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Football games

Haskell Indians vs Archer City Fri., Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m. at Archer City ********

Haskell 7th-8th-JV vs Archer City Thurs., Oct. 14, 4:00 p.m. at Haskell ********

Paint Creek HS OPEN *********

Paint Creek JH OPEN

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Retired teachers

The Haskell Co. Retired Teachers will meet Wed., Oct. 20 at 11:45 a.m. at Burkett's. All members and retired school personnel are invited. Flu shot clinic

Sears Health Service will conduct a flu shot clinic at the **Rochester High School Audito**rium Thurs., Oct. 21 from 10 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$6 or free for those with a Medicare card. Age 18 and under must have a parent present. Call 743-3441 for more information.

Flu shot clinic

Sears Health Center will conduct a flu shot clinic at the Paint Creek School Library (the old Methodist Church building) Tues., Oct. 26 from 10 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$6 or free for those with a Medicare card. Age 18 and under must have a parent present. Children under the age of 8 must have a doctor's permit. Pneumonia shots are available at a cost of \$10.

Calf roping

A calf roping will be held Sun., Oct. 17 at 2 p.m. at the Haskell County Roping Arena. B ropers will rope 3 for \$45 and Open Class ropers will rope 3 for \$60. Special worship

Jerry and Judy Underwood and family from Throckmorton will lead the worship services at First Baptist Church in Weinert Sun., Oct. 17. The Underwoods are well known in this area for their musical talent. Morning worship begins at 11 a.m. Evening worship

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High shares travel experiences with students

Haskell Elementary second grade students of Earlene Griffith, Michelle Dunnam and Rhonda Hanson recently enjoyed a travelogue of modern China when Doyle High of Haskell came to the school to share with them his recent trip to the country.

Earlier this year, High flew to Hong Kong where he met his longtime friend, missionary, Bill Fudge. Giving the students his traveler's

view of the common people and conditions and customs in the country that they have just completed studying about, the

children were fascinated by his pictures which were so different to those of their text books. Also they reported enjoying hearing about it in "Texas language that made it real, rather than a text book script."

Just this year, the Second Grade was awarded the Educational Foundation Grant for all of the students to use for academic writing experiences. Along with a planned visit to the China Star in Abilene, the experience with their "adventurous friend" Doyle High has given them a new perspective about the country and accented their learning of China.

Unclaimed property listed

The state of Texas is holding more than \$700 million that has been forgotten by its owners. The money comes from dormant bank accounts, abandoned safe deposit boxes, iuncashed checks, uncollected wages, and other sources.

On Sun., Oct. 17, Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander will publish approximately four million copies of the annual unclaimed property list to members of the Legislature, local government officials, public libraries, and communication media.

An advance copy of this year's list of 114,351 people for whom the state is holding at least \$100 in forgotten cash, stocks, or contents of safe deposit boxes includes the following names of several Haskell County people.

In Haskell; Irene Ballard, Don Brazil, Lewis Brueggeman, Gene Butler, Joe B. Carpenter, Jr., George Fields, Odell D. Helwig, Cecil Pittman and Dennis Ratliff. in Rochester; Ray M. McWhorter and Warren Short.

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begins at 6 p.m. Senior auction

The Paint Creek Senior Class will hold a fall auction Sat., Nov. 13 at the Paint Creek Cafeteria. A stew and combread meal will be served for \$4. Dinner and an auction preview will begin at 6 p.m. The auction will start at 6:45 p.m.

Study Club to meet

The Progressive Study Club will meet Thurs., Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Haskell National Bank **Community Room for the** program, A Rainbow of Literary Information. Guest speaker will be Joan Strickland, Haskell Co. Librarian.

Butler benefit

Friends and co-workers of Gene Butler are planning a benefit musical and dinner Sat., Oct. 16 at the American Legion Hall. The dinner consists of a BBQ sandwich, dessert and a drink for \$5 and begins at 5 p.m. The musical will follow at 6 p.m. Those wishing to make a donation or help in any way may call 997-9606 or 989-2833. Proceeds will help Butler with hospital expenses.

Stew Supper

The Haskell Lions Club will hold a stew supper at the High School Lunchroom Fri., Oct. 22 from 5 to 7 p.m. before the homecoming game. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$4 for 12 and under. Tickets are available from all Lions members.

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meco Special keynote speaker at the Haskell Homecoming Ex-student Lunch will be Haskell native Steve Munday, Executive Vice-President of Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

TRAVELING TO CHINA-Dovle High of Haskell captures all the

second graders attention with the pictures of his recent trip to

Friday, Oct. 22 3:15 p.m. Pep Rally- Haskell

High School Indian Gym. Pre-Registration in Gym Foyer following pep rally.

4:00-5:00 Open House, Haskell High School.

5:30 Lions Club Supper in HHS Cafeteria. (tickets available at door).

Kickoff, Haskell vs 7:30 Seymour football game. Following game: Class parties.

Saturday, Oct. 23

10:00 a.m. Registration, Haskell Memorial Civic Center.

Council meets

At the Oct. 11 meeting of the Haskell City Council, approval was given for re-surfacing the City Park jogging track. This will consist of cleaning the track and recoating it with a one and a half inch layer of hot mix over asphalt.

Also, approval was given to putting a new layer on the City Hall parking lot and re-do the handicap parking area there.

Council member, Ruby Turner was re-appointed as a member of the Council of Governments Executive Committee. . Each city of 2.500 to 10,000 population is allowed one reprentative and an alternate to serve on the Executive Committee. They must be an elected official and a member of the West Texas Council of Governments, (COG). Their term is two years. Sam Watson will nominate an alternate to the COG, to serve with Turner.

11:30 to 1:00 p.m. Ex-Student Noon Luncheon at Civic Center served by Kiwanis Club.

1:00 p.m. Late Registration,

Civic Center. 2:30 General Assembly, Civic

Center. 9:00 Ex-students' Homecoming

With 8:55 left in the 4th quarter,

the Cubs scored on a 64-yard run

Dance, Civic Center. (No high school students admitted. No glass containers allowed inside.)

In Rule; Cathey Casey, Justin G. Holcomb, Jefferson Lewis, L. H. Mathis, Leslie S. Simpson, T. E. Simpson and J. Walls.

Anyone wishing to contact the Comptrollers Office may call toll free at 1-800-654-3463.

drop district opener Indians

Although Haskell caused four turnovers for the Olney Cubs, the Cubs, behind their quarterback Steven Hinson, exploded for 20 points in the 4th quarter and won the opening battle for District 9 2-A, 0-40.

One of the pre-season favorites, Olney proved to be just that. With 4:36 to go in the 1st quarter, the Cubs opened the scoring for the evening when Hinson ran it over on a one-yard run. The PAT was kicked by Chase Pratt.

The rest of the half saw a real see-saw battle until Olney blocked a Haskell punt and gained good field position. With only 29 seconds left in the 1st half of play, the Cubs again tacked on another touchdown when Hinson scored on a four-yard run. Again, the PAT was kicked by Pratt.

Throughout the 1st half the Indians moved the ball well but were unable to cross the goal lone. The half-time score was 0-14 Olney

The 3rd quarter was played fairly evenly until the last 33 seconds, when Olney quarterback Hinson scored on a 31-yard run. The kick for extra point failed.

