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HASKELL HIGH SCHOOL CHORAL CLUB

## Choral Club Will Present Annual Public Concert Tuesday

The Chanters have been presented at worship services of several local churches, and in March they received the honor of appearing before the Northwest Central Methodist Conference of The Woman's Society of Christian Service which was in session at St. John's Methodist Church in Stamford.

## "Haskell County" To Be Contested May 15

High School age up is eligible to enter under sponsorship of a business concern. The young woman selected for the title will be presented an attractive loving cup and will receive a one year season pass to the Texas Theatre. Two runner-ups will receive six months and three months season tickets.

## Plans For Rice Springs Roundup Complete With Show Date Near

Only last minute details remain to be completed in preparation for the third annual Rice Springs Roundup opening here Thursday, May 17, committee in charge of plans for the three-day show said today.

## Youth Injured in Fall from Pole When Spikes Slip

Billy Wayne Alexander, 18, of Wejnert, was taken to the Haskell County Hospital Thursday morning for treatment of a broken right shoulder after falling from a 25-foot pole, reports Sheriff Bill Pennington.

## Marriage License Issued to Four Couples in April

County Clerk Horace Oneal reports four marriage licenses were issued during the month of April. They were Major Lewis, Jr., Haskell, and Birdie Lee Banks Abilene; Robert Joe McGaughey, Rule and Donna Mae Smith, Rule; Billy Mack Gough, Stamford; and Eleanor Joyce Brown, Stamford; Edna Lee Smith, Rule; and Euna Mae Smith, Rule.

## Annual Pinkerton Whitman Reunion Slated Saturday

All former residents of Pinkerton and Whitman are invited to bring their families and picnic baskets to the big annual reunion which will be held in the American Legion building, Haskell, at 5 p. m. Saturday, May 5.

Cards have been sent to many of the former residents and a large attendance is expected at the event. The old fashioned get-together was inaugurated in 1954 and it was voted to make the event an annual affair, to be held on the first Saturday in May each year.

Part I  
The Lost Chord (Sullivan); The Stranger of Galilee (Morris)—Chorus.  
He (Richards); His Hand (Hamblen)—Chorus.  
The Lord's Prayer (Malotte)—Double Sextet.  
All Night, All Day (Negro Spiritual)—Chorus.

Part II  
It's a Big, Wide Wonderful World (Rox); Be Kind to Your Parents (Rome)—Chorus.  
Somewhere Over the Rainbow (Arlen)—Double Sextet.  
Always (Berlin); The Wind at Night (Zamecnik)—Chorus.  
Rock and Roll Waltz (Ware); A Cake Shop Romance (Osborne)—Chorus.  
Nocturne (Mastroleo)—Chorus.

## Slow, Soaking Rains Bring Needed Planting Moisture

Heaviest rainfall received here since October, 1955 brought more than one and one-half inches of moisture Monday night, with similar rainfall reported over the entire county.

Precipitation here Monday night ranged from 1.25 inches to 1.65 in various sections of the city. The rain came in ideal form, falling slowly throughout most of the night Monday.

Martin believes. Moisture received this week will send oats a long way toward maturity, he said. He estimates farmers have between 40,000 and 50,000 acres in oats this year.

## Meeting Called To Select Little League Managers

Jay Weaver, president of Haskell's Youth Development program, announced today that a call meeting would be held at 8 p. m. Monday, May 7 in the district court room for the purpose of getting managers for the Little League ball teams and other activities pertaining to the program.

## Preston Derr, 66, Dies Saturday, Rites Held Sunday

Preston Derr, 66, longtime resident of Wejnert, died at 10:15 a. m. Saturday in the Haskell Hospital. He had been ill since January.

## New Candidates Enter District And Precinct Races This Week

Sixth political contest for office in Haskell County developed this week with the announcement of W. P. (Bill) Ratliff that he was a candidate for the 39th District Attorney.

## Haskell Senior to Compete in State Shorthand Contest

Gladys Conner, Haskell High Senior will go to Austin Friday evening to compete Saturday in the state contest for shorthand students of the Interscholastic League.

## Replicans Slate Precinct, County Conventions

Haskell County Republicans have scheduled precinct conventions in Haskell and Rule Saturday, May 8, County Chairman R. C. Couch, Sr., has announced.

## Elizabeth Middleton Stewart, Incumbent by Appointment, is Opposed by H. B. (Henry) Atkinson of Haskell and Richard E. Mathis Jr., of Rule.

Sheriff Bill Pennington, seeking a second term, is opposed by Glen Doolson, Haskell automobile dealer, and Robert L. Dumas, Haskell farmer.

## Parade Route for Opening Day Planned

Route for the opening day parade has been planned, as follows: Starting from Saddle Tramp Arena gates, the parade will go west one block to Ave. D, then north to the southeast corner of the square; turn west to Ave. E, then south to Highway 24 where

## Heavy Damage to Hattox Store, Building

An early morning fire Saturday, which for a time threatened an entire business block on the west side of the square, caused damage estimated at \$25,000 or more to the two-story Sherrill Building, and to stock and fixtures of Hattox Hardware and Furniture store and West Side Barber Shop.

## Early-Morning Fire Causes Heavy Damage to Hattox Store, Building

The fire was reported at approximately 3:45 a. m. by night operators located across the street from the Sherrill Building. The operators, Lois Nicholson and Evalde Oakley, heard the noise of windows shattering from intense heat and called the City Fire Station as smoke and flames started pouring from the broken windows.

## Political Pattern to be Shaped At Precinct Meetings May 5

## Six Persons Named in 12 Indictments Returned by Grand Jury Friday

Six persons were named in 12 indictments returned by the 39th District Grand Jury impaneled Friday morning for the April court term in Haskell County.

## Mrs. Wilbert Klose New Employee in Free Press Office

New addition to the personnel of The Free Press is Mrs. Wilbert Klose of this city, who began work this week as bookkeeper and office manager.

## Pattern of Texas politics at the top level will begin to take shape Saturday, when precinct conventions are scheduled by both Democrat and Republican parties throughout the state.

Major interest in Haskell County will center in the Democratic precinct conventions, called for 2 p. m. in each of the county's 20 voting boxes. However, Republicans have scheduled a precinct convention in Rule and Haskell.

## James Roy Conway of Roscoe was charged with burglary in three separate indictments, companion cases to the ones charged against the Lueders man.

Frank Sanchez of Knox City was charged in two separate indictments with burglary at night, and a third with theft of property valued at more than \$50. The burglary charges were based on alleged break-ins at the O. S. Covey service station in O'Brien and the D. O. Griffin service station at Rochester. Theft over \$50 was charged in connection with a radiator, carburetor and battery allegedly taken from the Lloyd Stephens farm near O'Brien. The burglaries and thefts occurred in February of this year.

## Frank Sanchez of Knox City was charged in two separate indictments with burglary at night, and a third with theft of property valued at more than \$50.

Billy Wayne Alexander of Wejnert was indicted for forgery and passing a forged instrument to a Haskell store in December, 1955.

## Two resolutions certain to be submitted at the precinct conventions according to reliable sources, will require all delegates to pledge themselves to support and work for the election of all nominees of the Democratic party, and to instruct precinct delegates to vote as a unit in the county convention, and to send only delegates to the State convention who are willing if called upon to pledge support and vote for Democratic nominees from precinct to precinct.

Chas. M. Conner, county chairman of the Democratic party, said that voters in Haskell's four precincts would meet at the following places:

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## For Commissioner in Precinct 3, the incumbent, Estie Gilleland, candidate for a third term, has four opponents: Louie Kuenstler, Glenn Walton, Alfred Grand and Paul Fischer.

In the race for Precinct No. 1 Constable, Bob Marlow, seeking a second term, is opposed by Frank South and John H. Clifton.

## Mrs. F. A. Klose, 83, Pioneer Resident, Dies Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. F. A. Klose, pioneer resident of Haskell County, will be held at 3 p. m. today at the Trinity Lutheran Church. Mrs. Klose, 83, died at 8:25 a. m. Wednesday at her home here after an illness of about three weeks.

## Survivors include his mother, Mrs. J. W. Derr of Wejnert; two daughters, Mrs. J. E. Berryhill, Searcy, Ark.; and Mrs. Woodrow Frazier of Haskell; four sisters, Mrs. E. J. Couch of Haskell, Mrs. Howard King of Portales, N. M., Mrs. J. R. Terrill of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Morris Ford of Haskell; and four grandchildren.

## Palbearers were Thea Free, Slover Bledsoe, V. P. Terrill, Truett Cobb, Paul Voselet, J. M. Glass, Colen Hammer, and Harlan Wejnert.

## Firemen worked for more than an hour, using all three trucks of the department, in bringing the stubborn blaze under control and confining the fire to the second floor of the building. All of the fire damage was confined to partition walls, ceiling and roof of the building on the north side in the upper story.

