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Level Meeting On Brazos Dam Set Friday

Turner Again Top Hand Haskell C of C Corral

HERB RAY CITED FOR STELLAR EFFORTS IN BEHALF VETERANS

Fred H. "Herb" Ray, Jr., veterans' service officer for Haskell, Stonewall and Kent Counties, was cited here Wednesday by Haskell County Judge James C. Alvis and the Haskell County Commissioners Court for exemplary work in veterans affairs during his nine years' tenure in the position.

J. M. Scheets Is First to Retire At WTU Facility

More than 10 years of continuous service at West Texas Utilities Company's Paint Creek Power Plant came to a close March 1 when J. M. Scheets of Haskell retired under the company's mandatory retirement plan having attained age 65.

Tommy Walker Promoted At Overseas Post

Thomas Wayne Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Walker, of Route 3, Haskell, has received a promotion to a specialist five rating in the U. S. Army at his base in France, according to word received here.

Six Are Presented Quill and Scroll Scholastic Award

Six Haskell High School students were cited for scholastic achievement, two of them for the second consecutive year, and presented letter-sweater symbols of their accomplishments in ceremonies in the high school auditorium last week conducted by sponsors of the annual awards, the Lon Pate Chapter, Quill and Scroll, honorary journalistic society.



A. D. English, 89, Resident Here 73 Years, Dies

A. D. English, 89, a West Texas pioneer cattleman in the truest sense, who came to Haskell 73 years ago, just four years after Haskell County was organized, died in Haskell County Hospital at 12:35 a. m. Friday.

Father's Death Quickly Follows That of Son, 19

A double funeral for a Weinert father and son, Steve and David Ortega, was held in St. George's Catholic Church here Wednesday afternoon.

Aspermont Site Of Talks With Dam Officials

Still vigorously prosecuting efforts to find an expedient course of action to get a federal dam built as a flood control and recreation area project on the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River near Rule, a citizens' group pushing the project will meet with representatives of both federal and state agencies potentially concerned at 1:30 p. m. Friday, March 13, in Aspermont for a fact finding conference.

Judge James C. Alvis, Haskell County Judge, and chairman of the expansive citizens' group representing 24 towns in seven area counties affected by the Brazos River basin, said both Harry P. Burleigh, of Austin, regional engineer for the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation, and Colonel Walter J. Wells, of Waco, general manager of the Brazos River Water Authority, have agreed to present information vital to the dam project at a conference in Hickman's Restaurant in Aspermont tomorrow.

Other Bureau of Reclamation representatives will accompany Burleigh to the meeting, he told Judge Alvis by phone from Austin.

Some 5,200 signatures have been obtained on petitions circulated broadly in this area seeking early construction of the dam.

The group here maintains that the U. S. Corps of Engineers, in cooperation with the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation, has a plan to complete by 1975 a series of 12 flood-control dams on the Brazos, including one on the Double Mountain Fork, eight miles northwest of Rule.

Principal purpose of the meeting in Aspermont next week will be to obtain in a single conference the advice and counsel of both the federal and state officials and their joint consensus of a timetable for the projected dam, Judge Alvis said.

In the recent Abilene session, Colonel Wells agreed that while development of the lower reaches of the Brazos has proceeded in the past few years, no development of the upper reaches has begun at all. The reason for this, he said, is that flood control bulwarks have not been needed on the upper reaches of the Brazos as acutely as they have downstate.

Dr. Vaughter Files For Mayor's Post; 7 Seek 3 Seats On Council

An eleventh hour flurry of political excitement last Friday and Saturday stirred Haskell on the eve of the deadline for filing for the April 7 municipal election, adding one candidate for mayor and three councilman hopefuls to the already announced list of five.



200 Expected For Annual District Legion Meet Here

BERRY'S BRIEF BRITCHES BOYS RUNNERSUP IN P-K RELAYS

Carlos Berry's boys in the brief britches, the Haskell Indian cindermen, seek additional laurels in their third straight weekend track meet at Coleman Saturday.

The Indians appear to be coming around in stellar fashion, having captured fifth place with 40 points in the 50-squad Iowa Park Relays, and climbing up to second place with 70 points behind Lake Highlands' 94 1/2 at the Possum Kingdom Relays in which 37 teams were entered in Graham last Saturday.