This hard-hitting, well fought game began to take its toll on the Indians, with several players hurt. Stepping up their offense, the Olney Cubs exploded. Twenty points in the 4th quarter was too much for the Indians.



Hong Kong and mainland China. As he pictured the Great Wall of

China, he told how it was built over a period of 300 years.

160 yards on 12 carries and 98 yards passing. He was 6 for 9 in the passing department. Hinson

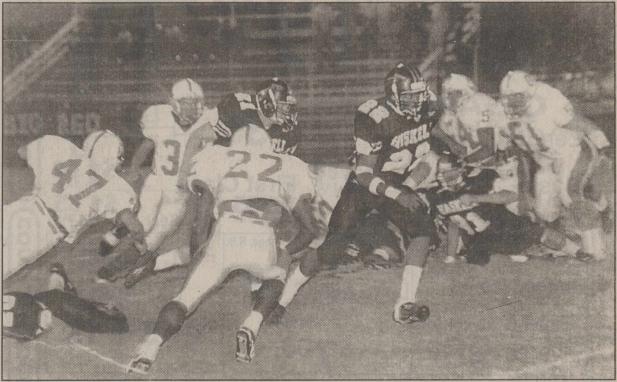
Olney looked like and played as the team to beat for the District 9-2A title. All the other teams in district will be in a race for the extra play off spots.

The Indians travel to Archer

City Friday night to take on the Wildcats. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

On Thursday night the 7th, 8th and JV teams will host the Archer City Cats at Indian Field. Game time is 4:00 p.m. for the 7th grade, with all other games to follow immediately.

Come out and support the Indians.



INDIANS AND CUBS-In a hard-hitting, hard fought game, the Haskell Indians were downed by the Photo by Bill Blankenship Olney Cubs during the first District game of the season, Fri., Oct. 8.

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Obituaries

Velma J. Hatfield

Funeral services for Velma J. Hatfield, 92, of Haskell were held Mon., Oct. 11 at First Baptist Church in Rochester with Catherine Byrd, Rev. Ed Buerkle and Michael Hatfield officiating. Burial was in Rochester Cemetery.

Mrs. Hatfield died Sat., Oct. 9 at a Haskell hospital. Mrs. Hatfield married Jesse Thomas Cook in 1923. He preceded her in death in 1936. She married Cody Wayne Hatfield Sept. 5, 1937 in Haskell. He preceded her in death Dec. 7, 1967. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church in Rochester.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Lee Thomas

Survivors include three sons, L. W. Cook of Crosbyton, Guy Cook of Plainview and Horace Wayne Hatfield of Baird; three daughters, Betty Jeane Johnston and Linda Carol Tibbets, both of Haskell and Nina Mae Richardson of Lubbock; 39 grandchildren and a host of great grandchildren and great great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lonnie Cook, Paul Cook, Wendell Richardson, Karl Richardson, Heath Tibbets, Cody Tibbets, Michael Hatfield and Stephen Hatfield.

Honorary pallbearers were Gary Cook, Donny Cook, Mike Rhoads, Johnny Garcia and Eric Chamerlain.

Salinas to be honored Oct. 19 in Vernon

An outstanding 4-H Club member from Haskell County will be honored at the Rolling Plains District 3 4-H Gold Star Banquet at 7:00 p.m., Tues., Oct. 19 in Vernon at the Wilbarger Auditorium.

Among the top 4-H'ers in the District being honored will be Selina Salinas, daughter of Fidel and Abigail Salinas of Haskell. Featured speaker will be Chuck Walton, former County Extension Agent from Parker County. Kit Horne of West Texas Utilities Company, which sponsors the

banquet, will welcome the honorees and guests.

The banquet is planned and conducted by 4-H'ers on the district 4-H Council executive committee of the 1999-2000 District 4-H Council.

'Parents, distinguished guests and special friends of 4-H will attend the banquet to salute the county winner," Brandon Anderson, County Extension Agent said.

To qualify for the Gold Star Award, highest 4-H honor at the county level, a 4-H'er must be at least 15 years old, have completed three years of club work and be active in 4-H. "The award is intended to stimulate winners to higher achievement and to encourage other young people to participate in the county 4-H program," says Brad Davis, Area Extension 4-H Specialist.

The awards will be presented by Elaine Houston and Galen D. Chandler, District Directors for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Water testing set Nov. 2-3

Four Winds and Big Country

RC&D Areas in cooperation with

the Natural Resources

Conservation Service, Haskell Soil

and Water Conservation District

and Texas Agricultural Extension

Service will be sponsoring a water

testing educational program Nov.

2-3 in Haskell County. The water

test program is designed to provide

local residents with educational

information that will reduce the

chances for groundwater

contamination by improving

wellhead management and

Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1,466 head of cattle at its sale on Sat., Oct. 9, according to Gary Tate, reporter

Fully steady on all yearlings and



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good calves. Packer cows and bulls \$1. Bred cows and bulls steady.

Cows: fat, .28-.32; cutters, .28-36; canners, .15-.28. Bulls: bologna, .40-.46; feeder,

.45-.55; utility .30-.40. Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .95-1.10; 300-

400 lbs., .85-1.05; 400-500 lbs., .75-..95; 500-600 lbs., .72-.84; 600-700 lbs., .70-.79; 700-800 lbs., .65-.78; 800-up lbs., .60-.75. Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .85-

1.00; 300-400 lbs., .72-.88; 400-500 lbs., .65-.82; 500-600 lbs., .62-.77; 600-up lbs., .55-.75.

Bred Heifers: medium frame, 400-550.

Bred Cows: young to middle aged, 400-550; aged or small, 300-400.

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 580-700; aged or small, 350-550.

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conditions. On Nov. 2 those interested in participating in the water testing program can pick up water sample containers and information sheets at the City Grocery and Market in Rochester from 10:00 to 10:20 a.m. Water sample containers can be picked up in Rule across from Rule Banking Center (southeast of

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the bank) between 11:00 a.m. and 11:20 a.m. and at the NRCS office in Haskell, 1203A South Ave. E after 1:00 p.m. A \$2.00 cost per water sample will be charged to cover supplies and materials.

On Nov. 3 water samples may be delivered to the NRCS office in Haskell for testing. Water samples will be tested for bacteria, nitrates and salts.



CHINA CONNECTION-Haskell Fifth Graders, I-r, Eloy Aguirre, Alexa Roberts, Shannon Greenwood, Stephanie Grand, Gay Lynn Gary and Scott Wilson, join Doyle High around the computer on which he shared e-mail messages with them during his recent trip to China. Eagerly awaiting the e-mail from halfway around the world each day, the students studied time zones and the International Date Line while plotting High's trip.

Rule Football

Varsity Bobcats

Runningback Brian Lehrmann

scored four touchdowns and

intercepted three passes as the

undefeated Rule Bobcats beat the

Jayton Jaybirds 64-16 in District

4A, Six-Man action Friday night.

