



Governor Ira T. Hester, presents award to Mrs. W. S. Steen of Anson, looking on is District Governor R. A. Briggs. The award was for the largest attendance of club members at the conference.

Mumfrey to Be Speaker at Methodist "Kick Off Dinner"

Mumfrey, academic at McMurry College, will speak at the First Methodist church Monday evening.

Water Interior Cleaned

Workers are repairing the interior of the 10 gallon elevator started on Monday by the Tower Company, Kansas.

Little League Meeting Set Friday Night

An important meeting of everyone interested in Little League Baseball is scheduled for Friday night, at 7:30 o'clock in the fire department meeting room at the City Hall.

Badges Awarded Cub Pack Meeting Tuesday

Cub Pack Meeting was held in the Elementary cafeteria, where the following were awarded:

Take Girl Scout Training Course At Cloudcroft

Mrs. C. A. Smethie and Mrs. Cliff Berry of Haskell and Mrs. Allen Overton of Paint Creek spent last week in Cloudcroft, N. M., where they attended a Girl Scout Leaders Training Course.

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Russia Becoming Godless Nation, Rotarians Told

"God, not Khrushchev, will be the deciding factor in whether the Communists meet their 1972 timetable for the conquest of America," the Rev. Ray Nobles, pastor of First Baptist Church, told members of the Rotary Club at its weekly meeting and luncheon on Thursday.

Thos. B. Roberson, program chairman, introduced Rev. Nobles, who only recently came here from Fort Worth.

The speaker gave Rotarians a first hand description of Russia and its people, having made a trip to that country which included a visit to Moscow.

He described Moscow as one of the world's cleanest cities, but said Russian people were the worst dressed of any country, wearing old and tattered clothes because of the scarcity of new wearing apparel.

"The people on the streets of Moscow will literally try to buy the shoes and other clothing American tourists are wearing," he said.

Russia is rapidly becoming a Godless country, with only the older people attending the few churches that are open. When these old people die, religion will vanish, he stated.

He expressed the reassuring view that Communism in the end, cannot prevail against the church.

Past District Governor Robt. R. King gave a report on the recent Brownwood Conference, and Tom Bartfield, in bringing Rotary information, told that District 579 would be entitled to nominate an eligible student for a Rotary Foundation Scholarship.

Visitors present were Bennie Roberts, HHS Student Guest; Cleatus Drinnon and Royce Williams of Haskell, and Rotarian J. L. Hills of Stamford.

Mrs. W. S. Steen Of Anson Dies Here Monday

Mrs. W. S. Steen of Anson, mother of Mrs. Gaston Hattox of this city, died Monday morning in the Haskell Hospital following an illness of several weeks.

Funeral for Mrs. Steen was held in the Anson Church of Christ Tuesday at 3 p. m. with Monroe Tharp, minister, officiating, assisted by Payne Hattox, Church of Christ minister at Goree. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery under direction of Lawrence Funeral Home of Anson.

Mrs. Steen was the former Nancy Virginia Dawson, born Aug. 12, 1875, in Sharon, Tenn. She moved to Texas with a sister, and on Feb. 4, 1900, married W. S. Steen in DeWitt County. The couple moved to Jones County in 1902, settling on a farm three miles north of Anson.

After Mr. Steen died in 1910, she continued to live on the farm where she reared her children. She moved into Anson in 1931.

Survivors include a son, Guy E. Steen of Anson; two daughters, Mrs. Dan Farnell of Abilene and Mrs. Hattox of Haskell; a granddaughter and three great-granddaughters; and a sister, Mrs. W. R. Bowen of Cuero.

Haskell Man's Sister Dies In Las Vegas, Nev.

Mrs. Garner Mayes, former resident here and sister of Alton Fife of this city, died on Sunday night in Las Vegas, Nev., after being seriously ill for several months.

Record Vote Expected In City Election Tuesday

A record in city voting is in prospect for the municipal election to be held here Tuesday, April 3, when qualified voters of Haskell will elect a Mayor and three Aldermen to serve on the City Council for the ensuing two years.

Indicating high interest in the election, 11 absentee ballots had been cast by Wednesday morning. Also, a number of applications for balloting by mail have been received.

All posts to be filled are contested, and opposing candidates and their supporters have been waging an active campaign which is expected to be intensified in the remaining days before the election.

The controversy over the Miller Creek municipal water project, in which the present City Administration is fighting the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, has been injected as an issue in the city election.

For the top city job at stake Tuesday, Mayor J. E. Walling, seeking re-election, is being opposed by E. J. Stewart, automobile repair shop operator and farm equipment dealer.

Aldermen seeking re-election are Otho Nanny, plumber and Navy veteran, who holds the post of Park Commissioner; Raymond Davis, auto parts and accessories dealer, who is Water Commissioner; and R. L. Stephenson, cotton buyer, who is Fire and Police Commissioner.

Also seeking the three Aldermanic posts are Thos. W. Watson, dairy products distributor and Marine combat veteran of World War II; H. C. King, retired local W. T. U. manager and overseas veteran in World War One; and Jimmy Turner, insurance and real estate dealer and Army veteran.

In addition to the regular City Election, several weeks after it was ordered the Council called a Special Election to be held at the same time and place to determine the wishes of qualified voters on the question of whether Haskell should get out of the Millers Creek project.

This proposition will be on a separate ballot from the City election tickets on which candidates for Mayor and Aldermen are listed.

Voting will be in the fire truck quarters of the City Hall, with polls opening at 8 a. m. and closing at 7 p. m. John E. Robison has been appointed presiding judge for both elections.

New Buildings Underway By Jones & Son

Jones & Son Sheet Metal Works, one of the largest concerns of its kind in this area, will soon be housed in a modern new building, specially designed for the local manufacturing establishment.

Work was started several weeks ago on the 50x70 ft. prefabricated all-metal structure which will house the plant, and on an adjacent similar structure 28x52 ft. in size which will serve as a warehouse.

The new plant building is located at the rear of the present structure occupied by the sheet metal concern.

When the new building is finished, all machinery and equipment will be moved from the old building, which fronts on Avenue E one-half block south of the square.

In its present quarters the plant has been badly crowded for the past several years, and the new buildings will allow for needed expansion of both manufacturing and warehouse facilities.

Jones & Son specialize in manufacture of steel and metal equipment for cotton gins, and have made installations over virtually the entire cotton belt in West Texas and the Panhandle.

First Baptist To Host Banquet For HHS Seniors

Friday night at 7:30 p. m. the Seniors of Haskell High School will be the guests of the First Baptist Church for the Annual Christian Education Banquet.

The Fellowship Hall has been decorated with a Fairyhood Scene background, including other beautiful pictorial decorations.

A menu of Golden Brown Chicken, fluffy whipped potatoes, cream pies, congealed salad, hot rolls, tea, and ice cream sundaes for dessert will be served.

The program will be the highlight of the entire evening. James Jeffrey, All American fullback for Baylor in 1951, will be the main speaker and entertainer. He will entertain the group with his famous juggling act, etc. He is a Baptist and a member of the North Fort Worth Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

Background music will be provided by Millard Michael who will play some ballads from his repertoire.

The program will be sponsored by the W.M.U. with Mrs. J. L. Mullins in charge, under the leadership of the W.M.U. President, Mrs. C. V. Oates.

Lions Hear Facts About Africa; Nominating Committee Reports

"West Africans know where they are going, what they want, and a goal of education for everyone," Dr. Mitchell Smith, Associate Professor of History, Lubbock, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, told members of the Haskell Lions Club at the Tuesday noon-day luncheon meeting.

Dr. Smith, who has been a teacher for 25 years, has made extensive study in African history, and recently spent several months in Africa getting first hand information on his subject.

"Africans have a fine cultural heritage, and Africa is not the ignorant and dark continent as many persons are of the opinion," Dr. Smith pointed out.

"There is a great Urban renewal in West Africa, and their cities, motels, and means of travel are modern and up-to-date," Dr. Smith emphasized.

"Africa is a new field, but an ancient continent, and education is the key to their future," Dr. Smith said.

Hugh Ratliff was in charge of the program and club president Dr. J. F. Cadenhead introduced the guest speaker.

Prior to the talk by Dr. Smith, Mrs. Rogers Durham, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead Sr., sang two solo numbers, "O Love Divine" and "My Redeemer's Friend." Mrs. Cadenhead composed both of the songs sung by Mrs. Durham.

Bill Fouts, son of George Fouts, was noted as a guest at Tuesday's meeting.

Bud Herren, chairman of the Safety project to be sponsored by Lions during April, announced that the safety program would be held Tuesday, April 10, from the hours of 11 to 12 a. m. at the High School.

All Courthouse Offices to Close Each Saturday

Beginning the first week in April, offices in the courthouse will observe a five-day week schedule, it was announced today.

Under this set-up, offices will be closed all day Saturday in addition to the regular Sunday closing.

Heretofore, during the tax-paying season and car registration period, courthouse offices have remained open until noon each Saturday.

Revival Planned At Foursquare Church, Weinert

Rev. Florence Pool will be the evangelist for the revival of the Foursquare Church in Weinert, the pastor, Rev. W. M. Counts, has announced.

The revival begins Sunday, April 1. Starting Monday morning, services will be held at 10 a. m., and evening services at 7:00.

The Pools formerly pastored Foursquare churches in Hamilton and San Angelo. They are now doing evangelistic work and living in Abilene.

Special music will be furnished by the Weinert church.

W. C. Kimbler Closes Revival Near Lubbock

Rev. W. C. Kimbler, pastor of South Side Baptist Chapel of this city, returned Monday from conducting a revival meeting at Lakeview Baptist Church near Lubbock. Rev. Kimbler reports excellent attendance at all services and 32 public decisions of varying types.

Rev. Kimbler will return to the pulpit at South Side Baptist Sunday. Everyone is welcome to attend the services at this progressive church anytime. Sunday School is at 9:45 a. m. and preaching at 10:55 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

HHS Band Will Present Annual Coronation Concert April 6th

The Haskell High School Band will be presented in its annual Coronation Concert, honoring Shirley Young, Band Sweetheart for 1961-1962. The concert will be held Friday night, April 6, starting promptly at 8 p. m. in the high school gymnasium.

James Underwood, Band Captain, will play a trombone solo. Underwood recently received a superior rating for his solo work. Also to be featured with the band will be a flute quartet, woodwind sextet, clarinet quartet, and cornet trio.

The variety of band music will be excerpts from Puccini Operas, to a descriptive novelty called "Night Beat" which depicts musically, the night life of a metropolitan city. Be-guines mystic music, high-lights from a Broadway musical, and stirring marches will also be played by the band.

Director Porter cordially invites everyone to the concert. Admission is free. The director believes this will be the best concert to date, one that says, "Music for those who like it; AND for those who don't!"

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She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pate and had lived in Haskell since childhood. In 1920 she married Garner Mayes in this city and they made their home here for a number of years. He was engaged in the plumbing business until 1941, when they moved to El Centro, Calif. They moved to Las Vegas a few years ago.

