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Valedictorian

County will be in the spotlight

during the coming week, when

a series of Western events is

scheduled, all centering around the sixth annual Rice Springs

The large building on the west side of the square, form-

erly occupied by Perkins-Tim-berlake, will be fitted up as

Roundup and Horse Show.

\$21.00

BARBARA GRAND

Special Day For Old Settlers

Salutatorian

# \$1,911 To Date The annual Red Cross fund campaign has fallen far short of the \$4.800 quota set at the Open-Day Run May 14

of the \$4,800 quota set at the beginning of the fund drive in March, it was reported today. Only \$1,911.97 has been re-ported raised, representing ap-proximately 40 per cent of the 1959 quota, Mrs. Ethel Lou Shelton, secretary of the coun-ty Red Cross chapter, stated. Three communities in the county met or exceeded their

quotas: O'Brien with \$352.00, Curry Chapel \$45.00, and Cobb

Amounts reported by other ommunities: Center Point, communities: \$50.10; Irby, \$45.00; Jud, \$17.00; Mattson, \$45.40; Rule, \$541.28; Sagerton, \$121.20; Haskell, \$605.69. Other contributions making up the total included: Ward, \$15.50; Telephone Co., \$12.80; Gins, \$40.00.

turn in their reports, Mrs. Shelton explained.

# quotas: O'Brien with their At Lions Club

One of the outstanding en-tertainment programs of the year was presented at the Lions Club Tuesday by a Rule High School choral group, The

Joy Notes. During the business session of the meeting and luncheon. held in the Highway Drive In. District Attorney Royce Ad-kins was awarded the Monarch Several community chairmen Chevron in recognition of 10 and local workers have yet to years service in the Lions Club.

The club's song leader, Rev. Oscar Bruce selected a quartet composed of Dr. J. G. Vaughter, Allen Rieves, George Fouts and Rajah Hassen and the group sang "Suwanee River." Jetty V. Clare, program chairman for the day, introduced N. S. Ousley of Rule, director of "The Joy Notes" who brought the days program. Accompan-ist was Mrs. Ousley. Members of the girl's quartet are Audrey Jo Smith, Fern Ross, Jackie Nell Estes and Jan Ousley. All

group for the past four years Jaycees Install under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Ousley. The Joy Notes have made New Officers

over 100 public appearances together, including television, talent shows, state-wide gatherings and special programs.

Evidence of the group being top students and high-ranking junior citizens is seen in the fact that Miss Ousley is valedictorian, Jackie Nell Estes, salutatorioan, while Audrey Jo Smith is an outstanding basket-



**Rice Springs Roundup To** 

TALENT AND BEAUTY COMBINED-The Joy Notes, Rule High School choral group, have made more than 100 public appearances during their high school career. Shown are, from left, Audrey Jo Smith, Fern Ross, Jackie Nell Estes and Jan Ousley. Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley are sponsors and instructors of the Joy Notes.

## **THP** Investigates <sup>13</sup> Accidents In Month Of April

Haskell Junior Chamber of Commerce held its annual in-stallation banquet Tuesday night, April 28 at the Highway Drive In Cafe.

investigated 23 traffic accidents In addition to local memwhich occurred in the ninebers, several Jaycees were county Haskell area during present from Wichita Falls. April, Sgt. Frank Jircik, area Among them was Ruben Covsupervisor, announced today. ington, State Jaycee vice president who installed the followin one death, 13 personal in-

Finishing touches are being made on rodeo grounds and pens this week, in preparation for the sixth annual Rice Springs Roundup and Horse Show, scheduled May 14, 15 and 16 under sponsorship of the Haskell County Sheriff's Posse.

"All indications point to another successful show this year," Dr. T. W. Williams, president of the Sheriff's Posse, said.

Many inquiries are coming in daily from prospective contestants, Brooks Middleton, in charge of rodeo entries, stated Tuesday.

A full schedule of rodeo events will be run off each night, including cowgirls barrel race, bareback and saddle bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping and ribbon roping.

More than \$2,000 in cash prizes will be paid contestants, in addition to extra money in jackpot events, and a custommade saddle for the champion roper of this year's show.

Special events will include both open and novice cutting horse contests, rodeo clown acts and other features. Parade Thursday A colorful parade of visiting

riding clubs, rodeo contestants, cowboys and cowgirls, along with commercial entries of new automobiles and farm tractors, as well as decorated floats and individual entries will be staged at 4 p. m. Thursday to officially open the 1959 Round-

All riders in the parade will be admitted free to the rodeo grounds Thursday night in or-der to take part in the grand entry, Roundup officials have announced.

Also, all groups and organizations desiring to have an entry in the parade are urged The area accidents resulted to do so, alhtough Roundup, officials are not asking merchants

Rodeo Stock

Contestants desiring to en-

ter the rodeo events should

contact Brooks Middleton, Has-

John Wisdom of Haskell will

be in charge of the cutting

horse contests, and he has an-

nounced the books will close

for entries at 8:30 a. m. Thurs-

Quarter Horse, Palomino,

Shetland Shows

up rodeo events, three separate

show divisions will be held

The first will be an AQHA

approved Quarter Horse Show

limited to registered Quarter Horses and those listed in the

AQHA appendix registry. Bus-

ter Shelton, Haskell, is in charge

held May 16, with entries clos-

ing at 10 a. m. Gene Hunter,

The Shetland division is also

scheduled May 16 with entries

closing at noon. J. R. Perry,

Rt. 3, Haskell, is in charge of

Trophy, rosette, and four ribbons will be awarded in each

of 15 classes in the Quarter

Horse Show, 11 classes in the

Palomino Show, and 10 classes

in the Shetland Show, in addi-

tion to Grand Champion and

Reserve Champion mares and

stallions in three shows.

Study Club Is

**Girl's State** 

Sponsor

entries in this division.

The Palomino Show will be

of entries in this event.

Friday and Saturday.

In connection with the Round-

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day, May 14.

Early-day settlers of Haskell | W. V. Felker, Western Dress. | Mrs. James Crawford, decorations at Old Settlers head Haskell Story" at Texas Thequarters. Mrs. C. O. Holt, Mrs. Luther Burkett and Lon Pate, public-

One of the major events will be 'Old Settlers Day' on Fri-day. May 15, with all early-Herbert Ray and Dale Condron, properties for Old Settlers headquarters. day residents of this section in-

Charles Swinson, enforcement of Western dress regulations. Mayor Ira Hester, welcom-ing committee for Old Settlers. M' Couch Sr. and Couch Sr., and 

sion, 9-10 a. m. Film of "The atre, 8 p. m.

displays. Thursday, May 14 - Court session, 9-10 a. m. Rice Springs Roundup Parade 4 p. m. First

Friday, May 15-Court ses sion, 9-10 a. m. Old Settlers Day. Old Fiddlers Contest 2:30 p. m. Quarter Horse Show

quarters. Charles Swinson, supervisor for the "Haskell Story" to be shown at the Texas Theatre

Wednesday, May 13-Court session, 9-10 a. m. Western dress emphasized. Headquarters building open for antique

night rodeo show.

Slated During Western Week Tuesday, May 12-Court sesare seniors in Rule High School

ball star and was selected as

All persons who have liv-ed in Hankell County 50 years or longer are urged to visit the headquarters build-ing and register on Old ied by V. W. tion. The Rev.

Old Settlers headquarters.

Settlers Day. Also, a display of Western antiques of all kinds will be be baccalauarranged in the building, which W. B. Griffith will be open all week for visits at exercises will by the public.

A special feature of Old Setp.m. in the tlers Day will be an "Old Fid-diers Contest" to be staged on the south side of the courthouse Processionbe by Mrs. R. invocation by

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lawn at 2:30 p. m. Friday. Cash mil be by Mrs. prizes will be awarded the three sccompanied Overton. op fiddlers, and the program will be free to the public. Mrs. Luther Burkett is gen**uperintendent** shools will give ment address. eral chaiman of the Western

Week committee, with the fol by W. J. Tate. lowing chairmen and co-chairmen of special events: mcipal. Presen-biomas will be Mrs. Tommye Hawkins, Old

Settlers Headquarters. Mrs. Bailey Toliver and Mrs. m, president of

the graduating Grand, Selda **Tigers And Rams** Matejovsky, Sue Mane, Barba-Miles, Jimmy Petrich. Win In Little League Openers The Tigers and Rams went

into the lead in the major di-May 24 vision of Little League baseball for the new in the first two games of the season this week. In the mi-nor division the Bears and the Wm. J. Barnett e Central Bapeen scheduled Red Horses forged out in front M the pastor with wins. , announced

Results Monday night: Frogs , Bears 12; Hawks 1, Tigers or is virtually some of the arrive until

Tuesday night: Red Horses Cats 5; Cubs 10, Rams 13. Games Coming Up Thursday night, May 7: Cats

vs. Bears; Rams vs. Tigers. Friday night, May 8: Frogs vs. Red Horses; Hawks vs. Cubs

Monday night, May 11: Bears vs. Red Horses; Tigers vs. Cubs.

Tuesday night. May 12: Frogs vs. Cats; Hawks vs. Rams. Teams in the minor division play first, at 5:30 p. m., with major division teams starting their games at 7:30.

#### reset for Sat-7 o'clock **Business Section** ly set for To Be Decorated rained out date neces For Roundup Week

The Haskell Fire Department will decorate stores and busi-ness establishments during the weekend, to "dress up" the business section for the many visitors expected here during Western Week and the Rice Springs Roundup aing to admit will be costum and Middle-Age

Springs Roundup. Firemen will contact merchants and businessmen in sellthis city, soph-at Southern renity, Dallas, del an academ-at the the term be strung this weekend and remain in place until close of the Roundup.

Any business house not con-tacted may arrange for the dec-orations by calling the Police Department, UN 4-2323. univer was based on stanking stu-achter of Mr. Henry of Has-

In addition to decorating store fronts, firemen will also string banners across the principal streets and along the route to the Roundup grounds.

Tuesday evening, May 12. deo pragram. **Dally** Schedule

schedule of daily events dur-ing the coming week includes HHS Students the following: Monday, May 11-First day of Western Week. Court session Present Rotary

on courthouse lawn 9-10 a. m.

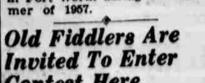


WM. J. BARNETT Vaughter.

# New Pastor For Presbyterians

William J. Barnett of Memphis will accept the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell in June. Mr. Barnett is a graduating senior at the Austin Presby-terian Theological Seminary in Austin. He will receive his B.

D. degree in May. He is a graduate of South-western College at Memphis. No stranger to Haskell, Mr. Barnett spent last summer as the student supply pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. He had served as the student assistant pastor at the St Stephens Presbyterian Church ford. in Fort Worth during the sum-



An invitation is being extend ed all old-time fiddlers in this Fiddlers Contest to be held here Friday. May 15, as part of the attractions for Old Timers Day during the Rice

Springs Roundup. Cash prizes of \$15.00, \$12.50 and \$10.00 will be paid the top three musicians, with consola-tion prizes to all others.

There is no entry fee, and persons desiring to enter may contact Alfred Force of Matt-son, or mail or leave their entry with Lon Pate at The Free Press. heart.

## **`lub** Program

A group of High School stu dents presented an excellent program at the Rotary Club meeting and luncheon Thursday at noon in the Highway Cafe dining room. Enjoying the program with local Rotarwere several out-of-town guests from Stamford and Rochester

In the business session President Tom Barfield reported on district attendance standings Haskell dropping to ninth place although the club had 97.62 per cent attendance for the month. He called attention to June 25 as date for the anniversary meeting and installation of officers for the ensuing year. Program Chairman Robt. R.