Cody Tibbets contributed three

touchdowns and Josh Smith

accounted for eight points with

The Bobcats were also led on

defense by Tibbets, Smith, Joe

Sotelo, Grant Hisey. Justin Coker

and Jody Harvey, who had one

interception as well. Offensive

performances by runner/passer

Harvey and quarterback Smith added

to the show. Harvey ran 31 yards

in quarter one and caught the PAT

pass from Smith, then later

connected with Hisey on a 48-yard

end zone for a one-point PAT

conversion in the first quarter and

threw to Lehrmann for a 22-yard

Smith found Mike Casey in the

pass play in the third quarter.

four PAT kicks.

JV Bobcats

Four Rule Bobcats Junior Varsity players scored touchdowns against the Lueders-Avoca JV Thurs. night, Oct. 7, as the Bobcats came from behind late to win 43-33. For the first score, Tony Navarrette snatched a 30-yard pass from Bobby Flores, then Trey Kittley ran 14 yards for the second, followed by Jeffrey Murray's catch for the extra point. Navarrette's 1yard run and Jason Custer's extra point later made it 20-7 at the end of the first quarter. L-A scored on a 70-yard kickoff return for their lone TD.

In the second quarter, B. Flores connected with Murray for a 30yard scoring bomb and Custer ran the extra point. The host Raiders surprised the Bobcat defense by coming up with twenty secondquarter points of their own, tying the game at 27 by the time the first half buzzer had sounded.

Things looked bleak in the third quarter as the 'Cats were held scoreless while L-A came up with their final touchdown. They led 33-27 until well into the fourth quarter, when Coach Paul Page's defense, led by Matt Arendall, Navarrette, Custer, Murray, Kittley and B. Flores, as well as Kyle Falkner and Brady Standefer, held their opponents out of the end zone. With Carlos Flores at center and Standefer in and out, the offense erupted for 16 points when Custer dashed for a 33-yard score and two PAT runs and Murray caught a dramatic 30-yard pass from B. Flores. Two more points were scored when the L-A center got a little wild with his pass to the punter and centered the ball out of the end zone. The defense held at the end and secured the 10-point victory

to a crucial Bobcat score. Custer had earlier recovered a Raider fumble on the Rule 5-yard line. B. Flores also recovered one of Custer's fumbles. The Bobcat JV (2-2) made the right plays just when they needed to.

The remaining three games of the JV schedule are as follows: Oct. 14 at Jayton; Oct. 21 Benjamin at Rule; and Oct. 28 Lueders-Avoca at Rule.

Jr. High Kittens

The Rule Junior High School Kittens have defeated Chillicothe, Rochester, Guthrie and Jayton handily this season for an outstanding unbeaten record, / heading into Thurs. night's return matchup against Rochester. They beat Jayton's Jaybirds 39-18 last Thurs. night, led by Forrest (Peanut) Hatley's punishing running and the hard-nosed defense of Hatley, Ricky Truelsen, Matthew Hensley, Kyle Kittley, Kolt Kittley, Emery Dudensing, Casey Judd and many others. Good

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beauty in the second. But most of the damage was done on the ground, as Harvey, Lehrmann and Tibbets fought their way through holes created by Smith, Casey and Jeremy Hertel.

The Jaybirds were led by quarterback Marty Long and runningback Seth Jeter. They could muster only a first-quarter touchdown pass of 22 yards and a third-quarter run of two yards to account for their scoring.

Tibbets had two scoring jaunts in the fourth quarter, the second one ending the game on the "mercy rule" in six-man football, with 5:13 left in the game.

The big game this week, Fri., Oct. 15 at 7:30 will be in Rule's Bobcat Stadium when the perennially powerful Rochester Steers visit for a district showdown which should determine the 1999 district champion, although Jayton may have something to say about that when they entertain Rochester Oct. 29.

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During the course of the game, Falkner's onside kickoffs and L-A's inability to handle them allowed Navarrette to recover one in the first quarter and Custer another toward the end of the game, leading

runner Jeremy Louder had done extremely well until his family moved to Graham last week.

Against Jayton, Hatley scored touchdowns on a 40-yard punt return, a 9-yard run and two after touchdown runs, for 16 points. Truelsen alertly intercepted a Jayton pass and returned it the distance of 38 yards in the first quarter. Kolt Kittley added an 18yard sprint for 6 points in the second quarter, to account for Rule's 26-6 halftime lead.

They coasted the rest of the way, allowing a couple more Jaybird TDs to make things interesting while several sixth and seventh graders saw some action. Hensley caught a nice pass from Kyle Kittley for a 19-yard score, with Hatley adding the extra point. In the last quarter, sixth grader Luke Hisey took a handoff from Tully Brown and scampered six yards for the final score of the evening for the talent-laden Rule Junior High Kittens.

Coaches Paul Page and Cody Levrets and student coach Jody Harvey must be smiling a lot these days, dreaming of what the future holds for these guys and for several talented others who are smacking their lips, waiting patiently in elementary for their own turns on the football field.

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ATTEND CONVENTION-Local members of the Haskell County FCE Club attending the Annual TAFCE Convention in Beaument Sept 4-16, were, I-r, Jane Smith, Joetta Burnett, Lena Tidwell and **Dolores Medford.**



WOMAN OF THE YEAR-Lou Gilly, Haskell County Extension Agent-FCS announced Lena Tidwell as the FCE Club Woman of the Year for 1998-99, when the Family and Community Education Organization met for their annual Information Day, Oct. 2. Receiving Rookie of the Year was Coleta Whitfield, not pictured.

FCE members attend convention

Haskell County FCE Clubs were represented at the Annual **TAFCE** Convention in Beaumont Sept. 14-16 by Dolores Medford, Lena Tidwell, Joetta Burnett and Jane Smith

Upon arrival at the Hilton Hotel members were greeted by Host District 9. Texas Energy Museum, Art Museum of Southeast Texas, Fire Museum of Texas, John F. French Museum, McFaddin House, the Old Towne Shopping District and Botanical Gardens were visited by members.

Three major workshops were attended by our our members. They included Food Safety, Literacy and Foot and Leg Care. The delegates will be presenting these to club

members in the next year Keynote speaker was Mary Kay Mueller. She inspired everyone with thoughts on "Saying what you mean; meaning what you say." She is the author of "Taking of Me: The Habits of Happiness.

The convention ended on Thurs. with a banquet.

Lillian Reeves celebrates 100 years

Lillian was quite surprised and

By Mary Kaigler

Lillian Reeves of Haskell has lived in primitive times and modern times during her 100 years, and she says she has been a happy person through it all.

On her birthday last week,

excited to receive special birthday greetings from President Bill Clinton, his wife and daughter; U. S. Representative Charles Stenholm; and Texas Governor George W. Bush. Along with a host of cards and well wishes from

Jay brings watercolor program to art club

The Brazos West Art Association met Oct. 4 in the Community Building.

Billy Joe Jay was the guest artist from Sweetwater. He is a

Births

water color artist and uses an art masking fluid which gives a beautiful effect. He painted an Indian picture with Indian pottery as his subject. He is very well known having painted since 1987.

A short business meeting was held with Martha Spitzer, president, presiding. Hostesses

friends, she received a beautiful large arrangement of flowers sent by a niece in Colorado.

Born in the Dallas area in 1899, just three months before the new century, Lillian learned early in her life what it meant to work on the farm.