## Heavy damage from heat, smoke and water resulted to other parts of the building and to the stock and fixtures of Hattox Hardware and Furniture store, which occupies the major part of the ground floor. Some damage done water and smoke was reported in the adjoining West Side Barber Shop in the same building.

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## Other announced candidates, unopposed to date, are: State Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe.

## State Representative Ed J. Cloud of Rule.

## County Attorney Curtis Pogue.

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The second floor of the building, formerly occupied by a rooming house, had been unoccupied for more than two months, and origin of the fire could not be determined.

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All furniture and fixtures of the rooming house had been moved.

# Sagerton News

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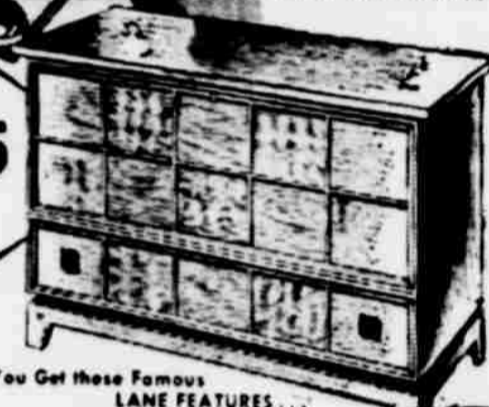
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### Big Parade Thursday, May 17, 4 p. m.



Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Pilley of Abilene visited with friends here at the Sagerton Methodist church Sunday and also were present at the dinner at the school cafeteria held by members of the Sagerton and Tuxedo Methodist Churches.

Mrs. Herbert Stremmel entertained the members of the Sagerton H-D Club in her home Tuesday afternoon April 24. The group enjoyed working on aluminum trays. The members present were Misses Glyn Quade, A. C. Knipping, F. A. Stegemoller, E. J. Neinst, Joe Clark, and the hostess, Mrs. Chas. Clark and Mrs. Carl Hertel were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark and family were surprised with a "Housewarming" Monday night of last week. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hertel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Baitz, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rappelt and Leslie Baitz of Stamford, Mrs. Annie Tredemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark and sons, Mrs. John Clark, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Diers and family, Rev. and Mrs. Zucker, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stegemoller and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and family of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tschelman and girls, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sheld, Cris Wolsch and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Bell, and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Letz and family and the honorees.

The officers for the coming year were elected at the meeting of the Sagerton P-TA Tuesday evening of last week. Mrs. Joe Clark was elected president, Mrs. Pat Sellers vice president, and Mrs. E. J. Neinst will be secretary-treasurer.

The students of all grades presented a variety show of skits, dances and songs.

The students of the 7th and 8th grades of the Sagerton School made a sight-seeing trip to Dallas Friday of last week. They were accompanied by Miss Stewart, their sponsor, and Cotton Bell, bus driver.

### A. C. (Pete) Sego For Commissioner Precinct No. 1

A. C. (Pete) Sego, well known farmer of the Rule area, and former county official, authorized the announcement this week of his candidacy for Commissioner in Precinct No. 1, subject to action of the Democratic Primary.

Mr. Sego said that he would likely have a formal statement later, but desired at this time to acquaint the voters with his candidacy and to express his appreciation for their support and confidence expressed in the past in electing him Commissioner for two terms.

Mr. Sego served as Precinct No. 1 Commissioner for four years, from 1951 through 1953, and is well acquainted and thoroughly qualified to discharge the duties of the office capably and efficiently.

He has firsthand knowledge of the problems and needs of the precinct, and a background of four years experience fully qualifies him to serve the precinct and county in a satisfactory and businesslike manner.

Between now and time the primary is held, Mr. Sego plans to make as intensive a campaign as possible. He will endeavor to see every voter in the precinct and discuss his candidacy with them personally.

Until that opportunity is afforded, Mr. Sego solicits and will appreciate the consideration of his candidacy by voters in Precinct 1.

### Farm Bureau Agent Awarded Trip to Colorado

Clinton Herren, Haskell Farm Bureau Agent, has won a three-day all-expense paid trip to Colorado in the early part of July, it was announced recently.

The contest is a state wide affair for agents who sell Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance. In order to win, the agent had to sell \$100,000 or more of life insurance during the period from January 3 to May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Herren will be guests of the insurance company at the 160 acre estate, Stanley Hotel, a \$1,500,000 luxury hotel in the Estes Park region.

### Sagerton Student On Honor Roll at John Tarleton

Stephenville—J. D. Wendeborn of Sagerton has been named to the mid-semester B honor roll at Tarleton State College.

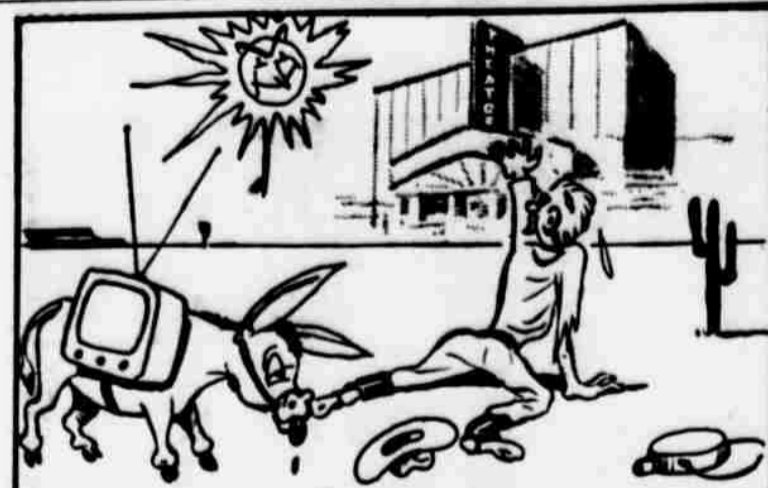
He is a freshman majoring in physical education. To be listed on the B honor roll a student must make no grade lower than a B.

### ATTEND FARM BUREAU INSURANCE MEETING

C. H. Herren and H. D. Gam-mill of the Haskell Farm Bureau, were in Waco April 29-May 1 for a state wide meeting of the Southern Farm Bureau Insurance Company events. While in Waco the two men attended classes of instruction in administration management and sales work.

### PARENTS OF SON

A son, Joseph Calvin, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Judisak of Westcliffe, Colo., Tuesday April 10 at Corwin Hospital in Pueblo, Colo. He weighed six pounds, 14 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rogers of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Judisak, Walsenburg, Colo.



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**CHEESE** lb. **49c**

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**Lemons** **10¢**



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Maryland Club Pound **Coffee** **97¢** Kraft Quart Jar **Miracle Whip** **49¢**

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KIMBELL'S TALL CAN  
**Pork & Beans** 8 cans **\$1**

**JELL-O** 3 For **25¢**

WILSON'S GOLDEN BRAND  
**OLEO** lb. **15¢**

LARGE BOX  
**SURF** Washing Powder **29¢**

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**FOR SALE:** Nearly new Junior size riding saddle. Call 238 after 4 o'clock. 17-18p

**ECLIPSE, Gaerne Lawn Mower** for Sale. See W. A. Holt. 18c

**MAY 5th: Last day for Re-Sale Shop.** Some bargains left. Be careful with offers, you may buy something. Re-Sale Shop. 18c

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### Center Point H-D Club Observing National Week

April 29 through May 5 is National Home Demonstration Club Week and Mrs. Clyde L. Bland of the Center Point Club has summarized the services of the home demonstration clubs to women of the rural areas.

**Social**  
I like the social advantages. We farm women have too few opportunities for social contacts with other women. The club gives us the chance to see others. We also have recreational meetings in which the entire family takes part.

**Educational**  
The work of the club is very educational. We have demonstrations each month whereby we learn new and better ways of doing things. Outstanding speakers and specialists come to us for county wide meetings.

**Leadership**  
The club is good training ground for leadership. Leaders get the demonstrations from the agent and bring them back to the members and non-members.

**Progressive**  
It helps us to get out of a rut when we see and hear others demonstrate better ways of doing things.

**Fellowship**  
The fellowship with others in our meetings, federation meetings and achievement day is definitely worthwhile. On these occasions we make new friends and renew our ties with old friends.

**Citizenship**  
The ideals for which the club stands tend to make us better citizens. One is not apt to repeat the club collect without thinking what it means and perhaps striving a little harder to live up to it.

**Charity**  
We develop charity by contributing to worthwhile local, national and international relief funds sponsored by the club.

**Artistic**  
The club helps artistically by teaching us ways of remodeling and improving our homes, landscaping our grounds, and by bringing us the latest fashions and information on better grooming and personal appearance.

The clubs are open to all women interested in learning new practices in homemaking. Center Point Club was one of the first clubs in the county to be organized and still has an active charter member in the person of Mrs. J. F. Jeter.

