

Capacity Attendance Due C. of C. Banquet Friday

have been completed... annual banquet... Chamber of Commerce...

January Rainfall More than Double Normal Figure

Total rainfall measured in Haskell during January amounted to 1.73 inches...

P-T Store Here Closed After 28 Years Operation

Closing of Perkins-Timberlake store in this city was announced last Saturday...

Rochester Band Wins First Place In Talent Show

Rochester and Haskell entries won first places in the two divisions of the Future Farmers of America talent show...

War I Veterans To Meet Sunday At Rochester

Haskell County Barracks of Veterans of World War I will meet Sunday, Feb. 7...

Olen Dotson Is Injured In Car Mishap Tuesday

Olen Dotson, well known automobile man in this city, received serious and painful cuts on the face and head Tuesday night...

Rotarians Host Official Visit Of Governor

The Rotary Club entertained its own District Governor Thursday when Robert R. King paid his official visit to the Haskell club...

J. G. (Gus) Rumbo, Former Resident, Dies In Dallas

J. G. (Gus) Rumbo, 70, who will be remembered by many Haskell friends as a former resident here, died Sunday in a Veterans Administration hospital in Dallas...

Firearm Safety Program Friday At Paint Creek

An expert pistol marksman with the State Department of Public Safety will present a firearm safety program at Paint Creek Rural High School Friday, Feb. 5...

Olen King Is New Member of City Police Force

New member of the City Police Department is Olen King of this city, who has been employed as Night Patrolman and began work Monday, Feb. 1st.

3,186 Poll Tax Receipts Issued In County

Haskell County's voting strength will be about the same in 1960 as it was in the last presidential election year, 1956, judging from the number of exemptions and poll tax receipts issued this year.

Two Farm-Labor Meetings Slated This Month

The Texas Employment Commission has scheduled a series of two farm-labor meetings to be held in Haskell this month, Al Dunnam of the Munday TEC office announced today.

Annual Scholarship Award Set Up As Project of HHS Class of 1929

As the result of a project adopted last year by members of the Haskell High School Graduating Class of 1929, an informal scholarship fund will be awarded annually to some boy or girl enrolled in Haskell High School.

Contests Develop In Six County, District Races

Contests have developed in six of 10 county and district races to be decided in the Democratic primaries...

Lions Club Will Sponsor Tree Planting Project

Members of the Lions Club voted to sponsor a Tree Planting program as a means of helping beautify the community...

124 Cub Scouts, Leaders and Parents Turn Out for Monthly Pack Meeting

Kenneth Rafferty, Stamford Scout executive for the Chisholm Trail Council was guest speaker at the meeting of the Cub Scout Pack 36 held Monday evening Jan. 25 in the Elementary School.

New Traffic Rules Set In School Zones

In order to eliminate hazardous traffic conditions existing around the Elementary School, a plan has been worked out by school officials and the City Council...

Junior Class to Sponsor Spring Style Show

Junior Class of Haskell High School will sponsor a style show, "Spring Impressions," to be presented by Lane-Felker on Monday evening, Feb. 22 in the High School gymnasium.

Bill Ratliff Is Candidate for County Attorney

Bill Ratliff, well-known Haskell lawyer, has officially announced his candidacy for County Attorney of Haskell County...

Lee S. Curry, 60, Dies Monday In Abilene Hospital

Lee S. Curry, 60, Abilene resident for 30 years and brother of Mrs. W. C. Norton and Mrs. Jesse Jones of Haskell, died at 9 a. m. Monday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Attorney, and for Commissioner in Precinct No. 1. Entering the race for State Representative were two Haskell men, J. C. (Carl) Wheatley, real estate and oil lease broker, and H. K. Henry, farmer, operator and livestock raiser.

Both announced they would seek the post to be vacated by Rep. Ed Cloud of Rule.

Previously, Bill Sams, Knox County lawyer, had filed as a candidate for Representative.

New entry in the race for County Attorney is Wm. P. (Bill) Ratliff, well known Haskell lawyer and former district attorney by appointment.

The field of candidates for Commissioner in Precinct 1 was increased to six with the entry Monday of H. T. (Trav) Hadaway, farmer and oil field worker of this city.

The complete list of candidates filed in Haskell County, as released by County Executive Chairman Chas. M. Conner Tuesday, includes the following:

For Congress, 13th District—Frank Ikard, Wichita Falls, for re-election.

Associate Justice, 11th Court of Civil Appeals—Cecil C. Collins for re-election.

State Senator, 23rd District—George Moffett, Chillicothe, for re-election.

District Attorney, 39th Judicial District—Royce Adkins of Haskell, for re-election.

State Representative, 53rd District—J. C. (Carl) Wheatley and Herman K. Henry of Haskell; Bill Sams of Knox County.

For Sheriff—Bill Pennington, for re-election; G. T. (Garth) Garrett, Alfred Turnbow, Robert Dumas.

County Attorney—Curtis F. Pogue for re-election; Wm. P. Ratliff.

Tax Assessor-Collector—Elizabeth Stewart for re-election.

Commissioner, Prec. No. 1—Claude L. Ashley for re-election; John Brock, W. H. (Hut) Pitman, Roy L. Sellers, Lewis Hester, H. T. (Trav) Hadaway.

Commissioner, Prec. No. 3—Louie L. Kuestler for re-election; Alfred Grand, E. E. Welsh.

Constable, Prec. No. 1 (Haskell)—A. L. (Ace) Davis for re-election; H. K. (Bud) Thompson, T. P. Perdue.

Constable, Prec. No. 6 (Rule)—R. K. Denson for re-election.

Final step in Cub Scouting is Webelos rank. Attaining this rank were Allen Rasco, Gary Lytle, Paul Hiebert, Glenn Smart, Roland Branch.

Announcement was made that seven new Cubs had been signed up. Also, there is a need for more Den Mothers. There are 14 Cubs enrolled who do not have a Den Mother, and all women interested in volunteering are asked to contact Cubmaster Dude Mercer.

The Cubby attendance award was won by Webelos Den and Cub Scout Den 5. Since Webelos will be going into Scouting, they voted to give the award to Den 5.

School officials have asked the cooperation of the public in carrying out the new plans. They point out that the safety of school children will depend in a large measure on the cooperation extended by parents and the general public.

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Mr. Curry is survived by his wife; twin daughters, Mrs. E. J. Fay of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. J. H. Davis of Tulsa, Okla.; two sons, Thurman of Dallas and Eddie of Albuquerque, N. M.; two sisters, Mrs. W. C. Norton and Mrs. Jesse Jones, of Haskell; three brothers, Frank of Three Rivers, Jim of Lindsale, and Ernest of Dallas; and seven grandchildren.

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and Sales City Total

Savings Bonds Sales for the first quarter of 1960 were the greatest since last year...

Fractures Hip In Fall At Home

Mrs. Will Wheeler of Fort Stockton, sister of Walter Vinoy of Haskell, is in a Fort Stockton hospital in a serious condition with a broken hip.

Class Roll

Members of the Class of 1929, and present address, are: Violetta Bland, Mrs. Marvin Warren, 603 Portland St., Plainview.

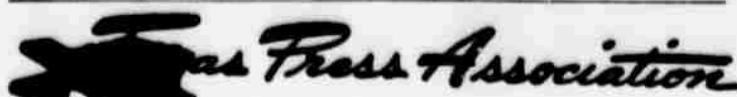
Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gores of Stamford spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cook of Paint Creek.



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Attend the C. of C. Banquet

An important event scheduled this week, and one in which every citizen interested in the growth and progress of our town should take part, is the annual membership meeting and banquet of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

Few of us realize the many accomplishments of the Chamber of Commerce over a year's time, principally because they are carried out without fanfare and necessarily are on a modest scale, in that no huge expenditures are involved.

To mention at random only a few of the many accomplishments during 1959, alleys in the business section of town have been paved, a municipal plane landing strip has been completed and is in use, United Fund organization has been formed, promoted bond issue for enlargement and improvement of county hospital, and many other projects.

There are many more challenging projects facing the organization this year, and the need for an active, wideawake Chamber of Commerce has never been greater if our town is to hold its own and gradually move forward.

If you are interested in Haskell and its future, make it a point to attend the Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday evening, and assume your role as an active, working member of the organization.