In 1924 she and her husband James M. "Jim" Reeves moved to this part of Texas and farmed until his death in Feb. 1946. Together they raised two girls and two boys. Today, she has twelve grandchildren.

After her husband's death she continued to farm until 1970 when she moved in to Rule. In 1991 she moved to Haskell where she now lives. Before leaving her house in Rule, at the age of 92, she dug all of her many flowers and plants to put out around her Haskell home.

Living alone, the independent minded lady still keeps up with the world and only last year quit driving her car. Now, thanks to a friend who drives for her, she is still able to go and do and look after her affairs. She has been a Jehovah's Witness since March, 1928, and is glad to say that everyone knows she is a "witness".



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Halloween Items

Steve and Danette Vernon of Lubbock are proud to announce the by th of their daughter, Alexus Riley. She was born Sept. 21 at 1:35 p.m. She weighed 7 lbs., 10 oz. and was 20 3/4 inches long.

Grandparents are Alvin and Maxine Vernon of Lubbock and Danny and Pat Owens of Wichita Falls

Great grandparents are Doris Borum of Lubbock, Sue Owens of Abilene and Herschel and Myrle Alexander of Weinert.

were Clara Gholson and Bobbie Harrison.

Those present were: Betty Berry, Dorothy Brown, Dena Cunningham, Clara Gholson, Bobbie Harrison, Ruth Ann Klose, Fern Livengood, Jennie Lyckman, Peggy Middlebrook, Martha Spitzer, Gladys O'Neal and guest Nancy Trussell.

Anyone interested in painting and learning more about art is invited to come. The next meeting will be Nov. 1 at the Community Room at 7 p.m.

In three just months from now Lillian Reeves will have lived in a part of three centuries. Not many of us will ever match that record. Congratulations Lillian. Stay

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TOP QUILT-Alice Yates of

Weinert, proudly displays her

handmade quilt which took the

honor of 1st place in this year's

District III FCE Cultural Arts

Judging Contest. Advancing

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OPINION



AUSTIN — A U.S. Census Bureau study released last week shows Texas had the highest percentage of residents without health coverage.

Nearly one in four Texans, or 24.5 percent, lacked health insurance last year, the highest uninsured rate in the country, according to the study.

In the spring, the Texas Legislature already knew nearly 5 million Texans did not have health insurance, and they agreed to appoint a blue-ribbon panel to study the problem.

Lt. Gov. Rick Perry and House Speaker Pete Laney have appointed panelists, but the group won't meet until Gov. George W. Bush also has named panelists.

Last week. Linda Edwards. spokeswoman for Bush, said the governor probably would select his appointees within a week.

The Office of Public Insurance Counsel reported last year that 57.4 percent of Texans were in employer-sponsored insurance coverage in 1996, compared with 64 percent of all Americans.

Furthermore, only 26.9 percent of Texans could get dependent coverage through work, compared with about 32 percent nationally.

AG Targets Online Child Porno

Texas Attorney General John Cornyn on Oct. 6 announced a partnership with Internet service providers to identify and prosecute online transmission of child pornography.

Cornyn released suspect-referral guidelines based on his office's successful partnership with the Internet service provider America Online.

fices, the federal mandate requires a central state office to handle disbursement of child support payments.

HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Rep. Rob Junell, D-San Angelo, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, said the federal government is "asking us to reinvent the wheel and pay for it ourselves."

Cornyn said he will be working with members of the Texas congressional delegation to develop a legislative remedy.

Lottery Cans 54-Ball Idea

No further public hearings will be conducted on the Texas Lottery Commission's proposal to add four more numbered balls to its 50-ball jackpot game.

Lottery director Linda Cloud, who canceled five scheduled hearings, said players have made it clear that they are against the 54ball proposal.

Odds of winning the twiceweekly game under the proposal to add four more balls would have dropped from one in 16 million presently to one in 26 million.

"We have heard a single message loud and clear, and that is don't mess with Lotto Texas," Cloud said at a news conference. Less interest in the Lottery has

had an adverse effect on the state budget, which receives 32 percent of Lottery revenues.

Tort Reform Savings Continue

Tort reform legislation passed in 1995 has reduced the number of lawsuits and lowered the dollar amounts of insurance settlements.

The Texas Department of Insurance periodically has ordered insurance companies to pass along Since 1998, America Online the savings to policyholders.

Beeck WHY DO THESE FOLKS BOTHER COMIN' T' BALLGAMES?-WHEN THEY COULD JUS' STAY HOME AN' THROW "GOIN' BERSERK" PARTIES!

From The Inside Out

By Mary Kaigler

Being offered by the Foundation for \$100.00 per brick, they may be inscribed with two lines of sixteen letters or spaces per line. Weinert or Mattson bricks will be inscribed with WHS or MHS.

As it grows, the "name place" will continue to be an attractive addition to the school campus, an interesting attraction for exstudents and a place for all to stop and reminisce about those honored there.

The Educational Foundation will be taking orders for bricks during Homecoming, with a table set up just inside the gym door during the Fri. registration hours and at the Civic Center activities Sat., Oct. 23. The gift of each honorary or memorial brick will be acknowledged.

Buying a brick for the permanent "memory walk" area is a great way to honor a past or present graduate student and to help

Green Thumb

By Gladys O'Neal

Autumn is the ideal time to plan ahead for a beautiful spring. By planting now you may also yield beautiful blooms and strong plants for a whole winter's enjoyment.

Color can be enjoyed all year long by planting flowers now. Pansies will bloom throughout the winter. When planting pansies, I recommend adding one tablespoon bloodmeal, a slow release organic fertilizer, to each hole. Then add a shallow layer of dirt then plant the pansies.

Mums are another perennial that gives nice fall colors. They will die back at the first frost and bloom again in the early spring and will come back year after year.

Shaded areas are a problem to plant through the winter. A better idea for shaded areas would include ground covers and evergreen shrubs, Nandina or holly would be good.

Keeping the ground moist is very important throughout the winter.

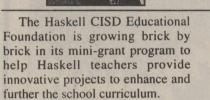
Lawns should be cut to about two inches through the winter. Do not overwater the lawn, just water enough to maintain a moist soil.

If you are planning to plant caladium bulbs they should be dug before a frost comes. Dry and store through the winter and plant daffodils, tulips and Dutch iris.

Keep watering if nights are cool as regular watering of shrubs strengthens them for winter. If planting sweet peas, plant them in a trench filling it as they grow.

Today many gardeners choose the organic method because they want to be good stewards of the environment. They are concerned about pollution of air, water, soil and about protecting the health of their families and communities. Learn about all the alternatives to managing your garden with chemicals. As you do, you will discover the best reason not to use chemicals in your garden. You just don't need to use them without knowing about them.

The soil in your garden should not be bare for long. Keep adding compost and manure, but as soon as a food crop is finished, plant a cover crop. If the ground will be bare for thirty days or longer the benefits of having roots in the ground and leaves generating organic matter are worth the cost of the seed. A good cover crop keeps the soil from eroding and smothers weed seedlings. Happy gardening to all of you. Quote: Swallowing angry words before you say them is better than having to eat them afterwards.



First introduced at the Foundation's 1998 Teacher Appreciation Banquet, the fundraising "brick project" has already taken on interesting proportions.