### New Officers Named For Philadelphian Club of Rule

New officers were elected for the club year 1956-57 at the last meeting of the year held by the Philadelphian Club of Rule. Hostesses were Mrs. Dock Rose, Mrs. M. McKinney and Mrs. C. O. Davis.

The officers elected were: Mrs. C. A. Jackson, president; Mrs. O. Cole, first vice president; Mrs. S. W. Cole, 2nd vice president; Mrs. H. J. Cloud, recording secretary; Mrs. W. D. Payne, treasurer; Mrs. A. L. Lee, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. O. Davis, parliamentarian; Mrs. Audie Verner, critic; Easie Crow Davis, publicity; and Mrs. J. E. Geer, custodian.

Refreshments were served to the guests.

# NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



MARY ANN THOMAS

### Mary Ann Thomas, Jerry Wheatley Betrothal Told

Mr. and Mrs. Adell Thomas, Haskell, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann to Jerry Dale Wheatley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wheatley. The wedding has been scheduled for June 3. The couple are recent graduates of Haskell High School and are now attending the University of Texas at Austin.

### Pleasant Blue Birds Discuss Visit to Park

The Pleasant Blue Birds met Thursday April 19. The meeting was called to order by the president Jennabeth Pitman and the minutes of the last meeting were read by secretary Vickie Lee Burson.

Project for the week was story telling by each member who took a nature trip to the park on April 12. Refreshments were served by Doyle New, to the members.

More than 78 per cent of vehicles involved in fatal accidents in 1955 were traveling straight ahead.

Read the Want Ads.

### Delta Kappa Gamma Officers Will Be Installed May 5

Mrs. John P. Ward, retiring president, will conduct the installation for Mrs. Luther Burkett, president of Haskell, and other new officers of Delta Kappa Gamma's May meeting set for 2 p. m. on Saturday in the banquet room of the Texas Cafe in Haskell. Assisting her will be other out-going Beta Chi chapter officers.

Mrs. Ward will also make a report of the state convention of the society that she attended during the past week end in San Antonio. She will announce to her group that the scrapbook of Beta Chi chapter, compiled by Mrs. Marvin Lott, Jr., a member from Aspermont, had been awarded a gold star for one of the six first places for superior rating.

The president, a member of the state program committee, participated in a panel discussion of program possibilities for next year. At the birthday luncheon on Saturday, Mrs. Ward was a member of a special group who paid special tribute to the founders of the organization.

Read the Want Ads.

### Josset HD Club Reviews Active Work Program

In connection with National Home Demonstration Club Week April 29-May 5, the reporter for the Josset Club has prepared an interesting review of the major activities of the organization during the past year. The report:

The Josset Home Demonstration Club has been very active this year. The two main demonstrations for the year are on Living Rooms and Foods. So far demonstrations have included the making of draw drapes, Furniture Arrangement, the family breakfast and the freezing of vegetables. Some of the programs later in the year include Jury Duty, Flower Arrangement, Furniture Refinishing, Civil Defense, Salads for Summer and many more.

An extra event the club took part in was the advance dressmaking school. Ten members made a dress in these classes. These members modeled in the county dress revue and also modeled for the other club members and families. These dresses were very pretty and expensive looking.

So far this year four new members have joined the club. They are Mrs. Thurman Howeth, Marvin Walters, Martin Rueffer and Ray Cothron.

Several 84 parties as well as come-as-you-are breakfast have been given for the members and families.

The last club meeting was in the home of Mrs. Clovis Norton. A demonstration on Freezing Vegetables was given by Mrs. Carl Bailey.

Those present at the meeting were Mrs. Thurman Howeth, Laton Robertson, J. L. Tolliver, Sr., Marvin Walters, Paul Cothron, J. L. Tolliver, Jr., Ray Cothron, Jack Merchant, J. A. Cain, Louise Merchant, Carl Bailey and two visitors, Mrs. J. R. Mashburn and Miss Mae Cothron and the hostess, Mrs. Norton.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. C. Norton, May 8 at 2:30.

### Mrs. Arlos Weaver Speaks at Stamford Club Meeting

Mrs. Arlos Weaver, HHS Guidance Counselor, spoke before the Pierian Club in Stamford Thursday evening in the Homemaking Department of Stamford High School. Her subject was "Guiding Youth."

Following Mrs. Weaver's lecture, the study club presented a 1924 "wedding" with authentic costumes.

The first American warship constructed of iron to use steam was the Michigan built in 1842.

The boys giving talks were Jer-



GLENDY WILLIAMSON

### Glenda Williamson, Jackie Therwanger Wedding Date Set

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williamson of Weiner are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Glenda, to Jackie Therwanger, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Therwanger of Weiner.

The wedding will be Sunday, June 17 at 5 p. m. in the Weiner Baptist Church. Friends and relatives are invited.

### Weinert FFA Boys Give Program at Matrons Club Meet

Weiner Matrons Club met on Thursday at the Community Center for a regular meeting. Mrs. R. H. Jones was hostess. Theme of the meeting was Community Responsibility Strengthened. Our Concern for Conservation. Director of the program was Mrs. P. F. Weinert. Roll call was What I Conserve in My Home. Douglas Myers, superintendent of Weinert Schools presented four FFA boys who talked about Texas grasses. They were directed by Jean Hutchinson. Mr. Myers gave an interesting report from the State Board of Education on our schools in Weiner.

The boys giving talks were Jer-

ry Walker, who talked about Tall and Short Grasses; James South gave a report on the recent judging contest at Tech College. Lubbock. He also talked on grasses. Carroll Hargrove told the characteristics of native grasses. David Pheister told of the grazing value of grasses.

Refreshments were served to the members: Mmes. C. T. Jones, P. F. Weinert, E. F. Rainey, H. W. Liles, W. A. King, J. A. Liles, J. A. Mayfield, G. C. Newsom, E. L. Cass, Douglas Myers, W. B. Guess, Fred Monke, M. W. Pheister, R. H. Jones, R. J. Rainey and W. C. Winchester.

### Harmony Club Officers Installed Annual Breakfast Closing Club Year

The Harmony Club closed the season of musical events and social activities Thursday, April 26 with the annual breakfast and installation of officers at the Texas Cafe.

Hostesses were Mrs. M. E. Helber, Mrs. May Sue Wilson and Mrs. Jetty V. Clare. Tables in the spacious Texas Cafe club rooms were laid with white linen and decorated with a profusion of spring flowers and greenery. Miniature fans and umbrellas marked places. On the decorating committee were Mrs. G. F. Mullino, Mrs. Tannye Squyres and Miss Beryle Boone.

The program was opened by the group singing of the State song "Texas, Our Texas" directed by Mrs. Floyd Cook with Mrs. O. E. Patterson accompanist. Mrs. James F. Cadenhead was director, and Mrs. M. E. Helber gave the invocation. Original poems of Mrs. B. M. Whiteker were read by Mrs. Tommie B. Hawkins. A medley of popular songs was presented by the club's trio of whistlers, Mrs. Squyres, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Cadenhead. Mrs. J. M. Littlefield gave a vocal solo "The Holy City" by Weatherly and Adams.

Mrs. Cadenhead retiring president, installed officers for the 1956-57 club year in an impressive candlelighting service. Mrs. V. W. Meadows, Sr., is president. Other officers are Mrs. Tommie B. Hawkins, first vice president; Mrs. W. E. Lawson, second vice president; Mrs. M. E. Helber, recording secretary; Mrs. A. C. Foster, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Tannye Squyres, treasurer.

The program was closed by the

group singing "God Bless Our Home" Till We Meet Again Those attending were Mrs. Floyd Cook, J. P. Mart Clifton, J. P. Helber, J. M. Littlefield, J. W. Mullino, V. W. Meadows, Sue Wilson, Rose Peterson, R. L. Hawkins, Tammie Couck, Sr., Tommie E. Gresham, Couck Harris, Jetty V. Beryle Boone, Meadows, and Dr. inson.

National Music observed throughout May 6-13.

For the occasion special music will be presented in Recital. Mrs. Hubert Bell present her pupils in 13 and 14. Mrs. Hubert Bell her pupils in Recital 13 and 14.

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Educators, Delegates from 14 Counties Attend 18th District P-TA Conference

Mrs. Bob Herren, Haskell, president of the newly organized 18th District P-TA presided at the first annual conference of the district in Haskell, Saturday a Haskell High School. One hundred and eighty delegates from a 14 county area attended the meeting.

aid McDonald, Mrs. Luther Burkett, general arrangements chairman recognized local committees for their efforts toward the success of the conference.



JACKIE FAYE JETTON

Jackie Jetton and Earnest Don Franz To Wed May 26

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jetton of Weirnet have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jackie Faye to Earnest Don Franz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Franz of Dallas.