Censorship by Taxation

The following editorial is reprinted from Editor & Publisher for January 9, 1960:

"As predicted by the Advertising Federation of America, the Internal Revenue Service has adopted a rule making expenditures for lobbying, political campaigns and other 'propaganda' advertising non-deductible as business expenses for income tax purposes. This has been done arbitrarily by IRS without waiting for the requests of Congressional hearings on the subject or the fate of several bills pending before Congress.

"In our opinion this ruling is un-American if not unconstitutional. Because of our severe income tax laws it gives the government the power to censor political views by taxation. Only the wealthy will be able to express views on pending legislation through mass media even if the proposed statute means financial disaster to them."

Grocery Bags—and Pretty Ankles

John Fischer, editor of Harper's magazine, recently wrote an interesting article for the American Petroleum Institute Quarterly. In it, he pointed out that many petroleum products reach the consumer in strange disguises—"as in plastic grocery bags, for example, or a stocking on a pretty ankle." Other petroleum products are seldom seen. In Mr. Fischer's words, "Though my home has been heated by fuel oil for many years, to this day I have no idea what it looks like." And only because of the carelessness of a service station attendant, he goes on, has he ever seen a splash of gasoline.

In the years to come we will be using more and more oil in disguised and hidden forms. The API has turned to its crystal ball and taken a peek into the second century of the oil industry. It sees synthetic food made from oil, asphalt to hold moisture in farm fields, and pipelines to carry solids. It reveals an ingenious system of using oil burners to melt now and eliminating hauling it away. Also seen are development of a device to turn oil directly into electricity without burning it; a system for keeping northern waterways ice-free in winter, and a big boost for the world's food supply from petroleum-derived fertilizers and insecticides.

In sum, the ceiling seems limitless when it comes to oil potentialities. The industry has been spending some \$300 million a year on research, and this is due for an increase. The result: More discoveries, more miracles.

PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS

By A. PATE

We read somewhere the other day that Government statisticians were concerned over the fact that 25 per cent of American families are living beyond their incomes. Look who's talking!

Although the date was un-noticed, Sunday Jan. 31 marked the 50th anniversary of the laying of the First Methodist Church cornerstone. Work on the building had been started in the summer of 1909, but the placing of the cornerstone was not scheduled until several months afterwards.

Now that the dust has settled on last minute political filings, politics should get on an even keel during the next few weeks. From the way candidates already have started working, this year's campaign should be one of the most interesting in several years.

And with contests developing in at least half a dozen local races in the Democratic primaries, persons who paid their poll tax can now realize what a bargain they received in the matter of being able to vote in the 1960 elections.

In addition to the primary elections, voters will also participate in school trustee and city elections on separate occasions and bond issues that may come up during the year.

And the biggest issue of them all—precinct beer elections—are still being talked as a possibility and may become a reality in coming months.

With the political campaigns getting underway, it isn't a bit too early for some of our community organizations to begin plans for political rallies.

If these events are scheduled well enough in advance, state and district candidates or their representatives would likely join local candidates in the speechmaking.

The thousands of birds roosting on the trees on the court house lawn have created a nuisance for which there apparently is no remedy. At least no one has come up with a workable plan to get rid of the birds, as yet.

The feathered pests, mostly sparrows and starlings, seem to increase in numbers each evening. Small boys with air rifles account for a dozen or so birds nightly, less than enough to be noticeable.

A plan to poison the birds is now being tried, and court house custodian Verna Moody hopes it will work.

He has placed several small boxes in trees on the lawn, and will place poisoned grain in the boxes.

However, persons who have tried this plan say the birds, especially sparrows, quickly sense the grain is poisoned and refuse to eat it.

The older generation will recall when pigeons, not sparrows, provided headaches for the courthouse caretakers.

Around 1910, Haskell capital of Texas, the way we remember it. In nearly every barn loft there were from one to half a dozen pigeon nests. Since pigeons multiply about like rabbits, the birds were everywhere.

The old courthouse, with its huge attic and numerous openings, was an ideal nesting

place and soon attracted thousands of pigeons.

Courthouse janitor at one time was "Uncle Bob" Hollis, and he worked unceasingly in trying to rid the courthouse attic of pigeons for a long time. He finally conceded it a hopeless task. He kept them partially thinned out however, by permitting youngsters to go into the attic and rob the nest of young pigeons, or squabs. This at least got the birds out of the courthouse into a new location.

Nowadays, you seldom see a pigeon in Haskell, with what few there are being kept pretty closely confined.

Something else seldom seen now, although once fairly common, is a peacock. We doubt if one could be found outside of a pet shop.

Satch Lusk recalls that years ago, when he was a youngster on a farm, his dad took a fancy to a pair of peafowl and bought them. They'd stray off at first, but after once becoming accustomed to their new home they never gave any more trouble.

For one thing, Satch declares that peacock was the best weather forecaster he's ever seen. "When the bird got on the barn roof and started squawking, you could bet there was going to be some drastic weather. It never failed," he declared.

Whatever weather verdict the Ground Hog reported after his observation Tuesday, it's almost a cinch that we won't have too much more severe winter weather. Six weeks at the most would bring spring weather around mid-March.

With spring rapidly approaching, there's one thing that's worrying us.

Remember all those rattlesnakes migrating north last fall? Hundreds of them were killed, but multiplied hundreds were unscathed. Now, will those reptiles retrace their journey to the south with the coming of warm weather?

Spring also brings the season for rabbit drives, but from reports we've heard, jackrabbits are not likely to show up in damaging numbers this year.

Seems that the coyote and bobcat population mushroomed last year, and as a result the jack rabbits were thinned out. So, instead of rabbit drives, coyote hunting may become Gai Two....People, Places, the favorite spring pastime.

Charlie Conner is going to be one of the busiest men in Haskell for the next few months.

As chairman of the county Democratic executive committee, Charlie will have innumerable duties to perform in connection with the coming Democratic primaries, filing and making reports, etc., and assisting candidates in properly executing their filings.

For all of this work Charlie will receive exactly nothing in the way of salary. It's a part of the Democratic way of government, a very necessary part we might add, which requires that it be done by a thoroughly competent and qualified person.

Haskell County History

30 Years Ago—Jan. 23, 1930

W. C. Allen, ex-sheriff of Haskell County who is now a deputy sheriff at Alpine, was slightly wounded in a gun battle with Mexicans thought to be rum-runners. The incident happened near Alpine. Also slightly injured was Border Patrolman Steenson, who with Allen had been trailing the suspected Mexicans.

B. C. Chapman, who has been connected with the Payne Drug Company of this city until recently, left Thursday morning for Lebanon, Tenn., where he will enter law school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Taylor and little son Douglas Ray of Wichita Falls returned home Sunday after a visit here with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. C. Stephens.

John Draper of this city, recently appointed a member of the State Highway Patrol and who is training at Camp Mabury, writes that he is enjoying his work and thinks he will like the new branch of service.

Mrs. W. J. Sowell and granddaughters, Elizabeth and Beverly Gilbert and Rogers Gilstrap, spent Sunday with relatives in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wheatley and son Robert spent the weekend in Midlothian with relatives and friends.

Miss Johnnie Morgan of Stamford spent the weekend here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morgan.

H. M. Smith of McNeill & Smith Hardware Company is in Houston this week where he is attending the annual convention of the Texas Hardware Merchants Association.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bolin and sons, Phil, Billy, and Bob, of Graham spent several days here this week with Mrs. Bolin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Daugherty.

L. E. Whitman and company of San Angelo was awarded contract of grading, small structures and pavement of a 22-mile stretch on Highway 30 in Jones County, it was announced from Austin Monday.

Courtney Hunt spent several days in Dallas this week on business.

50 Years Ago—Jan. 29, 1910  
C. D. Grissom & Son have rearranged their store and now have the grocery department in the front of the east building.

Maurice Durst of near Rochester was in town Monday with a bale of boll cotton.

Judge A. C. Foster of Rule left Thursday for New York where he will be joined by his daughter Miss Una, who is now in Boston. From New York they will sail on a tour of the Holy Lands. Mr. Foster is a great lover of Masonry and he plans to visit the sites of some of the original Masonic temples.

John D. Hughes of Georgetown is here looking after his ranching interests.

Miss Sally Hughes, who is teaching in the Sagerton school, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hughes.

The Mother's Club of Haskell will sponsor a basketball game between Haskell and Stamford girls at an early date. Proceeds will be used by the club to help pay for the school's new laboratory equipment.

R. W. Herren has returned

from a business trip to Corsicana.

Dr. P. H. Chilton of Strawn was in town Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Wood of the northeast part spent several days here with her son and family, Judge J. S. Hughes.