She is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Elmer Schwewe of Las Vegas, and Mrs. Anita Penton of El Cerrita, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Louise Simpson and Mrs. Myrtle Cook, both of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Clara Hamilton of California; and three brothers, Claude Pate of Columbia, Wash., Clyde Pate of Dallas and A. Pate of Haskell.

Revival Meeting In Progress at Paint Creek

A revival in progress at the Paint Creek Baptist Church is gaining in interest and attendance daily. Rev. D. S. Moore Jr., pastor of the church, reports.

The Rev. V. D. Walters is evangelist for the revival, and song service is being led by George Ener, Vickie Morrison is pianist.

The revival began last Sunday and will continue through Sunday, April 1.

Morning services are being held at 10:30 a. m. A Prayer Service at 7 o'clock precedes the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Everyone in Paint Creek and surrounding area is invited to attend the remaining services of the revival.

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From the engineering data that we have, there is no available water in Stamford beyond the year '90. The use now being made and the projected increased use of present users will consume all the firm yield of the Stamford reservoir prior to the year 1990. So far as the Stamford reservoir being a dependable source of water, in the future, it will not be a dependable source for satisfying the increased demands that will be made by the present users after the year 1990.

"Certainly, to me, an adequate water supply is of interest and more especially when located in West Texas. Too often we fail to recognize the value of water and what it means, not only to West Texas, but to any locale in the State. The fact that we have 25 percent of its population in the last 10 years. Haskell County has lost 24 percent of its population during the same period. Water is the lifeblood of any city or county. It is the difference between profit and loss, between success and failure. Your area needs a blood transfusion. Whether an ample supply of water will give the necessary stimulus to your area where you can not only retain your own population but move along with the wheels of progress is yet to be seen, certainly it cannot be done unless you have a sufficient water supply.

"I am serious about this matter, the lack of a water supply, one reason being I am from West Texas. I am from an area where we are pumping our water out and gradually depleting the supply. From an area where the people are willing to endure many weather hazards because of an abundance of water. How much longer we will survive and maintain the present economy that we have in West Texas is going to depend on how much water we have and how long it will last. My area of West Texas is an exception from the area covered by the application that is now before the Board. How far can you look into the future? Are you going to keep your boys and girls in your local city or home county or will they be forced to move elsewhere for a livelihood? That is the situation that we are faced with in West Texas and it certainly is no exception from your area.

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"It is certainly regrettable that often in securing a local water supply, individual opinions are generated to a degree that personal feelings are aroused to a point where they do get involved in city and county government. It gets in to our schools, our churches, and it is a sad situation when those things happen. It is an unhealthy situation, an unhealthy environment that overshadows a community and dissolves neighbors and friendships of long standing. The sad part is the effect that such situations have on our youngsters who are victims of circumstances which are sometimes created unthoughtfully by us adults."

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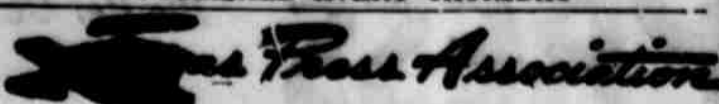
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Big City Voting Strength

Candidates for governor now are quarreling over legislative redistricting—which would give the metropolitan cities more strength.

Poll tax payments indicate that these cities actually have the voting strength.

But final figures are not in on all counties. Official figures plus some estimates reveal 1,250,429 qualified voters in the 12 counties which contain cities of 100,000 or more. Offhand this would indicate that the 12 "big city" counties would have more than half the votes in the state.

But the "big 12" are not as well prepared to vote this year as they were in 1960. That year they had 1,362,173 voters. It was a presidential year. However, declines are reported for 1962 elections in all of the 12 big-city counties except Travis, where the State Capitol is located.

One notable thing about the poll tax figures is the growing number of those with exemptions from the poll tax because they are 21 years of age and vote free—or they are over 60 and don't have to buy a poll tax in order to vote.

Indications are that there will be more exemption certificates this year (those in cities of 10,000 or more) than ever before, even in record-setting 1960.

Another factor to consider is that rural people go to the polls regardless of the weather, while inclement weather keeps many city folks home.

Much for Little

More than 40 years ago one of the pioneers of modern merchandising died. He was F. W. Woolworth, who established, from the smallest beginnings, a chain system which now girdles continents. At the time of his death, the New York Sun, a leading newspaper of its day, said: "He won a fortune, not in showing how little could be sold for much, but how much could be sold for little."

In saying that, the Sun did more than pay a thoroughly-deserved tribute to a pioneer in retailing. It covered, in one phrase, the history of merchandising as we now know it.

In our grandparents' day, to sell little for much was the goal. The old-time emporium, especially in the smaller communities, had a monopoly of trade. You bought what was offered and paid what was demanded, or went without.

Then came the thought that a man or a system could prosper by selling much for little—and selling it in such sufficient volume that an adequate overall profit would follow. The chains led the way in this, and other merchants adapted it to their operations. The result was a happy one. All concerned—producer, retailer, consumer—gained.

Many a merchant, like Mr. Woolworth, "has won a fortune." But the great winner, by an incalculable margin, has been the American people. Mass merchandising, teamed with mass-production, has been a prime source of our unequalled living standards.

David Lawrence writes, in U. S. News and World Report: "Could the spiritual emotion that swept the world as Colonel Glenn was descending to the earth be extended to reach the hearts and minds of the millions of persons behind the Iron Curtain? For by their concerted will they can transform a world teeming with fears of self-destruction into a brotherhood of peace. Prayers do happen when the world shows its humility in prayer. The voices that besought Almighty God to save the life of Colonel Glenn can speak again, as even more of us petition Him to save humanity from nuclear war. For those prolonged minutes of prayer on Tuesday, Feb. 20, constituted man's 'finest hour.'"

Haskell County History

March 29, 1943

Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Curtis Cross of Laredo are here visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. Ida Brinlee and with other relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. J. Hambleton is spending the week in Fort Worth where she is visiting in the home of her children.

Marguerite C. Walsworth, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. C. M. Walsworth, has enlisted in the WAAC and is awaiting call to active duty.

Denise Faye Ratliff spent the weekend at home with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff. She is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville.

Sgt. Thomas Watson, who has been stationed on Oahu Island, Hawaii, with U. S. armed forces, is home on a 30-day leave to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Watson of Rochester and other relatives here and in Haskell.

The City Council has authorized purchase of land suitable for development as a municipal airport. Two members of the Council, Aldermen Roy Sanders and John Crawford were named on a committee to investigate possible location and recommend a site for the airport. Mayor J. E. Leflar said.

Joseph W. Jetton has been promoted to the rank of Private First Class. Pfc. Jetton is a student in the Army Air Forces Technical Training School for radio-mechanics at Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Beverly King, who is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville was at home over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. King.

Mrs. Verna Walker is in Fort Worth and Dallas, where she is selecting new stocks for Lane-Parker dress shop of this city. She was accompanied by Mrs. Douglas Lees.

Mrs. O. E. Patterson and son David spent last week in San Antonio, visiting Mrs. Patterson's mother.

20 Years Ago—March 31, 1923

W. M. Tucker, resident here for more than 25 years and former restaurant owner, died at his home here March 25.

A rabbit drive has been scheduled April 8 in the Rose community and all hunters are urged to take part. Lunch will be served free at the Rose church at noon. The drive will

start at Buffalo Creek at 8 a. m.

In order to encourage the extermination of jackrabbits, the Commissioners Court has authorized the payment of a 5-cent bounty on rabbit scalps. It will be in effect for one month. Commissioners indicating it might be extended if results justify.

Judge S. A. Hughes, who has been appointed presiding judge in Tuesday's city election, has announced that only persons who have paid their City poll tax, or are exempt, will be allowed to vote.

W. C. Allen of Alpine is here transacting business and visiting friends and relatives.

Calvin Whitley, a student in Simmons University at Abilene, spent the weekend with his parents here, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Whitley.

Miss Maybelle Taylor, who is teaching in the Albany school system, spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Taylor.

Cotton production in Haskell County from the 1931 crop amounted to 38,881 bales, according to the Government's latest report on ginnings. Production in 1930 was 29,997 bales.

If the "soldier's Bonus Bill" now pending in Congress is passed, it is estimated that World War veterans in Haskell County will receive a total of approximately \$273,000.

Miss Elva Cox of Durant, Okla., former money order clerk in the Haskell Post Office, spent last weekend with her mother and other relatives here.

50 Years Ago—March 29, 1911

Soaking rains which have fallen during the past two days have boosted prospects for oats and wheat. Farmers say the acreage in oats this year is the largest in history.

L. N. Lipscomb was called to Franklin Wednesday to the bedside of his brother, who was reported at the point of death.

Mrs. Iron Pearsey is reported recovering nicely in the Abilene sanitarium, following an operation for appendicitis.

Warm weather and recent rains have caused the prairies to start greening up.

Mrs. J. L. Jones of Rule spent the week visiting with the family of her brother-in-law,

People, Places & Things

By A. PATE

One of Haskell's most successful business concerns, and one of the largest manufacturing establishments in this immediate area is the firm of Jones & Son.

Elsewhere in this issue is a story dealing with an expansion and building program Jones & Son now have underway. This brief mention deals with the discouraging start in the early 20's of the now prospering venture.

Rev. C. Jones and his son Jesse had bought a tin and sheet metal shop from the late Jess Johnson. For its day and time, the shop was well equipped and was doing a fair business.

But the next day, the purchasers couldn't have sold the business for a plugged nickel if they could have found a buyer!

The first night after they bought the business, the building and equipment was destroyed by fire, with not a penny's insurance in force!

Looking back to that bleak period 40 years ago, Rev. Jones, who is still active in the business, credits the encouragement and backing of early-day businessmen such as the late Burwell Cox, E. G. Alexander, John Couch and many, many other friends with the fact that the preacher and his son were able to make a comeback from such a discouraging start.

A number of Haskell homeowners are complaining of windows being broken by boys hunting with pellet guns, who indiscriminately enter premises and trample flower beds and gardens.

Protests are also heard that the boys are wantonly killing songbirds on premises where homeowners have made special

T. B. Russell, and brother, Oscar Martin of this city.

E. E. and Harry Marvin left Monday for Dallas, where they will receive two new automobiles and drive them through to Haskell, as they have sold them to parties in this county.

Dr. H. N. Robertson has resigned as County Health Officer and Dr. D. L. Cummins has been appointed to that office.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields left Tuesday night for Abilene where Mr. Fields was called to the bedside of A. C. Sherrick who is suffering from blood poisoning. It is reported that Mr. Sherrick is in dangerous condition.

Last Sunday J. K. Simmons, who was stationed on the railroad south of town, arrested two men who had walked from Stamford and avoided other guards. The two men were placed on the southbound train and sent back to Stamford.