LYNELLE TANKERSLEY

Knox City Girl to Attend National FHA Convention

Lynelle Tankersley of Knox City, granddaughter of Mrs. Frank McCurley of Haskell, will attend the National Convention of Future Homemakers of America, which meets in Chicago July 2-6.

McMurry Students To Give Program At Study Club

Three students from McMurry College will provide musical entertainment for a meeting of the Progressive Study Club at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, May 8.

Junior Class Plans For Annual Senior-Junior Banquet

The Junior Class committees of Haskell High School are working on plans for the annual Jr.-Sr. Banquet to be held May 9 in the school cafeteria.

Weinert News

Mrs. Mildred Guess Weinert and surrounding area welcomed the best rainfall of the year Monday and Tuesday when almost two inches of moisture soaked this section.

LUBBOCK, AMARILLO MEN HERE FOR WEEKEND

A party of three business men from Amarillo and Lubbock spent the week end in Haskell, for an outing and fishing trip at the lake.

IN APPRECIATION

We desire to express our gratitude to members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department for their services in our behalf during the fire Saturday morning.

Hospital Notes

The following persons were admitted to Haskell County Hospital this week: Mrs. Tom Harlan, Goree, surgery; Rev. H. H. Sego, Haskell, medical.

Dismissed

The following persons were dismissed from Haskell County Hospital this week: Mrs. H. G. Hammer, Haskell; Mrs. Albert Fetsch, Munday.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The National Federated Music Clubs will celebrate their 32nd Annual Music Week and WHEREAS: Every Federated Music Club is asked to observe Music Week and Churches are asked to join in this celebration by singing the hymn of the month, "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind" or "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again".

Blondie, Affectionate Lioness, Gives With Kiss for Eager Cub (Reporter)

By CHARLENE WHITE Dear Boss: We can pass out of this vale of tears any day now. We have lived life to its fullest. We have been kissed by a lion. Before we besmirch our reputation, let us hasten to add that it was a lady lion.

Senator Ratliff is Guest Speaker at B&PW Meeting

Recent surveys show that 2-3 of all the homes in the country, have more than one radio with 1-3 having more than two radios according to David Ratliff, State Senator of the 24th District and owner of Radio Station KDWT, Stamford.

Advertisement for TUF NUT MATCHED SUITS, featuring various suit styles and prices ranging from \$3.75 to \$4.75.

Advertisement for Wolfe Equipment Co., featuring Massey-Harris tractors and mechanical services.

Advertisement for City Floral, offering Mother's Day flowers and gifts.

Large advertisement for The Slipper Shoppe, featuring slippers and Mother's Day gifts.

Advertisement for SPECIALS, listing various food items like flour, grapefruit juice, and soda pop.

### OUT ON A LIMB

By CHARLENE WHITE

The fishermen cometh and you know heard such fish stories in all your life. "Why, we caught 25 pounds of fish just last Friday." Sure they did.

We hear that Hoy Harrell and Jimmie Mitchell renamed every fish in the Gulf. For instance, Gafftops became gashtops. Flounders are now known as founders and Hardheads are flat-heads. Oh well, they don't ask questions, they just catch fish.

Hoy lost his cap in the ever constant wind, but they managed to fish it out of the water. He disgustedly wrung the water out and put it in the sun to dry. Then, fearing his head would sunburn, he borrowed his wife's bonnet. Just as he was trying it on, her chin a boat went by. "Oh, I suppose they'll think I'm crazy," he sighed.

Roy Cook invited Blondie, the visiting sociable lion into his shop for a haircut Thursday afternoon, but she preferred to roam around nuzzling the customers and just generally creating havoc.

If the kids could have seen their parents at the P-TA conference in the High School Saturday they wouldn't have believed their ever-lovin' eyes. Miss Edna Marie Jones of Abilene led them in a round robin of "Row, Row, Your Boat" with much jumping up and turning on the tippy toes and waving of the fingers to illustrate "Merrily, Merrily, Merrily," etc. They tried it "Bop" style. Shades of Elvis Presley!

We saw Mrs. W. O. Holden wandering around looking lost amidst the confusion. "I'm just at loose ends. They put me where I belonged this morning, but now I don't know where I'm supposed to go." Somebody eventually showed, he guess. We gaspingly sought the peace and quiet of the principal's office and typewriter. There we sat, trying to figure out those funny little squiggles on our notes. Our deciphering not being up to par that afternoon we gave it up and went out to find Dorothy Brown absorbedly studying her program and muttering: "I'm supposed to go to Room 3 'cause I'm in Publicity, but I think I'm going to promote myself to president. I want to hear Mrs. Erskine speak and nobody'll ever know the difference."

June Cook and Glenn Kreger were elected or drafted as the case may be, as student evaluators of the Conference. Glenn says "When I was in grade school I thought the P-TA was something that would get you in trouble. They'd come around and say 'You're it. You're going to put on a program for us, and we did. And sure enough, I was right. Here I am in trouble again!'"

All in all though, it was a profitable day. We learned a lot about the P-TA and its laudable functions to say nothing of the coffee and Cokes we managed to freeload.

Texans, of whom there are hundreds in the government, are not amused by the latest story going the rounds in Washington, we are told. As the story goes, a Texan, visiting in Chicago, put in a long distance call and asked the operator to report the charges. "Your call, sir," the operator reported, "was \$3.45." "What!" exclaimed the outraged Texan. "Why in Texas I could call the devil for \$3.45." "You must be mistaken, sir," the operator purred. "In Texas the devil is a local call."

For all the scoffers who thought we were using our literary license again when we related the story of Wankan pere, who, after the delivery of triplets to his home, planted a man on the hill to shoot any doctor coming toward the house, here's proof of a sort. Through the U. S. mails comes confirmation in the form of a letter to Mrs. C. M. Deckard of Gainesville. She's one of the original triplets, and while she was a bit young at the time, of course, she says it sounds exactly like her father. So there now.



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### Haskell County History

30 Years Ago—May 7, 1896  
Miss Verona Fenman of Rochester was selected as Haskell County's representative to the Frontier Centennial in Fort Worth. In a beauty contest held at the Texas Theatre Friday night, May 1.

A shipment of 25 new water meters was received by the city last week, and City Waterworks Superintendent Rogers Gilstrap and crew has been busy this week installing the meters in the business section. The meters are being placed where business concerns formerly had a "flat rate" on city water.

Bessie Mae Sellers of Abilene is new bookkeeper at the local office of West Texas Utilities Company. She succeeds Mrs. Marvin Branch, who has resigned.

Haskell Motor Company, local Ford dealers, last week added a wrecker truck to their service department.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Chapman and children and Mrs. Doyle Jacobs of Arp, Texas, spent the first of the week here with relatives. Bids for the construction of a sidewalk, four feet wide, around the courthouse, will be received by the Commissioners' Court in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Burton returned Wednesday from Fort Worth, where they had spent several days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields returned Tuesday from a month's vacation trip. They visited points in 12 States on their tour.

C. P. Woodson, local radio and battery dealer, was winner of an expense-paid trip to Cuba in a recent contest sponsored by Philco Radio Corporation. The Haskell man will go to Fort Worth May 21 to join a party of Texas dealers for the trip. They will go to New York City and will sail from there May 24 for Havana, Cuba. After returning to New York, the Texas group will visit Niagara Falls, Chicago and St. Louis on their return trip home.

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attended the annual conference of Texas and Oklahoma Peace Officers, held Wednesday and Thursday in Wichita Falls.

30 Years Ago—May 6, 1896  
Harry Stalcup of Olney, Texas, who recently moved his family to this city, has leased the building formerly occupied by Kinnison's Barber Shop, and is installing machinery and equipment for a bottling works plant.

M. R. Smith, prominent merchant of Sagerton, suffered a broken leg last week while helping his colored man of all work harness a bronc mule. Both bones of Mr. Smith's leg were broken just above the ankle. He was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium, where he will be a patient for some time.

Mrs. John A. Couch spent a few days this week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews of Seymour.

A. H. Wair of this city was called to Abilene Monday, where he will serve as juror in Federal Court for the Spring term.

Word has been received by Haskell friends of Mrs. Ama Finkerton Baker of Dallas that she will sail for Italy early in the summer, and will take a course in voice culture in that country.

Mrs. T. J. Arbuckle has returned from Spur, where she spent several days in the home of her sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. Morris.

W. J. Kendrick of Rose Chapel

itarium, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis Tuesday. He is recovering nicely, and physicians state he will likely be able to return home Sunday.

George Green and family are newcomers to this section from Nashville, Tenn. They recently moved to the Newsom farm north of town and plan to make their home here permanently.

One night last week, several farm homes north of town were visited by chicken thieves. They stole about \$5 big Plymouth Rock hens from Dr. Kimbrough's place, and got everyone of George Turnbow's hens, leaving him two old roosters.