After Coleman, the Indians visit the stronghold of their neighbor to the north for the Seymour Relays next weekend, March 21. Berry's boys probably will have a practice meet or two between then and April 11 when the District 6-AA contests, which they have won the past two years, are held off the McMurry College oval and infield.

Mrs. R. L. Banks, In Haskell 32 Years, Dies At 69

Funeral services for Mrs. R. L. Banks, 69, a Haskell resident 32 years, who died at her home here at 6:55 p. m. Sunday after a lengthy illness, were held at the East Side Baptist Church of Haskell at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday Rev. L. D. Regeon, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. W. T. Priddy, retired Baptist minister formerly of Haskell, now of Anson.

The Banks family came to Haskell from Fort Worth in 1932. She was a longtime member of the East Side Baptist Church, where she taught a Sunday School class for many years.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. G. W. Roberts and Mrs. Jack Daniels, both of Haskell; Mrs. L. R. Grubbs, of Snyder, Oklahoma; and Mrs. James Voyles, of Jacksboro; four brothers, J. M. Reeves, of Fort Worth; C. L. Reeves, of Plainview; Lowell Reeves, of Jolly, Texas; and Paul Reeves, of Deer Creek; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

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**Oakescripts**  
**A Pencil Pusher's**  
**Potpourri**  
 By PORTER

If robins are a harbinger of Spring's arrival, we are plumb sprung. The robins held a convention in the yard of a home one block south of the Free Press last Saturday. They were a sight to behold. And we're beholden to them for providing us with a "springy" feeling.

However, the surest sight of Spring, greening up of the mesquites, like a dime store ring, has not appeared. Officially, this season of birth and rebirth is but eight days away.

Jesse, who gives the newspaper plant a "dressing down" with soap and water frequently, announced when he reported to work last Friday that he was "out of soap."

He literally was, but how many times have all of us heard that expression to connote many things? It set us to wondering where that expression originated. You reckon it was back in the pure-D lye days when they threw in the leavins, bacon drippins, and most all matter into the black pot, stirred lye with it, let harden, cut in squares, and served up as soap?

Seems like the only way one would be "out of soap" with that recipe, though, would be when he quit eatin'. As long as they are, the ingredients for the soap were there. And you remember the "recipe" for making lye from ashes, or boiling yucca roots to manufacture shampoo to be used as a luxury for the hair in lieu of lye soap? If you do, you don't have to worry about the draft?

Jones-Cox has a certain bit of athletic equipment up for sale on Dollar Day, we note in their ad. Could be a lot of drama wrapped up in this bland appearing announcement. Two things are for sure. The former owner doesn't own an umbrella... and doesn't like to play jacks, either.

Come to think of it, and the Ground Hog prognostication to the contrary notwithstanding, Spring MIGHT be nearer than we think. We fell in love, we thought, real sick like, our freshman year in college, all too briefly, with a winsome Miss from Winchester, Kentucky. This toot-frooti captivation-Kaintuck cutie was named Phoebe Fluty, honest. She had a better assortment of curves than Sandy Koufax. And for the first time in at least 20 years, we just thought of her. Wonder why? It was Spring in the Bluegrass when first we met. Tra-la-la.

After the above outburst, we may have to adopt the position of Hayden McDonald, The Cottonwood Kid, whose beginnings go so far back in Cottonwood Community history, the cottonwood is petrified. This Patriarch of the Post Office asked me to resurrect a neat bit of writin' he has passed on to us for use sometime when we had a wordless day. He wanted it back, he said, upon the request of his life's mate. In fact, our immediate return of it was necessary to "assure domestic tranquility."

We're with you, Hayden. Assuring domestic tranquility ain't just the PREAMBLE at our abode. It's the WHOLE CONSTITUTION, ratified daily by you know who.

That paint thinner at the Post Office is pretty potent stuff, specially if you inhale it all day long. One of the mail carriers, in the building for a spell, left via the rear door last Fri-

**Haskell County History**

**30 YEARS AGO**  
 (March 15, 1934)

Orders calling for the layoff of approximately 34 C.W.A. workers have been received by T. L. Donohoo, county administrator for the Civil Works Administration. About 250 men are employed on CWA projects, and at one time the total was 400 or more, he reported.