In County Court this week, F. L. Ayres, charged with exhibiting the prize fight of J. J. Ayres and Johnson by moving pictures entered a plea of guilty and was fined \$100. Ayres had been told at two other places by county attorneys that it was not against the law to make these exhibitions, and he has been showing them all along the line. Haskell County is the first place to enforce the law against him for this infraction.

60 Years Ago, March 29, 1901

Judge H. G. McConnell was called to Aspermont Tuesday in connection with a legal inquiry into the origin of a fire which burned out a business block at that place recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pierson left Saturday morning for Waco, where Mrs. Pierson will be joined by her sister and together they will go on a visit to relatives in Georgia and Mr. Pierson will return home.

At a recent meeting of the board of trustees of Baylor University at Waco, the chair of physics and astronomy was created. Ample space in the new Science Hall will be devoted to these subjects.

Jack Simmons left Thursday on a prospecting trip to Big Spring.

D. W. Fields was in Thursday from the Marcy neighborhood. He said that a good deal of corn was up and more was being planted. He also said he had potatoes, onions, etc., up and growing nicely.

Mr. Iron Pearsey and Miss Rachel Miller, daughter of G. J. Miller, drove in to Judge Hamilton's Sunday and called for his services to tie the knot that makes them one for life.

Fred Batchler has put up a shop near the southwest corner of the square, where he proposes to make a specialty of horseshoeing.

Rev. I. N. Alvis left yesterday to attend the Baptist Fifth Sunday meeting at Jayton, Kent County.

J. B. Wadlington, who was in yesterday from the Ample neighborhood, said that most of the wheat and oats in that section were too far gone before the rains came to come out and do much good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sowell came in this week to visit a while with their son, W. J. Sowell. They have been for several months with relatives at Dublin and Erath.

H. L. Clendennan was over from Stonewall Wednesday, doing some trading with our merchants.

Want Ads place you in contact with prospective buyers for anything you have to offer.

efforts to attract mocking birds, doves, and other feathered songsters. Killing these birds is a violation of the law and can result in a heavy fine.

Haskell's anonymous letter writer, or writers, who enjoyed a field day over a period of several days a few weeks ago, have been strangely idle for the past week or ten days.

Also, annoying telephone calls are reported to have tapered off, for some unknown reason.

Despite the peaceful air of calmness now prevailing, our guess is that some interesting developments are still to come in connection with the incidents.

The following poem appeared in the Kracker Krums column of The Munday Times. Editor Aaron Edgar explained that it was handed to him by some high school boys. Entitled "An Editor" it reads:

An editor knocked at the Pearly Gates
His face was scarred and old;
He stood before the man of fate
For admission to the fold.
"What have you done?" St.

Peter asked.
To gain admission here?"
"I've been an editor, sir,"
he said,
For many and many a year."
The Pearly Gates swung open wide.
As St. Peter touched a bell
"Come in," he said, and
"Choose your harp.
You've had your share of hell."

As the political campaign begins to warm up, many candidates are learning that political science is the art of knowing how to point with pride to the same things you view with alarm when your opponent held the office.

Voters in the first Democratic Primary May 5 have an added inducement for turning out and marking their ballot in selecting local and State officers.

Voters will also be asked to express their opinion on legalizing horse racing and pari-mutuel betting, and doing away with the poll tax.

The three propositions will merely be a referendum, to guide members of the next Legislature in their consideration of the above questions if and when they are brought up at the next session of the law-making body.

Justice Prec. No. 4, which

has been without a Justice of Peace and Constable for the past decade or longer, may nominate officials for both positions by write-in voting in the first primary, according to rumors.

The precinct, it will be recalled, has legalized the sale of beer, wine and whiskey for off-premises consumption, and is the "liquor oasis" for a wide area.

As a result the precinct furnishes a large amount of "business" for Justice Courts in Haskell and Rule.

Several residents of the precinct who prefer not to be identified point out that since the law provides for a Justice of the Peace and Constable in each Precinct, voters will be within their rights in nominating these officers in the coming primary.

Chairman Joe Carter of the State Water Commission, Austin, was put on the spot momentarily at the Town Hall meeting last week dealing with the city's water fuss.

He was here in an impartial capacity, to answer only questions pertaining to the State Commission's role in controlling and allocating all surface water in the state.

At one point, a lady in the audience asked: "Mr. Carter, the water we drink in Munday and Haskell is really terrible

because of the gyp; and we are also in danger of running out of water. Tell us, if you were here in Haskell, just what would you do?" She was downright sincere.

Rising to answer, there was a trace of a smile on the state water official's face, as if he wanted to say he was glad he didn't live here. His answer, tactful and impartial, was: "I'm sorry I can't give you my personal opinion, but this is a local problem for you people to decide."

Had you ever stopped to think that if all the effort, time, and money being expended by partisans on both sides in the Miller Creek fuss could all be channeled into a single community effort under one leadership, there is no limit to what could be accomplished for our town.

We are indebted to T. J. Arbuckle for a copy of the following poem by S. W. F. Garnett entitled "He's Just A Dog." We believe everyone who has owned a faithful canine pet will enjoy reading it.

He's just a dog, and no choice had he
Of the kind of a dog he was destined to be.
The shape of his nose, the length of his ears,
And the style of his body and

running gear.
The crook of his neck
By his sire and
his consort.
So he starts out
out rudder or
Or a pedigree
just dog.

It seems that he
owned his dog
(Not knowing he
will call him
So to part with
the pup arrived
So to part with
finally coming
He took him to
rattle-trap
And dropped him
the dog came
So what could
poor mortal
But reach out
pick the cur

Now we have a
mongrel of
But what does
lineage or
He tries just as
ter to please
As a well-bred
er had never
And he seems
and really can
To stay in one
lifetime in
It's hard to
heart of a
Than treat his
God's infinite

Do We Want Another Two Years of Costly Controversy?

Do the people of Haskell who are sincerely interested in the community and its future, want to continue for another two years the bitter controversy over the Miller Creek Project, and the needless waste of additional thousands of dollars of taxpayers' money in efforts to "kill" the project?

Regardless of your personal opinion of the merits of the project, bear in mind that EVERY DOLLAR the City Administration spends in FIGHTING the NCTMWA comes from the pockets of Haskell taxpayers. Since these same taxpayers are in the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, the money required to DEFEND the NCTMWA against these attacks also comes from your pockets.

You, as a taxpayer in the City and the Water Authority, are stuck with the bill for expensive legal costs on BOTH SIDES of the controversy. Continued litigation could mean legal costs amounting to multiplied thousands of dollars.

The present City Administration has stated their principal goal is to "kill" the Miller Creek project, despite the fact that a majority of Haskell taxpayers approved the project in three different elections. The present City Administration has offered no feasible alternate proposal to meet the city's water needs, other than to claim Haskell can secure water from Lake Stamford, a reservoir built, paid for and owned by the City of Stamford. Engineers have stated that the present users by 1980 will require the yield of the lake. Stamford is furnishing municipal water to Lueders-Avoca and Hamlin under long-time contracts at the present time. By no stretch of the imagination can you consider the people of Stamford obligated to furnish municipal water to Haskell unless they desire to do so.

The present City Administration has disregarded the fact that Haskell entered into agreement with Rule, Munday and Goree in forming

the NCTMWA at a joint project to provide a municipal water supply badly needed by all four towns.

Efforts to "kill" the Water Authority are alienating the confidence, friendship and trade relations of increasing numbers of people in these neighboring towns. These are the same communities upon whose friendship and patronage the future growth and progress of Haskell depends.

In next Tuesday's election Haskell voters will have an opportunity to vote for a new slate of City officials, men who are well known and have a record of civic responsibility. They have had no part in the current controversy, and their goal if elected will be to work actively for needed civic improvements, better streets and sidewalks, improved municipal services where possible, along with closer cooperation and response to suggestions advanced by taxpayers and homeowners. They have made a close study of City affairs and believe that some substantial savings can be made, while at the same time going ahead with needed improvements in line with Haskell's slogan of being "A Friendly, Progressive City."

Do we want another two years of bitter, expensive controversy which is hurtful to our community, or do we want to take a new approach by electing a new group of City officials pledged to give our town an administration representative of the wishes of our citizens?

If you are sincerely interested in a sensible solution of the current controversy and getting our town back on the road of growth and progress, convince yourself of the sincerity of these four candidates: E. J. Stewart for Mayor; Tom Watson, H. C. King and Jimmy Turner for Aldermen. Talk to them personally as to their stand on any matter involving municipal government, then vote for them in Tuesday's election.

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News from Rule

MRS. FAYE DUNNAM

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kittley spent the weekend in Dallas visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sloan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Eaton have returned from Houston where they visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and daughters. Their youngest grandbaby has had surgery and the other granddaughter,

Elizabeth, returned home with the grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Bounds of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cox.

Charlotte Laughlin spent the weekend visiting with friends in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Creswell of Midland has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.

C. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hines spent the weekend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Warren and Rev. H. C. Adair attended the funeral of the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Breedlove of Tyler, last Thursday.

Tom Horton of Texas Tech spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connor Horton.

Jimmie Higgins, student at Texas University, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Higgins.

Jackie Colbert, student at Texas Tech, spent the weekend with Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Colbert.

Mrs. Charlie Terrell and twin sons of San Antonio visited her grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Jones, over the weekend.

Charles Hines is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hines, after two years in Japan and one year in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Almond spent the weekend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Decker and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Decker and children spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd in Wichita Falls.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET "Bon Voyage" was the theme of the Junior-Senior Banquet on Friday night, March 23, in the Rule School Cafeteria.

Tables carried out the theme with the ships for centerpieces, life savers and anchors for place cards and anchors for programs.

Highlighting the decorations was the sea port with the senior ship docking, the junior ship just off shore and the sophomores and freshmen ships in the distance.

Mr. David Garlington, high school principal, gave the invocation. Sammy Fandeton, junior president, welcomed the group. Jimmy New, senior president, responded. James Norman read the junior prophecy and Nancy Turnbow read the senior will.

Music was furnished by the "Vanguards" consisting of Bob Clark, Jimmy New, Ford Cole, and Carrol Bogard.

Mr. Connor Horton, superintendent, gave the benediction and the banquet ended with singing of the school song. Junior mothers prepared the food. Sophomore girls served.

TALENT SHOW

Rule Seniors are making plans for their annual Talent Show to be held on April 16 at the school auditorium.

There will be three classes for judging and awarding of prizes: A first and second prize to Grade School and Junior High entries; a first and second prize to High School and outsiders in vocal numbers and pantomimes; and a first and second prize to High School and outsider instrumental groups.

Entries must be in by 9:00 a. m. on April 16. Contact Jimmy New, or any senior, or call the school.

RETURNS HOME AFTER VISIT HERE

Mrs. Mayme Lacey of Lufkin left Saturday for her home after visiting in the E. E. Welsh home for two weeks.