King presented the group of four High School students, Janet Pennington, Suzanne Weav-er, Paul Cooper and Jimmy

Miss Pennington introduced the students and their numbers: Paul Cooper, who won second in district I-L Boys Poetry reading, who read "Pat-terns" by Edgar Lee Masters; Suzanne Weaver, Junior in Interscholastic League girls declamation, who gave "Why?" and Jimmy Vaughter, who won

first in I-L regional extempo-raneous speech, who talked on "Are the Propaganda Efforts

meet in Austin May 8. In addition to her part on the program, Miss Weaver was pi-

anist for the club sing-song led by Thos. B. Roberson. Guests at the meeting and luncheon were: W. R. Johnson of Haskell; Manford Reid of Rochester; K. K. Francis, J. L. Hill, J. R. McDaniel, David Gough and Jim West of Stam-

#### Homecoming To Be **Held This Year** On Sept. 26

Saturday, Sept. 26 has been set as date for the 1959 Homecoming of ex-students and for-mer teachers in Haskell Public

Schools Plans for the Homecoming were set in motion after a meeting of officials of the organization with the School Board Tuesday night. Use of the gymnasium was granted for

the meeting place and for serving the Homecoming meal. Mrs. Allee Payne, president of the Homecoming Associa-tion, said mailing of letters to Exes would be started at an early date, advising date and plans for this year's event.

the best actor in one-act play in district Interscholastic League competition, and Fern Ross is a past "School Sweet-

Miss Ousley has been selected to enter the advance training program at ACC this summer and will enter the fall term as a sophomore. The other girls plan to enter college next fall. Numbers presented by the

Joy Notes included: No Other Arms, No Other Lips; Cruising the River; a duet by Down Jackie Nell Estes and Fern Ross; Leaning on the Old Top Rail; River of No Return, duet by Jan Ousley and Au School House; Heart of My Heart, with Jan Ousley taking Here Measured drey Smith; In a Little Red the solo part; and May You Always, dedicated to Mr. Ous

Visitors at the meeting and luncheon were Mrs. John Es-tes and Billy Bates.

#### **Attend Jaycees Convention** In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lampp were in Fort Worth Friday and Saturday to attend the 32nd annual Texas Jaycees Convention as delegates from Haskell.

The state organization elect ed Jack Miller of Brownwood as president for the ensuing year, and chose Houston as the 1960 convention site.

Haskell Man's Jimmy will represent Haskell High School at the State I-L Brother Dies In Abilene

> A. E. Reynolds, 80, a retired farmer of the Potosi commun ity in Taylor County and the brother of Frank B. Reynolds of Haskell, died Friday May 1 at the home of a son in Abi-lene. He had been seriously ill two months.

Funeral for Mr. Reynolds was held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at Elliott's Chapel of Memories in Abilene with the Rev. Mack Richardson and the Rev. De-Witt Chandler, pastor of the Clyde First Baptist Church of-

Clyde First Baptist Church of-ficiating. Burial was in the Po-tosi Cemetery. Born in Lampasas County August 23 1878, Mr. Reynolds farmed in the Potosi-Callahan area until 1948 when he moved to Clyde where he lived until going to Abilene recently. He married the former Miss

He married the former Mis Maud Welch at Potosi in 1909. He was a member of the Bap tist Church.

tist Church. Survivors include his wife; four sons, W. M. of Clyde, Wy-lie C. and Walter L. of Abilene, and Willie N. Reynolds of Strawn; three brothers, Frank B. of Haskell, Virgil of Bor-ger, and Lewis of Stanton; and six grandchildson.

Virgil Cobb, president; Dee Larned. first vice president; Wallace Wooten, second vice president; Gene Lampp, secretary; Abe Turner, treasurer; Allen Rieves, state director.

New directors installed are Charles Bates, LaVon Marr and Wayne Wainscott. Hold over directors are Wayne Dun nam and Wallace Cox Jr. Outgoing officers are Buck Everett, president; Billy Jack

Ray, secretary; and Johnny Medford, state director.

April Rainfall At 1.39 Inch

> With only 1.39 inches of rainfall measured here during April, moisture deficiency for the year to date was 3.34 inches on May 1, based on normal precipitation for the first four months of the year.

Total rainfall to May amounted to 2.31 inches, while normal is 5.65, according to Sam P. Herren ,local observer for the Weather Bureau. Normal for April is 2.60 inches. Rain was measured here on four days during the past month: .97 inches on April 1; .01 on April 9; 36 on April 17;

Temperature during April ranged from a freezing 28 degrees on April 13 to a sizzling

#### Haskell People **Attend Parent's** Day At Tarleton Several couples from this city attended the annual Parents' Day celebration at John Tarle-

ton State College in Stephen-

ville Sunday. Among those going from this city were Sheriff and Mrs.

ited during the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M .Green in Bridgeport.

#### **Court Will Enforce Regulations Requiring Wearing Western Garb**

Monday is "WD Day" in laskell by official proclama-on of Mayor Ira Hester, who Haskell by official proclamation of Mayor Ira Hester, who who has designated the May 11-16 as Western Week.

Beginning Monday morning and continuing throughout the week all residents of Haskell will be required to wear some article of Western attire in observance of Western Week and the staging of the sixth annual Rice Springs Roundup and Horse Show.

court sessions in the traditional manner of the famed Judge Roy Bean will be A. M. (Ab-solutely Merciless) Turner, Sr., who will impose penalties of his own choosing against violators of the Western Week regula-tions Special "Western Week" oftions.

juries. and caused property to go to the expense of decoratdamage of \$13,823. ing floats. Following Thursday after-

The Texas Highway Patrol

Of the 23 accidents investinoon's parade, the Sheriff's Posse will host a chuck wagon from gated, nine resulted speeding, two from improper supper at 6 p. m. at the Round-up Corral Building for all visitthree from driving passing. while intoxicated, two from ing riding clubs. Tickets for the meal will be available to driving on the wrong side of road, four from making imthe public at \$1.00 per plate, proper turn, one from running Stephens to Furnish a stop sign, one from failing to signal, and one by improper start from parked position. Morris Stephens of Silverton, Texas, will again furnish buck-In Haskell County, the High ing stock for the rodeo events.

way Patrol investigated five accidents in April, Sgt. Jircik said. There were two personal injuries, \$2,610 in property damage, and no deaths he added. Compared with the first four months of 1958, when there were six fatalities from traffic accidents in Haskell County there were no deaths in the same period this year, Sgt. Jircik pointed out.

Sgt. Jircik advised that 50 per cent of the area accidents were caused by two factors excessive speed and driving while intoxicated. Enforcement efforts of the Highway Patrol will be concentrated in cutting down the number of accidents caused by these violations, he declared.

#### **Open Meeting Of AA's Scheduled** Here Sunday

Haskell, is general superinten-dent of the Horse Show. An open meeting of A'coholics Anonymous will be 'ield at the First Baptist Church in this city, Sunday May 10 at 2

p. m. Speakers will include two men from Wichita Falls who are outstanding leaders in the AA movement, Burton C., and Otis D. Also scheduled for a talk is Dr. T. W. Williams of Haskell.

The general public is invited.

**Tom Pattersons To Spend 2 Weeks** In Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patterson of Lubbock left Thursday, April 30 for an automobile trip to Los Angeles, Calif. In that city they were to enplane yesterday (May 6) for a two weeks stay in Hawaii.

courthouse lawn.

Serving as magistrate at the

court sessions in the traditional

In announcing the selection of Haskell's third representative at Girl's State, the name of the Progressive Study Club as sponsor organization was om-mitted through oversight. The study club, through the local American Legion Auxiliary, will sponsor the attendance of Martha Decker, HHS junior. Other representatives from HHS will be Suzanne Weaver and Barbara Elliott.

#### Weinert Student be cited to appear at court sessions to be held each morn-Wins In Regional Declamation ing from 9 to 10 o'clock on the

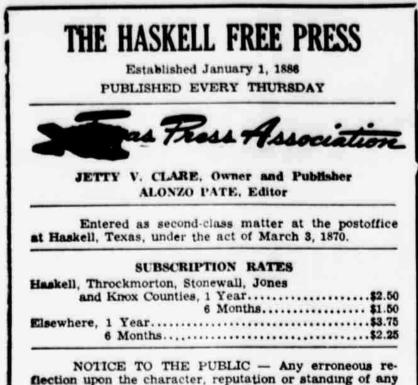
David Phemister, senior in Weinert High School, won first place in senior boy's declama-tion in the regional Interschol-astic League events in Lub-bock. He will compete in the state finals in Austin Friday. Young Phemister is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Phem-ister of Weinert.

Bill Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Lusk also vis-

and .05 on April 19.

101 reading on April 25.

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flection upon the character, reputation or standing of any firm, individual or corporation will be gladly corrected upon being called to the attention of the publishers.

#### Mother

You may have been only a frecklefaced, tousled-haired boy to most people in your native town. But to your mother you were a king of royal blood. To the teacher at school you were possibly a common pest in need of a seat on the chair reserved for "dunces." But in the eyes of your mother you were the height of all that was loving and thoughtful, and one who would later on become qualified to sit in the highest executive office in the nation.

And as the annual observance of one of the sweeetest holidays in the year approaches-Mother's Day-time finds mother thinking the very same thoughts. Possibly your mind and your interests have wandered far afield so far as your thoughts of her are concerned, and because of thoughtlessness there may have been neglect of her in a minor degree. Possibly you haven't been always as considerate of her as you told yourself as a boy you would always be. But mother is not thinking that. She is recounting the joys you brought to her heart in your childhood days, the sunshine you cast into her world, and the happiness your presence and your smile brought, joys that no other smile and no other happiness can bring a mother like those she had from you. There are never two sides to a child's life in a mother's heart-despite those moments of forgetful neglect on your part.

That is the reason we have this beautiful holiday, and one of the reasons why we observe it. It affords an opportunity to soften such memories by a display of genuine love and thoughtfulness for the most noble, faithful, loyal and sacrificing friend anyone can have-their Mother.

If she is living and near enough for you to be with her this Mother's Day-spend the day in loving association and communion with her. One day spent at her side now when memories are about all she treasures, will make amends for those acts of thoughtlessness of earlier years. Ahead of her alone is life's highway, and it is nearing the sunset for her. One smile from you now will serve to light that road for her as nothing else can; one kiss from you would make of it the path of glory in her tired, kindly, loving old heart. If she has passed on to the end of that road, lay some blossoms on her resting place, or wear a rose on this Mother's Day as evidence that through the turmoil and strifes of life, and in all your wanderings you have not forgotten the dearest creature who ever had a part in your life.

#### Something For Nothing?

One of the more enduring and damaging illusions of the

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PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS By A. PATE

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hofhausen again.

"If I were hanged on the that car you passed back highest hill, there I know whose love would fol-Both men replied they didn't

low me still, Mother o' Mine . . . " We are hard-headed business men, callous doctors, carefree students, giddy teen-agers 'hard-boiled' by the crowd-

say about these tickets." contacts of modern day ed living. Somewhere in all of us there

is a soft spot reserved for Mother. One day a year we like to reserve especially to do homage to that wonderful person who guided our first faltering footsteps, who endured our childish tantrums, and who today is perhaps wistfully wishing that she might receive just a bit of attention from those

to whom she gave everything. Let us make it a big day for Mother. Let us show her that she still has "adorers at her shrine."

Five years late but in utmost sincerity, we offer apologies to a valued friend, Sam Herren, local weather observer for more than 15 years. In recognition of his long service, Sam recently received an award from the Weather Bureau and a letter of commendation, as will be noted in a news story in this issue.

Our apology goes back five years to 1954, when Sam was cited for 10 years service to the Weather Bureau. We had the information and wrote a story about the local weatherman. But checking our files we can't find the story that we know we wrote and until now believed was published. So, at this late date, we want to give Sam recognition he was

due five years ago. Two motorists who were given tickets for speeding on the Haskell-Stamford highway last Sunday had reason to be red-faced when stopped by Highway Patrolman Arthur Mason after they had whizzed by another car while trying to out distance the cop.

After he had stopped both speeding cars, clocked at more than 70 mph, the Patromar asked the two lead footed driv ers: "Know who was driving

fine the fire to the one build ing. The stock was a total loss with \$1600 insurance. Calel Terrell lost all his household goods and a piano stored in the building. He had little in-

surance. The machinery of the light plant has been received and the plant started up Thursday. We understand that the plant is the acquaintance of M. Fluviatilis, we'll pass on the information given us. The tongue twisting monick-

er is the highbrow name for a trap door spider, a species seldom seen in this section. Non-poisonous, the trap door

spider digs a burrow or tunnel which is lined with a waterknow and weren't particularly proof silken lining. A door of closely woven web fits over "Now you might be," Mason the entrance to the tunnel, countered, "That was the J. P. which the spider opens and closes at will in the same fashwho'll hear what you have to ion as a cellar door. Principal Sure enough, the other car was occupied by Justice Merle diet of the spider is ants, and Weaver, who was returning from Stamford when passed by its burrow is frequently located near an ant hill.