A check of the 22 voting boxes in Haskell County reveals that a total of 1,172 more poll tax receipts have been paid by citizens of this county than for 1932, the last election year. Tax Collector Ed Fouts has issued 4,065 poll tax receipts for the current year, compared with 2,893 in 1932.

A boy's club to be known as "Little Texans" is being organized by Rex Felker, a Haskell boy. The club will be composed of boys between the ages of 7 and 14 years and will have for its object the teaching of roping and riding. Felker plans to have an old time chuck wagon built to be used by the club during the summer months for camping trips for the boys. He also plans for the boys to have a part in special roping acts to be presented during the Fair here and the Cowboy reunion in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richey and daughter, Jane, spent the weekend in Spur visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards, and daughter, Frances Merle, accompanied by Mrs. R. S. Edwards, spent several days last week in Dickens with

day and swore he saw our Varmint lift the lid off the top of our water tower, drink heavily, and skulk off in the direction of Paint Creek!

We noted a story in the Abilene paper the other day about an Abilenian who served some four years in the Air Force during World War II, every minute of it in the Pentagon, and rose in rank from Private to Major! That's one of 'em who DIDN'T get lost in the Pentagon!

Did you see the double feature advertised on the marquee of the Stamford Drive-In Theater which read "The Eagles Soar" "To Kill A Mockingbird." For shame! Why didn't they pick on somebody their size? There are enough of 'em buzzin' around here. We can name a few.

After all that has been said about the evils of cigarettes, the net conclusion seems to be that it looks like everybody who smokes will die of lung cancer, if they don't die of something else first.

And besides, seems to us, all these experts sure were slow to release their findings. As far back as we can remember, cigarettes were called "toffin nails."

Last week's mass diggin' by the Lions recalling WPA days reminds us of the story of the laborer working on a county highway complaining to the foreman about being on the job two weeks and having been issued no shovel.

"What are you complaining for?" queried the foreman. "We been paying you, haven't we?"

"It's not that," said the laborer. "All the rest of the guys around here have something to lean on."

Oakescript: Don't lose faith in humanity. Think of all the people in the United States who have never played you a single nasty trick.

Everybody reads the classified page of the Haskell Free Press.

**40 YEARS AGO**  
 (March 14, 1924)

Dr. R. L. Grey, of O'Brien, was a visitor in Haskell Saturday. He said that several stores were burglarized in O'Brien on Monday night and considerable loot taken. His drug store was one of the places hit by thieves.

All of the establishments entered were thoroughly ransacked for money, and quite a bit of merchandise taken, he said.

Horace Pinkerton has recently opened a new tin shop and sheet metal works near the produce house and is back at his old profession. He formerly was in that business here before moving West to grow up with the country. Realizing his error, he returned to Haskell, and says he plans to stay here.

An estimated 300 jackrabbits were killed in one of the season's first drives held Tuesday in the Howard section. Dinner was served to the large group of hunters at noon.

Following the cold weather last weekend, Haskell citizens awakened Thursday to find a mantle of an inch of snow covering the ground. The snow had melted by noon and it is not believed the snow and preceding cold spell damaged fruit and garden stuff to any great extent.

Mart Gentry, 76, manager of the Reynolds Cattle Company ranches in Haskell, Throckmorton and Shackelford counties, died of a heart attack on Wednesday morning. He was on his way from one of the ranch houses to headquarters when stricken. Gentry was well known to all the oldtime cattlemen of the state. It is said he had been in the saddle 65 years.

Hardy Grelson and son, Charles, attended the Pat Stock Show in Fort Worth the first of the week.

Judge A. J. Smith and son, Gilbert, returned Tuesday from a motor trip through the Plains country. Miss Consula Austin has opened a millinery shop in O'Brien.

**60 YEARS AGO**  
 (March 12, 1904)

Some of our most optimistic citizens are proclaiming that Spring is here. They base their claims on the fact that the elms are budding out and that fruit trees are blooming all over town. Oldtimers, however, are taking the balmy

weather of the past few days with a grain of salt. They are still waiting for the mesquite to green up as a sure sign of Spring.

Al Cousins of the northwest part of the County visited Haskell friends this week.

Miss Carrie Evans, who has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill for the past two weeks, left Wednesday for her home in Gatesville.

