evening Margaret and Creora Tatum took Mother Joyce to Jacksboro where they met Glendon Hawkins of Irving. Joyce went home with him and he took her to Fort Worth on Friday for an

eye check up. Joyce did not get a good report and will be going back on Wednesday for another check. Darlene, Daniel, David and Sebrina Conn also went with them. Darlene applied and got a job in Irving. Darlene, Julie and Daniel will be moving there; Darlene will start her job on the 27th. Glendon brought them back home and spent the weekend.

The Greater Independent Baptist Church had their 30th annual homecoming program this past weekend. On Sat. their music was directed by Rev. Don Burton of Triumphant Life, Vernon. Great singers were from Abilene, Odessa, Knox City, Fort Worth, Arlington, Huntsville, Dallas, Breckenridge, Hopewell and Anson.

Sunday morning the regular order of service was followed. Rev. C. Wade brought the message on avoiding sin and the homecoming mass choir doing the music. There was a break for lunch and the program was continued at 3:00 p.m. with devotions given by officers. Rev. Don Burton spoke and his mass choir performed.

The assistant pastor of the Triumphant Life Church, Rev. Brinda Burton, brought the evening message. The text was Back to Bases.

Guest churches attending were West Bethel, Rev. Dever, Macedonia, Aspermont; Sims Chapel, Stamford; Hopewell, Haskell; Rose of Sharon, Odessa; Step of Faith, Dallas; and First Baptist, Eastland.

The pastor and church family want to thank everyone for their presents and concern.

Ebone Williams of Arlington, daughter of Edith and Ronny Williams, is still with her Granny Mae Lou Yeldell.



GRAND PRIZE HARVEST—Pansy Harris holds one of the huge cantaloupes she raised in her home garden at 310 Addison Drive.

Pansy Harris grows big cantaloupes

During a growing season that has been less than kind to home gardeners and farmers alike, Pansy Harris has never-the-less produced some record sized cantaloupes in her backyard garden at 312 Addison Drive in Haskell.

Of two giant specimens harvested this week, one weighed eleven pounds and measured 27 1/2 inches around the middle, and 30 inches around from stem end to bloom end. Close to it in size, the other weighed ten and a half pounds, measuring 26 inches around the middle and 28 1/4 inches around, lengthwise. They are reported to have a very good texture and taste.

Claiming to have no particular or special "way" with raising cantaloupe, Harris says that she has always loved to have a garden of some kind. Half of the backyard is reserved for her garden, leaving the rest in grass for husband Henry Harris to mow.

With nothing else in her garden doing well this year, Harris does not know what contributes to the

phenomenal size of the cantaloupes. Always using a good, composted mulch on everything, early in April she prepared and planted five hills using two different brands of seeds; Burpee and Botanical Interests. Aside from daily watering around the plant stems, she has done nothing else in care and maintenance. Not knowing which brand of the seeds produced the surprising melons, she plans to save seeds from the cantaloupes for re-sowing next year.

At this time, five more of the super-sized cantaloupes are almost ready to be harvested.

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Rochester FBC revival set

The First Baptist Church of Rochester will host a Texas Revival, July 26-29, with Evangelist Jim Turner of Haskell speaking on Real Issues, Real Life. Charlie Shanks, Florida gospel singer will be leading the singing services.

Sunday services will be at 11:00 a.m., and 6:00 p.m., with weekday services at 7:00 p.m.

A dinner on the grounds will follow the Sunday morning revival. Sunday night will feature a

Youth Explosion, with pizza at 5:00 p.m., revival at 6:00 p.m., and a Cool Pool Party for Youth, 12 years and over at the Knox City pool at 8:00 p.m.

After church Monday night a Senior Adults Celebration is planned featuring the "best homemade ice cream in the west."

Tuesday night's after-church fellowship and treat will be for the whole family, promising "all you can eat of your favorite snow-cones; cherry, grape and coconut."

ECC Calendar and Menu

Monday, July 27
 Lunch-Pizza, tossed salad, English peas, refrigerator cheese dessert, milk, tea or coffee

Wednesday, July 29
 Lunch-Roast beef, cream style corn, golden potatoes, green beans, jellied vegetable salad, strawberry cake, bread, milk, tea or coffee

Friday, July 31
 Lunch-BBQ on bun, potato salad, turnip greens, onions, pickles, peach upside-down cake, milk, tea or coffee

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

Student in the News

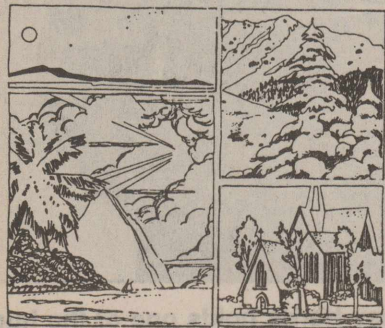
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This Week's Devotional Message: IN OUR WORLD OF CHANGE, GOD'S LOVE REMAINS THE SAME



We live in a world of eternal change, where nothing seems to remain constant. The seasons come and go, the weather varies from day to day, rivers alter their courses, mountains rise, coastlines submerge, the earth rumbles from its molten interior and the very continents shift their positions; all of which man must learn to endure. However, God would not have subjected him to these unstable conditions without first

providing him with the intelligence and resourcefulness to survive them. Therefore, since the earth itself is but a part of God's moving universe in which even the stars revolve through the infinitude of space, we must learn at our House of Worship that God alone remains steadfast and immovable; a reliable, ever-present source of help and guidance which is always available to us, no matter where we are in this restless world.