Atkinson's interest was arous Monday, when the two gas-burners had their second glimpse of the J. P., they were ed when he happened to see the flip-flop action of the blob of web when the spider emerged. and again when it went back into the burrow. He found that when the door was opened The 85- and 90-degree temwith a match or straw. the peratures in recent days has spider would quickly flip it just about caused Sam Crume of the Highway Drive In Cafe closed.

Several high school students to decide it might be safe to go fishing with Richard Bis have visited the site, interested in observing the actions of the Last time they were on the burrow dwelling spider.

And Atkinson to protect the lake together, a few weeks ago. spot from damage by trucks the weather was extremely chilly. Sam got wet from water has built a small stake fence sloshing in the boat just ar they started out and the en around a two-foot plot centered on the residence of Mr. M. Fluviatilis.

They tell this one on Post-

will keep you cool He was making his first mail delivery to a house rented by

construction work at the WTU

from Hill County, Wayne Perry decided at the time that he'd make his home here perma That was 70 years ago last in a wallbox when a woman May 2, and Wayne has never came () the door.

"That's a queer looking dor here, ma'am." Walter said there, ma'am." 'What kind is it?"

"I don't know." the lady re plied, "My brother sent it from Africa. You should have seen it before we trimmed its mane."

Mother's Day

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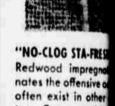




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drouths, lean crop years, de-pressions, wars and Republi can administrations. With the exception of one year-1917he's lived all that time in the Paint Creek country. He farm

nently.

ed on what is known as the old Webb place east of Haskell that year.

lived anywhere else, sticking

with Haskell County through

The county had only been organized a few years when Wayne came here. Supplies that were not available in the little settlement of Haskell were hauled from Abilene or Albany. A wagon trip from Abilene in the dead of winter was an or deal, especially facing a bliz gard or snowstorm. Wayne re called. His grandgather died from pneumonia, contracted when he was caught in a blizzard while coming from Abi lene with a wagon load of supplies.

Wayne recalls attending the old Ward School, a small frame building located south of town on land owned by Thos. B Roberson, His teacher was Miss

suing nours were like fishing . . . in someone's deep freeze, the ordinarily jovial resturanteer declared. Claimed it took him man Walter Kierpka. two days to thaw out completea newcomer, an engineer or Although he was just a lac when his parents and grandplant. father moved to this sectior

He couldn't help but notice a big vicious looking dog chain ed on the front porch. Keeping a wary eye on the animal. Wa! ter started to place the mail

time is that federal aid to states and cities and other local governments is somehow "free"-that it really provides us with mething for nothing.

Economists Fred G. Clark and Richard Stanton Rimanoczy of the American Economic Foundation clearly and simply show the hole in that kind of reasoning by citing two prime principles of economics.

First: "Nothing in our economic life comes from nowhere or goes nowhere; there is always a source and a destination." Second: "Government cannot give the people anything that it does not take from them."

To supply federal aid, the government first takes away money that otherwise could have been spent diectly at the local level, and then gives part of it back. A certain and substantial percentage disappears in the process. Indeed, according to Messrs. Clark and Rimanoczy, only one state. Mississippi, gets as much back from the federal government as it puts in.

So federal aid, far from being "free", is as expensive a device as we can think up.

Haskell County History

being overhauled and new machinery will be added and du plicated in such a way that

service will be uninterrupted in the future. The oil mill will finish its season's crush during the coming week.

Alvy Couch, who is connected with the bank at Knox City. attended the commencement exercises here Monday night. J. W. Flenniken and W. F

Tompkins have opened a land office in the Farmers National Bank Building. Mr. and Mrs. Witt Springer of Aspermont were here Wed nesday for a brief visit with friends.

Misses Fannie and Florence Baldwin left Wednesday night for Honey Grove where they M. A. Clifton, with a team will

and scraper on his place southeast of town in one day scrap ed out a basin that filled with flow of pure living water soap lather almost equal to

rain water. B. F. Norman left Tuesday to visit his parents in Alabama.

60 Years Ago-May 13, 1899 The third annual reunion at presently stationed at Brooks Plainview, Hale County, of the H. E. Medford of the Howard old soldiers and cowboys will community is probably the be held commencing Tuesday. county's champion coyote kill-August 15, 1899, and continuing er. On April 28 he found a den five days.

of eight young wolves which he killed after trapping the At the reunion of Texas veterans at Temple recently, there mother. On May 5 he caught a were present eight survivors of mother wolf with his dogs, and the badle of San Jacinto.

later found her den and nine The crop outlook in Haskell County is more promising now than at any corresponding time Director Joe Meacham announces that the Maskell Mufor several years past.

At their ice cream festival ast week, the Baptist ladies nicipal Band will present a con cert Saturday evening on th A d Society cleared \$24.30.

Cattle Inspector Roberts of The Commissions & Court has Quanah was here this week looking after matters along the called a \$125,000 road bond election in Road District No. 7, quarantine line. A. H. Tandy left on Thursday which embraces the southwest part of the county, for June 8. If voted, the bonds would be with an outfit of men and hor-

used in building a hard-surses to work on his ranch in faced road on Highway 18 from the Indian Territory. the Jones County line, through Sagerton to the Stonewall Ike Winfree, who has been employed on the X Ranch in county for several years. left this week for Dickens Coun-

Rev. H. R. Whatley returned Sunday night from Munday. ty, where he will establish a where he conducted a successranch for himself. ful two-weeks revival. He left Parties interested in the

Stonewall County copper mines 16 or 20 miles west of this place Tuesday for Memphis, Tenn.. to attend the Southern Baptist passed through Thursday en Convention meeting there this route to the mines to continue the work of prospecting. Quite a party of prospectors were here Thursday from Bowie

and vicinity. We understand that some of them were looking for a business location, and others for farm and ranch

lands. The date for the annual Cowboys Reunion at Seymour has been set for the middle of Aug

The committee appointed to investigate the railroad proposition submitted to our people recently by Mr. Locke of Abilene, has not made sufficient progress in their work to make any worthwhile report this

t, now Mrs. Frank Cannon of Stamford. Pho. UN 4-3197 - 901 N. 5th

Attending the Stamford C. of C. banquet last Friday night, John Crawford recalled that he hauled the lumber from Abilene for the first permanent home built in Stamford.

That was in 1899, and the house was built for a Rev. Orsmond ,a Baptist preacher and grandfather of Mrs. Ed Cloud of Rule.

Townsite lots for the new town were not put on sale until 1900, Crawford remembered. However, townsite promoters told the Baptist preacher to go ahead and build his house, and whatever location he selected would be sold to him when the townsite planning was completed, Crawford explained. Crawford lived in Stamford

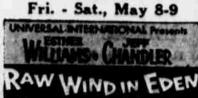
for a number of years before moving here in the 20's.

A Myrmekiaphila fluviatilis which has set up housekeeping He showed a jug of the water, near the Crown Central tank and testing it found it made farm southwest of town has a friend in Jimmy Atkinson, C-C's gauger and field supervisor. If this world-snaking bit of information means nothing to you because you've never made



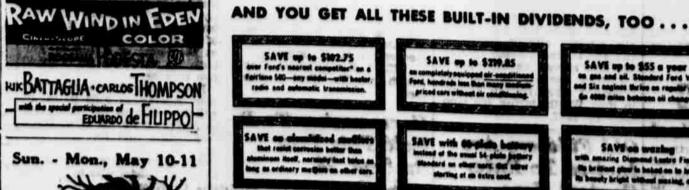
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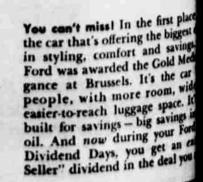




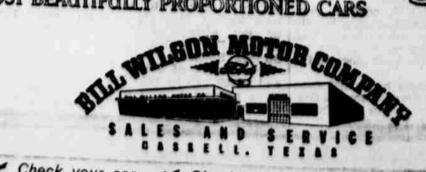
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Saturday.

Mrs. Prentiss Young. 50 Years Ago-May 8, 1999

About 3 o'clock Friday morn ust ing, nightwatchman T. J. Lemmon discovered fire in the storeroom of the Norman " ain! Store. He gave the alarm and soon a big crowd turned out denne and two busi- fighting the blaze. The best

20 Years Ago-May 12, 1939 | fire in Sagerton Friday night At the regular meeting of The fire started in the resi the City Council Tuesday night, dence of Reagan Bell, and de Aldermen authorized the payspite efforts of volunteer fire ment of current obligations of men, quickly spread to the adjoining Bell Cafe and the the city with warrants which nearby Floyd Smith Filling are redeemable at face value at the Haskell National Bank. Station. Hugh C. Ratliff, son of Judge

Field, San Antonio.

courthouse laws

County line.

pups, which he exterminated.

The city will pay 6 per cent and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, has en interest on the warrants until listed in the Air Corps, and is retired. The farm home of David

Hunt north of Rule was demolished and two automobiles parked near the house were damaged by a small tornado last Sunday afternoon. Another "twister" struck between Haskell and Rule, damaging a farmhouse and wrecking a poultry shed. In the Mattson were commit killed by a bolt of a nin z rain Gu. ... S 21 storn., Chigh winds and rain. with precipitation averaging two inches over most of the county.

Miss Gayle Roberts of Haskell was recently elected to serve as president of the Student Advisory Council at Tex-as State College for Women, Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brown are the parents of a fine son, who arrived at their home conceday night. Charley Richards of Santa

Anna is spending several days here and at Rule, visiting friends. He is a former resident, having served as deputy sheviff for several years. Mrs. Ada Rike and daughter,

Mrs. Gaines Post, were in Sweetwater Wednesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Harold Spain of Wes-ton, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fouts. Mrs. Herman Henry and son

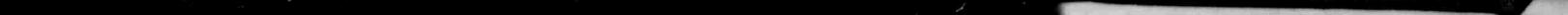
Pat, of Winnsboro, arrived Saturday for a visit with her father, G. F. Mullino.. Mr. and Mrs. George Hen-

shaw spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mrs. Ernest Sutherlin of Wichita Falls spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

50 Years Ago-May 9, 1929 and joined the fire boys in in interest were destroyed by ; that could be done was to con week

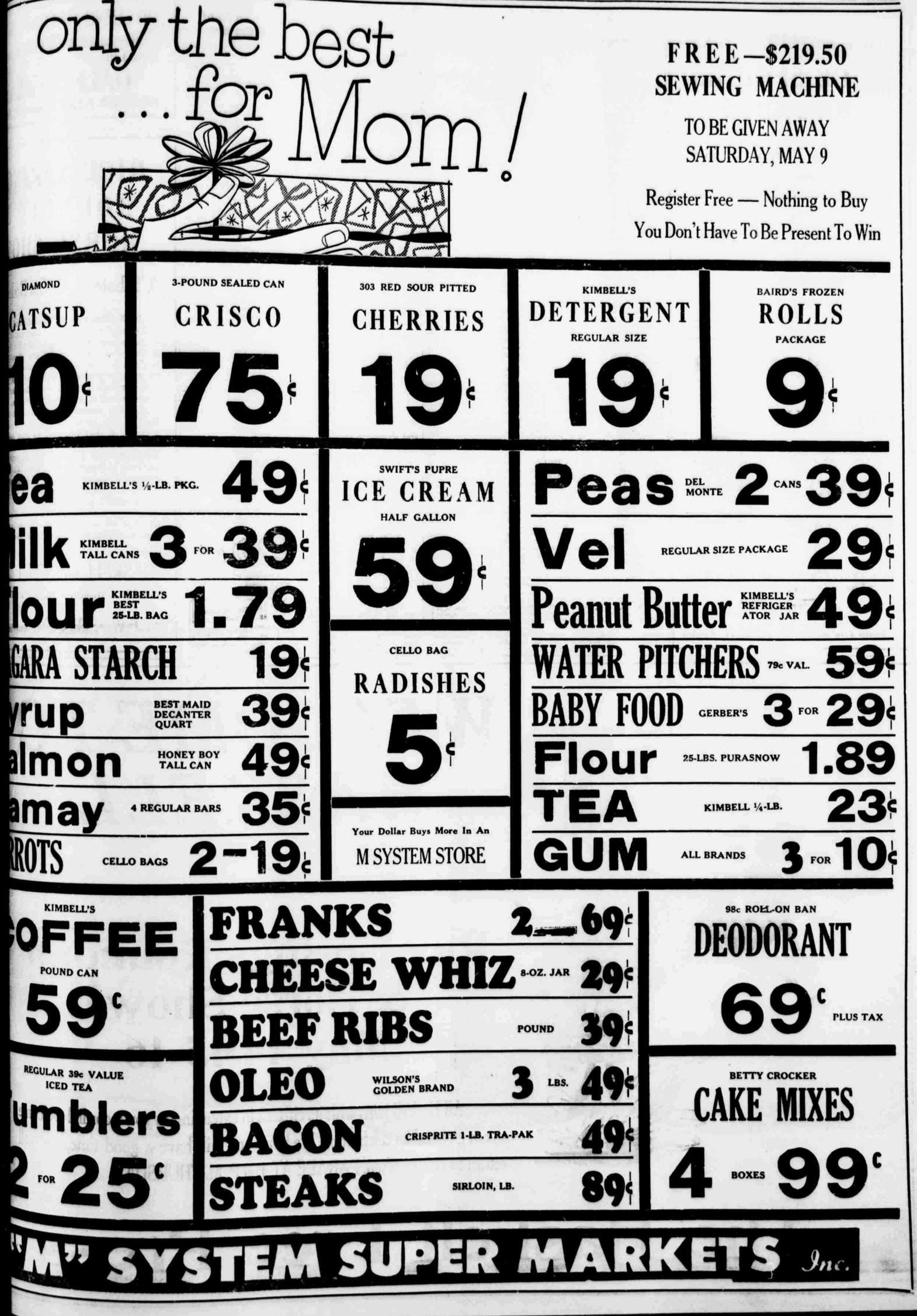
week. State Representative A. H. King of Throckmorton was a business visitor in Haskell last Rev. and Mrs. Gaston Foote spent the first of the week in Stephenville, visiting in the home of her parents, Judge and