J. F. Kennedy spent several days in Dallas this week on business.

50 Years Ago—May 13, 1886  
Simmons Bros. are remodeling the front of their livery stable.

Warren Butler has sold his team and delivery float to Walter Boyd.

C. W. Zug of Stamford has located in Haskell and will be with the Haskell Lumber Company. He is an experienced lumber man.

C. D. Long placed an ad in The Free Press this week wanting to buy live badgers. He will pay \$2 to \$2.50 for the animals, delivered to him here.

Shelby, the two and one-half year old son of Mrs. Mary Jones, a widow living in the southeast part of town, was bitten by a

rattlesnake Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Gilbert was called and reached the child quickly and it is recovering under his treatment.

T. E. Coppage, engineer in charge of construction for the Wichita Valley Railroad, struck a snag the other day when he reached the premises of a well-known and strong-willed farmer a few miles north of town. According to our reports, when the engineering party reached the property and started cross sectioning the right of way for the graders, the old man appeared on the scene with a double barreled shotgun. In language more persuasive and convincing than elegant, bade the railroaders to "vamoose," which they did. Complaints have been lodged in Justice Court, the farmer readily provided \$500 appearance bond, and the case has been set for hearing at an early date.

The following candidates will be listed on the ballot in the July Democratic primary: For District Judge, H. R. Jones, John B. Thomas, C. C. Higgins. For County Judge, Joe Irby, O. E. Oates. For County and District Clerk, J. W. Meadors. For Sheriff and Tax Collector, M. E. Park, J. W. Collins. For Tax Assessor, T. J. Head, S. E. Carothers, S. R. (Bunk) Rike. For County Treasurer, Abel Jones, R. D. C. Stephens, McMill Clayton. For County Attorney, J. E. Wilfong. A complete list of precinct candidates was not available.

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Bacon	2 LBS. BOSS	63¢
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Oleo	PARKAY	29¢
Liver	BEEF—LB. 29¢ PORK—LB. 19¢	
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### Soil Stewardship Sunday May 6th Launches Soil Conservation Week

The week of May 6-12 is Soil Conservation District Week in Texas. It begins on Soil Stewardship Sunday, May 6, when many churches will hold special services to recall man's duty to the land. During the rest of the week, most SCDs will present special tours, programs and field days to publicize district accomplishments and objectives.

Texas has 172 soil conservation districts which embrace 96 per cent of the land area of the state. These districts represent the greatest force—and the first organized, locally-controlled force—for the conservation of the soil, water, plants and wildlife.

Each soil conservation district was organized only after landowners of the area voted to have such a district. SCDs are legal sub-divisions of the state government, comparable to counties and school districts, but they have no taxing power. Each is governed by a board of five supervisors who must be landown-

ers themselves and who are selected by farmers and ranchers of the district.

A soil conservation district helps its cooperating farmers and ranchers plan and apply measures on their land. Following a master plan which was carefully prepared by farmers and ranchers' committees, each district works toward a goal of complete conservation for all the land in the district. Supervisors function as a co-ordinating body to stimulate and guide the efforts of local groups and individuals toward achievements of the district goals. Technical assistance is provided by various agencies, such as Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service, Forest Service and Vocational Agriculture teachers.

Any landowner can become a SCD cooperator by applying to the board of supervisors. Becoming a cooperator does not involve any financial obligation. Texas SCDs now have 172,000 farmers and rancher cooperators, and the figure grows by 15,000 each year. Last year these cooperators cover-cropped 1,180,000 acres and stubble-mulched 256,000 acres of Texas land. They controlled brush on 1,322,000 acres and had 6,983,000 acres of deferred grazing. They built 10,700 miles of terraces, 7,540 miles of waterways, built over 10,000 ponds and leveled 74,000 acres of land for proper irrigation.

Supervisors of the Wichita-Brazos SCD are Jack Idol, Henry Smith, C. C. Browning, Herman Gammill and Doris Diskerson. District offices are maintained at Haskell and Knox City. The district has 1,022 cooperators.

### Textbook Inventory Completed in Five Rural Schools

A complete textbook inventory was recently completed in the rural high schools of O'Brien, Weiner, Mattson, Paint Creek, and Sagerton, announces Miss Jessie Vick, County School Superintendent. The inventory was taken by the superintendent with the assistance of the teachers in each school.

The inventory is a new procedure for Haskell County as the county office was not required to handle the textbooks for rural high schools until this year, said Miss Vick. Previously each rural superintendent kept his own textbook records and requisitioned the new books the school needed. The books no longer needed were sent to Austin, she stated.

Last year the county office was required to assume all the textbook records and keep a composite record for the county schools. Also a composite requisition of new books must be made for all these schools. All new textbooks are to be returned to the state depository from the county office.

The county superintendent reports that last summer 65 cartons of new textbooks were received about 35 or 40 cartons and sacks of old books were sent in to the state office. The latter included books which had expired after use in the schools from 5 to 7 years, others were worn out, but not expired and still others were in excess of county needs.

It is estimated that some 15,000 textbooks were accounted for in the county superintendents' office last summer in the transferring of the records and in handling of the books that came through the office.

### HHS Career Day Termed Highly Successful

Guide line to come.... Haskell High School's Career Day was being described as "inspirational," "helpful" and "informative" at the general assembly of teachers and students in HSS Auditorium Thursday afternoon.

Miss Bess Ferguson, of the Texas Education Agency, Austin was the keynote speaker and later presided at the assembly for an open forum on "What Career Day Has Meant to Me."

Miss Ferguson had high praise for Mrs. Arlos Weaver, guidance counselor and W. P. McCollum, principal for their efforts in making the program such a success. She was complimented that the entire event had been very well organized.

On Career Day there were no regular high school classes so that the entire student body might have the opportunity to hear a speaker in the field of his vocational interest.

Plans for the event got underway several months ago with the actual work beginning with the appointment of speakers. They were: F. W. Martin, Buddy Perkins, Royce Williams, Dr. J. B. Renneau, Jean Elliott, Hill Oates, C. V. Payne, Jack Pippin, A. J. Lafoon, Bill Wilson, Miss Wanda Greenhill, Royce Adkins, Dale Condron, Mrs. J. G. Vaughter, Dr. J. F. Cadenhead, Haskell; Miss Martha Ritter, Eugene Winters, Marion Dean, Jerry Lyon, Officer Ross Kemp, Abilene; W. E. Buck and Dr. Dan Bader, of Wichita Falls.

Opinions of the students concerning Career Day, 1956, were reflected by June Cook: "I went to the business section and I feel that I learned several interesting points, such as the opportunities and salaries in that field. They also explained what I might get from a college as opposed to a business school. It was all very informative." John Darnell: "I think the speakers were very good sports and answered all our questions. I learned a lot and I just hope it's as good next year." Jerry Larned: "Law Enforcement was my field and I think it was a good day. I enjoyed being in the section and learned many of the qualifica-

tions for a law enforcement officer."

Miss Ferguson had few criticisms she could offer the sponsors. She did suggest that the proceedings be taken down and transcribed for future reference. Among the students, the suggestion was made that instead of attending one section during the day long event, they be given an opportunity to attend two sections and thus compare them.

### Spot Oiling Proves Effective Control Of Johnson Grass

Cotton producers in 104 Texas counties used the spot-oiling method for controlling Johnson grass last year on 73,657 acres of cotton.

According to F. W. Martin, county agent, the control method was first recommended last year and its popularity and value have already been well established. When compared with other commonly used control practices, spot-oiling required less hand labor, the oils used are readily available and comparatively cheap in price and the gravity-flow hand sprayer used for making the application is inexpensive.

A mixture of half naphtha and diesel oil is best for crown-oiling in cotton and corn. A squirt applied to each crown before the Johnson grass plants are six inches tall and followed by from four to six additional applications should give 98 per cent control. Cost per acre will vary depending upon the amount of Johnson grass infestation. Few crop plants are killed by the mixture.

Both naphtha and diesel oil may be purchased from bulk oil dealers. Naphtha that is normally used to clean wool clothes and to thin paint. Flit-38, Light-foot-23, Lion-1, No-Weed Oil and Varsol 1 are some trade names of naphthas that kills established Johnson grass 24 hours after crown treatment. Costs about 21 cents a gallon. Mix 1/2 and 1/2 with diesel fuel oil for economy.

Plans for the gravity-flow and sprayer may be obtained from the county agent or he can supply information on where a ready-to-use sprayer may be purchased. He can also supply additional information on the practice and on other practices which involve chemicals for weed control on the farm. Ask him for a copy of B-808, Spot-Oiling Johnson grass and L-174, Control of Johnson grass.