RECENT VISITORS IN E. E. WELSH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Scott of Roscoe visited the E. E. Welsh's while Mr. Welsh was in the hospital. Also visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw Jr. of Midland.

Six Flags Over Texas Girds For Second Season Opening

Despite unseasonal snowfalls and a seige of freezing weather that hit the Dallas-Fort Worth area during late February and this month, schedules for the completion of SIX FLAGS over Texas in time for the April 20 opening are being maintained. Much remains to be done, however, as the 1/2 million dollar expansion program which began last Fall is fast drawing to a close.

Twenty-four programs which included a general expansion of present facilities at the Park as well as new additions were planned at the close of the 1961 season. This will result in increasing the handling capacity at SIX FLAGS by approximately 50 per cent or 22,000 per day in 1962.

Among the general expansion programs were a second narrow gauge steam engine and cars, the addition of a second Freeway for the specially built gasoline-powered sports cars, as well as enlargement of the terminals for the unloading and loading of passengers on the various rides.

A \$99,000 landscaping design for the Park, will in the estimation of William Baker the brilliant chief of this operation, top the scenic beauty that won for SIX FLAGS a national landscaping award last year.

New for the 1962 season is a fleet of Indian war canoes for the area back of Skull Island in the Confederate Section. Skull Island has been greatly enlarged and a pirate ship and pirate

island are also being added to that section.

In the Texas Section the highway for the Chaparral antique car ride is nearing completion. A dozen of these four passenger gasoline-powered autos, modeled after 1912 vintage cars, were specially built for use at SIX FLAGS Over Texas.

Perhaps the strangest new addition to the Park is the Casa Magnetica in the Spanish section. A product of an old-time architect's faulty calculations, this abode will offer visitors the most unusual sensations, both visual and physical.

On tap for the 1962 season is a Campus Revue Show scheduled to run for 14 weeks during the summer months at the SIX FLAGS 500-seat Amphitheatre. Auditions are currently being held at a number of the colleges and universities located in the Southwest on a search for talented college students for this show. Certain to be one of the highlights of the year, the Campus Revue Show, with a top notch cast of thirty, will go into rehearsals towards the end of May.

In addition to the entertainment at the Amphitheatre, college students play a major role in the other phases of the Park's operation. Last year more than 600 of them worked at SIX FLAGS playing various characters which included singers for the Crazy Horse Saloon, fast draw gunfighters, Spanish conquistadores, chefs, musicians, ride operators, Confederate soldiers, cowboys on French river boats, and on the guest relations staff, just to name a few.

Because of the expanded activities and enlargement of the facilities at the historical theme fun Park planned for 1962, close to 1,000 college students will make up the "cast" at SIX FLAGS this year.

A long felt need for providing accommodations for tourists planning to visit SIX FLAGS this summer will be fulfilled on May 28 with the opening of The Inn of the Six Flags. Consisting of 100 luxurious rooms, three swimming pools and featuring superb dining facilities, the Inn is currently under construction and being built at a cost of \$1,125,000. It is located just adjacent to the Park.

Mr. Angus G. Wynne Jr., president of Great Southwest Corporation, of which SIX FLAGS Over Texas is a major project, said, "The tremendous public acceptance of Six Flags in our first season of operations was most gratifying. Particularly so because 543,000 visitors came to see SIX FLAGS during our first short season which extended only from August through November. In 1962 we will have the benefit of a seven month operating season and estimate 1.5 million people will visit SIX FLAGS this year."

Diane Reid Has Part in Play At NTSU

Diane Reid of Rochester is a member of the costumes crew of Shakespeare's "Richard III," which will be presented by the University Players at North Texas State University March 29-31.

A cast of 31 will present the drama of a man's tyranny over the friends who have aided him in his success. The Elizabethan play is set in England in the latter half of the 15th Century. Costumes will be styled to the period.

Miss Reid, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reid, Rt. 1, Rochester, is a junior speech and drama major. She is a member of Alpha Phi, international social sorority; Angel Flight, women's auxiliary of the AFROTC; and Young Democrats. Miss Reid is also varsity cheerleader.

MISS MURRELL DeBARD IN SAN ANGELO HOSPITAL

Miss Murrell DeBard, who has been in the Haskell County Hospital for five weeks suffering from a stroke and pneumonia, was transferred to Baptist Memorial Hospital in San Angelo Thursday where she will receive therapy. Her condition is improved. Friends who wish to write her may address their letters to "Miss Murrell DeBard, Baptist Memorial Hospital, 902 N. Main St., San Angelo, Texas."

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BY MRS. GENE OVERTON

Assembly meeting of the Soil Conservation District. He then introduced Lambert Stenholm of Erickdale, president of the district, who made the awards. First place winner was Tremis Turner who was awarded a \$36 scholarship. Third place award of a \$15 scholarship was given Billy Patterson for his essay, and fourth place award of \$10 was given Vern Howard. These are banked in the student's name and kept until he graduates, so as not to hinder his standing in the Inter-scholastic League.

The title of the essay this year was "Conservation and the Population Explosion," which is a hard subject. There were five prizes given, and Paint Creek won three of them. Much credit goes to our English teacher, Mrs. Manley Sikes

and to our Vocational Agriculture teacher, Willie Lee Medford.

Mrs. Manley Sikes was a patient in the Stamford Memorial Hospital Friday through Monday suffering with pneumonia. She was dismissed Monday and left for Bangs where she will spend the week. She and Mr. Sikes and Mary Beth are to have as their house guests this week, Dr. and Mrs. Liker from Michigan. They lived with the Sikes during World War II, and have visited them every year since on their way back to Michigan from a month's visit in Acapulco, Mexico. The Sikes visit with them in Michigan often during summer vacations.

School board election will be held Saturday, April 7, at the Vocational Ag. Shop. The polls will be open from eight until seven. The incumbent candidates are standing for re-election. They are Roy Medford, Jesse Cook and Paul Fischer.

The Paint Creek Methodist Church closed their revival on Sunday night after a week of morning and evening services conducted by District Superintendent Dr. Woodrow Adcock of Abilene. Woodrow was born and reared in our community, and many former Paint Creekers from Haskell and nearby towns attended the services. Additions to the church were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Isbell and daughters Jeannine and Janice, Melanie Livengood, Suzanne Montgomery, Ricky Perry, and Mrs. Willie Lee Medford. Little Wayne Medford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lee Medford was christened.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coleman, Dorothy and Phil, spent the weekend in Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, with Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Coleman and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Perry and children of Stanton were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Perry.

Mrs. Allen Overton attended the Girl Scout training school for Girl Scout leaders at Cloud Croft, N. Mexico, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Thane and Danny visited their son and brother, Pfc. Eddie Lee Thane and his wife and baby daughter, Angela, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Colien Hammer and Jackie spent Sunday with Mrs. Hammer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Underwood and attended church services at the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton attended the Soil Conservation banquet at the Cliffhouse last Monday evening. It was given by the Soil Conservation Supervisors of the California Creek Soil Conservation District by the Banks of Hamlin, Stamford, Anson, Haskell, Rule, Leuders and Avoca. It was an awards banquet for the outstanding Soil Conservationists of the district, and Mr. Seuls of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Goree and Lisa spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cook, Charlotte and Ray.

Mrs. Gene Overton was in Rule Sunday afternoon where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lennis W. Jones, her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cole and Ford and also her aunt, Mrs. Frances Hills from Denton who was visiting

in Rule.

Vocational Agriculture teacher Willie Medford and Billy Patterson, Eddie Dawson McKeever, Jeff Smith and Jerry Hughes were in Abilene Monday where the boys were one of the Livestock Judging teams. Ina Bittner, Ann McLennan went to Denton over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hughes where they visited Mary Lou McLennan, Dorinda Kretchmer and Dolin Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer and Paulette were at Dyess Air Base Friday night to see the girl's basketball game between D&W and a team from Port Rico. Their daughter, Margaret plays guard on the D&W team. The Porto Ricans won by a slim margin.

Kenneth Carlton, a junior at Midwestern University is at College Station this week attending a meeting of college biology students at Texas A&M.

Trenis Turner, senior at Paint Creek, had surgery Monday morning and had the first joint of his second finger on the right hand removed. He had mashed the finger last

week, and it became infected.

Many Paint Creekers attended the annual meeting of the Stamford REA last Wednesday. W. A. Montgomery was re-elected board member from our community. Paint Creekers winning door prizes were Mrs. Louie Kuentler, Henry Thane, W. M. Mickler.

We are so grateful for our REA. It is one of the best co-operatives we belong to, and one whose services we could not do without. We could have had electricity years before we did, by paying a utilities company \$1000 a pole to bring it to us. So few could have afforded it—in fact I don't know of any farm family in our community who could have afforded that because we all live so far from town. So we borrowed money from our government and built our own lines. We have paid our original debt and borrowed more to extend our lines and are still able to keep our co-op in the black. Some may call co-operatives "socialistic", well, I'm all for that kind of socialism. Joining our electrical co-operative was optional for all of us. No one

had to join. Any farmer who wanted to have the utilities company build his own private line for him could do so. Or he could join with his neighbors and form a co-operative electrical company. Maybe co-op gains are "socialistic"—some would say they are. If one wants to get technical, public schools are socialistic. People pay school taxes whether they have a child in school or not, so that all children may have school. Utility companies fight our Rural Co-operative Electric companies. They pay for full-page ads, saying we don't pay taxes, and don't contribute to the National Defense program. We do pay taxes, and our taxes do assist in the defense program. We're proud of our REA and let's all defend it.

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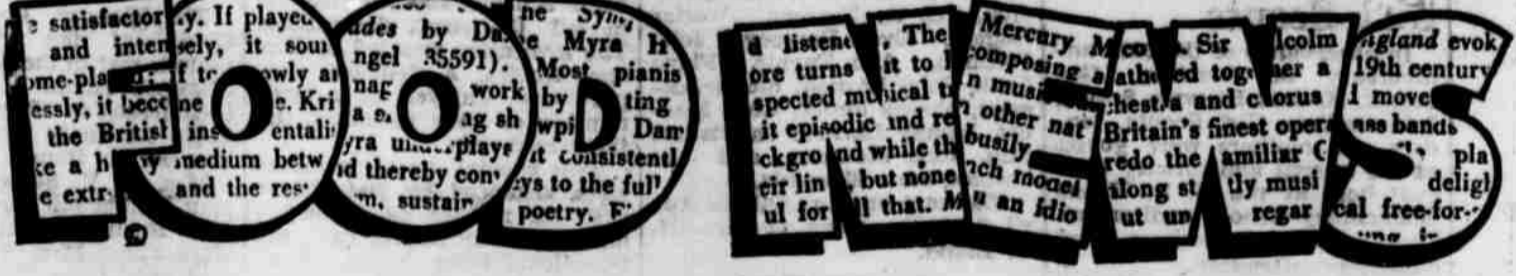


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District P-TA Slates Annual Spring Conference in Stamford

Preliminary planning for the 7th annual spring conference of the 18th District of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers has been made by the District Executive Committee, announced Mrs. D. W. Boren of Abilene, president of the 18th District.