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### For Improvements On Highway 380 A contract for 13.8 miles of

A contract for 13.8 miles of construction on U. S. Highway 380 in Haskell County has been awarded to a San Antonio firm, it was announced in Austin by the State Highway Commission. Centex Paving Company submitted the low bid of \$734,355.47 on the project. Construction of grading, widening structures, flexible base, and two course surface treatment from U. S. 277 to the Stonewall County line is expected to take 175 working days, according to J. C. Roberts, District Highway Engineer at Abilene. The awarding of the contract to this firm is subject to the concurrence of the Bureau of Public Roads. Nelson Shave, Resident Engineer at Hamlin will be in active charge of the project while under construction.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES The Lord's Day, May 10, 1959: Mother's Day. 9:45 a. m.—Bible Study hour. Classes for all ages. Dennis Ratliff superintendent and Mrs. James Crawford, Primary

Suppl. 10:45 a. m.—Worship and Communion. The mothers present will receive special recognition. The mother who has the greatest number present at her invitation will receive a nice award.

5:15 p .m.—Youth meeting. Jerry and Mylta Kreger will furnish the refreshments. Steve Pace will lead the devotional period. 6:30 p m Evening service

6:30 p. m. Evening service. Bring your Bible and another friend. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Cottage Prayer meeting. The place of the meeting will be announ-

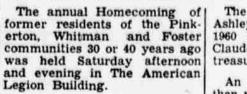
of the meeting will be announced Sunday morning. Brother Guy Harris and Mr. Charles Lee will be attending a Christian Man's Clinic May 5-6-7, in the Kiamichi Mountains close to Taïahina, Okla. Two thousand men are expect-

ed to be at this meeting. Robert Forrester, minister of the Brick Christian Church, Watauga, Tenn., will lead the local church in an evangelistic meeting June 3-14. Vacation Bible School is scheduled for the local chill

scheduled for the last full week in June. This year's theme is "Following Jesus." Guy I, Harris, Minister.

Texas cotton producers and

consumers should be interested in a recent U. S. Department of Agriculture announcement dealing with the development of a practical method for producing cotton fabric with



Guests began arriving at 5 o'clock, and were registered by Mrs. Bob Herren and Mrs. Clin-

and ton Herren. Highlight of the evening was an old fashioned basket dinner, the spread on tables in the large

her auditorium. nice At 6 p. m. the crowd assembled around the tables, and ting. the Homecoming president, will Steve Sloan, called for silence teve while a prayer of thanks was onal offered by Rals Loe of Brownfield, Texas, for the bountiful rice. meal that was to be served, ther and for the fellowship the happy

occasion afforded. Mrs. Angie Mullino and Mrs. Nina Gibson poured tea and coffee for the group.

coffee for the group.
Following the meal, visiting got underway, and many recalled the good times of 30 and 40 years ago when traveling to the country school house for a night of singing, or a "literary society" program. The trips were made in a buggy drawn by a horse, or in a wagon per-1, haps, with quilt for the girls to sit on while the young men of drove the team as they slowly plodded down the road. Highways and automobiles were not available to the "country" people then.

Next the president called the house together for a short business session. Minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Angie Mullino, who gave a good report on the meeting of 1958. Henry Smith was asked to serve as moderator when Steve Sloan and Mrs. Mullino asked to to be relieved of their duties duties.



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## Annual Homecoming Of Former Residents Held Here Saturday

of The group selected Claude ink-Ashley as president for the 1960 Homecoming, and Mrs. ago Claude Ashley as secretary and treasurer.

An interesting letter was then read by Nina Gibson from Mrs. Faye Thompson, who also sent her regrets at being unable to attend this year's meeting.

Truett Cobb was then asked to lead the group in singing old fashioned songs. the ones that were popular in 1912 and 1913.

After a long period of singing, with George Turner at the piano, the group adjourned. Henry Smith led the closing prayer, after the group sang "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again."

More than 100 guests registered during the evening.



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A summary of the 1957 wool marketing year in Texas shows that 236 of the State's 254 counties sold some wool under the incentive payment pro-

#### Zion Lutheran Church To Hold Special Service

Special services will be held at Zion Lutheran Church in Sagerton Sunday. May 10 at 8:30 a. m. This will be a dedication service dedicating the newly completed entrance to the church building, the new carpet, and other improvements to the church building. Pastor E. R. Phlug asks that all members of the congregation be present at this special

Raymond Douglas New Employee At

## Baccus Station

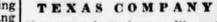
New employee at the Baccus Service Station is Raymond Douglas, who has moved his famiy here from Fort Worth. He has had considerable experience in the service station business, and will appreciate an opportunity of serving the

Mrs. people of this section. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas have two sons, Raymond Thomas, 3, and Billy Don, 6 years old. The family is living at 1011<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> North Avenue D.

unneet-TO WELCH, LA.

ked man and Mrs. Nathan Milliman and their five children, formerly of Hobbs. N. M., have moved to Welch, La., to make their home. He will be associated with his brother, Wilford Milliman in the Massey-Fermuon inactor and implement

gueon tractor and implement business in the Louisiana town.



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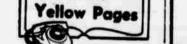
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Fletcher Oil and Gas Drilling

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Snailum Survey, had a daily

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Joe Harper Is Lay Speaker At **First Methodist** 

Joe Harper was the lay speaker at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning. His topic was Our stressed man's responsibility to his God, his church, his community, his family and his fellow man.

He said, "These things are not difficult if we place Ser-vice Above Self. We can't all t High and up. be ministers. We can't all be teachers. We can't all be missionaries. We can't all be build-, grades 6 ers. We can't all be repair men. But here's what we can

WN 4-3260 do-we can do all we can, the very best we can. The respon-sibility is ours, all we can do is accept it!"

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Mrs, Knipling went along and visited with their daughters. Dorothy and Lois at Lake Jackson, while he was attending the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. August Anger-man visited with the Robert Dudensings near Old Glory Sunday night. completed two wells in the Ju-Field five milies west of O' Brien in Haskell County.

Mrs. John L. Brooks and daughter Judy, spent last week end with Mrs. Clota Engleman in Spur, and the three also visited Mrs. Brooks' son Billy. at Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel Sunday evening, April 24, were Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Heim, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaake, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane and son, Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman, Emil and Hilda Stremmel, Jeannette Helm and George Mullins. The occasion was a birthday party in honor of their son, Larry. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Debose and son of Ralls, visited in the J. A. Hertel home Sunday. Mrs. Hertel and Mrs. Debose are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stegemoeller of Slaton were here on business last week. They vis-ited in the homes of C. E. Stegemoeller and August Bal-

Mrs. J. F. Schaake of Stamford is visiting in the home of with casing set at 4,829. her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Stegemoeller while she is recuperatthree and a half miles northing from a broken shoulder. west of Rochester. She spent part of last week with her other daughter, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hertel are the proud parents of a son, Stephen Frederick, born April 23.

of the southeast quarter of Section 9, Block 14, H&TC Survey. Five children attended the pre-school clinic at Sagerton with rotary. Katz Oil Co. of Abilene plug-Monday of this week. They were: Clayton Stegemoeller, ged at 5,100 feet in its No. 1 J. W. Gholson, project three miles southeast of Rochester ir Kent LeFevre, Peggy Clark, Lupe Terry Stremmel and Elias. Mrs. Trice, the school the Foote Field. It was in Lot 29 nurse, was there to check them Red River CSL Survey 75. Same operator's No. 1 Ethe' and they were also checked by Dr. Colbert of Rule. Mother's Day program will of O'Brien in the O'Brien, East Strawn) Field was plugged a' be presented by the Sunday School pupils of the Sagerton

Block 45, H&TC Survey. Methodist Church next Sunday on Mother's Day, in addition to the Mother's Day sermon be Sojourner Drilling Corp. of Abilene No. H. B. Thomson by Bro. Vernon Mayfield, All visitors are welcome. Guests in the home of Mrs.

ert J. C. Spitzer recently were Slated for 5,000 feet with ro-Mrs. Raleigh Conner of Rule tary, it spots 467 feet from the and Mrs. Elizabeth Spain of west and 1,517 feet from the Pinehurst. Mrs. Spain is the south lines of M. Waggoner Surormer Elizabeth Geer of Rule vev Abstract 671. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Le-Second well has been com Fevre visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jameson in Matador Sun-Rule. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer and Jana visited with Mr. Ulmer's borther and family in Hobbs, N. M., last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spitzer and family made a trip to Las Vegas, N. M., last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Point-

perforations at 4,836-46 feet. A south Haskell County wildcat was spotted 4½ miles south-east of Sagerton. The venture is Holloway Drilling Co. of Abilene No. 1 Swenson Land & Cattle Co

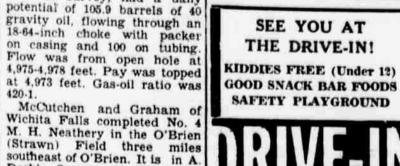
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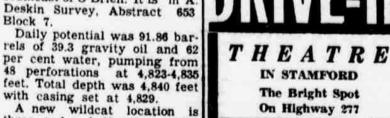
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#### New Preservative Corp. of Dallas and Abilene Adds To Life Of liana, North (Burson Sand) Cotton Fabrics

In the constant battle of "Cot-No. 3 E. E. Underwood, Secton vs. Synthetics," Texas' ma-jor crop has been given a boost tion 3, HE&WT Survey, had a daily potential of 110.22 barrels with the development of a pre-servative which sould give of gravity oil, flowing through a 16 64-inch choke with packer on casing 120 pounds on tubing. cotton fabric a better advantage on the market. Flow was from open hole at

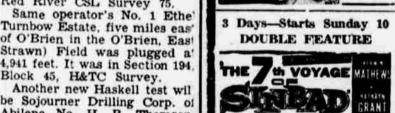
Cotton has always suffered a 1975-4.984 feet. Pay was topped at 4.978 feet. Gas-oil ratio was serious disadvantage because of its low rot resistant qualities. Each year, synthetics have grabbed more and more of the





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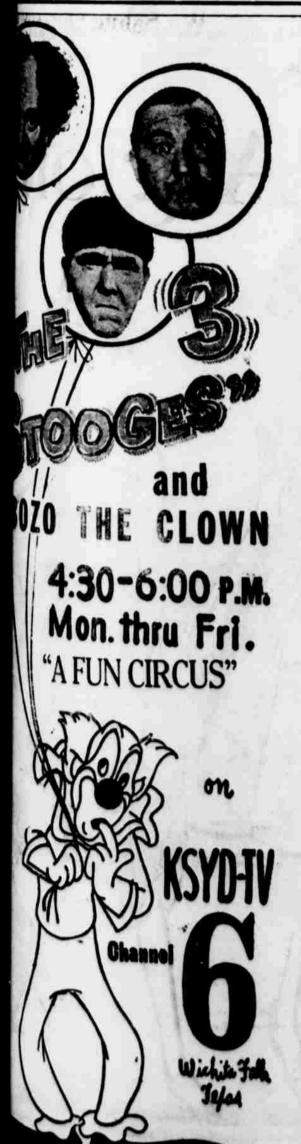
ing its chances for longer sur-The improved properties to tents, tarpaulins ar cotton give it outstanding rot door fabric items.

vival under ordinary weather hazards. This research development should open up even more markets for cotton in awnings, tents, tarpaulins and other out-





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er of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Le-Fevre and family, accompan-ied by Felix Mullino of Rochester, attended a Horse Show

in Paducah last Saturday. Guests in the G. A. Lambert home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert of Idalou, Miss Jeanette Lambert of Texas Tech, and Charles Ingrad | 116.16 barrels of oil. Flow was Texas Tech, to celebrate through a 20-64-inch choke and of

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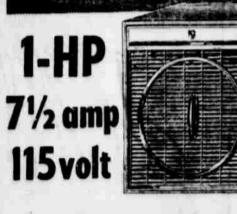
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home demonstration program. In Texas there are some 40.-000 Home Demonstration Club women who will observe National Home Demonstration Week. "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World" is serving as the national theme again this year.