#### CARD OF THANKS

Our hearts are filled with humility and sincere appreciation for all who expressed their love and sympathy in so many comforting ways during our time of sorrow. The kindness and thoughtfulness of our friends and neighbors in Weiner, Munday and Haskell was indeed helpful, as were the beautiful floral tributes to our loved one. May we take this means of saying thank you for each expression of your friendship and affection. — Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Anderson and Family. 18p

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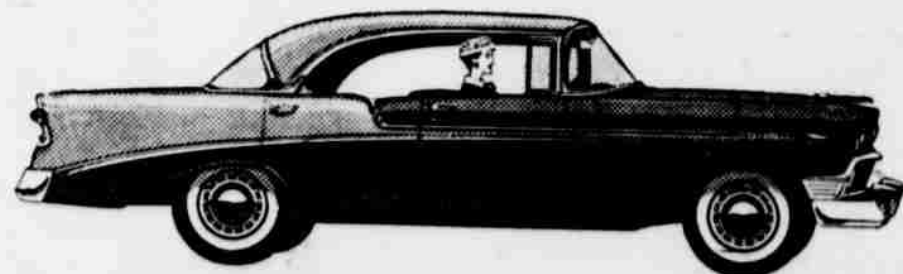
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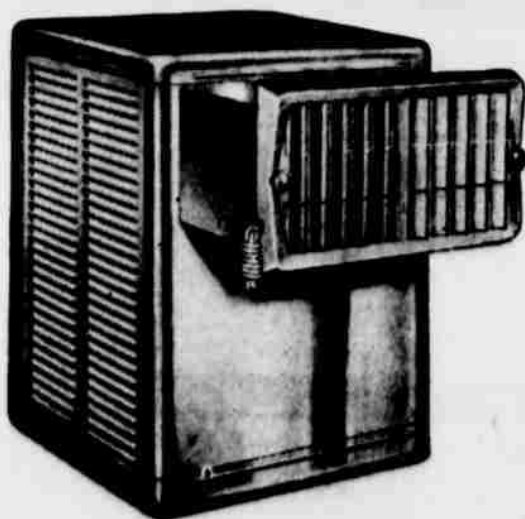
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### Efficiency of Haskell's Fire Department Shown in Subduing Stubborn Blaze

If every citizen of Haskell could inspect at first hand the damage caused by fire in one of the largest buildings in the business section Saturday morning, they could fully appreciate the efficient work done by firemen in subduing the stubborn blaze.

It wasn't a spectacular fire for the handful of spectators who were attracted downtown by the alarm a few minutes before 4 a. m. They saw billowing black smoke pouring from windows on the second floor, but little flame was visible.

Firemen saw that, too, and more. They saw the threat of an entire business block swept by fire unless it was controlled in a matter of precious few minutes.

That they were able to do that is proof of the efficiency, courage and training of members of the volunteer fire department combined with the modern fire-fighting equipment provided by the city.

Insurance inspectors and others who checked particularly the area of the building damaged most heavily by fire, expressed amazement that firemen were able to subdue flames which had spread between the ceiling and roof of the entire structure. One of the inspectors said: "I don't believe any department in the larger cities could have done a more efficient job of fire fighting."

Key factor contributing to the efficiency of the volunteer fire department—which has only one paid member—is a rigid training schedule and study of fire hazards which has been followed in recent years. Value of this training was demonstrated Saturday morning.

Also demonstrated was the loyalty of the volunteer organization, with every member of the department except those who were out of town responding to the alarm.

Haskell people time after time have shown their appreciation of the local fire department. In turn, the volunteer organization is providing the type of fire protection which merits praise.

Taxpayers also can appreciate the fire department from the financial standpoint. Cost of round-the-clock fire protection for the year ending March 31, 1935, was about 50 cents per hour.

Total cost of operating the fire department for the last fiscal year was \$4,430.28. That sum included salary of a paid fireman, supplies, insurance, telephone, repairs, etc.

#### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

N. Avenue E at Fourth St. R. K. McCall, D. D., Minister Services Sunday: 9:45 a. m. Sunday Church School. J. Belton Duncan, Supt. 11 a. m. Morning worship. Message by the minister. 6:30 p. m. Pioneer Fellowship. Senior Hi Fellowship. 7:30 p. m. Evening worship. Message by the minister. Monday: 9:30 a. m. Women of the church in the home of Mrs. S. F. Herren, Jr. 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal. Wednesday: 7:30 p. m. Sunday School Council.

#### VISITING IN NEW JERSEY

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crawford are in Westfield, N. J., where they are visiting in the home of their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Duffer Crawford. They plan to spend about two weeks there before returning home.

#### NEW EMPLOYEE AT HOLDE FUNERAL HOME

John Robert Hanson has accepted a position with Holden Funeral Home in this city and began work there last week. Formerly of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Henson moved to Haskell from that city the first of last week.

### Weinert Senior Class Honored With Banquet

The Weinert Senior Class was honored with a banquet Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. in the high school gym. The theme of the banquet was "Paint the Town Red." All of the decorations were made by the Junior class and were black and red. The gym was gaily decorated with streamers and balloons. The centerpieces for the tables were top hats and formal gloves. Place cards were hand printed with musical notes. Favors were tiny mint cups with a handle fashioned as a note, with the name of a popular record printed on each. Programs were in the shape of records.

Welcome was given by the class vice president, Delores Dunnam. Response by C. W. Drinnon. Invocation by Richard Hix. Toast by Lora Rainey. Class will was read by Nelda Jetton. Prophecy was read by Bob Sargent. Max Cox introduced the speaker, Rep. Trullitt, Lattimer of Abilene. The benediction was given by Billy Boykin. Senior Class sponsor is Ellis Benham, high school principal. Junior sponsor is Mrs. Clyde Taylor.

The menu consisted of Silver Saddle, Real Gone Chicken, Hep Kat Kubes, Red Hots, Rock 'n Roll in Oil, Jumbled Jive, and Cool Brown Cow. The menu was prepared by the lunchroom supervisor, Mrs. Louise McGuire with the help of Mrs. R. L. Adams and Mrs. Ted Boykin and served by the Sophomore girls.

Members of the Senior Class are Couilla Mayfield, Nelda Jetton, Peggy Rose, Martha Sanders, June Wren, Billy Boykin, Doyle Boykin, C. W. Drinnon, Frankie Jenkins, Fred Wiggins, Jackie Therwanger, Clyde Childress, Bob Sargent and Jimmy Reeves. Junior Class: Bill Guess, Frances Walker, Lora Rainey, Linda Walker, Becky McGuire, Delores Dunnam, Roberta Raynes, Richard Hix, Joe Ejem, John Patton.

### C. G. Burson Is Re-Elected Head Of Stamford PCA

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C. G. Burson of Haskell was re-elected president of the Stamford Production Credit Association, at the annual stockholders meeting of the association, held recently at the Texas Cowboy Reunion grounds in Stamford.

Approximately 1,500 persons were served a chuckwagon meal, including 699 stockholders and 781 guests. The association serves an eighty-county area.

Officers and one director were re-elected. J. B. Pumphrey of Old Glory was re-elected as director and W. S. Proctor of Swenson was elected to serve as an associate director. In an organizational meeting, the board of directors re-elected the following officers: C. G. Burson, Haskell, president; J. F. McCulloch, Stamford, vice president; J. L. Hill, Jr., secretary-treasurer and J. R. Gleaton and R. C. Cobb, assistant secretary-treasurers.

The meeting opened with entertainment by Bill Mack and his troupe from Radio Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, who later gave a program for the children while the business meeting was being held.

The report of the board on the past year's activities was given by Mack T. Claburn of Anson, director. J. L. Hill, Jr., secretary-treasurer, gave a report on the financial status of the association. Attendance prizes of an electric range and a trailer chassis were awarded to Mrs. C. H. F. Moeller of Haskell and Mrs. Tony Letz of Old Glory, respectively.

Eddie Swanner and Bobby Cass. Other guests were members of the faculty and school board members and their wives.

#### RETURN FROM VISIT IN ODESSA

Mrs. Mary E. Thomas and daughter Ilena, Haskell, have returned from Odessa where they visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gay, and daughter June.

#### GUESTS IN MART CLIFTON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eroyles, Jr., and children Sam and Betty Kay from Amarillo have been visiting with Mrs. Mart Clifton for two weeks. Mr. Eroyles will join the rest of the family later in the week. Other guests in the Clifton home were Mr. and Mrs. Von Clifton from Midland who were here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tubbs, of Haskell spent the weekend in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartell.

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# Nation's Housewives Favor Return to "Old Family Way of Life" in Homes

By CHARLENE WHITE

A back-to-the-kitchen trend was the consensus of opinions at a meeting of 103 of the nation's housewives, in Washington, D. C., April 23-25 according to Mrs. W. P. Ratliff of Haskell.

Mrs. Ratliff, accompanied by her husband, was one of the representatives from Texas at the Congress called Housing Administrator Albert M. Cole to find out what the women of the country didn't like about the American homes.