Miss Humphreys, who is teaching the Howard school, was in town during the week end to visit her parents.

Mr. Gordon of Anson, who is related to A. B. Gordon and Mrs. C. E. Bowers of this city, was here several days this week.

Advertisers in this issue of The Free Press were C. D. Grissom & Son, Ramey & French, John B. Lamkin and Co., Chas. Irby, agent for Oliver typewriters, Cason, Cox & Co., Chambers Coal Co., Spencer & Gilliam, Alexander Mercantile Co., Hughes & Starr Blacksmith Shop, Palace Meat Market.

60 Years Ago—Feb. 3, 1900  
Will Norman, road overseer at Wildhorse Prairie, had a large force out last week working the road and as a consequence people can get to town without swimming.

We understand that R. M. Dickenson has lost several head of cattle within the last few days from blackleg. We understand that a good many cattle are dying of the same disease in Stonewall County. Chances are that widespread vaccination program will be needed to control the outbreak.

Porter McCrary and family returned this week to Robertson County. We understand that they probably will return to Haskell next fall.

Messrs T. J. Lemmon and S. W. Scott, accompanied by their families, took a drive down to Stamford Thursday.

Misses Fannie Hudson, Lizzie and Zoodie Johnson and Walter Tandy visited Albany last Saturday, returning Monday.

J. H. Meadors and family left Monday for Dickens County, where they will visit Mrs. Meadors' parents.

L. W. Roberts' little boy, Wilmoth, who fell from a wagon Friday of last week and received a severe hurt across the back of his shoulders and head, is still suffering from effects of the hurt and is having fever.

F. G. Alexander left Wednesday for St. Louis and Chicago, where he will select spring stocks for his store.

C. L. Terrell, Spence Beavers and others visited Stamford this week.

Chas. Kirby went to Seymour Thursday, where he will visit his son's family, expecting later to go to Greenville to visit other relatives.

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OLEO 1 lb. 15c

Gold Medal or Gladiola

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# News from Rule

MRS. FAYE DUNNAM

number of our high school girls, escorted by David Boles and David Bledsoe, attended the Globe game in Abilene last night.

The Farmers of America, accompanied by Thomas M. Boles, teacher, and the members of Americanism, their teacher, Mrs. Mary Ann Dowdy and Mr. Lavon Beakley, attended the Fat Stock Show in Haskell on Saturday.

Mrs. R. O. Henry and Ann spent the weekend in Austin and Ann was bridesmaid for the wedding of her cousin, Linda Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Trammell and Vickie June of El Paso, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Norwood and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dunnam.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dunnam and Kenny were Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Trammell and Vickie of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kindley of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Norwood and Mrs. F. L. Chambers and family all of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lewis

# School Lunch Menus

School menus for the week of Feb. 8-12:

Monday: Meat and vegetable stew, grilled cheese sandwich, cole slaw, prune plums, milk.

Tuesday: Hot dogs on buttered buns, cream peas, tossed salad, fruit jello, ranger cookies, milk.

Wednesday: Chili con carne with beans, baked potatoes, carrots, cabbage, raisin salad, cornbread, butter, oatmeal cookies, milk.

Thursday: Luncheon meat sandwiches, cheese slices, lettuce and tomato slices, mashed potato salad, peach cobbler, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, catsup, green beans, buttered potatoes, stuffed celery, yeast biscuits, cinnamon rolls, milk.



**In and Out the Tee Peees**  
BY SUZANNE LANE

Mrs. Chas Conner presented the librarians with a potted plant for Valentine's Day. It is a lovely plant, covered with red blossoms. Mrs. Conner says that librarians are her Valentine.

A district meeting was held Monday afternoon in the HHS library to discuss the Inter-scholastic League literary events. Stamford and Hamlin were represented and plans were made for the first literary event, which will be held March 22.

In an assembly Monday morning when the HHS football team received their new jackets, the cheerleaders were awarded pins by the pep squad. Pins were given to the graduating senior leaders. The pins are silver with an "H" on them with the girl's name engraved just below. Receiving the award were Julie Collins, Kay Wiseman, Betty Larned Becky Watson and Opal Wallace.

Mrs. Couch's typing II class is preparing to cut stencils for the handbook, "Smoke Signals," given all Indians by the Quill and Scroll Society. A handbook was given to each Indian last year but more are needed this year for the new classes.

"Cheaper by the Dozen" will be presented by the Senior Class of HHS on March 4. Try-outs for the various parts will be Feb. 15.

# Farm Home of Jess Leonards Is Identified as Mystery Farm No. 14

Last week's Mystery Farm has been identified as the farm home occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jess Leonard, located ten and one-half miles northeast of Haskell in what is now the Mattson community, formerly the old Roberts community.

The farm has been in the Leonard family more than 40 years, the late I. A. Leonard having bought the place and moved his family there in 1917. The Jess Leonard family has lived there since 1940, and Mrs. I. A. Leonard makes her home there with her son.

The farm contains 103 acres, all of which is in cultivation. Principal crops are cotton and grain, and the farm is one of the most productive in that section.

In addition to his farming operations, Mr. Leonard is employed as a pumper by General American Oil Company, which has a number of producing wells on pump in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard have two sons at home, Gene, 18, and Rogers, 12 years old. A daughter of the couple, Mrs. T. M. Bird Jr., lives in Bossier City, La.

Winner of first prize, \$5.00 in cash, for correctly identifying last week's Mystery Farm is Darel Anderson, Box 665, Haskell.

Second prize, \$3.00 cash given by the sponsoring advertiser, goes to Jake Atchison, Rt. 1, Haskell.

Third prize, a year's subscription to The Free Press, goes to County Judge Jim Alvis, 1204 North Ave. G.

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# NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

## Mrs. Allie Ford Honored at Party In Seymour

Mrs. Allie Ford of this city was honored with a party recently, given by employees of the Seymour District, on the occasion of her retirement after 33 years service with General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

Mrs. Ford began work as operator in 1927 in the Haskell exchange. She worked as relief Chief Operator and Cashier from 1943-46.

She was Evening Chief Operator from 1946 to 1955 when she was named Assistant Chief Operator. Mrs. Ford served in this role until Haskell went to dial, when she was transferred to Seymour as an operator.

At the party in her honor, Mrs. Ford was presented a set of silver flat ware, a gift from employees in the Seymour office.

## B&PW Club Plans Observance of Special Week

Members of the Haskell Business and Professional Women's Club will observe International Week which is February 7-12, in their meeting Tuesday night, Feb. 9. The meeting will be held in the community room of the Haskell National Bank.

The International Relations Committee will act as hostesses. Mrs. Luther Burkett is chairman of the committee, members serving with her are Grace McKeivain, and Ethel Kirkpatrick.

The program will be directed by Mrs. Burkett. The theme for the evening will be "Widening Horizons Through Trade." A candlelight ceremony will be held.

Raja Hassen, will be guest speaker for the evening. He will discuss "The Discovery of Gold and Its Outgrowth—World Trade."

Members are urged to attend this International Week program.

**AN ERROR**

In listing the patients dismissed from Haskell County Hospital last week, the initials of Mrs. E. A. Howard were given incorrectly, being listed as "A. E." Mrs. Howard, a surgery patient, is recovering satisfactorily but it will be several weeks before she is fully recovered.

## Bridal Shower is Compliment To Mrs. Walter Cox

Mrs. Walter L. Cox, nee Sue Sanders, was honored with a bridal shower Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 27, at the Weinert Community Center.

The table was covered with a lace tablecloth over red and a large red heart centered the table. Appointments were crystal and silver.

Refreshments of cookies and punch were served to the following guests:

Mmes. Bill Chambers, Jack Saykins, Walter Cox, Nova Driggers, P. F. Weinert, Melvin Cunningham and Linda, R. H. Jones, W. A. Dutton, J. A. Mayfield, Garth Garrett, M. R. Boykin, Fred Monke, Bob Raynes, C. F. Oman, Ted Boykin, Frank Oman, Douglas Myers, Lela Baggett, Herschel Alexander, H. D. Griffin, Cecil Jones, Hugh Miller, M. S. Walker, Dudley Phelps and Elaine, C. T. Jones, A. J. Sanders, J. H. Hall, Donald Stafford, J. E. Jetton, Ean Curi, E. D. Alexander, Eddie Swaner, D. I. White, Otto Vaughn, G. C. Newsom, John Therswanger, Bud Adams, Bill Tanner, Jackie, Rockie and Scarlett Sanders, Velma and Betty Mansker, Sharon Caddell, Edith Hudspeth and Monet Hix, and Beverly, Yvonne Grey, Dorothy Adress, Frances and Myra Arend, Ima Stewart.