After obtaining permission for a "high profile" location for a memorial brick-paved area, a site was chosen in front of the west entrance to the High School gym, along the concrete walk. With bricks bought in honor or memory of someone having attended, graduated, or being involved with the Haskell, Weinert or Mattson Schools, the first rows were laid earlier this year.

Last week, a second section of the inscribed bricks was installed with space left to accommodate many more during the on-going project. As planned, it will eventually cover a large, "name place" portico area in front of the gym.

10 Years Ago

October 12, 1989

Traci Landes, a Rule High

School senior, was crowned queen

of the Rule Jubilee. She is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Howeth, was

crowned homecoming queen at

Paint Creek. Coming home queen

was Sybil Nanny Henry, a 1939

Darlene Bellinghausen, Weinert

teacher, is serving as district

chairperson of District IX of the

Texas Speech Communication

Cub Scout Pack 136 attended the

"Lad and Dad" campout at Camp

20 Years Ago

October 11, 1979

Over 100 Jaycees and Jaycee-

ettes from throughout Texas

gathered in Haskell for the Texas

Jaycee-Jaycee-ette Region 1-C

was selected as the "Man of the

Year" for 1980 of the University of

Missouri-Kansas City School of

Dentistry. He received a D.D.S.

degree from the University of

Missouri school of Dentistry at

Kansas City in 1949 and has been

active in the general dentistry

practice in Haskell since that time.

and Mrs. Robert E. Gray of

Haskell, was chosen to be a White

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Sharon Gray, daughter of Mr.

Dr. William J. Kemp of Haskell

Tonkawa, near Buffalo Gap.

Fourteen boys from Haskell

graduate of Paint Creek.

Association.

Convention.

Monica Howeth, daughter of

Landes.

To date, bricks have been placed in honor or memory of parents, children, teachers, friends, class mates, classes of certain years, coaches and groups (such as the Nineteens Singing Group).

During the few years since the non-profit Haskell Educational Foundation was formed by a group of local citizens, it has awarded a number of \$500.00 mini-grants to Haskell teachers for a wide variety of innovative programs and cultural and educational tools and trips for their students. Doyle High is president of the Haskell Educational Foundation Board of Directors.

Mini-grants recipients are chosen from among applications received from the teachers. Each year more teachers are taking the opportunity to make excellent applications for the extra help to expand the students' classroom experience. Unfortunately, not all can be granted due to lack of the

awarded a mini-grant.

has made about 80 referrals.

"These guidelines serve the state's interests in getting these criminals off the Internet, and the ISPs receive the benefits of customer loyalty in being family friendly," Cornyn said, and encouraged other ISPs to join in the effort.

Chad Kissinger, president of the Texas Internet Service Provider Association, also urged all Texas ISPs to adopt the guidelines. **AG Criticizes Unfunded Mandate**

Attorney General Cornyn last week called on the federal government to allow flexibility in implementing an unfunded child support mandate.

Cornyn said that although Texas' child support system operates efficiently through county of-

On Oct. 1, Insurance Commissioner Jose Montemayor ordered the final round of mandated tort reform rate reductions - \$685 million on various lines of liabil-

ity insurance during 2000. Total savings to Texas businesses and consumers over the five year period covering 1996 to 2000 is estimated at \$3 billion.

The biggest impact has been on auto insurance and business liability policies.

Other Highlights

The state's auction of abandoned safe deposit box contents generated \$320,987, Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander announced last week. More than 300 bidders competed for 93,000 items ranging from coins and jewelry to baseball cards.



Haskell County, one year, \$20.00. Outside of Haskell County, one year, \$28.00.

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necessary funding.

Every brick that is added to the Foundation's fund-raising project, adds to the possibility of another worthy project application being expand the current educational experience of future graduate students of the Haskell Consolidated Independent School District.

From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

Horse Rider for Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. 30 Years Ago

October 9, 1969

A record attendance of 360 persons registered for the Paint Creek Homecoming recently. The 1953 class had the largest number in attendance. Terry Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Walton, was crowned Homecoming Queen during half-time of the Paint Creek vs. Olden football game.

Haskell is represented by nine students among the record 1,040 enrolled at Cisco Junior College. Students from Haskell are Mary Lee Alexander, James Nathan Berry, Timothy Everett, Donna Sue Gordon, Kathryn Diane Harris, Lonnie Wayne Hodgin, Glenn Pogue, Alvin Lee Schmidt and Sherry Lynn Teague.

Marsha Shaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shaver, Jr. of Rochester, was selected South Plains Maid of Cotton at a pageant held in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium. Marsha is a junior student at Texas Tech.

40 Years Ago

October 8, 1959

A rat control program to rid the downtown section of rats was launched under the supervision of V. R. Smith of the Extension Service of Texas A&M College.

Mrs. R. C. Couch, Sr. was in Abilene last week to attend the flower show sponsored by the Abilene Garden Club.

Showing of the new 1960 Chevrolet models and the revolutionary new Corvair, atrracted an estimated 2,000 people to the showroom of Smith-Toliver last week.

Haskell High School class of

1936 held its reunion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr. Mr. Couch was a member of the class

50 Years Ago October 13, 1949 A party of five Haskell men left for Colorado to be there when the deer, bear and elk hunting season opens. The men are H. M. Smith, Sam. A. Roberts, Frank Reynolds, Albert Peiser and C. G. Covey. They plan to spend ten days on the trip.

Two Haskell county students are among the 480 enrolled at Wayland College in Plainview. They are Mickey Rudell Johnston from O'Brien and Neil (Jack) Jeter from Sagerton.

Newest entertainment attraction for this section is the new H-H Drive-In Theatre, located just north of Stamford city limits on the Haskell Highway. The theatre is under the management of A. J. (Andy) Stone, formerly of Haskell, who has spent 18 years in the show business.

90 Years Ago October 9, 1909

C. B. McConnell, employed at the Haskell Broom Factory, left for Milwaukee to attend the Convention of the International Broom and Whisk Makers Union.

Chas. McGregor and family have returned from Germany and will make Haskell their home in the future.

S. W. Scott shipped four cars of cattle to Fort Worth market.

Theodore Scharff of Sagerton said crops are short in his section. However, he says he will make some cotton and in fact will do better this year than the first year he farmed in Haskell county.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Haskell Elementary fourth graders and teachers would like to thank the Haskell County Farm Bureau for hosting the 4th Annual Ag in the Classroom for Haskell County fourth graders. We appreciate all the people it takes to organize and carry out such an event successfully.

Our thanks go out to Dr. Tom Hairgrove and the Farm Bureau Board of Directors for providing lunch and to County Judge David Davis for cooking the hamburgers. We know that there were many others behind the scenes preparing and serving a lunch greatly enjoyed by the students and sponsors.

Many thanks also go to James Bevel, Duane Gilly, Haskell County 4-H members, FFA and Haskell High School FFA PALS for making the many activities so interesting and educational. This event gets better each year.