The conference will be held in the First Baptist Church at Stamford on April 17 with registration beginning at 8:30 a. m. Registration fee will be \$1.00. All registrants will be asked to present membership cards and credential slips.

Host council of the conference is the Stamford City Council of Parents and Teachers with Mrs. C. O. Richards, president, Mrs. A. C. Berry and Mrs. Joe High as chairmen of planning activities.

Mrs. Marvin Armstrong of Lubbock, regional vice president, and Mrs. Angus McDonald, Austin, state chairman of Congress Publications and Magazines will be state representatives attending the conference.

The Board of Managers of District 18 will convene in pre-conference meeting at the church in Stamford at 2:45 p. m. on April 16.

Eighteenth District is comprised of Cottle, Dickens, Fisher, Foard, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Motley, Scurry, Stonewall and Taylor counties.

Mother-Daughter Banquet Held By Girl Scouts

In observance of the 50th anniversary of Scouting, Girl Scouts, Haskell Brownie Scouts, Intermediate Girl Scouts, leaders and mothers were guests at the annual anniversary banquet held at the E. B. Evans Elementary School auditorium. There were 20 mothers and daughters attending.

Mrs. Campbell, the florist, gave two lovely pot plants, yellow and white chrysanthemums which were attractively arranged on the guest tables. Mrs. O. M. Ellis was toastmaster for the evening. The Star Spangled Banner was led by Marie Johnson, and she also brought the prayer, after which the Troop sang "America the Beautiful." They also gave the pledge, motto and promise.

Myrtle Marie Johnson gave the history of Girl Scouting. Janet Kay Hanson gave the history of the founder (Juliette Gordon Lowe) of Girl Scouts in the United States.

Mrs. O. M. Ellis introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Jack Pippin of this city, who gave an excellent address on "The Purpose of Girl Scouting." The closing remarks were given by Principal W. T. Bramby.

After the program everyone viewed the many beautiful and useful articles the Girl Scouts had made. Everyone enjoyed the dinner prepared by the Girl Scouts.

Average date for the last killing frost in Haskell County is March 28, while the first frost normally comes on Nov. 11.

Rainbow Sewing Club Meets In Edwards Home

The Rainbow Sewing Club met Tuesday, March 20, in the home of Mrs. J. B. Edwards. The president, Mrs. T. C. Patterson, was absent and Mrs. John Larned presided for the business session.

Flower arrangements carried out the St. Patrick's motif, with daffodils being used and club members wearing something green.

The meeting opened with the club song, led by Mrs. Walter Rogers, song leader. The "Thought for the Day" was given by Mrs. Eva Pearsey as follows: "Some of the busiest people are those who are trying to find what they misplace."

An attendance contest was voted on, with Mrs. Rogers Captain No. 1 and Mrs. W. E. Johnson Captain No. 2.

The 15-minute sing-song was led by Mrs. Rogers, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Floyd Lusk. Recreation was directed by Mrs. Larned.

The following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. H. D. Bland; vice president, Mrs. W. E. Johnson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Lusk; recreation leader, Mrs. Stella Joeslet; pianist, Mrs. Floyd Lusk; assistant pianist, Mrs. Ann Taylor.

A refreshment plate was served to Mrs. W. E. Johnson, C. A. Thomas, Walter Rogers, Eva Pearsey, John Pittman, Ann Taylor, Floyd Lusk, John Larned, Stella Joeslet, Travis Smith, Club Mascot Johnny Larned, a visitor, Mrs. John McGuire and the hostess, Mrs. Edwards.

The next meeting will be April 3 in the home of Mrs. H. D. Bland.

Weinert Group Has Successful Bandage Making

The Weinert Study Club was host to a very successful day of making bandages for the American Cancer Society, Haskell County Unit. Mrs. Lee Brown, Bandage Chairman, met with the group and gave instructions on constructing the bandages.

A delicious lunch was prepared and served by the club members to thirteen workers. The following group of individuals came and donated their services, throughout the entire day:

Mrs. Lee Brown, Instructor; Mrs. Fred Monke, Mrs. O. C. Raynes, Mrs. T. R. Bankhead, Mrs. M. W. Phemister, Mrs. Robert Hutchinson, Mrs. Melvin Cunningham, Mrs. Henry Vojtkufka, Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, Mrs. Robert Wheatley, Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Mrs. C. F. Oman, Mrs. W. A. Dutton, Mrs. Lloyd Lemley, Mrs. Melvin Vojtkufka, Mrs. Clovis Winchester, Mrs. W. B. Guess, Mrs. Louise Chambers, Weinert Homemaking Teacher. Freshman homemaking class consisting of: Norma Sue White, Linda Davis, Dorothy Raynes, Scharlet Sanders, Gretta Stout, Pat Alexander, Sandra Dutton, Delores Raynes, Linda Adams and Shirley Sanders, advanced homemaking students, assisted in making the bandages, and have been chosen to be trained as bandage instructors.

Work accomplished by this group consists of: 8 dozen completed bandages, 2 good bed sheets packaged, 7 Johnny coats, 12 pillow slips and 1 bed pad. Several ladies of the community that could not help make bandages, donated used sheets, plastic bags, paper bags and pillow slips.

Mrs. O. C. (Pete) Raynes has been appointed co-chairman of the Weinert area. She will be in charge of the bandage making each Tuesday from 9:00 until 3:00 at the community center in Weinert. She urges each individual of this area to come in on Tuesdays, any time throughout the day and help make bandages. We are striving to reach the goal of 500 dozen completed and packaged bandages. This is the amount Haskell County is required to have in stock to meet the demands of cancer patients.

We would appreciate donations of any and all of your used white sheets, pillow slips, plastic bags, and paper bags. Let us as a community all join together to conquer cancer.

Haskell Harmony Club Meets With Throckmorton Music Club

On March 13, the Harmony Club of Haskell met in Throckmorton with the Throckmorton Music Club in a Reciprocity Program held in the home of Mrs. Merriman.

The Throckmorton Club was well represented and very cordial. The Merriman home was lovely with decorations and refreshments served were in colors of green and white.

Mrs. R. W. Darden of Wichita Falls was a guest. Mrs. Darden, president of the district, gave an informative talk on the rating sheets of each club. Harmony Club members were very proud of the rating given their club.

Theme of the program was from the text, Music From Many Lands. Three countries of Europe were represented: France, Germany and Finland. Mrs. Tommy Hawkins was narrator, giving something interesting about each country. Perhaps Germany has given us the most prolific lines of musicians.

The first nation was presented in the playing of the "Barcolle" by Delibes by Miss Martha Meadors. A vocal solo was presented by Mrs. Clinton Kimbrough, with Mrs. Al Williams, accompanist. Danse Hangroise by Paul du Val, a duet by Mrs. Cadenhead Sr. and Withers. German music was from Brahms, Mmes. Floyd Cook and Clinton Kimbrough singing his well known and loved "Lullaby."

Mrs. Cadenhead played "On Wings of Song" by Mendelssohn. The club sang, "O Beautiful Night" from Tales of Hoffman by Offenbach, with Mrs. H. Withers, accompanist. Finland gave us the writer of many lovely compositions. The Harmony Club sang "Finlandia" by Grieg. "Texas, Our Texas" was sung by both clubs, which closed the program.

Those attending were Mmes: Tommy Hawkins, V. W. Meadors, Al C. Williams, Clinton Kimbrough, Tanny Squyres, Floyd Cook, J. F. Cadenhead Sr., Henry Withers and Miss Martha Meadors.

Naomi SS Class Hosts Supper For Husbands

The Naomi S. S. Class of the First Baptist Church entertained their husbands with a supper March 26, in the Church Annex. The yellow and green color scheme was carried out in all the room decorations. The invocation was led by Bro. Ray Nobles. A delicious supper was enjoyed by a large number of class members and their husbands.

Two special vocal numbers were rendered by Pat Carter with his mother as accompanist. Bro. Ray Nobles gave the devotional useta, as his Scripture the 15th Chapter of Matthew. He brought many good thoughts on "Comparisons." He said that Jesus had been compared with others in many different ways, but stressed four points in which Jesus could not be compared. "First, in birth, for His was Divine; Second, in life, for Jesus was perfect and sinless; Third, in power, none will ever have the power that Jesus possesses; and Fourth, in love, He has the greatest love anyone ever had, love that is greater than all our sins." He also gave some thoughts from Romans 5:8. After the devotional the class was led in a Sing Song by Pat Carter with Mrs. Carter at the piano.

Those enjoying the occasion were, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nellums, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wheatley, Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Viars Felker, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bland, Mr. and Mrs. Lorene Fouts, Hattie Segg, Elyse Eastland, Ariene Medley, Miss Betty Jo Clanton, Frances Lane and Frances Bird. Special guests were Mrs. A. L. Carter and Pat Carter. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Henry of Abilene.

Garden Club Plans Plant Sale and Bazaar

The Haskell Garden Club met Wednesday, March 21, in the Community room of the bank with the President, Mrs. W. E. Huss, presiding. The minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved. Plans for a plant sale and bazaar were discussed. Mrs. Neah Lane was voted into the club as a new member.

In the absence of the program leader, Mrs. Bailey Guess, Mrs. R. C. Couch Sr. was in charge of the program. The conservation pledge was given in unison. Mrs. Scott W. Greene gave a most interesting talk on "Protection of Our Birds." She said Texas has the largest variety of birds in the U. S. because of the location of our state on the continent. She illustrated her remarks with lovely pictures of the most noted birds.

The hostess, Mrs. Dennis Ratliff, served punch and cookies to the following members: Mmes. W. E. Atchison, Jetty Clare, R. C. Couch Sr., Bob Dulaney, Scott W. Greene, Ed Hester, W. E. Huss, John Fouts, T. A. Rhoades, Fred Monke, Lee R. O'Neal.

Mrs. Withers is Harmony Club Program Director

The Harmony Club met in the Homemaking Cottage on March 22. The International Theme of Music which has been the structure of the year's work, was continued. Countries studied were Austria, Germany, and France.

Mrs. A. C. Foster Jr., president, led the collect and Mrs. H. Withers called the roll. Business was discussed.

Mrs. Henry Withers, narrator, began the introduction of the program of discussing the origin of the organ and the phases which it went through. Perhaps Greece was the first to invent an organ by tying together reeds of different sizes. Bach is to be credited for the beginning of the organ as it is known today. He was a noted composer and performer of this instrument.

To name a few of the great German musicians: Rinc, organist; Wagner, opera; Mozart, the boy wonder of the Clavichord; Beethoven, sonata's. Handel wrote the greatest oratorio known today, "The Messiah" from which we get the great "Hallelujah Chorus." It is a very famous number for Easter.