The hostess gift was a white bedspread. Hostesses were Mmes. Shirley Hudgens, Roy Herricks, M. L. Raynes, Eunice Strickland Melvin Vojkufka, Henry Vojkufka, Glenn Caddell, Thurman Stout, Spencer Liles, Leonard Alexander and Eridna Alexander.

## Study Club To Continue Series Of TV Programs

The "Let Us View" series of educational television programs continues for the Progressive Study Club Thursday Feb. 4, as the International Affairs department presents "As the World Turns."

Mrs. R. A. Lane will produce the program and introduce Mrs. S. Hassen, a native of Lebanon, and Miss Maybelle Taylor, Baptist missionary to Brazil, as guest speakers.

All members are urged to attend and bring a guest.

Mrs. Ed Hester, Mrs. Garvin Foote and Mrs. Frank Martin will be hostesses.

## Allison-Wilson Vows Repeated In Grapevine

The marriage of Elaine Thorhill Allison and Robert Edward Wilson was solemnized Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Memorial Baptist Church in Grapevine, Texas. Rev. Geo. Garrison, assisted by Rev. Clifford Williams of Fort Worth, performed the double ring ceremony.

Miss Allison is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joe M. Allison of Grapevine. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Wilson of Denton.

Miss Jamie Ray of Fort Worth sang "How I Do Love Thee," "The Lord's Prayer," and "O Perfect Love," accompanied by Mrs. Hal Nelson.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She chose a floor-length gown with long pointed sleeves and a sweetheart neck line. The skirt featured an accordion pleated front panel over a bouffant skirt of net and satin bordered lace. She wore a floor length French illusion veil with a tulle encrusted with pearls. She carried a crescent shaped bouquet of white carnations and stephanotis centered with white cymbidiums. The church was decorated with candles and greenery.

Attendants were Mrs. Richard H. Buell, Miss Joyce Allison, sisters of the bride, and Miss Linda Sue Statum, the bride's roommate at college. The attendants wore street length satin dresses of peacock blue, fashioned with elbow sleeves and scoop necklines. The bell skirts were ornamented with self fabric rosettes and at the back two matching rosettes created a bustle effect. The pretty hats carried out the theme of the roses to compliment a coronet of tiny bows. They carried nosegays of light pink carnations and roses.

The mother of the bride wore a gown of bone colored lace, with a Dior blue hat. Her corsage was made of white gardenias. The mother of the groom wore a gown of wedgewood blue lace with blue accessories. Her corsage was also of white gardenias.

Lynn Wilson, brother of the groom, was best man. Jim Callahan and Dan Hinkle of Denton served as groomsmen, and Sam Bowman of Tyler lit the candles.

A reception was held at the church immediately following the ceremony. The parents assisted the bride and groom in the receiving line. The registration table was decorated with an arrangement of pink carnations centered with a china bride and groom. A beautiful wedding cake was served from a reception table laid with a cloth of Italian cut work and appointments of crystal and silver. Punch was served from a huge crystal bowl. Centering the table was a fan shaped arrangement of white gladiolus interspersed with pink carnations.

In the house party were Misses Suzanne and Cornelia Thornhill, Miss Teresa Carter, Mrs. Bill E. Lewis, and Miss Gladys Powell.

The bride's going-away costume was a three-piece walking suit of green and beige tweed. Her accessories were of beige.

The bride is a graduate of Grapevine High School and is a Junior at North Texas State College. She is a member of Delta Gamma Sorority, Gamma Theta Upsilon, and the United Students of North Texas. The groom is a graduate of Haskell High School and holds a B. S. degree from N. T. S. C. He is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon and Industrial Arts Club. He is employed at Collins Radio Company in Richardson. The couple will make their home in Denton.

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The scholarship in the amount of \$50.00 will be awarded this year for the first time, if there is a student in the Business Administration Department able to qualify.

The check will be mailed by the treasurer of the Club to the University, or Business College of the student's choice on notification from the school that the students has completed matriculation in the Business Administration Department.

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The Scholarship will be presented to a Senior Haskell Girl, completing within four years the curriculum required by the Business Administration Department of Haskell High School, and desiring to further her Business Course as a Career.

Selection will be based on: Scholarship, Citizenship, Leadership, Personality, and Appearance.

Students will be screened by the Supervisor of Business Administration Department, President of Business and Professional Women's Club, Members of Career Advancement Committee of the Business and Professional Women's Club.

The Scholarship will be the major project of the Career Advancement Committee.

## Weinert Study Club Elects Officers

The Weinert Study Club met for a regular meeting Jan. 29, at the Community Center.

Mrs. J. E. Jetton was director of the program on Education.

Guest speaker was Mrs. Artie Mae Burkett, who spoke on various phases of education.

The club had their regular business session preceding the program and elected new officers for the coming club year.

Those elected were: President, Mrs. J. E. Jetton; first vice president, Mrs. W. B. Guess; second vice president, Mrs. R. E. Hutchinson; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Marvin Phemister; parliamentarian, Mrs. Elwood Hackney.

Two new executive board members are Mrs. Elwood Hackney and Mrs. Loyd Lemley.

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## Members of Former Fidelis Class Meet Tuesday for First Reunion

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The Fidelis Class was disbanded when the Sunday School department was reorganized several years ago. Hostesses for the reunion and dinner were Mrs. Lyles and Mrs. Artie Mae Burkett.

Miss Maybelle Taylor, missionary on leave from Brazil, was a member of the Fidelis Class when she went to Brazil in 1938. The class has helped send several girls to school in Brazil in the past. During the war, the class had purchased some bonds. These bonds have matured and members present voted to give \$100 to Miss Taylor, and this amount will send a girl to school one year in Brazil. Members also voted to make the dinner and reunion an annual affair and to give \$100 each year to Miss Taylor for a girls' schooling. This will be called the Hazel Reynolds Memorial.

Mrs. Gerry Cox was elected president and Mrs. Allie Irbay Payne, secretary and treasurer.

"The Lily of the Valley," Mrs. Reynolds' favorite song, and "An Evening Prayer," the class song, were sung. Old class pictures were admired.

Dinner was served to Opal Dodson, Elma Guest, Stella

Trice, Lois Redwine, Leta Christian, Clauda Mae Bland, Veta Purrh, Maybelle Taylor, Lola Scott, Joyce Ruff, Juanita King, Leane Pearsey, Nettie McCollum, Mattie Merle Felker, Jewel Cadenhead, Clara Biard, Ozella Frierson, Cora Pierson, Gerry Cox, Verna Oates Wilson, Fannie Holt, Frances Lane, Helen Oates, Maybelle Foote, Opal Nanny Louise Greene, Sadie Payne, Fay Burton, M. L. DeBar, Ruby Smith, all of Haskell; Addie Robertson of Seymour, and Dela Duncan, Hazel Roberts-n Womble and Mary Louise Robinson, Abilene.

Some members' addresses were unknown, but approximately 20 who were contacted were unable to attend the first reunion. Any former member of the class who was not notified is asked to contact Allie Irbay Payne and give her their address.

## VISITORS IN W. F. PATTERSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Patterson had as visitors in their home during the weekend, Mrs. Patterson's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Black of Oklahoma City, who are preparing to move to Phoenix, Ariz. On Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and their visitors were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Slover Bledsoe for a barbecue supper and entertainment. Mrs. Bledsoe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

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The Naomi Bible class for their regular meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 29, at the Methodist Church, presented El Alvis, Claude, Elsie Eastland, Virginia Avis Pennington, Pearsay, Joyce Ruff, Opal Stephenson, Allie Irbay and Betty Clatter.

An enjoyable dinner given by Leone Pennington and Charity, Invocations given by Katherine Eastland and benediction by Elsie Eastland. Refreshments served by Claude Mae Pennington.

A lot of fellows what they think enough thinking.

## VISITORS IN W. F. PATTERSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Patterson had as visitors in their home during the weekend, Mrs. Patterson's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Black of Oklahoma City, who are preparing to move to Phoenix, Ariz. On Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and their visitors were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Slover Bledsoe for a barbecue supper and entertainment. Mrs. Bledsoe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Have character — don't be one.