Rev. O. G. Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Big Spring, was here a day or two this week. Rev. Jones conducted a protracted meeting here a year or two ago and has many friends who are glad to have him back for a visit.

Miss Ola Fitzgerald, who has been visiting friends in the country for several days, returned home Thursday.

Messrs. M. S. Shook, S. S. Cummings, W. T. Hudson, J. S. Boone, John E. Robertson, L. Lumsden, and Roy Shook attended the cattlemen's convention in Fort Worth this week.

S. E. Carothers remarked to us yesterday that we might say that his announcement for Tax Assessor would appear in the Free Press next week.

Presiding Elder Smith was here this week and conducted a quarterly conference at the Methodist Church. He preached to a large congregation on Tuesday night.

R. W. Williams and Miss Sallie F. Ramsey were married Thursday evening, March 10, at the home of the bride in this city. Rev. C. C. Anderson of the Presbyterian Church of this city officiated.

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**A Healthy Situation... May the Best Men Win**

Last weekend's spontaneous flurry of eleventh hour filings for posts of responsibility in the municipal government of Haskell is what we wish to brand with enthusiasm as PRODUCTIVE POLITICAL ACTIVITY.

The announced candidacies of seven citizens for three city council positions, and two for the Mayor's mantle, indicate a tangible interest in representative government. Twice that many candidates would have created just twice as healthy a situation.

Citizens' interest in government here at the grass roots, where all government begins... at home... is one of the hallmarks of our national image. And participation, in strength, is not only a necessary, but an imperative, thing... to create, maintain, and extend, the democratic way.

Representative good government has the same yardstick as contributions to a fund campaign for a worthwhile cause. The donors, (in the case of politics, the citizens giving their time, efforts, energies as candidates for office, and the recipients, the people), are better off with 5,000 persons contributing \$1.00 than one person contributing \$5,000.

We are sure that the incumbent Mayor and three incumbent councilmen, all of whom have chosen to run again, for a third consecutive term, feel in their own minds that "one good term deserves another," and therefore are willing to extend into the fifth and sixth years their tenures of civil service. We respect their dedication and their tenacity.

There are five candidates, whose inner conviction that they can do a better job than the incumbents has been strong enough to guide them to the City Hall, there to offer themselves for these posts of supreme responsibility, sagacious service in which is also vital to the very survival of this community. By their action, they also have indicated their intense interest in having a hand in shaping the future destiny of their home town. There can be no higher praise. And we commend them for it.

Therefore, the situation is healthy. Haskell already is more than passably conversant with the policies of the incumbents. As time goes, between now and April 7, we are sure we will learn, by word and deed, the views of the newly announced candidates, as each presents himself to his potential constituents, each in his own way.

May the best men win. Haskell needs the best... giving their best... to be its partners for progress.

**Welcome, Legionnaires! Your Base Is Secure!**

Haskell plays host this weekend to some 200 American Legionnaires from every nook and cranny of the 13th Congressional District of Northwest and North Central Texas.

This community is proud of its selection as the site for the annual spring convention of the Legion. Our citizenship is prepared to do everything possible to aid our weekend visitors in taking, and holding, their objectives.

We will be striving, each and all of us, to serve as a mess Command Post, First Aid Station, Mess Hall, PX, Base Ops, Happy Hour Haven, attentive to all your needs and desires.

Your host community has a reputation, up to which it always endeavors to live, as a Haven of Hospitality On The Highway. We hope at the end of your visit here, you will say you have found it so.

We think it most significant that your host post, the Rogers-Cox American Legion Post 221 of Haskell, is being tapped to share a lofty honor with eight other Legion posts in this district at the convention. Meeting the ambitious quotas set by the American Legion in Texas and the nation for increasing membership is no minute assignment.

Our post here, under the dedicated leadership of Commander R. V. Black, and with the devoted help of his entire brigade of buddies, has made a pincer movement for progress here during the past year. Achieving its membership quota and obtaining the convention for Haskell are two of its peak achievements.

So it's a happy salute and present arms to your host post, and its personnel, and to all of you loyal Legionnaires whom it is our cherished pleasure to welcome to Haskell.