Sincerely. Judith Chapman Susan LeFevre

Renee McClellan Haskell Elementary 4th Grade

Teachers



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HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS–Standing back row, I-r, Kira Poteet, Mascot Deshea Phemister, Freddie Williams, Kim Hamnes. Center, Megan Bird and Amanda Perry. Bottom, Brittany Bartley and Jodi Thigpen. Photo by Kis



JV CHEERLEADERS-Standing, I-r, are Jessica Miller, Tracy Mathis, Brandy Smith, Jillian Thomas and Kristen Rodela. Sitting is Tiffany Lindsey. Photo by Kis

Police Report

Haskell Police Chief Tom Bassett reports that September and October have been busy months for the Haskell Police Dept, with a variety of crimes and law breaking in an around the city.

Over the week-end a 1992 Buick was stolen about 11:00 or 11:15 a.m. from in front of the First United Methodist Church. The vehicle was reported stolen at 12:24 by the complainant. It was reported to area law enforcement offices by radio.

At approximately 12:42, in Knox County, Deputy Jason Zeissel observed the stolen vehicle occupied by three juvenile males, driving in the City of Munday. The three juvenile males were taken into custody. They were identified as three boys living at the Boys Home in Stamford. They had been reported missing at 12:00 a.m., having run away from the home. The stolen vehicle was returned to the owner.

In an assault family violence case, Sat., Oct. 9, at 11:00 p.m., officers Bassett and Shawn Lewis responded to a 911 call at 809 S. Sept. 6, a complainant reported that her common-law husband had assaulted her. The complainant is seven months pregnant. The suspect was arrested for family violence assault. The complainant then bonded him out of jail.

In the month of September, the police department recorded three criminal mischiefs and two flatbed trailers that were stolen.

Investigation still continues into the recent bomb threat to the High School Chief Bassett reports that the Haskell Police Dept. and District Attorney's Office have sent local phone companies subpoenas requesting records associated with phone calls. This includes cellular phones as well. Chief Bassett said the School, GTE Office, D.A. Office, Police Dept. and local law enforcement have been cooperating effectively and are pursuing all leads.

As a Crime Prevention Tip, Chief Bassett said the police department has seen several check forgeries this year. As a citizen, it would be helpful for you to give your identification number so the

Range Field Day set Oct. 28 in Vernon

by Brandon Anderson Haskell Co. Extension Agent

Farmers, ranchers and landowners can update their knowledge of brush control, sustainable livestock production and how to improve grazing on native rangelands at an Oct. 28 Range Field Day conducted by researchers at Texas A&M's Agricultural Research and Extension Center in Vernon.

The day-long tour will visit several ranch-sized field research sites at the 35,000-acre Kite Camp on the W. T. Waggoner estate, said Jim Ansley, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station rangeland ecologist,

Participants will meet at the Wilbarger Auditorium (2100 Yamparika) from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. to visit, enjoy coffee and view poster displays before the tour buses depart at 9 a.m. Those who plan to attend should pre-register by Oct. 15 by calling the Vernon at (940) 552-9941 or the Haskell County Extension Office at (940) 864-2658 or 864-2546. During the day, Richard Teague, range ecologist and Kite Camp leader, will outline the cost, benefits and potential of using fire and rotational grazing for brush control. He will also present current results of range research conducted at the Kite Camp.

Ansley will compare effects of prescribed fire and herbicide treatments for brush management. Bill Pinchak, range animal nutritionist, will discuss beef production and the effects of prescribed fire on ruminant nutrition. J. F. Cadenhead, Extension range and brush control specialist, will discuss weed and brush control options. The noon tour stop will include a catered lunch and a featured speaker.

"Each of these research treatments covers 4,000 to 5,000 acres. Our objective is to identify combinations of rotational grazing and prescribed burning that help

control brush and boost sustainable livestock production," Ansley said. "The field day will summarize our first four years of research on grazing management, mesquite control, forage growth, livestock response and the economics of



JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS-Standing, I-r, are Alexis Reed and Brittany Rutkowski. Center, Lynzie Harlan and Brittany Bird. Sitting, Melody Kennedy and Whitney Wallace. Photo by Kis

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7th, Haskell, regarding a disturbance. There the officers contacted a female complainant, who stated that her common-law husband had assaulted her. When officers contacted the male suspect they discovered the female complainant had also stabbed him in the back. The listed male was taken to emergency room by EMS and was later placed in jail for assault. The listed female was also placed in jail for assault.

Last week, on Sept. 26, at about 12:00 a.m., a complainant reported a 1995 Mercury Cougar parked at 1200 Ave. G was entered without permission. Stolen from the vehicle was a purse with contents including \$57.00 in currency and other miscellaneous items.

In an odd sequence of events, on that same date a bicycle was stolen from 604 N. 14th, Haskell. When Munday police officers received a call of a stolen motor vehicle in the City of Munday that day, officer Rogers found the stolen bicycle at the scene of the motor vehicle theft. The stolen vehicle was later recovered in Knox County, and two juveniles from Seymour were taken into custody for the theft of the vehicle, the bicycle and for burglary of the the motor vehicle in Haskell. The two juveniles showed officer Roman Morgan and deputy David Haliburton where they had hidden the purse and its contents that were taken from the vehicle in Haskell. All property was returned to the complainants. Both juveniles were taken to Juvenile Detention in Abilene.

Like what you're reading? Call 940-864-2686 to Subscribe. clerk can write it down on the check. Bassett said this will help with prosecution and can also keep the cost of merchandise lower for the consumer. In case a check book or credit card is missing or stolen, it should be reported immediately to law enforcement and your financial institution. different range management alternatives."

A publication summarizing results of Kite Camp and other range research at the Vernon center will be distributed to field day participants before the tour returns to the Wilbarger Auditorium at 3:30 p. m.



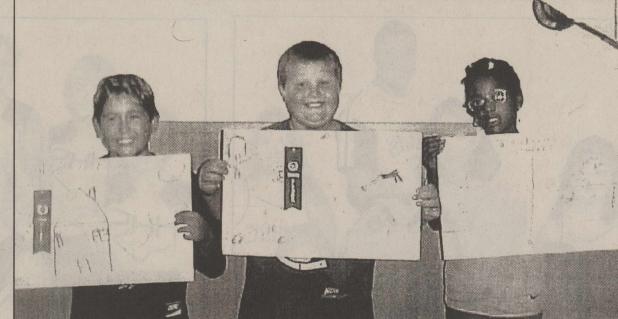
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FIRE PREVENTION POSTERS-First place winner, Brooke Bullinger, left, 2nd place winner, James Williams, and 3rd place winner Kristina Bitner, took top honors in the Primary K-2 Division in the Fire **Prevention Poster Contest.**



INTERMEDIATE WINNERS-Lacey Peiser, left, took 1st place with her Fire Prevention Poster, in the Intermediate Division. Samuel Bitner, center, won 2nd place and Jody Langford took 3rd place in the division. Winning posters will advance to the District Contest to be held at the April Fire Convention. District winners will advance to the State Competition.



SPECIAL WINNERS-Justin Amaro, left, with 1st place, Robert Crain with 2nd place and Brittan Jordan with 3rd place, were the winners in the Special Education Division of the Fire Prevention Poster Contest sponsored by the Haskell Volunteer Fire Dept.



FIRE POSTER WINNERS-Noe Rivera, left, won 2nd place and Mollie McKnight won 3rd place for their Fire Prevention Posters in the Jr. High Sixth Grade Division. Not pictured is 1st place winner, Miguel Chavez.