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CREEK ... COMMUNITY NEWS

BY MRS. GENE OVERTON

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Commerce said "Perhaps we have too many farmers. It is true that the farm environment is spiritually and morally valuable to our national society, but we cannot endow it in perpetuity. I do not see how we can achieve the worthwhile objective of increasing farm income by treating farmers as plans in a government hot-house. Right now, there's a struggle going on between nostalgia and progress. A migration from the farm is inevitable." That's what he thinks.

Let's all hope we farmers aren't becoming like the Whooping Cranes, or will become like the Dodo birds—extinct. One old farmer philosopher answered the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, and he said: "The C of C head suggests that maybe we have too many farmers, and the only thing to do is to let nature take its course and let the birds fly to town. Well aside from the fact that this is what's happening, the farm population is down from 40 per cent of the total population a few years ago to about 13 per cent now—no argument that's good for farmers ought to be good for others, including Chambers of Commerce.

"For instance take oil wells. I know it is spiritually and morally valuable to our national society to have sound oil companies, healthy refineries, successful filling stations on every third corner in town, but after all, oil men aren't museum pieces. We may love them but we can't endow them in perpetuity. If you'd take away government controlled oil production (which means artificially maintained prices) turn the oil wells loose and let them produce all the oil their owners would like, the price of gasoline would drop down more in line with the price of cotton, corn and wheat, and if as a result the oil refineries and filling stations couldn't stand it, you'd have to do it, shug your shoulders and explain to them there's simply a struggle going on between nostalgia and progress, and a migration from the oil business is inevitable."

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Raughton were in San Antonio this past week visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sims, Mr. and Mrs. Sims, Karen and Bouncer have all had the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hughes and Jerry recently spent the weekend in Canadian with their son Bill, his wife and two children.

Cadets Waller Overton, Dub Sims, Dan R. Griffith and Jimmy Griffith of Texas A&M have spent this week at home between semesters. They return to College Station Friday to register for the second semester.

William Overton, Nelta Walton and Dolin Hughes returned to Denton Wednesday to begin their second semester work.

Mrs. V. P. Morrison of Graham, mother of Supt. Pat Morrison, is a patient in the Haskell Hospital this week.

Little Norma (Dodie) Earles has been a patient in the Haskell Hospital for the past week with pneumonia. She is much improved.

Mrs. Lela Cox of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her brother, W. A. Montgomery, and also visited her brother, Howard Montgomery and family, and her sister, Mrs. W. S. Cox Sr., and Mr. Cox.

Miss Bess Smith has been admitted to the sanatorium near San Angelo, and her address is Miss Bess Smith, McKnight TB Sanatorium, San Antonio, Texas. She would like to hear from all her friends and former students.

The junior girls are runners-up in the tournament here ending Saturday night. They were beaten in the finals by Avoca. The boys played in the consolation finals and were beaten

by Weinert. Little Kristi Kay Gresselt from Lubbock spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bouda. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Gresselt brought her the weekend before.

The football banquet Thursday Jan. 21 was a nice affair. It was catered by Nat's Cafe of Stamford, and the community patrons were allowed to buy tickets and attend. The stage held a huge football with players and numbers on it. Willie Medford was master of ceremonies. Kenneth Carlton gave the invocation. The welcome was given by Claire Ann McLennan with response by John R. Watson. Special music was by Donnie Johnson and Sarah Carlisle of Hardin-Simmons University. Supt. Pat Morrison introduced the guest speaker, Tom Barfield, real estate agent and insurance agent from Haskell, who gave an enjoyable and inspirational speech. After the speech, Margaret Fischer was crowned Football Sweetheart and Kenneth Carlton was crowned Football Hero. Coach Tate awarded players and assistant coach, Willie L. Medford letter jackets and Mr. Medford awarded Coach Tate his coach's jacket. All in all it was a real nice banquet.

Rudy Raughton spent several days last week with his mother Mrs. Clarence Raughton and his brother James Merle and his family before beginning his teaching at Roscoe Junior High School. Rudy recently graduated from Baylor University, and he is to have Physical Education classes at Roscoe. He will live with Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae and family.

Rev. Ronnie Parker of Hamlin preached at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. He will resume his studies at McMurry this week. Ronnie has just recently returned from Europe where he attended the Youth Festival there this past summer. He had dinner Sunday with the Gene Overtons. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Sr., of Rule were also dinner guests.

Dolin Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hughes is home from his studies at North Texas until the second semester begins next week.

Mrs. G. W. Roberts and Mrs. Jack Daniels are at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Lillian Banks in the Haskell Hospital where she underwent surgery last Monday morning.

Bill McLennan recently returned from visiting his children in Oregon and in California. He had been gone about a month.

Mrs. Paul Fischer and daughter were shopping in Abilene Friday. They visited Mrs. Ray Davis, the former Joan Marr.

Mrs. Ray Overton Sr., attended the meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star in Haskell Tuesday night when the chapter entertained the District Deputy. Mrs. Overton is organizer for the chapter this year.

Willie Lee Medford and Allen Isbell were business visitors in Lubbock last Wednesday when they went to purchase commodities for the lunchroom and the school.

Neighbors visited with Mrs. Wayne Perry Wednesday morning for coffee and cake to help her celebrate her birthday. Mrs. Perry has been in poor health all winter. Those neighbors were Mrs. Howard Montgomery, Roy Overton, Gene Overton, Ray Overton, John Kuenstler and Hoyt Perry.

J. C. Coleman and Gene Overton attended the Haskell Commandery Wednesday night and helped with the work for the District Commander's annual visit.

Joel Miles, a 1959 graduate of Paint Creek has enlisted in the Army for three years, and has chosen construction field as his assignment choice. He will be sent to Fort Carson, Colo., for basic training.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Walton and children Nelta, Terrt and Larry attended the graduation exercises at NTSC in Denton Thursday when their daughter Glenda received her B. S. degree in Homemaking. Also attending the program were Mrs. W. L. Hise of Haskell, Glenda's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Thelma Howard and daughter Kathey, Mrs. Velton Moore and Mrs. Bud Moore. Glenda is teaching at Anna High School. She has an apartment at McKinney, and the group from here went on to McKinney and had supper with her.

Emilee Griffith spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Griffith and family. Emilee is beginning her last semester in Hardin-Simmons. She has just completed her term of Practice Teaching

County Officials Conference Due At A&M College

The second statewide County Judges' and Commissioners' Conference is scheduled for Texas A&M's Memorial Student Center, Feb. 14-16, 1960. The Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the County Judges' and Commissioners' Association of Texas are again co-sponsoring the conference. V. G. Young, state agricultural agent, and President C. Y. Johnson, of the sponsoring organizations, point out that the program has been planned to bring specific ideas and methods to those attending in order to aid them in their service to the public. The response from last year's participants, say the leaders, formed the basis for planning the 1960 conference program.

One of last year's most popular presentations was made by Judge J. C. Davis Jr., assistant attorney general, Austin. He will lead a discussion on the 1960 program covering legislation passed by the 56th Texas Legislature affecting county officials.

Such important topics as the use of herbicides and chemicals for weed and grass control on road right-of-ways; records as a part of a good machinery maintenance program; bond elections and issues; refinancing and appraising and negotiating problems will be discussed.

Another expected highlight of the conference will be a mock land condemnation trial by members of the Attorney General's staff.

Registration for the conference will begin at 1 p. m. on Feb. 14 and the formal program at 8:30 a. m. on Feb. 15. The conferees will have lunch on the 15th with the A&M Cadet Corps and the evening program will include a smorgasbord and entertainment by the Singing Cadets. The conference is due to adjourn on the afternoon of Feb. 16.

in Abilene Elementary school, and she plans to teach primary grades when she graduates.

The Rev. Bud Moore have a new 1960 Impala Chevrolet and we are all glad for them.

The WMU met at the church Monday morning and had their monthly Royal Service program.

Monday night the members of the Baptist Church met for the brotherhood meeting and missed their pastor and his family with their wedding anniversary, and also Mrs. Moore's birthday. They were also entertained with an anniversary dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middlebrook Sunday.

Waller Overton was the substitute teacher in the science department Monday teaching Mr. Raughton's science and World History classes.

L. W. Jones and his brother Foster L. Jones of Kerrville visited in the community last Thursday in the home of Mr. Jones' daughter Mrs. Gene Overton and family.