During the week clubs in the state plan special activities to highlight their programs. Special exhibits, community programs, feature stories, radio and television programs and tours are planned to inform other homemakers and families of the purpose of home demonstration work and show its

QUESTION special activities. Weinert 4-H Girls which precedes the other | Club Has Final when a man becomes a Meeting Of Year Christian-faith or calling on The Weinert 4 H Club met the name of the Lord? Thursday, April 30. Linda Da-vis presided. Then Barbara Mc-Anelly talked about wearing (Rom. 10:13, 14) Send your answer to: The the right colors. She also demonstrated some colors on some Church of Christ girls. She also talked about 4-H camp and a 4-H workshop this Weinert, Texas 'The truth shall make you summer. The meeting adjourned, the last meeting of the free.' (John 8:32).



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Club Program

Nearing completion of its Cerontological Treasure Hunt,

study Club, meeting in the Community Room of the Has-

keil National Bank on April 16. added the "Precious Jewel,

Talent" to the treasure trove.

Mrs. Bailey Toliver welcom-

Program director Mrs. Viars

Felker introduced Miss Dorothy

King, director of music in the

James Hale, drum major of

Also from the musical was a

A quartet composed of girls

from Miss King's music depart

ment sang an old Negro spirit

ual, "Mary, Don't You weep,

several of her students,

ed the special guests, the Har-

mony Club.

by Strauss.

# STEINTEREST (F)

#### members, their families and B&PW Club Names Nettie McCollum odist Chuch at 7:00 p. m. for As Haskell's "Woman of the Year" a covered dish supper, and Special guests will be mem

Nettie McCollum, currently serving as the Haskell Business Court and their families and & Professional Women's Chub's fourth president, has been nam ed "Woman of the Year," an honor bestowed by the club program is planned by homeannually upon a person selecteratively by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department ed by ballot for outstanding

qualities. Her selection was made at the meeting of the club Tuesday evening in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank. Presentation of the gold cup award inscribed with the honoree's name and date was made by Stella Trice. recipient of last year's award. who lauded the club president for her loyalty and service to others.

Miss McCollum is a charter member of the Business & Professional Women's Club, a member of the Magazine Club, the Garden Club, and serves on the executive board of the Haskell County T. B. Association. She is active in the Junior Department of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church. She is assistant cashier of the Haskell National Bank and is a member of the National Association of Bank

Women. Guest speaker. Hazel Weav er. was introduced by Opal Dotson, Public Affairs Com mittee Chairman. "Call Me Mother" by Virginia Taylor Klose was the title of the book selected by the speaker for her most entertaining review.

During the business session endorsements from other clubs of candidates for various offices were read, a letter of

thanks from Martha Decker for the club's assistance in sending her to Girl's State was presented and the dates of June 12, 13 and 14 were stressed as time of the State Convention in Tyler, Madalin Hunt, membership chairman, announced next meeting theme as "May Days are Pay Days."

Hostesses for the evening were members of the Public Affairs Committee, Barbara McAnelly, Juanita King, Pauline Baird, and Opal Dotson, chairman. Tables for eight were covered with pastel cloths and each centered with an arrangement of garden pinks. Chicken salad sandwiches, lime salad and coffee were served to 25 members and guests Ha-Weaver, Opal Stevens and



#### NETTIE MCCOLLUM

Mrs. W. A. Dutton **Directs Weinert** Club Program

Weinert Study Club met on Thursday at the Community Center for a regular meeting. Mrs. W. A. Dutton directed the program on "Litterbugs." She displayed posters drawn by the elementary school children for the Safety contest sponsored by the Matrons Club.

Mrs. Henry Vojufka and Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson told about reducing ugliness in our city park and cemetery. Roll call was "How I keep from being a litterbug.

> Mrs. W. B. Guess read the resolutions to be presented at the GFWC convention in Los Angeles in June.

Mrs. Guess was elected delegate to the state convention in Lubbock Aug. 4-5-6th. Mrs. J. E. Jetton alternate.

The club voted to donate \$15 to Kenneth Sanders for his trip to the session of United Nations this summer. The club voted to enter the Community Achievement Contest. 3331 Plans were completed for the

Punch and cookies were ser

Hostesses were Mrs. B. J. Browning, Mrs. E. D. Earle, Mrs. J. E. Jetton,

The next meeting, May 14, will be the final one and the

East Side Baptist

The president, Mrs.

the closing prayer.

installation of officers.

second annual luncheon to hog! Five new members were

#### New Officers Of Magazine Club Installed

The Harmony Club presented the final program for 1958-59 Magazine Club year May 1 at the club house, when new offi-cers were installed.

Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead Sr. **Roby Students Are** was the narrator for a delight-ful "Cowboy Skit" featuring Presented on Study Texas music.

Miss Martha Meadors presented a piano number entitled "The Harmonica Player."

Cowgirls and cowboys sitting around the camp fire were Mesdames Tommye Hawkins, Mart Clifton, Al C. Williams, Hill Oates, A. C. Foster, Guy Harris, C. L. Lewis and Miss Meadors. Mrs. Robert Middleton played the part of Cowboy Joe and Mrs. Floyd Cook played the part of his sweetheart, "The Yellow Rose of Texas," program, the Concluding Mrs. Guy Harris sang "A

Prayer." Roby Schools, who presented and a lariat rope., Other decthe Roby High School Band

sang "I'm Just a Poor Wayfaring Stranger" and "You'll Never Walk Alone" from the Broadway musical "Carousal." the Texas motif. ed the following officers: President, Mrs. C. O. Holt; first vice president. Mrs. Wallace solo by Miss King, "If I Loved You," followed by "My Hero" Cox Jr.; second vice president. Mrs. Jack Pippin; recording secretary, Mrs. C. J. Robin "From Day to Day" a trom bone solo, was given by James J. U. Fields; treasurer Mrs. Mrs. R. L. Burkett; counselor,



son: corresponding secretary Mrs. John Rike; elected board member, Mrs. Virgil Bailey; historian, Mrs. C. L. Lewis; club critic Mrs. Hill Oates: parliamentarian, Mrs. Earl

followed by a lively rendition of the "Hawaiian War Chant." Atchison; and reporter, Miss Beryle Boone. Mrs. Holt gave a brief talk and the retiring president, Mrs. "Great Hymns Unite Us" was the theme of Mrs. R. A. Lane's

meditation as she pointed out ways in which sacred music served as a common denominator to break religious and denominational barriers. Her comments on several of the world's great hymns pointed up their origin and related stories connected with the history of their usage.

As a complement to the year's course of study, Mrs. Felker quoted from an article in "Guideposts" by Chico Day on the life of the late Cecil B. DeMille and his philosophy that "Old age need not be inevitable.

A business meeting followed the program, during which time plans were announced for the Treasure Trove banquet to be held on May 7. Mrs. Toliver asked for the club's coopera-tion in helping make "Western Week" a success.

### HASKELL, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MA

R. C. Couch Sr., expressed J and Miss Nettin appreciation for cooperation during the past year.

The hostesses were Mrs. E. M. Frierson, Mrs. R. C. Couch Jr., and Mrs. Arlos Weaver. Those attending not previous ly mentioned were Mesdames J. M. Collins, Wailace Cox Sr., Scott W. Greene, W. E. Huss, the home of Pat Elmer Turner, C. V. Payne, O. and Mrs. H. K. E. Patterson, K. H. Thornton, city

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#### Gladys Pitman. **Colors** Provide Topic At H. D. Club Meeting

Why do you wear certain colors more than others? Isn't it because of your hair or eyes or on people's suggestion? Barbara MkAnelly, county home demonstration agent, ask-ed the Josselet club members this question when she gave decorations and program, Mrs. Elwood Hackney, Mrs. W. A. Dutton, Mrs. E. D. Earle, Mrs. Kenneth Baker, Mrs. T. E.

this question when she gave the program "Color in Your Clothes." Miss McAnelly told members to wear colors that gave a nice healthy appearance. With the use of a color chart and crayons she showed the skin tones and the com-

pomentary colors that brought out the colors in the skin. With the use of large collars the ladies tried different colors that they had not worn, some being able to add new color to

their wardrobe. The club met in the home of Mrs. Jack Merchant April 28. Mrs. Martin Rueffer pre sided during the meeting. The W. M. U. Meets Monday The W. M. U. of the East Side Baptist Church met Mon-

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ved.

meeting was opened with pray er by Mrs. Merchant. Mrs. day, May 3 for the regular meeting and mission study. Paul Cothron read How Much. Mrs. Saily Patterson of Center. Point club and Mrs. Marvin Walters gave the reports on District III Meeting. brought the first chapter of our Mission Study in an in-Mrs. Rueffer reminded members May 3 to 9 was National

Home Demonstration Week and a county-wide Farmily Night had been planned for May 8.

Those present were Miss Mc-Anelly, Mrs. Patterson, and ombers, Mmes. Louise Mer-nt. J. L. Toliver, Paul Coth-

n. C. A. Thomas. Marvin L. alters. Laton Robertson, J. P. rrin. T. M. Howeth, Martin ueffer and the hostess, Mrs. Merchant The next meeting will be May 12, in the home of Mrs. W. C.

Fidelis Class Meets In Home Of Mrs. McCain

Norton.

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Thelma McCain Monday night for their business and social meeting. President Bonnie Cothron called the class to order then all sang Take Time To Be

Holy. Gusta Morgan led in prayer. Mrs. Etta Moore brought the devotional from Proverbs on Mothers, then read a poem en titled My Mother. She closed with prayer with prayer.

Eula Orr gave the secretary's report and read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. Caden-head dismissed with prayer. Cake and punch was served Jewel Cadenhead, Etta to Jewel Cadenhead, Etta Moore, Gusta Morgan, Bonnie Cothron, Mae Cothron, Eula Orr and the hostess, Thelma McCain.

Mrs. H. E. Stephens, Mrs. R. C. Couch Jr., Mrs. R. R. King, Mrs. Hubert Bell, Mrs. Gene Lampp. Hostesses Mrs. Howard Perry the year. Date of luncheou is Sunday, May 17, 12 noon at the Community Center. Committees appointed are: Food, Mrs. W. B. Guess, Mrs. Food, Mrs. W. B. Guess, Mrs. Henry Vajkufka, Mrs. J. E. Jet-ton, Mrs. Glenn Caddell, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson; seating and table arrangements, Mrs. M. W. Phemister,, Carter Tucker, Mrs. Loyd Lemley, Mrs. Alton Sanders, Mrs. B. J. Browning; decorations and program Mrs and Mrs. Jack Pippin served cake and coffee to the 23 members and eight guests.

Nine Teens Attend N.T.S.C. Program Sunday

The Nine Teens, local High School choral group, spent Sun day in Denton where they at tended "Sing-Song," an annual choral program presented by the sororities and fraternities on the N.T.S.C. campus, They were accompanied by their di rectors, Mr. and Mrs. Huber Bell, Mmes. R. A. Lane, R. W. Herren, and Miss Linda Speer who serves as Mrs. Bell's as sistant accompanist for the group. Following the "Sing-Song" the group was invited to the Sorority Dormitory where they enjoyed a brief vis-Following the "Sing-

Mr. and Mrs. Bell attended a morning coffee and open house for parents of Delta Gammmembers. Their daughter. Sue a Delta Gamma, is a junior Fred Howard was in charge of the program, Mrs. J. L. Mullins medical technology major at the college.