The following program was given: On Wings of Song (Mendelssohn), Mrs. Cadenhead. Le Donna e Mobile (Verdi), vocal solo by Mrs. Floyd Cook. Moonlight Sonata (Beethoven), Mrs. A. C. Foster. Records of Strauss waltzes were played. The "Strauss" of Austria are known as the waltz kings. They were father and son.

Miss Beryle Boone was hostess.

Eleanor Howell W.M.U. Circle Meets Tuesday

The Eleanor Howell W.M.U. Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Clarence Taylor March 27, for their lesson in "Royal Service". Their lesson for study was "How to Witness to Roman Catholics." Mrs. C. V. Schwartz, chairman, called the meeting to order. Business was discussed, after which Mrs. Walter Copeland read from the first chapter of Proverbs, verses 5-16. The Call to Prayer was read by Mrs. Copeland. Prayer for our foreign missionaries, especially for those whose birthdays were today, was led by Mrs. Schwartz.

Parts on the program were given and discussed by Mmes. Copeland, Oates, Schwartz and Miss Betty Jo Clanton. Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. C. V. Oates, W.M.U. president. Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. W. C. Copeland, C. V. Oates, Max Merchant, W. C. Collins, Jack Merchant, C. V. Schwartz, Clarence Taylor and Miss Betty Jo Clanton.

Miss Scrivner Becomes Bride of R. E. Bookman

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The ceremony was performed by Minister Cecil Stowe at his home in Hamlin, Texas. The groom is the son of Paul D. Bookman, currently of Caracas, Venezuela, and the grandson of Mrs. Anna Bookman of Apspermont, with whom he has made his home. The couple will live at Apspermont where he is employed by the Calhoun Well Servicing Co.

Officers Elected By Early Bird Bowling League

New officers for the coming league season were elected by the Early Bird Bowling League at a luncheon honoring team sponsors, held Thursday night, March 15, in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Feemster.

Officers named were Barbara Kimbrough, president; Billie Parsons, vice president; Ruby Medford, secretary. Mary Watson was elected to represent the League in the City Association.

Open House Held At Presbyterian Manse

Open House was held at the manse of the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 by the minister, Douglas E. Finch, and his family. Between 50 and 60 members and friends of the church went through the house to see the remodeling done recently.

Coffee, punch, cake, and nuts were served in the dining room by Mrs. Jimmy Browning, Mrs. Waymon McBroom, Mrs. T. J. Ballard and Miss Louisa Herren. Arrangements of spring flowers were used on the serving table and at other points throughout the house.

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Munday—Mrs. V. S. Rogers, medical. Anson—Mrs. C. W. Hobb, surg. Fule—Elizabeth Martinez, medical. Goree—Mrs. E. H. Meiton, surgical. Weinert—Mrs. Mamie Furr, surgical. Alvin Johnson, medical.

Haskell—Mrs. R. E. Tidwell, Mrs. Clinton Kimbrough, Lucy Lancaster, Mrs. R. A. Middleton, Kay Easterling, Mrs. W. S. Steen, Doris Dukes, Miss Murrell De Bard, Clint Kimbrough, Robert Edward Lee Jr., Mrs. Howard Perry Jr., Mrs. Rainey, Mrs. S. G. Cobb Sr., Mrs. Albert Ortega, Mrs. Dan W. LeFevre, E. B. Welsh, Gallup, N. Mexico. Mrs. Carter M. Stenson. Seymour—Mrs. Bessie L. Kolacek. Rochester—Jaira Lee, Mrs. Oscar Short. Bruce Lee, J. E. Adams. Rule—H. C. Crosson, Joe M. Holcomb, Mrs. R. E. Hudler, Troy Scoggins, Mrs. Pete Garcia.

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ation at a Scout Leaders
Roundtable held at the Pres-
byterian Church in Stamford
recently.

Eugene Seets on Honor Roll at N. M. State

University Park, N. M.—Eugene Seets of Haskell is among 124 students to be named to the fall semester honor roll of the Dean of Engineering at New Mexico State University.

To be eligible for the Dean's list, a student must be maintaining a grade average of B-plus (3.2) or better, while enrolled in 12 or more semester hours.

Haskell Student Is Frat Pledge At N.T.S.U.

Robby Vern Collins of Haskell and Billy Lee Blair of Rochester are among 203 spring semester pledges to the 10 social fraternities at North Texas State University Denton.

Blair, a 1964 graduate of C. F. Brewer High School, pledged Delta Sigma Phi. He is a sophomore economics major.

Walter D. Larned Earns Award As 'Master Salesman'

Walter D. Larned, a salesman with Bill Wilson Motor Company, Haskell, has earned a "Master Salesman" award for outstanding salesmanship, D. A. Kuhn, Dallas District sales manager of Lincoln-Mercury Division announced.

Cousins Together For First Time In Years

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Swinson were visitors Tuesday of last week in the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Clemmer in Rochester. Also visiting in the Clemmer home were Mr. Swinson's cousin and his wife, Charles Martin, and two of Mr. Martin's sisters from Wichita Falls and Electra. It was the first time the cousins had visited together in years.

Questions & Answers Concerning The Miller Creek Project

Q—Is Haskell losing ground as "a Friendly, Progressive City?"

A—Yes, Haskell has lost ground as a "Friendly, Progressive City" because a small minority group, some living outside the water district, who pay no City or Water Tax, are determined to build Miller Creek Lake, over the mandate of the voters of Haskell, April 5, 1960, by a majority of two to one.

Q—For the past two years the major goal of the present City Administration, as publicly stated numerous times, has been to stop progress of North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority toward securing an adequate, long range water supply for our town.

A—The City Council of Haskell was given a positive mandate on April 5, 1960, by a majority of more than two-to-one, to stop the building of Miller Creek Lake. It was looked upon as a wild promotion scheme to make money for a few.

A—Our city revenues have been wisely handled. They have reduced our bonded indebtedness thousands of dollars. They have a bountiful reserve to build, or reduce our indebtedness more thousands. The business of your city has been very wisely handled.

Q—Has any new street paving been done? Have any improvements or extensions been made to our water or sewer systems?

A—Yes, drive around over our city and see the improvements, and there will be more done when Miller Creek project is killed, and people know their property will not be confiscated by an unlimited water tax. We have had water and sewer extension without additional tax, and have reduced water and sewer bonded indebtedness, and have laid up a nice surplus. Your city is now in the best financial shape it has ever been. To add Miller Creek bonds to our bonded indebtedness now would bankrupt our town, and we couldn't vote bonds in 40 years.

Q—It is a well-known fact that lack of an adequate and dependable municipal water supply has held up the expansion program to add 10 patient rooms to Haskell County Hospital, for which a county wide bond issue was voted. Although it is recognized as one of the most modern and best-staffed hospitals in West Texas, patients are being turned away daily due to the overcrowded conditions.

A—The Haskell County Hospital belongs to Haskell County. The rooms could and should have been built and occupied by this time, but proponents for Miller Creek held up the building of the ten-room addition, and have tried to use this as propaganda to force the Miller Creek project. The hospital can be built now, and have good proven water storage in 1962, if they would give up Miller Creek and vote revenue bonds. Miller Creek Lake cannot furnish water inside the next five years.

Q—Since all the money comes from the pockets of Haskell homeowners and taxpayers, could not the thousands of dollars of City money paid out-of-town lawyers to fight NCTMWA have been spent on badly-needed sidewalk modernization in the business section, or in support of Little League and the Summer Youth program.

A—Yes, all the money comes out of the pockets of the taxpayers. The City Council was given a mandate by more than two to one or by 860 taxpayers to stop the wild spending of the taxpayers money for a promotion that was not needed, but would cost the taxpayers \$3,800,000, when 2½ times more proven water could be obtained for \$550,000. We can get the water by voting revenue bonds only. This method would take the bond mortgage off the hundreds of old people, old age pensioners, who will have to go without medicines and it will take the food off their tables to pay their water tax. Many are being sued, or threatened suit for failure to pay their water tax.

A—Cities do not build sidewalks for the property owner. Cities do not modernize business sections, or support Little League. This is a matter for our Chamber of Commerce which is dominated by the proponents of Miller Creek project.

Q—Annual report of NCTMWA for the year ending June 30, 1961, shows \$205,567.66 had

been expended by the Water Authority. If the Miller Creek project is killed additional accrued obligations which could run as high as \$100,000 would be added. Is it good business to deliberately squander taxpayers money in that amount?

A—The NCTMWA report shows as of June 30, 1961, \$205,567.66 had been expended. How could that much money be spent when only \$150,000 has been approved by the Attorney General? The tax money collected to be used to pay interest and principal on bond retirement. If spent otherwise it is a misappropriation. There is \$55,167.66 difference. There has not been one foot of land bought, not one easement. As taxpayers we would like to know for what the \$55,167.66 was spent? As taxpayers we would like to know why the Water Board contracted to pay 6½ per cent for engineering when smaller contracts are let for 5%. As taxpayers we would also like to know why the Board contracted to pay 2% commission—a total of \$76,000, when commercial bonds could be sold for ½ of 1% or \$19,000? We would also like to know why the bond purchaser was paid \$10,000 when he only asked for \$5,000. Isn't it true that certain members of the Water Board boasted they would spend every dollar and make it so big they would have to go to Miller Creek? This might be done, but it would still be cheaper for the taxpayer to join Lake Stamford. The difference between Lake Stamford and Miller Creek project being more than \$3,300,000.

Every person is obligated to give a part of their time and their means to the community that affords a living for him and his family. I would not be honest, I would not be true to my friends who have afforded a living for me and my family for the past fifty years, if I did not advise them concerning the trickery, the scheming, the brain washing, the intimidations, the insults, the threats that have been indulged in by some, not all, just a small minority, to build a lake 38 miles from Haskell, when we can go 11 miles and get 2½ times more water for 20% of the amount. We can get it brought to our gate this year; when if we wait for Miller Creek Lake we will wait for more than five years.

The tactics that have been used are a disgrace to our town. Families have been divided, children against parents, sisters against brothers. If Miller Creek Project is killed now it will take 15 years for the feeling to die down. If Miller Creek Project is carried out, there will be hard feelings at taxpaying time for the next fifty years.

The supporters of Miller Creek Project, as a whole, are not the people who have helped build Haskell. Many are newcomers of the past few years. The majority have never done anything helpful, or constructive for our town. Some have managed to take over our Chamber of Commerce. They are inexperienced, or else they do not care, that a \$3,800,000 Bond would deprive Haskell of voting another bond for 40 years.

I do not agree with the proponents that the cost to the average homeowner would not be more than a cup of coffee per day. This alone would amount to \$36.50, and many of our old folk do not have \$36.50 to pay. My friends, this statement was false propaganda.

At the Learn the Truth meeting on Tuesday, March 20, one of the engineers, without being asked, said that Lake Stamford would be dry in 1980. This worked at the hearing in Austin, but he got his hand called in Haskell. When lobbying to build Lake Stamford, his firm stated there would be Big Water in the Lake in the Year 2000.