Attending the meeting of the Haskell County Chapter of the TSTA in Rochester Monday night were faculty members Supt. Morrison and Mrs. Morrison, Coach and Mrs. Bill Tate, Willie Lee Medford, Shirley Thane, Billy Boshier, Mrs. Irene Ballard Mrs. Lilla Heflin, Mrs. Manley S'kes, Mrs. W. C. Taylor, Board members Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer, Jesse Cook, Alex McLennan, Sammy Griffith; Gene Overton.

Lots of people play dumb. Unfortunately too many aren't playing.

Hospital Notes

The following persons have been listed as patients in the Haskell County Hospital during the past week:

- Mrs. Myrtle Aisabrook, surgical, Gorman.
Mrs. J. B. Dunnam, surgical, Weinert.
M. M. Duke, medical, Rochester.
Joe Gross, medical, Haskell.
R. W. Wood, surgical, Haskell.
Bobby Lee Miller, medical, Haskell.
Roy Amonett, medical, Haskell.
E. C. Patton, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. George Klose, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, medical, Haskell.
Ray Lusk, medical, Haskell.
J. S. Stanford, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. L. F. Hutson, medical, Haskell.
Laton Robertson, medical, Haskell.
Mrs. J. H. Ivy, medical, Haskell.
Bobbie Collins, burns, Haskell.
Olen Dotson, accident, Haskell.
A. D. Fought, medical, Haskell.

Dismissed Mrs. V. P. Harrison, Graham; Leslie Wittenborn, Haskell; Walene Bredthauer, Haskell; Terry Don Chapman, Haskell; Herbert Vahlenkamp, Old Glory; Miti Marie Wehba, Haskell; Mrs. R. M. Middleton, Haskell; Mrs. Larue Anders, Stamford; Mrs. Owen Pelsue, Haskell; Kimberly Drinnon, Haskell; Mrs. Curtis Pogue, Haskell; Halla Mae Parish, Haskell; Mrs. J. W. Burrows, Rule; Danny Lillian, Seymour; H. H. Fancher, Haskell; Macy Wilde, Munday; Mrs. R. L. Banks, Haskell; Mona Gerloff, Aspermont; Donna Kay Ross, Lamesa; Wayne Dunnam, Haskell; Mrs. Truett Parsons, Haskell; Mrs. R. F. Dulensing, Old Glory; Mary Tildman, Haskell.

The Very Newest Only one birth has been recorded in the Haskell County Hospital during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie DeLeon of Rule, baby boy, born Jan. 29, 1960, weight 5 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

Officers Elected By Progressive Study Club

"The Big Payoff" came for the Progressive Study Club Thursday, Jan. 21 with the bi-annual business meeting.

Mrs. Bailey Toliver, president, welcomed members and introduced Mrs. Glen Sammons as a new member. The highlights of the business meeting were the reading and discussion of the club's constitution and the election of officers for the 1960-61 club year.

Mrs. W. H. Pitman will lead the club as president, assisted by the following officers: first vice president, Mrs. W. E. Woodson; second vice president, Mrs. Ed Hester; recording secretary, Mrs. Vernay Burson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Gerald McCoy; treasurer; Mrs. Wayne Wainwright; and historian, Mrs. H. V. Woodard.

After refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Bill Holden and Mrs. Bob Herren, each committee chairman and her assistants started work on the club's yearly Federation reports. To set the mood of work, "Report" posters were displayed.

One poster read: "Have you done anything? Report it! If not, do something! So you can report it."

Control of Outer Space Poses Many Legal Angles

Long ago the sky was sky-high, so high nobody cared. But no more.

In 1765 Blackstone backed up old Roman law that sovereignty went "usque ad coelum," or as high as the sky. By 1899 the First Hague Peace Conference ruled against discharging explosives from balloons, and today we have endless legal problems that reach beyond the moon.

With airplanes, armed and unarmed overhead, modern Blackstones had to ask how high is up: Could a low air zone come within state control, and a high zone remain free like the seas?

No, many thought, for gravity worked in and through both zones. Zone or no zone, fighter planes, for example, could drop; or things could fall on people below.

So in World War I brave little Holland held fast for Blackstone: Nobody could fly over her land lawfully without her permission.

In 1919 the Aerial Navigation Convention joined the Dutch in saying every power has full and sole "sovereignty over the air space above its land." The 1928 Convention of International Civil Aviation still held to this view.

This had to do with air, but what about outer space? With airplanes one could say the air space ended up there when the "air" could no longer hold up a plane. Say, thirty miles up. Then Sputnik! Each day it criss-cross the sovereignty of land after land. So the law of outer space comes up again.

In 1956 the American Society of International Law debated whether Blackstone would hold for "air" which could not support vehicles, whether thirty or thousands of miles "up."

No, they decided, the sky was only as high as the nations had in mind in 1919 and 1928. So we have more questions than answers, some with cold war dimensions:

1. How could one state shoot a rocket aloft without invading another's sovereignty on the way up or down?

2. What if such things took pictures of military value below? What would that do to the state's sovereignty below?

3. What about the moon? Eager moon-vigilators plan, like Columbus, to land on the moon and to stake out claims in their "sovereign's name."

Is the moon "terra incognita" or "terra nullis," like the lands of the new world on the old maps? Do first comers get moon lands? Or must they "occupy" these lands after discovery?

Already people have proposed that space craft be registered like sea-going vessels, and fly their country's flag, and report their purposes—scientific, commercial, or military—when they blast off.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

RETURN TO NTSC

Elwood and Durwood Eruton have returned to North Texas State College after spending the between semester holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Bruton of Weinert.

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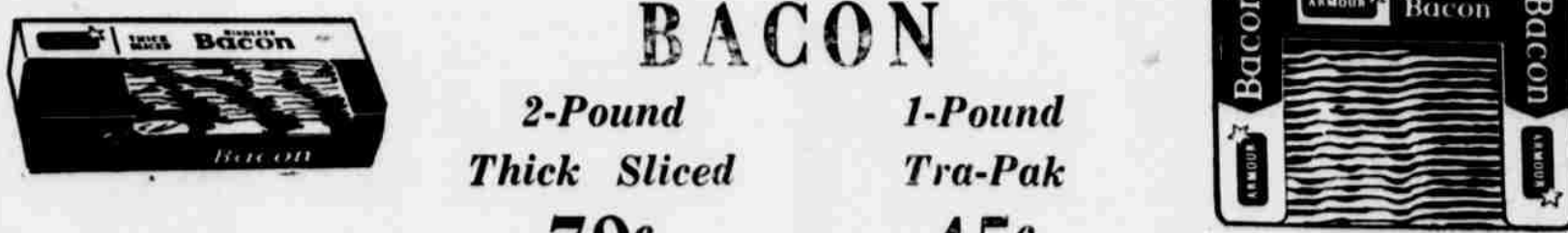
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# Sagerton News

**BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE**

Bredthauer was a weekend visitor to the parents Mr. and Mrs. Bredthauer. She is the daughter of the Porcelain Co. in Abilene. Bredthauer, district superintendent, will be in Haskell for services at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bredthauer have been a patient at the Stamford Hospital for two weeks recovering from surgery. Their children are in the hospital.

of Fort Worth visited with Mrs. John L. Brooks and Judy and Buehla Mae Summers last weekend. This was the first trip to Sagerton for William Clark, who was born Dec. 17, 1959. They have two daughters, Vanessa and Karan.

The Sagerton teachers and several of the trustees and their wives attended the Haskell County Teachers meeting at Rochester Monday night of this week.

Saturday night the Board of Trustees and their wives were

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entertained by the teachers and school employees in the school cafeteria. Valentine decorations were used on the tables. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin New, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tschelma, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, and Miss Irene Stewart.

Richard Green of Lubbock visited in the Albert Stremmel home Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel and Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel went to Rule Thursday of last week to pay their last respects to Buster Hills, who was a nephew of the Stremmels. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm, Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman, Tom Thane and Emil and Hilda Stremmel attended funeral services for Mr. Hills Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark went to San Antonio last week end to visit with T-Sgt. and Mrs. Ted Terrell and son, Clark Don.

Fred Kupatt was honored on his birthday Friday night, Jan. 29. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kupatt, Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and family of Rule, F. A. Stegemoeller and Emil and Hilda Stremmel.

Arnold Reber and Ewald Reber of El Campo, Emma Reber of Houston and Wm. Reber of Rule visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel and Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel Saturday afternoon.

Emil Stremmel Albert Reber of Houston, Mrs. Buster Hills of Rule, Carl Reber of Florida went to Fort Worth Saturday where Carl boarded a plane for the return trip to his home in Florida. Albert Reber was a guest in the Albert Stremmel home Saturday night.