The Nine Teens who made the trip are: Janice Hattox, Twyla Hipp, June Bell, Jan Herren, Jane Bell, Jane By num, Dorothy Rueffer, zanne Lane, Carol Jircik.

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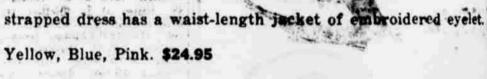
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City. Young Sanders will take part beginning

in the third period, beginning

in New York City June 28. He

will be in a group of young people leaving Wichita Falls

Saturday, June 20, by charter-

ed bus, returning July 9. The young delegate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Sanders of Weinert and at-

tends Weinert High School,

where he is a member of the

Bulldog basketball team, and

participates in all school activ-

His attendance at the UN

session is sponsored by the I.

O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges

Frank D. Culberth, 66, of

Lubbock, former resident here,

died Saturday afternoon May 2

in St. Mary's Hospital in

Lubbock after suffering a heart

attack. He was a brother of

Funeral services were held

at 10 a.m. Monday in the North

Side Assembly of God Church

in Lubbock, with the Rev.

Scott F. Mitchell and the Rev.

C. H. Browning of Colorado City officiating. Burial was in Rest Haven Memorial Park,

Lubbock, under direction of Rix Funeral Home of that city.

Mr. Culberth came with his parents to Haskell County in

1899, and lived here until mov-

ing to Spur in 1929. He had liv-ed in Lubbock since 1949 and

had worked in Civil Service un-

til his retirement about a year

He was a member of the

North Side Assembly of God

Church, and a veteran of the

First World War, having ser-

ved nearly two years overseas. He is survived by his wife

of Lubbock; two sons, Frank D. Jr., and Tommie, both of Clovis, N. M., one daughter, Juanita Culberth of Lubbock; a

brother, Bob Culberth of Has-

kell; a sister, Mrs. Irene Moore

of Washington, D. C.; and six

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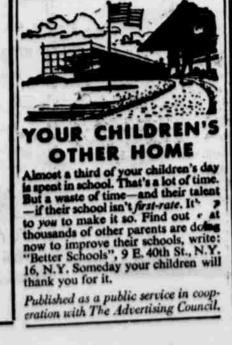
The following births were re-corded in the Haskell County man, urges all parents who have children starting to school Hospital during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. William Ray to be sure they are at this roundup. Parents and children will meet in the band room for in-Hester of Knox City, a girl Nanette Loree, born May 4 structions. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Aller Refreshments and favors will Lees of Rochester, a girl born May 6, weight 8 pounds be given to the children.

Plans To Open Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Villarreal of Abilene, a girl, Alice, born May 5, weight 6 pounds. New Beauty Salon Here

**Opening of Christene's Beauty** Salon in this city is being planned at an early date, Mrs. Christene Greene announced to day. The establishment will be located at 102 South Ave. E. Mrs. Greene, a graduate of Bud Hall Beauty School in Wichita Falls, has been with the Beauty Bar here for the past six months. In her new salon, Mrs. Greene states she plans to have two operators in addition to herself.

**Baptist Church At** Paint Creek Sets 1959 Goals Paint Creek Baptist Church has entered the 1959 Church Achievement Program, church Achievement Program, church leaders announced this week. Goal in the program is for the church to keep working for the betterment of church, community, and world. The Paint Creek church won first place in the 1958 program in the Haskell-Knox Associa-tion

tion. The Rev. D. S. Moore Jr., is pastor of the Paint Creek





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# Native Trees Found Suitable For Schoolground Planting

BY R. C. COUCH, SR. (Editor's Note: In the following paragraphs R. C. Couch Sr., tells of the final stages in what was virtually a one-man program to beautify Haskell's schoolgrounds with shade trees. The beautiful trees on the grounds today are the result of the hard work and planning. time and money spent years ago.)

We had several months ahead of us to figure, study and plan for the next step. The result of the first effort was rather shocking. We expected some jolt but it was worse than we had anticipated. The big question now was, where are the next trees coming from? In our mind we again surveyed rivers and creeks for what they had and we also knew the difficulty we would encounter if we tried it. What about East Texas for more trees? We could do that but the loss seemed too great to try it further.

We had one chance left and I was hopeful that it would work and it did. At that time my next door neighbor to the south was young and energetic and one of the jobs he tack-led had been in operation for many years before the interest in trees sprung up and he was growing trees without any in-tention of doing so. He did this by raising strawberries for the public. This plant is a shallow rooted little thing and to grow it you had to water summer and winter and if you did not, you would wake up and find yourselves out of business. This neighbor was M. H. Gilliam, the grandfather of Theron Cahill, and the strawberry patch and the volunteer tree nurbers it sery was on the plot where In 1940 Mr. Breedlove came Theron now lives. I know that Mr. Gilliam could not feel right in chopping down all the little trees that came up so he just let them grow. burned. So he just kept watering the He said that they were going strawberries which was the ideal thing for all the hackberries which had whiskered the patch all around the edges. At the time of our tree-planting the patch had hundreds of trees growing all around the They were from two edge.. inches to ten feet tall. Since I passed the place many times each week, and a lot of time since. With a long time to think, afoot, I had plenty of time to I still believe that the building observe what was going on. So would have been just as well I was not long in deciding that off a few feet farther north and Mr. Gilliam would soon have served the community just as the opportunity to help us well and those trees would along. I approached him about have been a source of joy for matter after telling him many, many years. Then again the what I was doing and he gladly offered me all the trees that I it would have cost less to tie them together. This is a job that you cannot do from the platform. It is one needed if they were big enough. His price was 25c each but he was quick to remind me that requiring a lot of grit, patience, I had to do my own digging. endurance and determination So that we did. However, we had an advantage in this that we needed. I was determined to get these trees transplanted without the sun and wind touching a root if we could help it This tree is easy to grow but hard to transplant. So another servant and myself would dig a few of these trees or as many as we could put in the turtle of the car, take them to the school gound, and get them back into the ground as quickly as possi-ble. This was kept up the sec-ond year until all the holes waiting for another sprouting time to come. Mr. Gilliam seemed very happy to be get-ting a dividend from his trees. And we were just as happy to get them. We filled all the va cant holes or about, the second year with the Gilliam trees trees are no exception. We had another period of long waiting for the tree budding to begin. Finally they began pop out and we were happy to see more than a hundred trees growing. We felt that we were Hunt called me to ask if I had over the hill. read the article. I told her that The third year I stripped my I had. She says that you well place of the trees of suitable know that it is not correct size and placed them in the Why don't you answer it? I told vacancies. From then on until her that I hoped some day and the end of the sixth year we this is it. Mother Oates used searched the town for trees to tell me that these trees with which to make the rewould be my monument but ! placements. At the end of the told her I was fearful that they sixth year Mr. Breedlove told' might die too quickly. During

would finish the job, but at this spree. I put out most of the time all trees were growing except the ones on the ground where the Johnny houses stood. This was on the NE corner of the high school. For six years we put out trees on this spot and for six years they refused to live. Abut the 7th year they made a start and did live for some time. But at the same time the ground had not been fully purified and now there impressed.

were two dead trees among the list. Mr. Breedlove finished this spot and I suppose the string on the east side of the buildings. We never did place any trees on the east side of the grounds for at that time it was considered a no-man's land and occupied generally by weeds mosquitoes and cats.

During the time that was spent getting the trees started, we were concerned in the Of Relative In thought that they might all die the first dry year if they were not given special watering at-tention. We never asked the City Water Department to look city and her

after the watering for as long as the task might prove too much to ask them to take the deal on watering one tree at a time. To make a certainty of the watering, we secured and placed a small pipe along the trees on each row and punched holes in the pipe at each tree, so that we could turn on the water at one place and water the whole row at once. This watering was kept up for several years until we felt the trees were well on the way. So far as I know the pipe was never taken up and I suppose that its remains are still there. Joe Maples was the engineer of this job and he still remem-

to me and said that they were short of room for the new high school building that was planned for the one just recently

to need a few feet more to the south and that it would be necessary to take up about seven of the trees on the inside row so as to give them the room needed. Since I was not on the Board and my objection might not have been heeded I reluctantly agreed that the trees come out and have regretted it ever

trees about the Magazine Club as well as those about the Baptist Church property. The first effort made by the church, the trees were gotten from the creek and they were not so very satisfactory. The South Ward asked me several times to extend my efforts to their school, but I never did feel

I clip a coupon, Cash Dividend, from this endeavor at least twice each year (spring and fall) when the tree shades are at their best and you find them full of kiddoes, talking, laughing, playing, eating, drink-ing, courting, studying, just sitting and dreaming.

Attend Funeral

Mrs. John McGuire of this city and her son and wife, Floyd McGuire of Weinert, attended the funeral in Hillsboro last Thursday for Rev. Melvin R. Cox. brother in-law of the Haskell woman and uncle of the Weinert man.

Rev. Cox had been a Baptist minister in Hill County for approximately 50 years. He died April 28 in Meridian at the age of 83 years.

During his almost half century as a minister, friends of Rev Cox claim he married and baptized more people than any other preacher in Hill County.

Bees are becoming increasingly important to Texas farmers as crop pollinators. Las year, according to C. J. Burgin, state entomologist, 219 permits were granted covering the relocation of 118,351 colonies of 366 N. First bees.

#### Gary Cooper And Maria Schell In "Hanging Tree"

"The Hanging Tree," one of the important film events of 1959, spotlights the intriguing cast. new romantic combination of Gary Cooper and Maria Schell in a drama-charged frontier background.

The Baroda production for Warner Bros. opens Sunday at the Texas Theatre. Filmed in Technicolor amid

the breathtaking mountain scenery of the Northwest, "The Hanging Tree" introduces Cooper and Europe's Marie Schell as a potent new boxoffice team.

As a gun slinging medico of the gold-mining days, Cooper plays the kind of role that made him and has kept him as an international film favorite. Miss Schell is rated not only Europe's greatest actress but also one of the world's most beautiful women. Together, their appeal is irresistible and

they spell cinematic dynamite. Making Miss Schell's pres-ence in this film even more outstanding is the fact that she is appearing in a story laid 'in the early West, a complete de-parture for this highly talented actress. An added dividend cast-wise

is Karl Malden, one of the screen's most versatile actors and winner of an Academy Award. In fact, the three stars of "The Hanging Tree" are all award winners. Cooper has won "Oscars" ("Sergeant two



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York" and "High Noon"), while Miss Schell has won al-Copies are availa Agricultural Infor at College Station for B-921. most every conceivable award Europe has to offer in addition to being voted "Find of the Year" recently by the nation's critics. This literally is a prize

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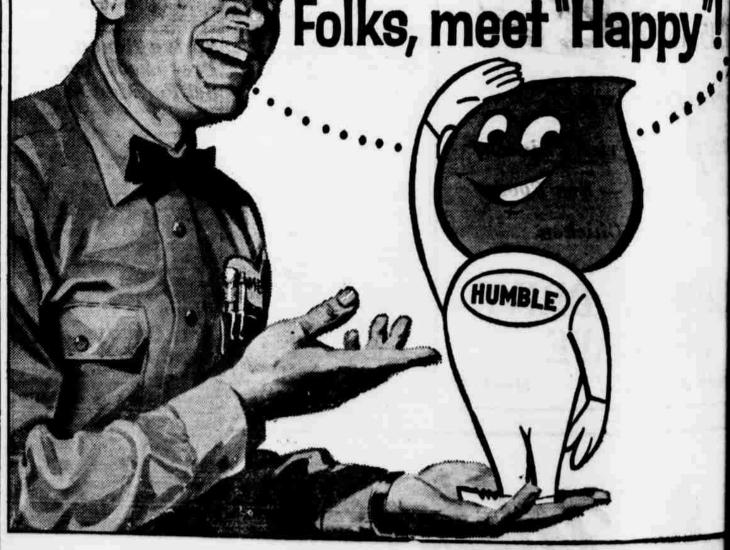
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To start a job does not help the matter a bit unless you see i' through to the end. If it is not worth finishing then it is not worth starting. The gap in the treeline on the south side made by the fire is now as big as ever. If the replanting is con-ducted along the line of the earlyday planting then it will take at least fifty years to get that litte gan coursed that litte gap covered. I re cently saw some of the boys begin this replanting in the last year or so and at one time thought they were making an excellent start. Most of the sprouts seemed to be budding and ready to grow, but they are now dead or about. The young fellows were not instructed ir one thing and that was that all babies require special atten tion for a few years and baby A few years back an article came out in The Free Press on the subject as given above. It was so far out of line that our Good Friend, Mrs. Courtney





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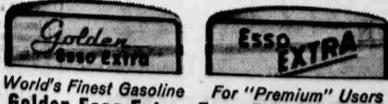


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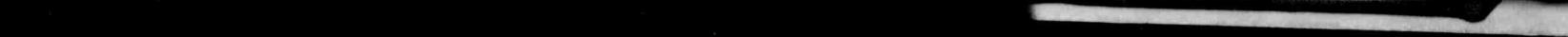
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Father and Son Banquet The Future Farmers of America of Rule held their annual Father-Son banquet on Thursday night, April 30, at the school cafeteria. Jack Holcomb, a senior, was

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Trip

Jack Holcomb, a senior, was master of ceremonies. Music was furnished by Roy Lee Tate and Ford Cole. The chapter sweetheart, Jackie Estes was introduced. Troy Scoggins re-ceived the Outstanding Farmer the Colorado net the Colorado at Canon City, are and ride the the Garden of m Falls, Cave of nat the Miracle any other attract-to bowling, swim-Broadmoor, and in general. Award. Troy is a sophomore and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Casey.