Does any person believe that the West Texas Utilities Company would be so foolish as to spend 17 million on a power plant that would last only 28 years? It is unthinkable, but this is the type of propaganda that has been fed the people the past two years. Lake Stamford will have plenty of water to furnish all towns connected in the year 2000, and by adding two or three feet on the dam can furnish water to last until 2050.

"OH WHAT A TANGLED WEB YOU WEAVE, WHEN FIRST YOU PRACTICE TO DECEIVE."

Courtney Hunt

PARENTS OF SON
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Prater of Monahans announce the arrival of a baby boy, born on March 24 in Ward Memorial Hospital at Monahans. He has been named Alan Brent and weighed seven pounds, four ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prater of Haskell.



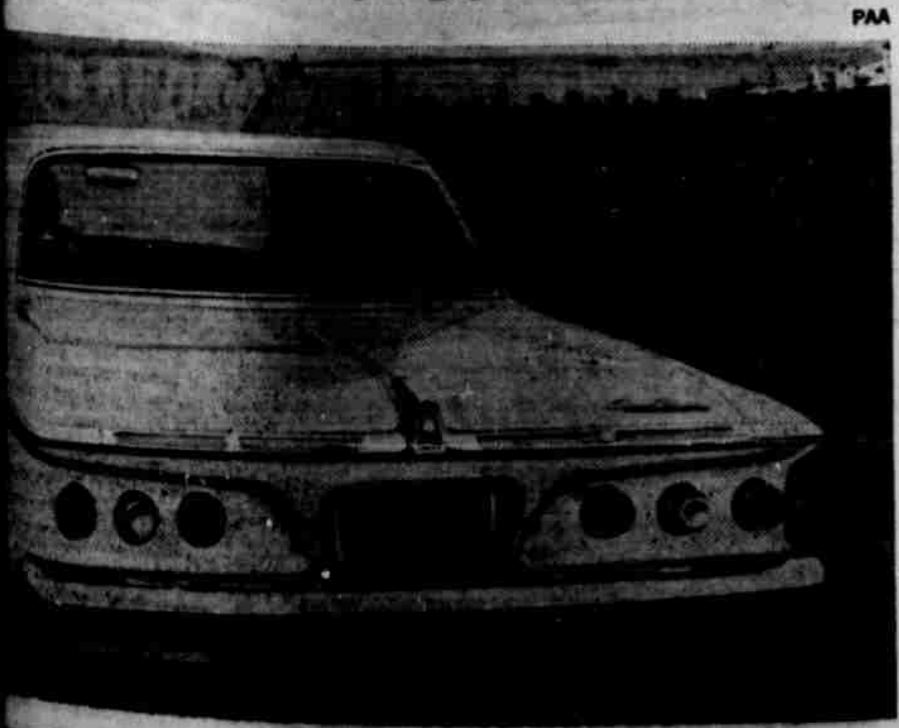
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HASKELL VISITORS

Recent visitors in the home of Abilene. Mrs. Mildred Kennamer in this city were Mr. and Mrs. Abby Free and two sons, Lynn and Larry Free of Muleshoe, Texas, and Mrs. James Day Camp and son James Jr.

Kiowa Peak, near the northwest corner of Haskell County, has an elevation of 2,000 feet above sea level at the top of its peak.

Sagerton News

BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Mrs. John L. Brooks, postmaster, who is chairman of the drive for funds for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene for children and adults, states that there will not be a house-to-house canvas made to collect funds for this worthy cause this year, but contributions can be made through school children and on next Saturday the school girls will be in charge of a Lily Sale in Sagerton, or Mrs. Brooks will receive contributions at the post office. Easter seals will be given out for each contribution of a dollar or more.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison and Kathy and Doug, from San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Balzer of Schulenburg were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer, Sgt. and Mrs. Neal and their children from San Angelo were also guests there Saturday and Sunday. The Neals and Cornelisons lived in the same apartment house in Germany when the men were there in the Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stegemoller and Troy and Mrs. Olga Stegemoller of Slaton were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stegemoller Sunday. They also visited the Will Stegemollers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoller, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp and children went to Dallas on Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stegemoller and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdeck were hosts to the Golden Age Club of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday afternoon in their home. The Golden Age members present were: Henry Hagemelster, Frank Lovack, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wienke of Old Glory, Mrs. Emma Gerloff of Old Glory, Mrs. William Knipping. Other guests were: Rev. and Mrs. Fred Scheffel and Timmy, Mrs. Katie Gerloff of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bredthauer, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vahlenkamp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tielchmann and family.

Pastor Scheffel, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and the following high school students visited the campus of Texas Lutheran College in Seguin Saturday: Joy Nierdeck, Billy Ann Vahlenkamp, Larry Quade, Helen Lovack, and Fred Schenstam, from Ericksdahl.

Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Ben Hess left Sunday for Midland where they plan to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cobb and sons and Mrs. Mary Hess

and Mrs. Ellen Reising. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre went to Wortham last weekend for the funeral of Mr. LeFevre's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, accompanied by Mrs. Lowery of Knox City, went to Wichita Falls Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Holmes. Mr. Holmes, who is Mr. Benton's brother-in-law, is in a Wichita Falls Hospital after a heart attack.

The Sagerton P. T. A. will meet in the school auditorium Monday evening, April 9, at 7:30 p. m. The children of each room will have a part on the program, and a book review will be given by Mrs. T. E. Simpson of Rule.

A revival will be held at the Sagerton Methodist Church beginning April 12 through Sunday, April 15. Services will be conducted by Rev. Fred Brown, pastor of Faith Methodist Church in Hamlin.



CADET GOODWIN Chas. B. Goodwin Solos in Navy Jet Trainer

Meridian, Miss. (FHTNC) - Naval Aviation Cadet Charles B. Goodwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Goodwin of 100 S. Avenue L, Haskell, Texas, made his first solo flight in a jet aircraft, Feb. 26, while undergoing flight training with Training Squadron Nine at McCain Field Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Meridian, Miss. He made the memorable flight in a North American "Buckeye" jet trainer after having flown approximately 18 hours of dual instruction.

Before entering the service in December 1957, Cadet Goodwin was graduated from Haskell High School.

Haskell Students Are Pledges at McMurry College

W. L. Holt Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holt Sr., of Rt. 1, and David Hiebert, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Hiebert of Haskell, pledged Chi Omicron, men's social club at McMurry College during spring rush week activities at the Abilene school.

New pledges of McMurry's ten clubs will be admitted to full membership after a ten-week pledging period. Hiebert is a freshman student at McMurry.

Holt is a sophomore, and his major courses of study are Math and Physical Education. He also is active in intermurals.

February Sales Of Savings Bonds Total \$42,868

Savings Bonds sales in Haskell County totaled \$42,868 during the month of February, according to J. M. Crawford, chairman of the County Savings Bonds Committee. "Total sales in the county for the first two months of 1962 were \$78,456," he reported. Sales during the two-month period represents 28.3 per cent of the county's sales goal of \$270,000 for 1962.

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Texas Traffic Toll in 1961 Shows Increase of 60 In Number Killed

The Texas Department of Public Safety has officially closed the 1961 traffic "death book," and reported that last year 60 more persons died in Texas traffic than in 1960. The motorcade total was 2,314 as compared to 2,254 in 1960 or an increase of 3 per cent.

The report, prepared by the Department's Statistical Services, indicated that although the number of motorcades increased, the death rate—the number of deaths per 100,000 miles traveled—decreased from 4.9 to 4.8, the lowest rate on record in Texas. In 1961, Texans traveled 47.9 billion miles, or 3.42 per cent more miles than they did in 1960.

In addition to the 2,314 deaths in 1961 there were an estimated 132,670 injuries sustained in 731,139 motor vehicle accidents. On an average, last year in Texas traffic, a person killed every three hours and forty-seven minutes, and a traffic accident occurred every 97 seconds.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., Director of the DPS, said: "It is a sobering thought to realize that the number of persons killed on Texas streets and highways was greater than the populations of most Texas towns, and that the number of injuries was more than the population of Lubbock. When the economic loss resulting from traffic accidents in 1961—over 356 million dollars—is added to these losses, the problem we face is only too apparent."

"Texans must accept the challenge posed by these figures. The best way to do this is for every driver to obey the traffic laws, because in almost every accident at least one violation is involved."

Other observations made from the analysis include: The 141 motorcades in February was the lowest number of any month since February 1950, when 140 were killed. The most deadly day in Texas traffic last year was Dec. 22, when 23 persons were killed in 15 fatal accidents. There were only 4 days last year when no fatal accidents occurred in Texas.

14 counties—Borden, Brewster, Delta, Hansford, Hardeman, Kent, Lipscomb, Loving, Mason, Rains, Roberts, Somervell, Sutton, and Upton, had no fatal accidents or deaths during 1961.

The largest increase in the

number of deaths in 1961 over the previous 3 year average was 20.7 in Lubbock County. The largest decrease in the number of deaths in 1961 from the previous 3 year average was 14.3 in Cameron County. 131 Counties had fewer deaths in 1961 than the previous 3 year average.

SCHOOL LUNCHROOM Menus

Monday: Swiss steak, green beans, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, rolls, butter, applesauce, peanut butter and crackers, milk.

Tuesday: Barbecued meat loaf, dried navy beans, buttered greens, pickled beets, onion rings, cornbread, butter, cinnamon rolls, milk.

Wednesday: Luncheon meat sandwiches, lettuce leaves, sliced tomatoes, potato salad, fruit jello, molasses crinkles, milk.

Thursday: Chicken Tetrazzini, whole kernel corn, buttered broccoli, stuffed celery, rolls, butter, fruit icebox cake, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, English peas, scalloped potatoes, cabbage slaw, rolls, butter, rolled wheat cookies, milk.

VISIT IN EL PASO AND DEMING, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Oates returned last week from a several days visit in El Paso, Texas and Deming, N. M. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Menefee in El Paso and with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burt in Deming.