By Dorothy M. Clark

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Beautiful weather continues with no rain. There has been a little "nip" in the air some mornings, but we'd much rather be experiencing some measurable moisture.

The Rule Bobcats won their first District football game last Friday night against the Jayton Jaybirds. Our local boys did well and we congratulate the team. This week will be the game with the longtime rivals, the Rochester Steers at the local field. We expect a large crowd to be rooting for the

Kinsey, Tully and Cade Brown, Pastor Jeff, Marie and Thomas Zell, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Frances Clark, Charles and Dorothy Clark, Brittany Lammert and the Perez children. The supper for November will be changed to the first Wednesday night instead of Tuesday because of election day. Hosts will be Frances Clark, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre and Charles and Dorothy Clark.

Sagerton News

Joe and Dorothy Clark spent the weekend at LaGrange and Houston. At LaGrange they visited for a

other relatives and friends in LaGrange. She attended her hometown football game on Friday night and experienced an exciting win over Giddings.

The quarterly business meeting of Faith Lutheran Church was held Sunday morning after worship services with the election of officers for the upcoming year being the main order of business. Officers elected included: president, J. B. Toney; secretary, Patsy Quade; elder, Larry Nehring. The

Around Town By Joyce Hawkins

Sonny and Martha Matthews of Midland visited his mother, Delma Matthews and her dad, Cleve and Ann Decker over the weekend.

Wilbert and Dwanna Klose spent Sat. night with their daughter and family Ray and Kam King and baby of near Dublin.

On Sat. Dorann Reding from Seymour came by and picked up her parents Frank and Joyce White and took them to Abilene for a day out and to do some shopping.

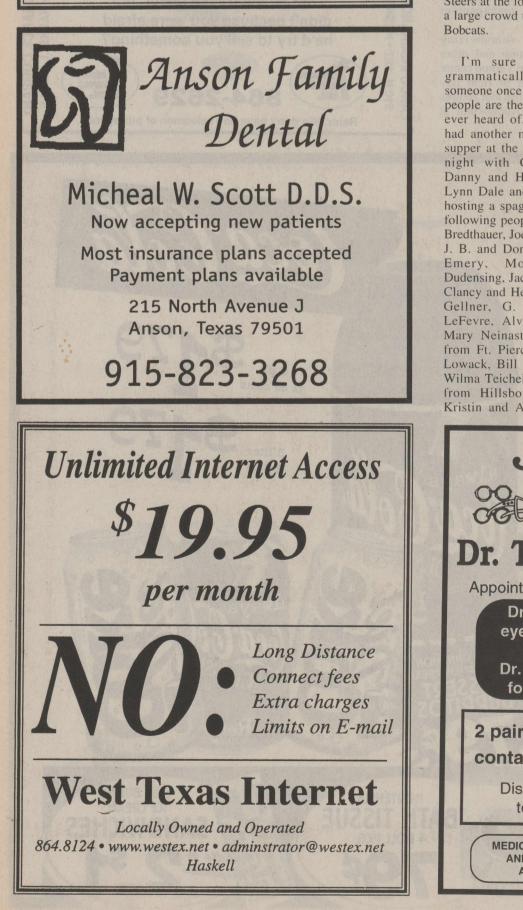
Mattie Avis and husband of Arlington visited her sisters Dora Holley, Callie Moore and Nellie Bird for a few days.

Mrs. Lynn Pace's sister Frances Pearson and son Dr. Dan Pearson flew down from Amarillo to visit with Lynn and Marge on Sunday.

During the week Buck Welch of Munday came by and visited with George and Faye Gray. On Sat. their daughter Judy Hicks from Abilene came over for a visit.

Visiting with Ruby Holt a few. days this past week was a niece Patsy Franklin of Plano.

CASU 12 Navy reunion was held Oct. 7-9 at Ameriswites Hotel. Bernice Hilliard and her daughter attended the reunion.-Seventy-two attended the reunion. Activities on Fri. were a bus trip to Fredericksburg, visiting Admiral Nimitz Museum, a gourmet lunch, a river cruise, visiting the Alamo Museum and a banquet at Randolph Air Force Base. A business



I'm sure that that this is grammatically incorrect, but someone once said: "you Sagerton people are the 'eatin'est' people I ever heard of." Sure enough, we had another monthly community supper at the center last Tuesday night with Odene Dudensing, Danny and Helen Lammert and Lynn Dale and Renee Dudensing hosting a spaghetti supper for the following people: Alvin and Alice Bredthauer, Joe and Dorothy Clark, J. B. and Dorothy Toney, Abby, Emery, Molly and Jenny Dudensing, Jack and Peggy Tabor, Clancy and Helen Lehrmann, J. J. Gellner, G. W. and Ophelia LeFevre, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Mary Neinast, Bertha Shepherd from Ft. Pierce, Florida, Corene Lowack, Bill and Margie Hertel. Wilma Teichelman, Sylvia Crowe from Hillsboro, Mike, Cheryl, Kristin and Andrew Hertel, Jill,

short while at the Heritage Museum to collect family history and then went on to Houston where they visited with their daughter and family, Peggy, David and Christopher Adler. They attended the Astros baseball game on Friday only to experience a loss after twelve innings of play. The game was of special significance for Joe in that it would be the second to last baseball game to be played in the Astrodome and he was also there to see the teams warming up for the first game to be played in the dome some thirty plus years ago. The Astros' new home, Enron Field, is slated to open by opening day of next year's season. The roof is on, the seats are in and soon there will be a visible natural grass turf. The Clarks have been watching the progress on the new field during their visits to Houston. Gladys Vahlenkamp of Old

Glory accompanied the Clarks on their trip and visited with her brother, the Walter Oeltjens and nominating committee elected for next year was Clancy Lehrmann, Hilda Kieke and Joe Swofford.

Lena Boedeker of Stamford visited in the home of Alvin and Alice Bredthauer last week.

Don, Patsy and Tom Bivins of Valley View had Sunday dinner with Joe and Dorothy Clark as they were on their way home from a weekend in Ruidoso, N. M.

Family Night was held at Faith Lutheran Church Sunday night with a potluck supper followed by wonderful entertainment by Prayer-E Strings of the Methodist Church in Haskell. The musical group presented a program of old time gospel music as well as other loved hymns, all played on dulcimers, guitar, harmonica and recorder. The local branch of the Aid Association for Lutherans Insurance Group sponsored the program. It was well received by the people present and a most enjoyable program. We thank the Haskell performers for coming over and sharing their talent with

meeting and slide presentation were held on Sat.

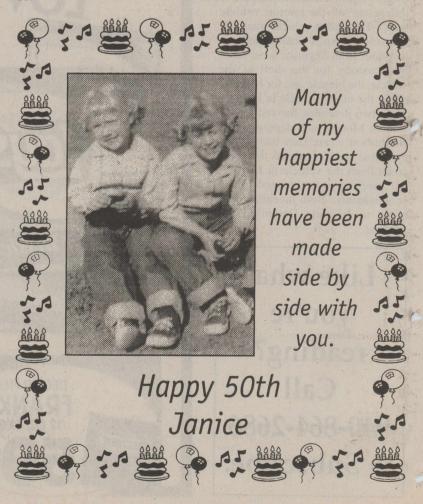
Sat. afternoon Bernice and Pa drove to Waco and spent the night with Ken Hilliard and returned home Sun.