Thirty-three boys and 45 dads and guests attended the ban-quet. Thomas Kutch is the agriculture teacher.

Entertains with Coffee Mrs. T. R. Conner entertained her mother, Mrs. Joe Holcomb of Arlington, with a cof-



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day. An informal visitation was Meadames Jess enjoyed by Mesdames Jess Place, Ewell Klitley, Pete Kitt-ley, Willie Frances Kelley Claud Norman, Irene Cloud, Ollie Kittley, John Herron, Johnny McCain, Novis Ousley, Bill Kittley, Willie Hedgpeth, and Mrs, Raymond Denson.

fee at her home in Rule Thurs-

#### **Open House** Postponed

The Open House scheduled for Sunday, May 3, from 3 to 5 at the First Baptist parsonage was postponed due to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Rod-ney Dowdy. A date will be an-nounced later. David Garling. ton filled the pulpit at the Sun-day services. The Baptist parsonage has been remodeled and several changes made.

Visitors

Mrs. Fred Hughes has as her quests her husband, Fred Hughes of the Army Air Force stationed at Miami, Fla., and her daughter, Kay Springs, stewardess with National Air Lines, also of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. David Hunt of Lubbock spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Honea and Mrs. David Hunt.

Rita Ann Estes of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Estes.

Mrs. J. A. Lisles Sr., is visiting her mother and other relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holgate of Vancouver Isand, British Columbia, are visiting with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tilden Fouts.

## **Rot Resistance** Is Added To **Cotton Fabric**

Texas cotton producers and consumers should be interested in a recent U. S. Department of Agriculture announce-ment dealing with the development of a practical method for their report cards. This is for producing cotton fabric with for producing cotton fabric with the earliest we have been in outstanding rot resistance and years, but we started early so improved weather resistance.

Because of the improved properties, cotton fabric treat- and we didn't have any muddy ed with the chemical promises to open new markets for cotton in awnings, tents, tarpaulins and other outdoor fabric items.

The treatment method, developed by the USDA's Agricultural Research Service, is based on the use of a water soluble acid colloid of methy- al shower last Tuesday afterwell known for its resin-form- vis, the former Joan Mari. The ing qualities. The resin, which party was at he nome of Mrs. penetrates the outer portion of "emphell, and decorations the fiber cell wall to become a carried out the bride's colors part of the fiber rather than of pink and white. Refresh-

Paint Creek .

# Community News

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BY MRS. GENE OVERTON

We have had some rain, but not very much. However, every little bit helps. The grain is from her farm to Austin last beginning to ripen and most of the farmers think we will be cutting in about 20 days. Most of the maize has been planted, and the cotton land is almost all ready for planting. The mesquites are all leafed out, and spring has really sprung in Paint Creek. Some farmers are caught up with bedding their land and have been fish-

ing at the lake last week and this

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coleman were fishing last week and they watched a man fishing near them who was using a net, and catching huge fish. He was throwing back big 15 and 20 pound yellow catfish, and Mrs. Coleman thought he surely must be crazy. But later Ira met him in a cafe in town and the man was a commercial fisherman, and he only keeps the rough fish. He has a contract with the government to fish any lake in the state. But he said he was catching too many good fish in our lake and having to throw them back, and not catching enough of the kind he can keep, so he is moving to Lake Fort Phantom for awhile. He has to catch enough of the rough fish to pay him because his fishing appa-ratus is expensive. Just imag-

ine keeping carn and buffalc and throwing back yellow cat and bass. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mickler and children of Fort Worth spent last week end with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mickler. This is the last week of school at Paint Creek for this year. Final exams are to be

on Friday and Monday, May 8 and 11th and children will we could afford to miss a week or two because of muddy roads, roads. Then we had only one

week for Christmas, and no Easter or spring holidays, and so we are out early. Mrs. Cub Russell, Mrs. Raymond Davis, Mrs. John Wisdom and Mrs. Homer Campbell were joint hosterses for a br.ddecorations

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A family reunion is being

from Decatur, Ala., and Mrs. Mattie Hardie from Russell-

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the state representatives:

1. State income tax.

2. State sales tax.

state government, DO wish you would let them know your wishes and opinions on these week where she will make her home. Her only daughter and her family live in Austin. A-3 Bill Russell from Bergtax means.

If Haskell County citizens DO NOT write Mr. Ed Cloud, strom Air Base in Austin, spent last weekend with his parents, and Senator George Moffett in Austin, and a bill is passed contrary to local wishes, then "street" talk and "kicking" Mr. and Mrs. Cub Russell and Cynthia.

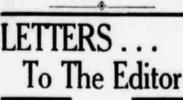
Dan Riley Griffith, freshman from A&M College was at home over those "government offi cials" in Austin in reality will be a kick-back at local laziness last weekend with his parents, be a kick-back at ... and indifference. A School Patron and Taxpayer. Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Griffith and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cathey and Elizabeth from Grand Prairie were community visitors last weekend when they **Relatives** From brought Mrs. Cathey's father W. A. Montgomery home after he had spent a week with Alabama Visit In them.

**Burson Home** Miss Billie Bosher was able to return to her Homemaking classes Monday after a two planned in the home of C. G. week's illness and a stay in Hendricks Memorial Hospital Burson Sr., Saturday night, honoring his three sisters and in Abilene. a niece who are here from Ala-The members of the Metho-

bama this week as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burdist Church entertained the senior class and the faculty The visitors are Mrs. Mollie Luttrell, niece of Mr. Burson, from Birmingham, Ala.; and with a supper at the lunchroom last Wednesday evening. Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Bruce, the three sisters of the Haskell man, Mrs. C. C. Williams from pastor from Haskell, were also guests. Birmingham, Mrs. E. E. Beard

Mr .and Mrs. Pat Morrison were in Dallas Friday evening to see Rudy Raughton pitch in Baylor's game with SMU. Rudy is a senior in Baylor and this will be his last season to play with the team.



#### WRITE SENATOR AND REPRESENTATIVE, READER SUGGESTS

To the Editor: The Hale-Aiken Bill is the subject of much debate and talk going on in our state gov-ernmental departments. In the next few days, unless a special session has to be called because of the "dallying" over this bill, representatives will vote how the tax money to fi-nance it's expenses is to be levied.

Many people know so little about the bill that they think it involves only the \$800 yearly pay increase for teachers. Some of it's most desirable features have not been discussed

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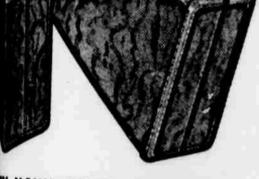
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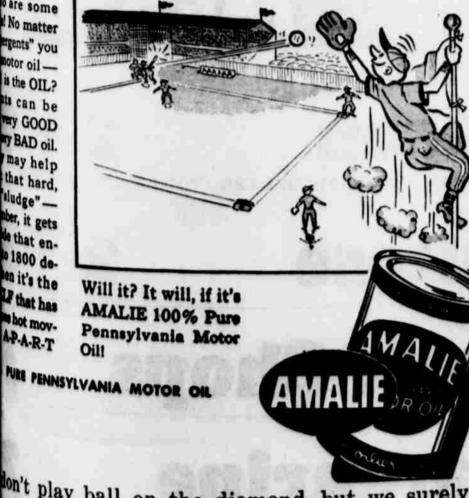
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Mike Overton and Mrs. Gene ing bacteria was in shreds af Overton were in Abilene Sat ter one week. The treated coturday night where Mike took ton, on the other hand, still retained 100 per cent of breaking strength after part in the O. A. Indian dances its at the Scout Circus. John Russell, son of Mr. and

Research of the ARS South Mrs. Cub Russell, has recently ern Utilization Research and been promoted to produce man ager of the M System, No. 5 Development Division at New Orleans, has shown that the in Abilene where he has workchemical can be used in coned for several years. Clara Ann Fischer was able junction with certain fabriccoloring pigments to increase to return to her classes at Ciscotton's resistance to deterioraco Junior College Monday aftion by sunshine. The treatment ter spending last week at home with the flu. All the Paul Fisch can also be applied sucessfully er family had the flu, and Mis to many vat dyed fabrics. Fischer was in bed two or And of major importance. three days, and Margaret was in the hospital two days. said the announcement, cost of treatment is expected to be

Mrs. Bill Petrich underwent relatively low and it can be major surgery at the Stam-ford Hospital last week. She is applied with conventional tex-tile finishing equipment. improving at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mickler are announcing the arrival of a baby daughter. She was born Saturday morning at 6:30 at the Haskell Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces and has been named Dannette. Bob works on a ranch near Coleman and they live at the ranch Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Overton

and children have moved to their new farm in the southeastern part of the community. Dwight has been attending school at Paint Creek since mid-term ,as they waited for!

to the general public. Among these many features are four especially profitable ones for good results of our state edu-

cational system. 1. A four-month pre-school training in English for the many Latin-American students who speak little or no English, and who are at a distinct disadvantage as first-graders as well as

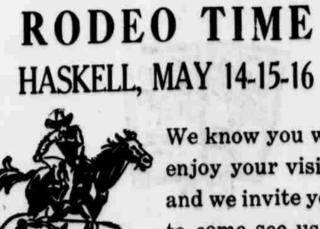
slow-ups for whole classes. 2. In the past where special efforts are rightly given to the slow and retarded, it is certainly equally as important that the above average or talented child be helped to advance as far and as quickly as they are capable. Special class-es will be set up for such

groups. 3. With so many teen-agers and future drivers on our highways, research has shown those having attended special eduprograms in driving cation school are better, safer drivers. This program will be in stituted.

4. As your local school offi-cials can tell you, the administrators of local school units are, in many cases, inadequate for the number of school units. This will be adjusted according to the number and growth of the school system.

Considering these benefits and many others derived from the school system itself (which is for Texas children) the teacher raise is merely ONE point of the bill.

been passed, the Having question before our represen-tatives now is, How Shall We



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#### **Rainbow Sewing Club Meets With** Mrs. Johnson

The Rainbow Sewing Club met in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson May 5 at 3 p. m. with 14 members and one visitor present.

Mrs. Travis Smith presided over the meeting, and Flosie Rogers led the singing. The house was decorated with

pot plants and cut flowers.

Plans were completed for the club's 22nd anniversary party Thursday, May 7 at 7 p. m. Scraps were brought back, and Mrs. Johnson won the prize for 'Making the Most Out of Noth-

ing." Mrs. Jim Edwards gave the thought for the day. Sallie Patterson read a poem, "To Do Just This." Essie Bland won the Needlecraft award, and Sallie Patterson drew the hostess gift.

Refreshments were served to the folowing: Nevildeen Smith. a visitor; and Zada Smith. Stella Josselet, LaVerne New, Ann Taylor, Ethel Edwards, Essie Bland, Sue Peavy, Florence Larned, Corie Pitman Mrs. Morgan. Flossie Rogers. Annie Thomas, Sallie Patter son and the hostess, Mrs. John-

son. The club will meet the third Tuesday in May in the home of Mrs. Stella Josselet.