She says the whole thing started in the middle of a sandstorm as do most things in West Texas. She was watching the "Home" TV show and heard them tell about the letter writing contest. So she sat down and told them exactly what she thought and promptly forgot about it.

About a week later, Edward Dee, regional director for the FHA asked her to come to Fort Worth to make arrangements for the trip. "I didn't dream that they would have TV cameras there. Mr. Dee said he didn't tell me over the phone because he was afraid it would scare me away. I told him he was so right!" she declared.

"It was a real thrill to meet women from all over the nation," said Mrs. Ratliff. She went on to say that although the women from the other sections differed in climate, styles of homes and many other things, they nonetheless all agreed that the "old family way of life" should be stressed more in modern living. "It was also brought out," she said, "that it would be better to have the schools and churches smaller and closer together. In the schools with 2,000 or more children, potential leadership is destroyed."

One of the more exciting excursions of the trip was the tour of the White House and an intro-

duction to Mrs. Eisenhower, America's first lady. Mrs. Ratliff said, "She is a very charming lady and had something to say to each of us."

The congress of housewives was such a success that the FHA plans to do it again though perhaps not every year.

It was a popular event for the press according to Mrs. Ratliff. "I never saw anything like it!" she exclaimed. "In addition to the newspapers, there were reporters and photographers from House Beautiful, Life, American Home, and others. 'Home' television show has been running highlights of the meeting all during this week."

The Ratliff's didn't get to see much of Washington while they were there, but what they did see they liked. In fact, we plan to take the children there some day it's such a beautiful city.

"When we left Washington we went to 'New York for the day' and did some sightseeing." They managed to squeeze into one day a trip up the Hudson River for a look at the skyline and the Statue of Liberty, a peek at Dave Garroway's "Today" TV show and many other sights.

Friday, April 27 the Ratliff's returned to Haskell to their four children and Early American Home at 601 N. Ave. G. "I think the main thing that helped me so much at the congress," Mrs. Ratliff said, "was that we modeled our house only a few years ago. It was an old house and while we wanted a comfortable home with quality materials, we didn't wish to spend but from \$10,000 to \$15,000 in remodeling. This was what the housing administration was interested in too. It seems one of the big problems in the larger areas is that the building companies are putting up houses of inferior quality. The ladies agreed that it would be better to put more quality in homes and not making them just a stopping place for young marrieds that will later turn into 'slums'" she stated.

## Indians Win Two, Drop One, During Past Week

FHS Indians entered two wins and loss in the books in high school conference baseball play during the past week, being edged 2-1 by Rotan while shutting out Anson 6-0 and topping Hamlin 8-6 here Tuesday night.

In games this week, the Indians travel to Merkel Friday night, then host Rotan here Tuesday night. With their 4-1 season record, an Indian win over the strong Rotan team would give Coach McClung's Redskins a top spot in the conference race.

In the loss to Rotan, Indian moundman Rob Starr racked up 10 strikeouts, then accounted for the Tribe's lone tally with a circuit clout in the 7th. Rotan had scored in the first frame, and the game went overtime until Rotan tallied the winning counter in the 9th. Batteries for Haskell were Starr and Richard Spinks.

Indian moundman Jerry Larned allowed only one hit in leading the Tribe to a 6-1 win over Anson Friday night. Big guns of the Redskins were David Josslet with two doubles and a triple in four trips, and Cliff Spinks with two doubles in three times up. Larned marked up six strikeouts.

In Tuesday night's 8-6 defeat of Hamlin, the Indians used Starr for four innings, with Spinks relieving in the last three. Starr's four-bagger in the first with three on started Haskell's scoring, then Gary doubled in the second to score three teammates, and the Indians racked up another in the fourth. Jerry Larned worked behind the plate for the Tribe.

## O'Brien Co-Op Gin Pays \$68,433 Cash Dividends

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the O'Brien Cooperative Gin Company, held in the O'Brien high school auditorium Saturday, April 28, cash dividends in the sum of \$68,433.23 were paid to customers.

The dividends represented earnings on operations during the past ginning season.

An entertaining program had been arranged for the meeting, which featured Prof. R. E. Jackson of Denton as principal speaker.

The O'Brien Cooperative Gin Company owns and operates what is probably the largest and most modern cotton ginning plant in West Texas, if not the entire state. The company's properties in O'Brien include three separate gin plants, together with office quarters, warehouses, etc.

In addition, the cooperative concern owns a number of workers homes in the community.

The company made a phenomenal record, having paid a total of \$68,000 to its customers in the form of dividends during the past 12 years. Also during that period, the three gin plants have been completely rebuilt with all new equipment and buildings.

The gin plant is free of indebtedness and has been for several years. Repairs have been made to equipment and machinery in preparation for the 1953 ginning season, stockholders were told.

S. N. Reed is manager and Bert Davis assistant manager of the gin.

## Weinert Lions Observe Charter Night Thursday

Charter Night was observed Thursday evening by the Weinert Lions Club, when the newly-organized civic group was host to Haskell and Munday Lions and special guests from other cities and towns.

The banquet and program was held in the Weinert High School gymnasium, with T. W. Bullington, president of Munday Lions Club, as toastmaster. The invocation was given by Rev. George Hudgins. The banquet was served by members of the Weinert Matrons Club.

The meeting was called to order by Damon Smith, president of the Weinert Lions Club, and he also gave the welcome address. Guests were introduced by Toastmaster Bullington. Special guests recognized were Lions District Governor Wilfred R. McDonald and Mrs. McDonald of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John Cadwallader, Fort Worth; Anthony Mocek, Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Furrh, Olney; and Mrs. Luren Campbell, Olney. Guests also were present from Haskell and Munday.

Principal address was given by District Governor McDonald, who was introduced by Mr. Bullington.

After the Lions sang, "Roar, Lions Roar" and "America" a quartet of Weinert High School girls sang two numbers. David Pemister sang two solos and Danny Earles played piano accompaniment. Girls composing the quartet were Christene and Jean Hutchinson. Glenda Vaughn and Lora Rainey.

The official charter was presented to Club President Damon Smith by District Governor McDonald in an impressive ceremony, as the gong and gavel was presented by the toastmaster, Mr. Bullington.

## Capt. Theo Moore, Home From Europe, Visitor Here

Capt. Theo Moore, U. S. Army veteran who has been in Europe for the past two and one-half years, spent the past week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Moore, and other relatives.

Capt. Moore was accompanied by Mrs. Moore and their three children, Cindy, George and Garland. They returned to the United States last month, arriving in New York April 6th. Before coming here they had visited with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold DePue in Cylindar, Iowa.

Entering the Army in 1940, the Haskell officer was a glider pilot during World War II, taking part in seven major engagements during the European campaign. Later he served in Trieste, Italy and Germany. He has served seven and one-half years with U. S. forces in Europe. Three and one-half years of that time was with an Atomic Artillery unit.

Capt. Moore's present duty is as plane and helicopter pilot with the 5th Infantry Division. He and his wife and children left today for Fort Ord, Calif., where he will be stationed.

Complete your Spring housecleaning by selling unwanted articles with a Want Ad.

## Final Rites Held Here Tuesday for Reuben R. Pope

Reuben R. Pope, 70, former resident of Haskell, died unexpectedly in Lubbock Monday, April 30. He had been living in that city the past three years.

Funeral rites for Mr. Pope were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday in the chapel of Holden Funeral Home, with Judge Dennis P. Ratliff officiating.

After the services here, body of Mr. Pope was carried to Belton, Texas, where burial was in Belton Cemetery, under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Mr. Pope was born Dec. 14, 1883, at Belton, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Pope. He moved to Haskell County in 1917 and lived here until about 16 years ago when he moved to Alieve, Texas, and later to Lubbock. He was a member of the First Christian Church.

Survivors include a sister-in-law, Mrs. G. W. Pope of Haskell; a niece, Mrs. M. L. Turpen of Midland; five nephews, Bob Pope of Hobbs, N. M., John Pope of Phoenix, Ariz., James Pope of Clovis, N. M., Wilbur Pope of Alieve, Calif., Edwin Pope of Gardonia, Calif.

Pallbearers were Paul Kuenstler, J. M. Glass, C. O. Holt, Theron Cahill, Courtney Hunt, Lynn Pace, Jr.

## Representative of Cancer Society Addresses Lions

Miss Joan Daniels of Fort Worth, field representative in the 13th District for the American Cancer Society, gave Haskell Lions facts and figures on the work being done in the fight against cancer, at the regular meeting and luncheon of the club Tuesday.

Introduced by Royce Adkins, Miss Daniels was guest speaker at the meeting. Her talk was in connection with the current Cancer Fund Drive being sponsored by the Rogers-Cox American Legion Post, which was launched Tuesday night. Miss Daniels explained that the American Cancer Society is a national voluntary health organization which carries on a fight against cancer on three fronts in the field of education, service and research.