Mrs. August Balzer was released from the Stamford Hospital Tuesday of last week and is getting along nicely.

Several students from this community who attend Rule High School went to the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth last weekend with the FFA and FHA Groups.

Bad colds and flu are keeping quite a few people at home in this community.

Mrs. Ellen Reising of Midland spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. B. Hess. Mrs. Mary Hess of Midland came for her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Green, Judy and Lanny of Oton were dinner guests of the Alvin Holles Sunday.

## J. C. Wheatley Candidate for Representative

J. C. (Carl) Wheatley, real estate dealer and oil lease broker, announced his decision Saturday to enter the race for State Representative of the 83rd Legislative District, composed of Haskell, Throckmorton, Baylor and Knox Counties.

His decision was announced following the statement by State Representative Ed Cloud of Rule that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

"I feel that it would be an honor and a privilege to serve the people of the 83rd District as their Representative in the Legislature," Mr. Wheatley said in making his announcement.

A successful business man, Mr. Wheatley has lived in Haskell County all his life, and has a background of experience which has included farming, livestock raising, wholesale oil, gas and butane business, in addition to real estate and oil leasing. Because of these varied interests, he enjoys a wide acquaintance throughout the district, and also is well aware of the problems facing business, agriculture, ranching and the oil industry.

If elected, Mr. Wheatley is in position to devote the necessary time and work required as State Representative, and will do his best at all times to represent the entire district in keeping with the desires of the voters of the four counties.

Mr. Wheatley is a member of the Baptist Church, and is a Mason and Odd Fellow. He is actively interested in civic and community affairs, has served on the Haskell School Board and is past president of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

In connection with his candidacy, Mr. Wheatley plans to make an intensive campaign throughout the four counties.

## Couple Who Lost Home by Fire Given Shower

A miscellaneous gift shower was given in the Weinst Community Center Monday for Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Alexander of that city, who lost all their belongings when their house burned Thursday, Jan. 28.

The house, owned by Bill King, was located one and one-quarter mile northeast of Weinst.

At Monday's shower, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander received a large number of gifts sent by friends and acquaintances from all neighboring communities. Guests attended from Haskell, Munday, and Weinst.

## "Trav" Hadaway Enters Race for Commissioner

H. T. (Trav) Hadaway, well known Haskell resident, has authorized the announcement this week of his candidacy for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, subject to action of the Democratic primary.

In making his announcement, he stated his decision was based on careful consideration of the responsible duties of the Commissioner's office and with the belief that if elected he could discharge the duties in a satisfactory manner.

A resident of Haskell County and Precinct No. 1 since 1927, Mr. Hadaway has been engaged in farming, but in recent years has been doing oil field work and is now employed by Duffy Oil Company. He is well acquainted with all sections of the precinct and its

needs, particularly in regard to roads, as a result of his oil field work.

If elected, Mr. Hadaway states that he will devote his full time to the Commissioner's job, with equal consideration for every section of the precinct. Also, he will welcome the suggestions of property owners and taxpayers concerning the affairs of the precinct, and will endeavor to enlist the cooperation of the entire citizenship in all matters affecting the precinct in order that the wishes of the people can be carried out insofar as possible.

Before the primary is held, Mr. Hadaway plans to make as intensive a campaign as possible in order to place his candidacy before as many voters in Precinct 1 as possible.

In the meantime he solicits and will appreciate your consideration of his claims for the office.

Many a guy has the habit of saying, "Well, I'm going to tell you the truth . . ." Makes me wonder what he has been telling me.

## Jerry Welsh of Dover AFB Visits Here Last Week

Jerry Welsh, of the United States Air Force, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welsh of Haskell, was a visitor here last week. He drove down to spend his leave with his parents from Dover Air Force Base, Delaware, where he is presently stationed.


During his leave Jerry has visited old friends in the Paint Creek community—he is a graduate of Paint Creek High School—and Abilene, where he renewed friendships made on the campus of Hardin-Simmons University where he studied for a year before entering the Air Force. Jerry has not neglected his academic studies while in the service; he is now an undergraduate at the University of Delaware, whence he hopes to graduate next year. After graduation Jerry plans to return to Haskell County to make his home.

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<i>Chuck Wagon or Alma</i>		
<b>CHILI BEANS</b>	<b>CAN</b>	<b>10¢</b>
<i>Borden's</i>		
<b>INSTANT POTATOES</b>	<b>BOX</b>	<b>25¢</b>
<b>HI HO CRACKERS</b>	<b>BOX</b>	<b>25¢</b>
<i>Domino, Pure Cane</i>		
<b>SUGAR</b>	<b>10 LBS.</b>	<b>89¢</b>

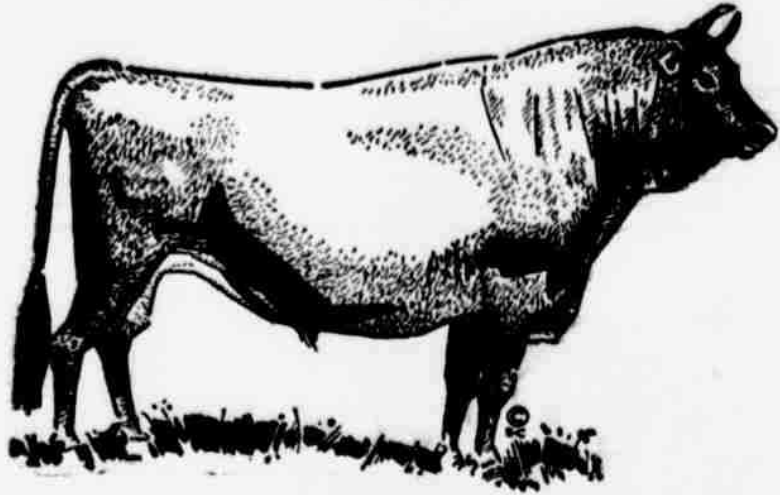
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<i>Our Darling, Cream Style</i>	
<b>CORN</b>	<b>3 NO. 303 CANS 49¢</b>
<i>Maxwell House, Big 6-oz. Jar</i>	
<b>INSTANT COFFEE</b>	<b>79¢</b>
<i>Dove Brand—With FREE Flashlight!</i>	
<b>TOILET SOAP</b>	<b>3 BARS 69¢</b>
<i>Big Boy</i>	
<b>DOG FOOD</b>	<b>6 CANS 39¢</b>
<i>Hi-C Pineapple — Grapefruit</i>	
<b>DRINK</b>	<b>3 BIG 46 OZ. CANS \$1.00</b>
<i>Swift's, 8 Delicious Flavors</i>	
<b>ICE CREAM</b>	<b>5 PINTS \$1.00</b>
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kell merchants try always to stand behind their goods and woe unto him who doesn't.

Not so with the out-of-towner who at best expects to draw far away traders in only once or twice anyway. In distance there is a lot of safety from a dissatisfied customer.

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Class of '29—

(Continued from page 1) White, 3932 Floyd Drive, Fort Worth. W. Orea McDonald, 3405 Cumberland, Waco. Erma Monke, Mrs. Ramon Liles, Box 66, Weinert. Ellis Medley, deceased. James O. Mullino, 2273 Hillsdale Drive, Baton Rouge, La. Irene Morgan, Mrs. George Sherrill, Floydada, Texas. Thomas M. Patterson, 2102 33rd St., Apt. 79, Lubbock. Julian V. Perrin, Box 26, Adrian, Texas. Thelma Perry, Mrs. Thelma Bricker, 919 9th Ave., Fort Worth. Marshall S. Pierson Jr., 4948 Polk Apt. 12-A, Houston. Clovis L. Pinkerton, 1513 Rich Creek Rd., Austin. Frances Porter, Mrs. Floyd Bowman, Rt. 1, Weinert. Oscar B. Radliff, 4710 19th St., Lubbock. Hazel Redwine, Mrs. Odie Bland, 502 Nelson, Yoakum, Texas. G. W. Reynolds, Mrs. M. W. Whitmire Jr., Rt. 2, Stonewall, Okla. Martha Lou Rogers, Mrs. Martha Wells, Rt. 2, Box 233, Mineral Wells. John Joseph Short, 240 Oak Drive, Kilgore, Texas. Montie Singleton, Mrs. M. M. Rutherford, Box 1026, Irving, Texas. David E. Smith, c/o People's Ice Co., Lubbock. Thelma Therwanger, Mrs. A. L. Stroman, Monta Vista, Colo.