#### HASKELL VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mr and Mrs. Sterling Edwards last week, and at the bedside of Dr. Arthur Edwards in the Haskell Hospital were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carr. Jess Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards, Mrs. Sherman Robinett. Mrs. Jessie Burke, Mrs. Rachel Buster and daughters, Jane and Angelina.

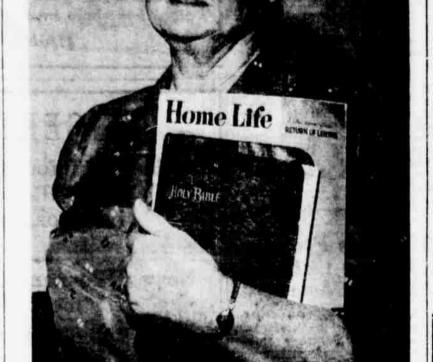
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MRS. BLANCHE TOMKINS NELSON

### Former Munday Teacher Named 'Baptist Mother Of The Year" Dallas (Spl.)-Mrs. Blanche schools. Her three daughters Tompkins Nelson, a 59-year were school teachers before

were school teachers before old Munday housewife who has they married. reared five children and sent Mrs. Nelson was chosen bethem all to college has been named 1959 Texas Baptist cause of her influence on her own children and other youngsters she taught in school. Bap-Mother of the Year.

tist leaders said in Dallas. One of her sons is a Baptist She started teaching school minister and the other is a when she was 17 years old to physician. Both hold graduate help support six brothers and professional degrees from

sisters. Her father died when she was a senior in college. "I was the only teacher in the little Red Creek school near Benjamin." she recalls. "I had to walk two miles and a half to the school house. Some of

the 32 pupils were older than their teacher." Mrs. Nelson was born in Munday, the second of seven children. Her father was postmaster in the town and operated a small store. She graduat-ed from Munday High School and studied at Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos: Hardin Simmons University (then Simmons College); and the College of In-

dustrial Arts. Denton. She married in 1923 after a 'horse and buggy courtship" that extended through two teaching assignments. She met Mr. Nelson while teaching at

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classrooms 30 years ago. Research Foundation Extends

an infant was supposedly still-born. But Mrs. Nelson applied standard treatment "and the child hasn't stopped wailing yet!

The "Mother of the Year" project is sponsored by the Baptist Standard and the 1½ million-member Baptist Gen- er. Dr. C. L. Lundell, director eral Convention of Texas. Jud- of the Foundation has announges for the final selection were ced.

Walker Knight, associate edi or of the Standard; Oliver Hailey, news writer for the Dalgram makes possible, as Morning News; and the Rev. Paul Petty, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, Dal-

Mrs. Nelson is the fourth mother to receive the honor. Last year's award went to Mrs. J. B. Henley of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Edwards had as guests in their ome during the weekend, their daughter and family, Mr. and cs. One will include rangeland Mrs. W .E. Grant and children. Pob. Lou and Leon.

days as a practical nurse. "I have always enjoyed taking care of silk folks.") One time an infant was supposed to the Renner, Texas Texas Re-1 in which calls Renner, Texas Texas Re-search Foundation is shifting its regional agricultural ex-tilized residues of preceding

periment program from the West Texas Field Station at crops "Cattle and cotton are among the major cash crops of the area," Dr. Lundell said, "The Merkel to full scale field trials on a number of farms and ranches in the 7-county area 1954 farm census shows 203,-

049 head of cattle and calves around Abilene and Sweetwatcarried and 70,999 bales of coter. Dr. C. L. Lundell, director ton harvested in the 7-county area Cattle in appreciable num-

"The direct transfer of the bers are carried in all counties, results of experimental research with Callahan showing the onto the land, which the proheaviest population, 41,236 head; hence rangeland improvewill shorten greatly the time lag ment for higher carrying ratio between application of laboraand longer grazing season is significant to the prosperity of tory research and field production on a commercial scale." the area. Three of the counties-Nolan,

Dr. Lundell said. "Counties included in the Haskell and Jones-lead in cotprogram are Nolan, Haskell, ton production, with 63,868 of Jones, Taylor, Stephens, Callathe area's total 70,999 bale crop han and Shackelford.

in 1954. Actual field production Field work in these counties of cotton planted after wheat will consist of two major phasand other small grain and grain

tilization, will aid in the com-pilation of valuable data for improving yield. Dr. Lundell said that the field Witnesses

program has enabled the Foundation to use the plots at Merkel exclusively for testing of grasses and legumes for rangeland improvement.



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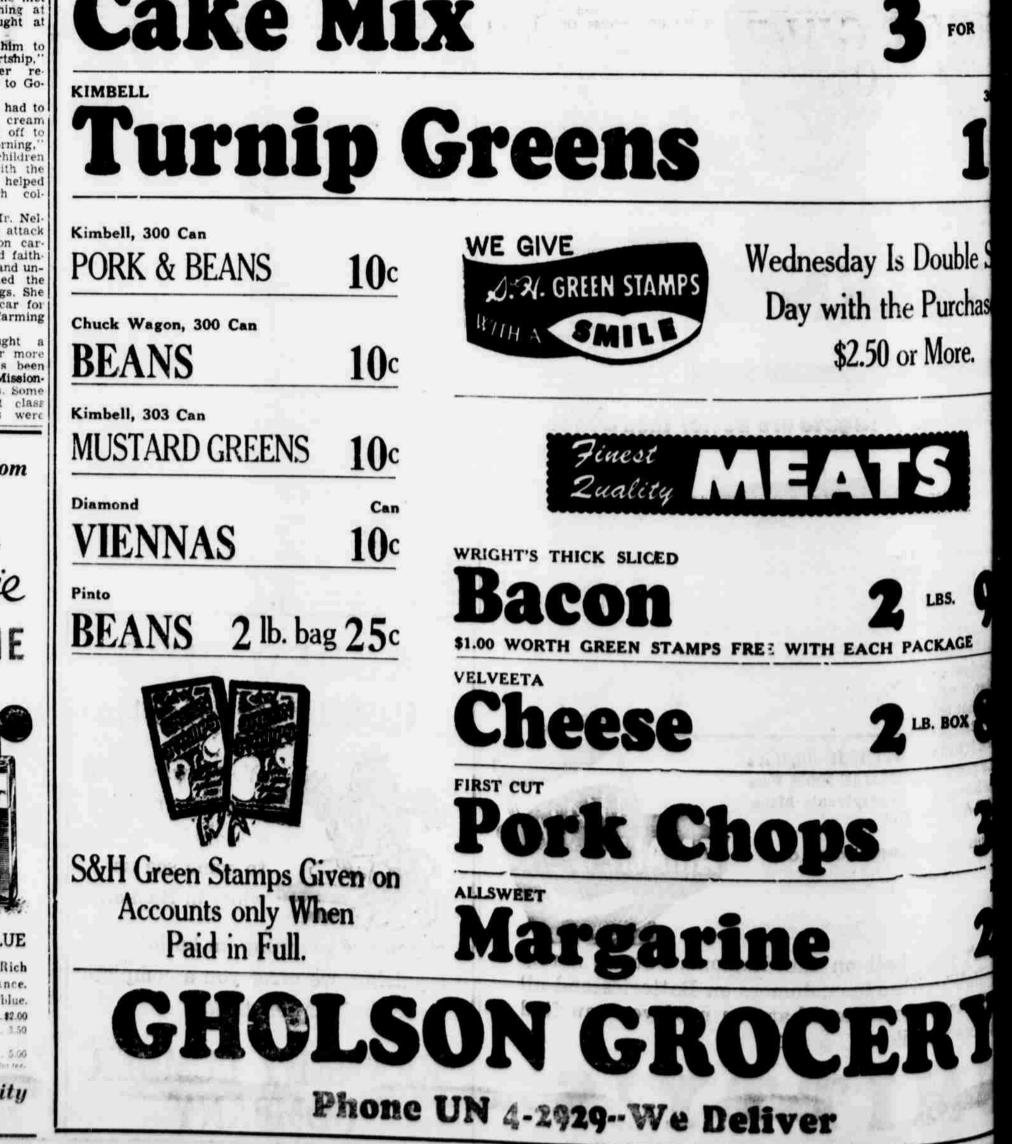
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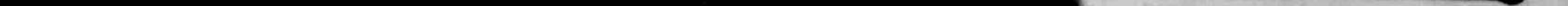


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## HASKELL, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY









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## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the time is near at hand for Haskell's annual celebration, The Rice Springs Roundup, a three-day period in which the calendar is turned back to the era of the pioneers who fashioned the foundation of our present-day civilization, and

WHEREAS, the Haskell County Sheriff's Posse, as sponsoring agency for The Roundup has gone to great effort and expense to make the three-day celebration an authentic and realistic exposition, and

WHEREAS, in order to secure the full cooperation of every resident of Haskell in assuring the success of the 1959 Roundup, the week of May 11 to May 16 is hereby designated

#### WESTERN WEEK IN HASKELL

and in order that Western Week be observed in a fitting manner, it is hereby ordained that every civic-minded citizen of Haskell shall wear some article of Western attire during this special week as evidence of their cooperation in a laudable community event.

IT IS FURTHER ORDAINED and proclaimed that any person appearing in public during the aforesaid week without some visible article of Western attire be cited to appear before the proper Western Week authorities, to be penalized in a suitable manner and in keeping with the traditions of the Old West.

Given under my hand and seal this the 7th day of May, A. D. 1959.

**IRA HESTER**, Mayor The City of Haskell, Texas.

### Driver Training Award Will Be **Presented Mattson Schoolman**

Southwestern Insurance Information Service will make one of a series of 17 awards for driver training on May 7, 1959, at the commencement exercises of the Mattson Rural

High School at 8 p .m. Thomas A. Barfield of the Barfield-Turner Agency in Haskell will make the award ,an engraved trophy, to Supt. Wm. R. Baker.

Schools throughout the State were divided into 10 groups on the basis of the number of students enrolled. Mattson Rural High School has won sec-ond place award in Group IX.

Winners were selected by the Texas Safety Association as-sisted by the Texas Department of Public Safety and the

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Texas Education Agency. Mr. Barfield, in making the presentation, pointed out that "the Mattson Rural High School driver training program satisfied all the requirements set up by the Texas Department of Safety and the Texas Education Agency for an accred-

ited driver training course. In addition to meeting basic re-quirements. Mattson's program exemplifies the very best in efficiency, the very best in outstanding results." Mr. Barfield further noted

that, "Traffic accidents are one of the major problems in America today. We lose not only thousands of dollars in time, property damage and medical care, we are losing the lives of young men and women and who can say what this costs us in sorrow and loss of

talent and training. The Astudent will not make his contribution to society if he dies behind the wheel of some car.'

"Traffic research has proved that 75% of the traffic accidents are caused by driver er-ror or law vioation. Research has further proved that trained drivers under 25 have a much lower accident rate. So much lower that insuring companies are willing to reduce premiums by 10% for the under-25 driver who has had an acceptable course in driver training.

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preserving the efforts of all the other faculty members by in-creasing the chances that these students will stay alive!" "You cannot be complimented too highly on your excellent

effort. You are saving lives and saving dollars for your fellow citizens."

WEEKEND VISITORS IN LUBBOCK

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Conner of Lubbock were their pa-rents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V Conner; brothers and sisters. Brenda, Kenneth, Gary and Jeanne; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Don Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Ed-ward Moeller and family, Dal-ton and Phyllis all of Hackell.

ward Moener and family, Dal-ton and Phyllis, all of Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hatfield and Vince of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Conner of Plains, Texas. Relatives and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. David Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jiars of Lubbock.

REX FELKER WILL NARRATE FILM Rex Felker of Quanah, for-

mer C. of C. manager here, will be narrator for "The Has-kell County Story" at the Texas Theatre Tuesday night.

uate of the University of California. During World War II he acted as a listening post for British propaganda, sending his re-ports into Baltimore, to help

vice.

curacy with which they were being sent. As local weather observer, he records temperature, rainfall and prevailing winds, sending his reports into Houston.

#### Light Rainfall Marks Advent

Of May Light but welcome moisture ushered in the month of May, with rainfall reported over the

.36 inch was accompanied by a severe electrical disturbance. and was followed with an addi-tional .30 inch Saturday morning

A thunderstorm early Tues-