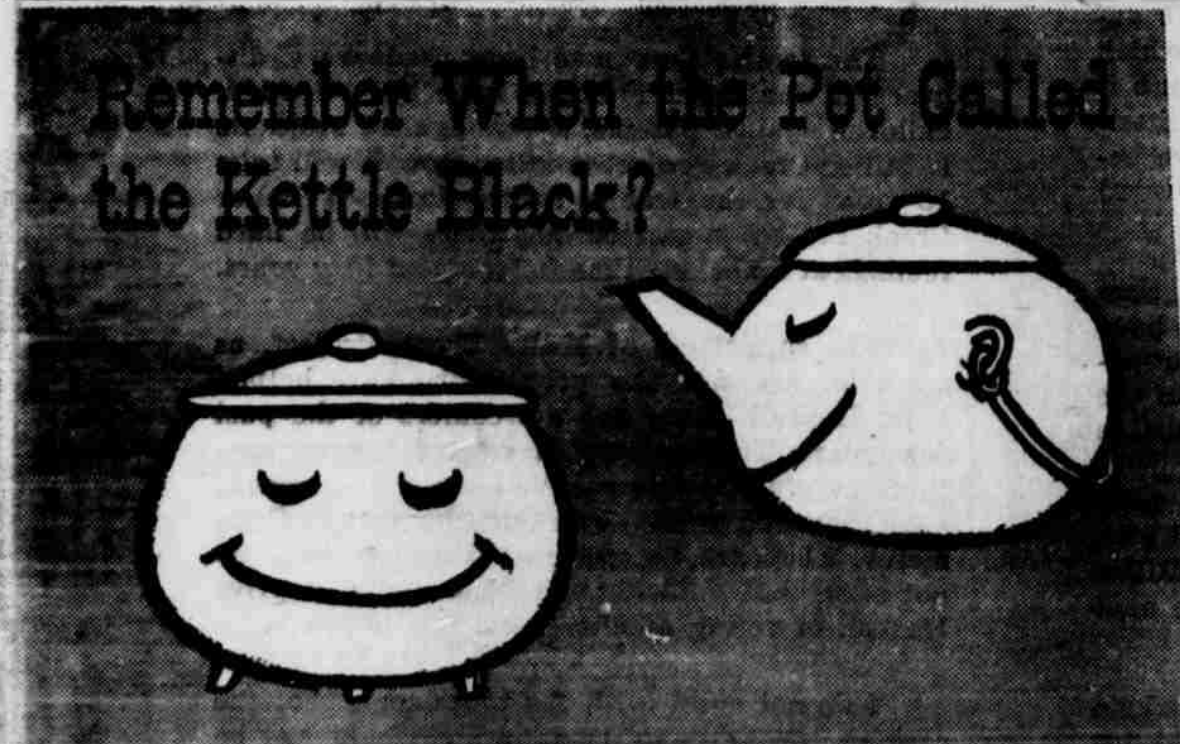
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FOR SALE: Cheap, 423 acre stock farm. 130 acre wheat allotment, 60 acre cotton allotment, 234 acres in cultivation, 189 in pasture. Eleven miles east of Haskell. Fred Howard, phone 864-3206. 11-18p

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 LOOK: 2 and 3 bedroom homes built on your land, nothing down. For information write: Ben Knight Lumber Co., Box 207, Knox City, Texas. 13-18p

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FOR SERVICE: Hollywood Rush, permanent registered quarter horse, standing at Aspermont. Fee \$35 with return privilege in season. James A. Clark Jr. Phone 4046, Box 683, Aspermont. 11-14p

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HOTEL, price reduced for quick sale. Come and see and make an offer. Cash or terms. See owner at Munday Hotel, Munday, Texas. 13-15p

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FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, 1000 S. Ave. E. Phone 864-2540. 13-14c

FOR RENT: House, Call Walter Rogers, 864-2032, 707 N. Ave. G. 12-13c

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Cancer Society Discusses Plans For Annual Crusade Next Month

A report on a successful bandage making program in Weinert and plans for the annual Cancer Crusade for funds to be conducted in April highlighted a meeting of the local chapter of the Cancer Society Monday night.

Twelve women were present. Mrs. Lee Brown, production chairman, gave a report on bandages made at the Weinert meeting last week. A total of eight dozen bandages were made, she stated. As a result of the meeting, she reported that Linda Adams, candidate for a State Homemaking Degree, has volunteered to teach church groups in Weinert how to make bandages.

In the Cancer Crusade, goal has been set at \$2,150 in the six towns and areas of the county. It was explained that money raised in the Crusade is spent as follows: 45c for Cancer Research; 17c for professional education and services; 24c for public education; 11c for service to patients; 5c for administration and development of program; 8c for campaign.

It was pointed out that due to the high level of national research grants being made in Texas, the Society will in 1962 spend more money in Texas than was raised in the 1961 Crusade and other activities. For every dollar raised, the Society will spend as listed above, one dollar and ten cents.

To Pack Kits

A meeting of volunteer women to pack kits has been set for Friday, April 6, beginning at 1:45 p. m. in the workroom on the west side of the square. Volunteer workers Thursday afternoon, March 22, in the local workroom included the following:

Chemical Analysis Shows Miller Creek Water of Superior Quality

In response to numerous questions asked at the Town Hall water information meeting last Tuesday night concerning the quality of water that might be expected from the Miller Creek reservoir, a tabulation showing the results of numerous samplings taken by the U. S. Geological Survey during the past few years is given below.

These samples show the water to be of superior quality and well within the standards set up by the U. S. Public Health Service for domestic water supplies. The tabulation shows that the Miller Creek water will compare favorably with that obtained from Lake Stamford. Those persons who would be satisfied with water from Lake Stamford should offer no objection to the Miller Creek water.

In the tables below, the date of sampling is given first, the parts per million of Sulphate (SO4) in the 1st column, parts per million of Chlorides (Cl) next, and parts per million of Dissolved Solids (DS) in the last column:

Chemical Analysis of Millers Creek Water (Parts per Million)

Date	SO4	Cl	DS
Feb. 21, 1957	16	13	161
Mar. 22, 1957	15	9	146
Nov. 19, 1957	24	14	185
Jan. 30, 1958	40	74	330
Feb. 26, 1958	40	17	239

Lake Stamford (Parts per Million)

Date	SO4	Cl	DS
Jan. 1960	39	30	285

Haskell City Wells (Parts per Million)

Date	SO4	Cl	DS
Feb. 1960	200	290	1344
Apr. 1960	126	160	912
Jan. 1960	188	248	1200

Public Health Service Drinking Water Standards (Parts per Million)

Not to Exceed	SO4	Cl	DS
	250	250	500

Registration Deadline

Saturday, March 31, is the final date for securing the new 1962 license plates for cars, trucks and other motor vehicles.

In the event you've overlooked registering your car, don't rush off to the tax office without your car title and last year's registration receipt. You can't get the new tags without them.

Retiring SPL Employee, Wife Are Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Turner of Aspermont were the recipients of a dinner party at Haskell, Texas, on March 24, 1962, honoring the retirement of Mr. Turner from Service Pipe Line Company, after completing thirty-seven and one-half years service which began in September, 1924.

Mr. Turner held many jobs while with Service, running from Utilityman to District Gauger which position he held when he retired.

The company presented Mr. Turner with a Lord Elgin watch and the employees of the Haskell and Aspermont areas presented the Turners with several nice gifts.

Visiting in Home of Parents

Mrs. Charles F. Hunter and daughter, Margaret of New Orleans, La., are spending the week in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Persons in this city.

Visits Grandparents

Charles Conner Lam, student in SMU, Dallas, spent the weekend in Haskell visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Conner. They accompanied him back to Dallas Monday morning.

Haskell Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lusk and children, Jimmy, Ginger and Mike, of Shamrock, spent the weekend here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lusk. Bill Lusk is with the State Highway Patrol and is stationed at Shamrock.

Mrs. Emry Anderson of this city had as guests in her home recently, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Henry of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Linville and son Robert of Andrews, and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Anderson, Mikey and Michelle of Abilene.

Too Late to Classify

SALE ON ALL SHOES. I was closed for a few days while I was in the hospital, but I am back and stocking up again and I must sell cheaper for I haven't got anything but shoes. See Phillips Shoe Store, East Side of Square. 13-14c

News From First Presbyterian Church

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday morning and evening at the First Presbyterian Church. The communion meditation by the minister, Douglas B. Finch, will be entitled "Guests of God."

Seven members of the Senior Youth Fellowship attended the spring rally at the First Presbyterian Church in Waco on March 23 and 24. Luetta Earben, Charles Chapman, Eddie Hester, Monte Vargas, Fredson, and Sophie Vargas, were accompanied by their adult advisor, Mrs. Jack Pippin, and the minister.

Mrs. Lillian Blake, Mrs. E. C. Chapman and Mrs. Ed Hester attended the Conference of District 7 of the Women of the Church at the First Presbyterian Church in Cisco, March 27. Mrs. J. B. Pumphrey of Rule is the Chairman of District 7 which includes 10 churches.

The monthly Family Night Supper was held last night (Wednesday) at the church. Miss Barbara McAnelly and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Frierson were host and hostesses for the supper attended by members and their guests.

Visit at Bedside of E. E. Welsh

E. E. Welsh, retired farmer and well-known Haskell resident, who has been ill since Feb. 28, has had his children and grandchildren as visitors at his bedside during his illness. They included Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Welsh of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt C. Watkins of Long Beach, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Welsh Jr., Sue and Lisa of Houston, CSM Frank B. Welsh of Okinawa Island, Mrs. Barbara Pinkston and Charles of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Morgan, Diana and Glenn of Fort Worth, Mrs. and Mrs. Ellis Bean, Linda and Stacey of Lueders, Route 2, Miss Patty Bean of Abilene and Miss Sandra Hanner of Detroit. Frank Welsh and Mrs. Pinkston are still here with their parents and Carol Ann.

Returns from Extended Visit in Beaumont

Mrs. John B. Lamkin returned home Sunday from Beaumont, where she spent the past six months visiting in the home of her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards accompanied Mrs. Lamkin home, returning to Beaumont Monday.

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"How May I Know, I Am Saved?" 7:00 P. M.

★ Studying "The Book of Ephesians" on Wednesday Night

★ Graded Choir Rehearsal Sunday at 5:00 P. M.

★ Evangelism Day Each Thursday

Nursery Open 10:00 a. m.
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To the Citizens & Voters of Haskell

As candidates for Mayor and Aldermen in the City Election on Tuesday, April 3, we desire to make clear our position in regard to conducting the business of the City, if elected.

We pledge to discharge our duties honestly and impartially, considering at all times the best interests of the City as a whole.

We do not believe that personalities nor personal feelings have any place in the conduct of City business.

We believe that any obligation the City makes should be honored. We further believe the City has the responsibility of cooperating in every way and to the fullest extent possible, with all worthwhile civic programs and projects, such as Little League and other recreation programs for children and youth, the annual Roundup and Rodeo, Santa Claus Parade, etc.

As to the Miller Creek controversy, if the people vote to get out of the project, we would consider it the duty of the City Council to explore every legal means of doing that.

Believing the Council should always be guided by the wishes of the citizens, their suggestions and cooperation will be sought at all times on matters of major importance to the City and its taxpayers.

If elected, all Council meetings will be open to the public, and taxpayers will be urged to bring their problems and suggestions to these meetings.

We believe that with the confidence and cooperation of our citizens, a planned program of needed improvements can be carried out, and it will be our aim to enlist the help of citizens and taxpayers in getting such a program underway.

These are some of the things we stand for. We will appreciate an opportunity to talk with you about any matter concerning the City's business and solicit your vote next Tuesday.

E. J. Stewart
Candidate for Mayor

H. C. King
Candidate for Alderman

Tom Watson
Candidate for Alderman

Jimmy Turner
Candidate for Alderman

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