Pirates lose to Lueders-Avoca

Eugene Escamilla scored for the Paint Creek Pirates on a 60-yard run on the first play of the six-man game, but it wasn't enough as the Lueders-Avoca Raiders took over for a 51-6 win.

Scott Anders scored for the Raiders on an 18-yard pass reception, and runs of 19, 15, 60, 2. 10 and 1 yards.

In addition to kicking a pointafter, Rob West also ran for a Raider PAT, adding six more on a 15-yard touchdown run. Lueders-Avoca now moves to 1-5, while Paint Creek falls to 0-6.



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VIOLENCE PROCLAMATION-Haskell County Judge David Davis and County Attorney Bill Jones sign a proclamation designating October as Domestic Violence Awareness Month for Noah Project-North Service Area Director Donna Sue Anders, in recognition of the important work done by the Project to promote safety and security for all citizens.

ECC Menu and Calendar

Monday, October 18 9:30 a.m. Miracle Ear Hearing Lunch-Hamburgers, hamburger salad, tator tots, pork 'n beans, cobbler, milk, tea or coffee

Wednesday, October 20 11:00 a.m. Outreach Health Service blood pressure check

Lou Gilly Texas Dept. of Health Flu Shot Clinic 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon; 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Lunch-Meatballs, mushroom gravy, potatoes, broccoli, carrot raisin salad, banana pudding, bread, milk, tea or coffee

Friday, October 22 Lunch-Chicken enchiladas, Spanish rice, refried beans, tossed salad, cookies, 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.

This Week's Devotional Message: YOUR CHILDREN NEED MORE THAN SCHOOL ALONE

As the approaching school season appears on the horizon, it's time to realize that the school, for all its importance in teaching your children the basic skills of life, is actually the second stage of their education. The first is in the home, where they should learn manners, unselfishness, the difference between right and wrong, and respect for authority and the rights of others, before they take even the first step out of the house; because the outside world begins right on your doorstep. Moreover, the character they develop during these years will remain with them all through life, so this early training should also include an education in faith, in the Sunday school at the Church of your choice.

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 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 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

Greater Independent Baptist Church Sun. Morn. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p. 301 N. 3rd St., Haskell **New Covenant Foursquare** Kevin and Sharon Fletcher, pastors 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** Troy Culpepper, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 301 N. Ave. E, Haske 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. Paint Creek ----WEINERT----**First Baptist Church** Joel Rister, pastor Sun. Morn. 10:00 a., 11:00 a., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m. Weinert Weinert Methodist Church **Rev. James Patterson** Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m. Weinert Weinert Foursquare Church Rev. Joyce Goossen and Rev. Diane Crownover Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Weinert -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. Clarence Walker** Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

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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. Rochester

-SAGERTON-Sagerton Methodist Church Tommy Wilson, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m. 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 l'urner Jr., pasto 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** Shane Brue, pastor Sun. Morn. Worship 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.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 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.

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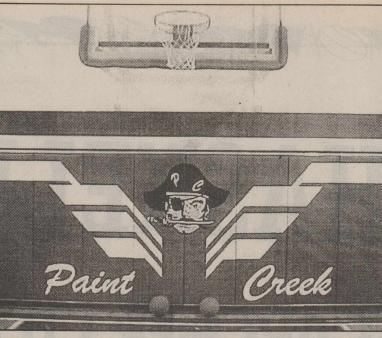
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Haskell School Menu

Oct. 18-22 Breakfast

Juice or fruit and milk are served daily on the breakfast menu. Cereal offered daily. Monday: Buttered toast/jelly

Tuesday: Egg, toast and sausage Wednesday: Blueberry muffins Thursday: Biscuit/gravy, sausage Friday: Breakfast pizza

Lunch A choice of baked potato with choice of topping or a salad bar are offered daily at the High School. Ala-carte line offered daily Secondary only. Snack bar price list posted in each class. Milk and assorted drinks are served daily at

the High School. Milk and juice are served daily at the Elementary School.

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Tuesday: Chicken nuggets/gravy, creamed potatoes, blackeyed peas, hot rolls, diced pears

Wednesday: Stromboli, tater tots, vegetable sticks w/dip, orange wedges

Thursday: Hamburger, French fries, pickle spears, Jello cake

Friday: Chicken fried steak/gravy, creamed potatoes, seasoned green beans, hot rolls, ice cream

Tuesday: Hamburger steak, cream

Wednesday: Pizza, corn, salad,

Thursday: Ham or tuna

Friday: Hamburgers, fries, pork

chili beans, peach cobbler

potatoes, salad, cake

sandwiches, chips, fruit

and beans, ice cream

Paint Creek School Menu

October 18-22
Breakfast
Milk and juice are served daily
Monday: Cereal
Tuesday: Muffins
Wednesday: Toast and jelly
Thursday: Biscuits and gravy
Friday: Donuts
Lunch
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Haskell Healthcare Center

fruit

by Betty Hearn **Activity Director** We have three new residents: Faye Walton, Fadwa Hassen and Berdie Bedford. Also, Tori Hicks is Moody stated there was a big group.

Hermon Hearn has agreed to play some country western music some time this month. We are looking forward to it. The Trinity Baptist are providing our church service at 3:00 each Sun. this month. The Church of Christ service is at 4:00. The residents are looking forward to these groups who faithfully come.

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

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the new director of nurses.

We were sorry to lose Mrs. Velma Hatfield. We will miss her. October is here again and we are

planning to have a Halloween Carnival Tues., Oct. 26 at 6:00 p.m. The public is invited. We plan to have a cake walk, concession stand, fortune teller, spook house and other games with prizes.

Everyone enjoyed the gospel singers last Tues. night. Mrs.

All volunteers are welcome. If you would like to volunteer, call 864-8537 and speak to Betty Hearn, activity director.

Community Calendar

Fall Harvest Festival

The Noah Project-North Fall Harvest Festival will be held Sat., Oct. 30 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the Civic Center in Haskell. Fun, food and games will be held for the whole family. Proceeds will go toward the Noah Project-North and victims of family violence. A donation of one can of food per person would be appreciated. Immunizations

The Texas Dept. of Health in Stamford will hold an immunization clinic Thurs., Oct. 21 at the American Legion Hall in Haskell. Clinic times are 1 to 4 p.m. For

more information, call 915-773-5681.

Tech Football offered

offer a Texas Tech football, autographed by this year's Red Raider team, to be raffled on Oct. 22 at the Haskell Homecoming game against Seymour. Tickets for this special game ball will go on sale Fri., Oct. 8 at the Olney football game and may be purchased at the concession stand during any home game. Tickets are \$1 each or six tickets for \$5. Proceeds will benefit the Haskell Indian Band

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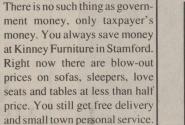
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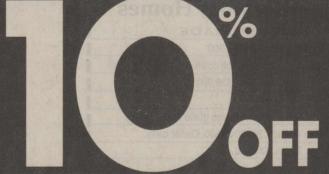
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