John R. Watson Jr., deceased. O. Barton Welsh, 820 18th Avenue N., Texas City. Floy West, Mrs. John Gillette, 806 Columbia, Stamford. Faculty Members Former faculty members affiliated with the Class of '29 are: J. Horace Bass, Texas A&M, College Station; J. O. Dotson, Sherman; M. B. Lebo, 1101 W. 2nd St., Arlington; Herman K. Henry, 5503 N. Ave. E., Haskell; Bertha Carmer, Mrs. Bill Whitaker, 506 Circleway, Lake Jackson; Mrs. Edd Sprowls, Anson; Mrs. George Wimbish, 205 N. W. 7th, Fort Worth; Elaine Mills, Mrs. Lloyd Kinsey, 2515 W. Storey, Midland; L. Kenneth English, 1439 E. 43rd St., Birmingham, Ala.; Iron Pearsey, Haskell; Mildred Simmons, Mrs. Joe Thomas, 1816 Meadowwood, Waco. RETURNS FROM VISIT IN KENTUCKY Mrs. Thelma Adams has returned from a two weeks visit in Elizabethtown, Ky., where she was a guest in the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. Adams. Mrs. Adams said her stay was marked by a seige of winter weather, with snow, sleet and rain most of the time. She was ill a part of the time, with a case of "flu," but has recovered her health. Fellows who drown themselves in drink usually don't have far to sink.

Native Grasses Should Be Seeded During First Six Months Of Year

Have you seen a bald headed man walking down the street on a hot summer day without a lid on that dome of his? If so, he certainly did not stay out in the intense heat for any length of time for fear of blistering the remains of what he wished he still had on top in his youth. The "old man" needs a hat not only for looks and dress but for protection from possible heat stroke. Apply this principle to the sparsely covered range land. During the summer months when the atmospheric temperature is 100 degrees, that bare rangeland will register 140 degrees. No bacterial life of plant life can live in such conditions. On the same day, same soils and un-

459 Arrested for Game Violations During December

Many hunters and fishermen are still trying to get by without buying a license, according to the director of law enforcement of the Game and Fish Commission. During December 98 persons were arrested for failure to possess licenses. For the months there were 459 arrests. He warned that all persons fishing outside their home counties, or anyone fishing with a rod and reel must have a license, unless they are under 16 or over 65 years of age. The license costs \$2.15 for either resident or non-resident and includes salt water as well as fresh water fishing. Headlighters also figured heavily in the December arrests, according to the report. There were 67 convictions for headlighting at night. There were 26 charged with killing spike bucks. Exceeding the bag limit on quail brought fines to 22 persons. Ten hunters were fined for killing doves out of season. Automobile hunters accounted for 19 fines. Fines were paid by 14 for killing turkey hens. The 459 arrested persons paid fines and court costs amounting to \$19,446. There were 18 cases dismissed, three served time in jail, four appealed, there were two suspended sentences, and one per found not guilty.

Blasting Caps Cripple, Kill Many Children

J. O. Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association issued a warning today against blasting caps which each year blind or maim many youngsters in the U. S. These caps which are used to detonate charges of dynamite may appear to a boy or girl to be harmless, but "in the hands of an inexperienced person they are extremely dangerous," the safety expert said. In a statement directed to both adults and boys and girls, Musick warned, "anyone finding a cap should not touch it, but should immediately report it to the police or some other law enforcement officer." These officers know how to dispose of them without harm to anyone. Some boys and girls do not know a blasting cap when they see one. Others know the caps will explode but are unaware of the grave danger involved. The detonation of a blasting cap sends pieces of metal flying out in all directions with the speed of a rifle bullet. These metal fragments can injure or blind a person even at a distance of 200 feet or more. Blasting caps are copper or aluminum cylinders about as big around as a lead pencil and from 1 to 6 inches long. When electric current is applied to the wires the cap explodes. Blasting caps are used in mining, quarrying and construction work, land clearing, oil prospecting, pipeline laying, and many other necessary jobs in industry and agriculture. Skilled blasters who work with caps handle them with as much care as they use with dynamite. Some boys and girls, however, think of them as fascinating toys. Musick says the only safe advice for a boy or girl is "Don't Touch Blasting Caps."

Game Commission Publishing Two New Bulletins

Two new bulletins, one on the birds of Texas by Roger Tory Peterson, and the other on the mammals of Texas by Dr. W. B. Davis, are scheduled for publication within the next six weeks, according to E. T. Dawson, director of information and education, Texas Game and Fish Commission. Peterson's Field Guide To The Birds of Texas will be a compilation of facts on all the birds of Texas, including natural color illustrations. Dr. Davis, head of the Wildlife Management Department at Texas A&M College, is the author of a new bulletin, No. 41, entitled The Mammals of Texas. It will be much more comprehensive than the former Bulletin 27 by the same title, presenting many new and interesting facts on Texas mammals. It will be illustrated with black and white photos, maps and line drawings. Included in the new book will be an introductory chapter on how to collect and prepare mammal skins for study and exhibit. "These are two books that have been needed here," said Dawson. "Of course, there are others we also need, many of which are either in the authoring or planning stage. Just to mention a few, we are expecting to complete a bulletin on the fresh-water fishes and fishing of Texas; one on gray squirrels, and another on fox squirrels; one on the reptiles; and one on the mammals of the game species."

Pfc. Joe Galvan Completes Basic Marine Training

Camp Pendleton, California (PHTNC)—Marine Pfc. Joe Galvan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Galvan of 609 S. Ninth St., Haskell, completed four weeks of individual combat training Dec. 30 at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton. The course included the latest infantry tactics, first aid, demolition, field fortifications and advanced schooling on weapons. Trainees learn that all Marines are basically infantrymen, whether they serve as cooks, typists, truck drivers, or with aviation units.

Political Announcements

- The Free Press is authorized to make the following announcements for office in Haskell County, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries in 1960: FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT NO. 23: George Moffett. FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 83rd District: J. C. (Carl) Wheatley. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 8th JUDICIAL DISTRICT: Royce Adkins. (Re-election) FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: Curtis F. Pogue. Bill Radliff. FOR SHERIFF: W. H. (Bill) Pennington. For re-election. G. T. (Garth) Garrett. Alfred Turnbow. Robert L. Dumas. FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: Elizabeth Stewart. (Second elective term). FOR CONSTABLE, PREC. 1: Ace Davis (first elective term). H. K. (Buddy) Thompson. T. P. Perdue. FOR COMMISSIONER Prec. 1: John Brock. Claude Ashley. (Re-election). W. H. (Hut) Pittman. Roy L. Sellers. Lewis Hester. H. T. (Trav) Hadaway. FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 3: Louis Kuenstler. (second term). Alfred Grand. E. E. Welsh.

Kindergarten Children Visit Post Office

The Kindergarten children visited the Haskell Post Office Tuesday. Mr. Spain, the Postmaster, showed them how the mail is handled. They saw different kinds of stamps and how stamps were cancelled. Those making the trip were Darlene Abbott, Steve Alsbrook, Gail Barnett, Gary Black, Bill Cox, Douglas Johnson, Vickie Loper, Beth Lowery, Ann Middleton, Nancy Kay Middleton, Karen Pippin, Bobby Pogue, Mike Smethie, Steve Stephens, Glenn Thompson, Doris Wooten, Hamp Yearwood, Connie Berry. Mrs. Calvin Smethie and Mrs. Buford Cox provided the transportation.

ATTEND FUNERAL IN VERNON

Mr. and Mrs. Al C. Williams were in Vernon Sunday to attend the funeral of a former next-door neighbor when they lived there, Mr. Dick Coffey, well known Vernon businessman. He was a lifetime member of the Optimists Club and of the Church of Christ, where rites were held.

VISITORS FROM GEORGIA

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burton of Vienna, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Talley of Chula, Ga., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gipson last week. Mrs. Burton and Mr. Talley are niece and nephew of Mrs. Gipson.

Seeing is believing—if you see it in print.

VISIT IN EDEN

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Champion and children were recent visitors in Eden, Texas, with Mr. Champion's parents.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for each kindness shown us in the loss of our loved one. Each comforting word made our burden easier to bear. For the flowers, food, cards and prayers we are most grateful. God bless you all.—Mrs. J. O. Hills, Lora Hills, Rayford B. Hills, 5p

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