Dr. T. W. Williams of this city spoke briefly on cancer, stressing the importance of reporting symptoms and cooperating with physicians. He told Lions that any donations made to the Cancer Fund Drive would be money well used.

Bob Williams, new resident of Haskell who plans to open a new business venture here soon, was a guest at the Lions meeting.

## \$529 Raised for Salvation Army In Fund Drive

The Salvation Army Fund Drive has netted \$529.46 since the campaign began over two weeks ago, reports Wix B. Currie, secretary-treasurer for the Haskell County Service Committee.

Sagerton community contributions totaled \$41.95; Mattson, \$61.75 and Irby, \$29.15. Nineteen workers in the city of Haskell have reported in. The goal for Haskell is \$1,000 with no goal being set for the county.

The local Salvation Army committee will carry on a local welfare program with funds derived from the drive to provide food, clothing, and help for needy children to remain in school. Also Salvation Army relief teams are among the first on the scene in case of disaster.

Other services include home for unmarried girls at San Antonio, summer camps for less privileged children and their mothers, men's social centers that provide household furnishings for families who are burdened out and the work in fighting loneliness in public and veteran's hospitals.

The local committee headed by Courtney Hunt, Alfred Turnbow, Wix B. Currie and Rex Felker, urges everyone to give as much as possible to the Salvation Army fund drive, the first in Haskell County.

**Weinert Poultry Judging Team Wins at Tech**

The Weinert poultry judging team composed of Bob Raynes, Jimmy Alexander, and Danny Earles won first place in the contest held Saturday at Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

The team placed third in the Area II group, and one of the boys, Jimmy Alexander, placed third in the entire contest.

The Weinert team will be eligible to judge at the State contest to be held at A&M College this week.

The team was coached by J. L. South, vocational agriculture teacher at Weinert.

More than 41 per cent of the deaths and more than 35 per cent of the injuries due to motor vehicle accidents last year occurred on Saturdays and Sundays.

Start building your vacation fund. Raise money with Want Ads.

## Legion Nets \$450 In Cancer Fund Drive Tuesday

Contributions totalling \$450 were received by members of the Haskell post of the American Legion in American Cancer Society Fund drive Tuesday night. The workers covered approximately one half of the town according to Billy J. Ray, post commander.

A second canvass was made Wednesday night to try and raise the remainder of the \$850 goal. It was scheduled to begin at 6 p. m. Wednesday with the workers completing the house to house canvass.

"Although the results of Tuesday night's drive were disappointing, we hope the goal can be reached tonight," Mr. Ray said Wednesday. "If not, we may decide to cover other areas of the county later," he said.

The workers Tuesday night were: Billy J. Ray, Sonny Reynolds, Kirby Kirkpatrick, George Neely, J. W. McFarlin, Herbert Ray, Jack Whitaker, Shirley Lees, D. V. Hiebert, Leo Duncan, B. B. Gilmore, Jesse Dean, David Martindale, Truett Parsons, A. G. Dement, Wilbur Klose, Wayne Dunnam, Tommy Joe Mansker, and Harley Langford.

This year's campaign is the first organized fund drive for the cancer society in Haskell. It is being sponsored by the American Legion, Rogers-Cox Post, Haskell.

## Tourists Spent \$412 Million in State Last Year

"A check on the 1955 Texas Tourist Industry" was released today in Austin by the Texas Highway Department. The survey shows that 9.9 million out of state tourists visited Texas last year, an increase of 1.2 million persons over 1954.

In cash value the tourist industry ranks next to the state's annual cotton crop, with cotton listed at \$700 million and tourists at \$412 million for the year just past.

Texas has been slow to realize the potential value of the tourist industry as a source of cash income," D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer stated. "But the steady rise of out of town visitors since the end of the war indicates that people in other states are becoming increasingly aware of the state's many attractions as a vacation spot."

Annual tourist expenditures in 1950 were set by the Department at 276 million. By 1955 this figure has increased \$138 million. During the same period the number of tourists had increased from 8 million to 9.9 million.

Mr. Average Tourist of 1955 spent \$7.53 daily for food, lodging and other expenses. "We believe this daily expenditure for a vacation is substantially less than is necessary in some of the other 'big' vacation states thus allowing out of state visitors to stay with us longer and see more of Texas," Greer said.

The seven Highway Department Travel Information Bureaus located at the state line were able to increase the itinerary of out of state visitors by assisting in planning and routing trips to include points of interest throughout Texas, Greer stated.

In addition to this direct counseling of travelers, the bureaus and the Austin office during 1955 answered a total of 356,506 requests for information on Texas from potential visitors.

"In spite of the limitations imposed on us," Greer stated, "we in the Highway Department are doing everything to bring Texas to the attention of vacationers from other states. We believe that we have only begun to tap this source of direct cash income, and in years to come we expect to see tourists move ever higher on the scale of top Texas industries."

The Department also takes advantage of every opportunity to furnish out of state newspapers and magazines with photographs and stories on Texas, Greer concluded.

## Announcements FOR Political Office

The following announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. All listings are made on an advertising basis, cash in advance.

FOR STATE SENATOR, 33RD DISTRICT: Sen. George Moffett (Re-election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 32RD LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT: Ed J. Cloud of Rule. (Second term.)

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 89TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT: Royce Adkins of Haskell. (Re-election.) Bill Ratliff

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: Curtis Pogue. (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: Elizabeth Stewart.

H. B. (Henry) Atkeson

Richard E. Mathis, Jr.

FOR SHERIFF: Bill Pennington. (Second term.) Glen Dalton

RON L. Dumas

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1: Claude Ashley. (Second term.) Floyd White

A. C. Pete) Sego

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. No. 2: Louie Kuenstler. Glenn Walton. Alfred Grand. Paul E. Fischer

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FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 11: Frank Smith.

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FOR SALE: One used mahogany rocker \$6.95. Used 2 piece sofa bed and platform rocker with new cover and new cotton filler \$69.50. One used 3 piece walnut bedroom suite consisting of vanity, chest and poster bed \$39.95. Jones Cox & Company. 18c

FOR SALE: One used 2 piece living room suite, sofa bed and chair. Regular \$39.50 now \$29.50. One odd maple finished chest and drawers \$19.95. Jones Cox & Company. 18c

FOR RENT: Newly redecorated furnished garage apartment, bills paid, close in. Phone 670J. 606 N. Second. 18tc

FOR FAST Lawn Mowing and trimming Monday through Friday call 423W. 18-21p

FOR SALE: Large electric range, refrigerator, bed room suite, living room suite, end table, chairs and 21 inch console TV. Will sell part or all. Call 282J G. A. Petrick, Rule, Texas. 18p

## Early Morning Fire-- (Continued from Page 1)

ed out several weeks ago, and all rooms had been cleaned and swept thoroughly, firemen learned. All electric and gas connections had been cut off, they reported.

Fire Chief Lusk and City Fire Marshal R. A. Lane, in checking for origin of the blaze, said they found evidence that someone or possibly some persons, had been in the rooms where the fire started.

Door at the front of the building, at the foot of the stairway leading to the second floor, had been locked and door at the head of the back stairway had been nailed from the inside when the tenants moved, building owners said.

Nightwatchman Spinks told Chief Lusk that he noticed a man in the alley on the west side a few seconds before the fire was discovered. The officer remained at the scene of the fire and was unable to establish identity of the man. However, officers discount the theory that the man had anything to do with the fire, which had probably been smoldering for 30 minutes or longer before being discovered.

**Pre-School Children Health Check for Slated May 8**

A pre-school spring round-up will be held May 8 for children who will begin first grade in Haskell schools this year.

All parents of children who will be 6 years old before Sept. 1, 1956, are urged to bring their children to the Haskell Elementary School at 1:00 p. m., Tuesday, May 8.

Letters have been mailed to 82 boys and girls, but H. T. Wilkinson, Elementary School principal, says that he feels there are a number who have moved into town or were not reached by the school census. These are especially urged to meet for this pre-school registration and examination. Treats and refreshments are being planned for the boys and girls by this year's first graders.

**RETURNS FROM TELEPHONE OPERATORS' CONFERENCE**

Mrs. Allie Ford, chief operator in the Haskell telephone exchange, returned Friday evening from San Angelo where she had attended a two-day conference of General Telephone Co.'s chief operators. There were about 75 in attendance and the meeting was held at the Cactus Hotel.

**Ives June Casey District Delegate To State Meeting**

Miss Ives June Casey of Rule was elected District 3's girl delegate to the Texas 4-H Council at a meeting of the District Council in Seymour Saturday, April 28.

Miss Casey will serve on the Texas 4-H Council for a year. The council's purpose is to develop leadership of 4-H girls and boys over the state by giving them an opportunity to help plan such state activities as State 4-H Roundup and State Junior Leadership Lab.

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