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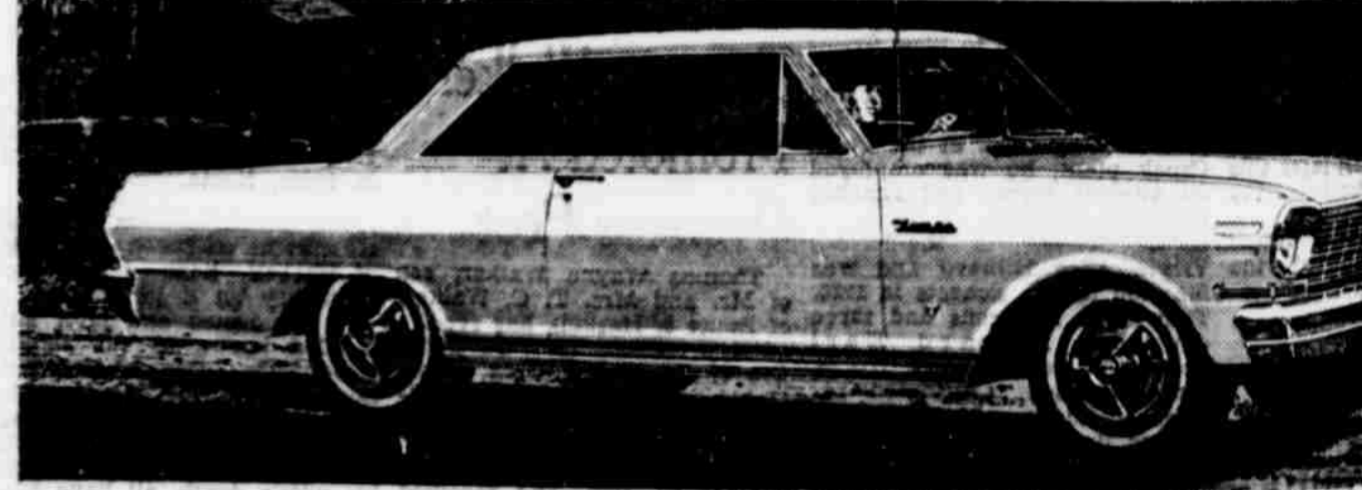
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### DR. ARMSTRONG SPEAKS AT ROTARY; LADIES' NIGHT MAY 15

Plans for an annual Ladies' Night Banquet were outlined by President Ira Hester last Thursday to Haskell Rotarians, who also heard Methodist District Superintendent Dr. Tilden B. Armstrong, of Pampa, deliver them a ringing challenge to quit "standing on promises while sitting on your premises."

### From The Third Floor N.E. Corner

Mrs. Mary Jo Leverett  
County Home Demonstration Agent

Now is the time in landscaping for beautiful home grounds for Planning, Pruning and Planting.

### HHS Pills See "Live" Show On Control of Fires

Students of five high schools in the county, Haskell, Weinert, Paint Creek, Rule and O'Brien, saw for themselves how fire can be man's best friend, or his worst enemy through observation of a graphic fire demonstration presented last Thursday and Friday.

"legs", fuel, heat and air, missing. Yet, in American homes, these three things come together in deadly and destructive combination every 57 seconds, an average of 1,500 home fires every day in the nation, according to Smetana.

### LETTERS . . .

We have heard a lot of discussion on the recent Liston-Clay fight. The outcome of the bout wasn't too surprising, especially to the followers of professional boxing, which had sagged to its lowest depths in boxing history.

### TAX MAN SEZ

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### Fire Insurance Rate Here Same Under New Stats

A new statewide list of fire insurance discount and penalty rates just released by State Insurance Commissioner J. M. Nutt conveys good news for some Haskell area communities and bad news for others.

Major pruning should be done now during the dormant season, but minor pruning can be done at any time. Pruning successfully is really just putting into practice the art principles and common sense, although a little know-how is invaluable, especially for certain type shrubs that require special treatment in order to obtain the desired effects.

Nandinas are a "leggy" plant and should not be "topped." The legs that are growing too high should be pulled out away from the bush and then cut off as near the ground as possible.

Limbs on trees that rub each other should have one removed. Tree limbs that grow toward the ground should be removed (except weeping willows). Peach trees should be pruned to look like an upside-down umbrella so the sun can come down through the tree.

As a part of a program for fire prevention, the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department is presenting this demonstration before high school assemblies of the state. The program was brought to Haskell and Haskell County under sponsorship of the Haskell County Farm Bureau, Mrs. Gene Tonn, secretary, reported.