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

- 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 Garrison, 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. Arburn
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.m.
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.
- Greater Independent Baptist Church**
Rev. Camellia Wade, pastor
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p.m.
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.
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- First Baptist Church**
Jim Turner, pastor
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- Weinert Methodist Church**
Rev. James Patterson
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m.
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- Weinert Foursquare Church**
Rev. Joyce Goossen and Rev. Diane Crowmover
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- Church of Christ**
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- First Baptist Church**
Ed Buerkle, pastor
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Rev. Andrew
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- Faith Chapel of Rochester**
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The planning and zoning commission of the City of Haskell, Texas, will hold a public hearing pursuant to this request on August 8, 1998 at 1:30 p.m. in City Hall Council Room. 30c

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Sagerton News

By Dorothy M. Clark

The same old story...no rain! Our wish for an inch or two in the rain gauge from the shower beginning last Sunday night did not come true so we are still wishing as we stay indoors and try to keep cool.

Several people from the community were in Haskell last Wednesday, July 15 for the memorial service for Ewing Mathis, a former resident here. Ewing was born July 15, 1928 and attended the Sagerton School, graduating with honors in 1945. He graduated from Texas Tech University and was employed for many years for the Production Credit Association in Perryton. He lived in Oklahoma for many years and passed away there on Mon., July 13. He is remembered by his classmates and friends here as an easy going individual who was always considerate of others. We extend our sympathy to his family.

Recent visitors in the home of J. C. and Margaret Wendeborn were Betty McClellan of Kerrville and her daughter, Susan Parker of Bryan and Bill and Dixie McClellan of Big Spring. They had all come for the Lovvorn family reunion that was held last weekend in Stamford at the V.I.P. center.

The Friendship Club met at Faith Lutheran Church Thurs. for a potluck meal. The birthday song was sung for Cade Brown and Dorothy Clark. The anniversary song was sung for Delbert and Joyce LeFevre. Enjoying the noon meal were: Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Pastor Jeff Zell, Ed Fouts, Minnie Monse, Isabell Mrazek, Doris Lehrmann, Margaret Wendeborn, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Ken, Jill, Cade, Tully and Kinsey Brown, M'Lynn Lehrmann, Jack and Peggy Tabor, Mary Neinst, Leona Schonerstedt, Jesse Guadalcazar, Jesse Guadalcazar, Jr., Joe and Dorothy Clark, J. B. and Dorothy Toney and Freida Knipling.

Frances Clark hosted a birthday party for her grandson, Brian

Tonnon, who has been visiting here from Denison. The party was held on Thurs., July 9 with swimming at the Haskell pool, next a visit to the Dairy Queen and last a stop at Grandma's house for cake and ice cream. Brian's sister, Chelsea, made the birthday cake and they had the house decorated with balloons to furnish a party atmosphere and add to the enjoyment of the afternoon. Those present included Kinsey, Tully and Cade Brown, Jacob Manske, Craig and Kyle Simpson of Rule, Jana Manske, Joyce LeFevre and of course, Grandma Frances.

Meta Wienke of Phoenix, Ariz. has been visiting in the home of Frances Clark. While here, they visited with Garrett and Martha Spitzer of Haskell, Kathleen Letz and Maurice Gerloff of Abilene and then on Thurs., Frances took her to Idalou where they were met by Meta's son, Douglas, for her return home.

On Sun. Frances Clark visited with Hazel Trice, Edna Diers and Irene Stewart in Stamford after attending the funeral service for Lydia Lovvorn.

Emma Rappelt of Stamford and George and Ruby Olson of San Angelo spent the weekend in the home of Joe and Dorothy Clark. They all attended the funeral service for Lydia Lovvorn, sister of Emma and aunt of Dorothy, Ruby, Mac Stegemoeller and Melvin Baitz of Sagerton and Leslie Baitz of Leander. Lydia was born and reared at Old Glory, the youngest child of the late Willie and Annie Tredemeyer. She graduated from Old Glory High School and lived in Stamford after her marriage to Glynn Lovvorn. She will be remembered by her family and friends for her hard work and dedicated commitment to preserving the land for future generations. She could always be seen alongside her husband and sons, planting crops and tending the land during the day and feeding her family and neighbors after hours. Her love for her family will be cherished and now she rests from her labors.

Alvin and Alice Bredthauer were in Early on Sun. for a family reunion of the late F. C. Lammert family. Sixty-eight relatives were

present for the fellowship and fun.

Relatives of the late August Tredemeyer were scheduled to have their reunion on Sat. at the Sagerton community center. It was cancelled due to the condition of Lydia Lovvorn and then the family met at the funeral service held Sun. at the First Baptist Church in Stamford. Relatives present representing almost all of the descendants included Esther Kinman of Stamford; Shelly O'Toole and Bobby and Charlotte Fowler of Granbury; Jeanette Kinman of Quinlan; Steven, and Lisa Hertel, Janice Cannon, Janelle and Keri Fulgham, Larry and Jeanie Letz all of Abilene; Mary Jennings of Haskell; Lavinia Lohmann of Stephenville; Edgar and Milton Schmidt of Austin; Larry Weldon and Joyce Tredemeyer of Leander; Billy and Boni Tredemeyer of Grand Prairie; Fred and Kathy Douglass and family of Old Glory;

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