A variety of demonstration equipment was placed on tables 16 feet in length to illustrate seven basic points—what fire is, how to control fire, the fact that nothing is fire-proof, kitchen fires, their control, fuel vapors, the power of petroleum products, and household wiring and overloaded electrical circuits.


Smetana pointed out that fire is like a three-legged stool—it can't work with one of the legs out of shape if not kept after. Sort of like raising children—need daily disciplining and tender loving care.

For your help in pruning you might like to request the bulletin called Modern Pruning Methods, B-977.

Planting of trees and shrubs should be taking place immediately. Just be sure you have planned the right plant for each particular spot. No two yards should be landscaped alike. Study suitable plants and learn to identify them for this is a real challenge. Don't just call things "that bush or tree" but learn the names because each plant has a name and distinct qualities that sets it apart from other plants.

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### Hassell Hunter Takes Post With AEC Affiliate

Hassell E. Hunter, one of Haskell's outstanding native sons, who recently was chosen for inclusion in "Who's Who In The Southwest," has accepted a position with Fenix and Sisson, Inc., an engineering firm engaged in contract work for the Atomic Energy Commission, it was learned here Tuesday.

The 40-year-old Haskell native, son of Gene Hunter, well-known merchant here, will soon vacate the executive position he has held with the Rhodes Drilling Company of Abilene for the past 13 years to take up his new duties headquartered in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Prior to going with Rhodes in 1961, Hunter was assistant manager for French Robertson, another area native, in the independent oil production business.

Hunter was an honor graduate of Haskell High School in 1940, served with distinction in the USAF, earning seven battle stars, an Air Medal with two clusters, and the Presidential Unit Citation as a member of a combat crew in the 9th Air Force in the European Theater of Operations in WWII.

He received a BBA degree cum laude from Texas A&I, Kingsville, in 1948, and has done postgraduate work at Hardin-Simmons University, McMurtry College, and the Uni-

### Committee Named To Secure Crowd For Rotary Meet

E. J. Stewart and Porter Oakes have been named by President Ira Hester to head an "On-to-Fort Worth" committee of the Rotary Club of Haskell in an effort to secure maximum representation of the service club here at the annual conference of District 579 in Northwest and North Central Texas to be held March 15-16 in Fort Worth's Hotel Texas.

The Haskell Rotary committee plans a car pool plan among not only members of the club here, but in other clubs of this area, to secure a large turnout. Interested Rotarians are asked to contact Oakes at the Haskell Free Press or Stewart at Stewart Motor Service here.

### Jerry Estep, Head Coach At Rule, Resigns His Job

Jerry Estep, head football and basketball coach at Rule High School for the past three years, has resigned, effective the end of the current school term.

Supt. Conner Horton announced that Estep's resignation has been accepted by the school board.

Estep is reported to have no future plans at the present time.

Rule had a 3-7 season and 0-3 district record in football last season, and was 4-4 in district basketball play.

Estep came to Rule from Kress on the South Plains.

Professional organizations to which Hunter belongs are the Society of Petroleum Engineers of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers, Abilene Geological Society, charter member of American Association of Petroleum Landmen, Abilene Landmen Society, and associate member of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association.

He is a member of the Petroleum Club of Abilene.

Hunter is married to the former Thelma Williams, and the couple have two children, Karen Jane, 7, and Russell Eugene, 6.

### General, Special Election Judges Named By Court

General and special election judges named to serve during 1964 in Haskell County's 17 precincts and to have charge of one absentee box have been appointed by the Haskell County Commissioners' Court, William W. (Bill) Reeves, county clerk, announced Saturday.

The precincts, their presiding judges, and assistants, the judges the first named, include: Haskell No. 1, Norman Nanny, Maurice Gannaway, Mrs. C. V. Payne and Wallace Cox, Sr.; Haskell No. 2, Jess Collier and T. A. Rhoads; Haskell No. 3, Earl Daniels and Glenn Merchant; Haskell No. 4, Chas. Quattlebaum and Eunice Sonnamaker; Rule No. 5, Robert Turner, Mrs. Frank Campbell, Ed Verner and Mrs. Morris Neal.

Rochester No. 6, Felix Mullino, Tolbert Beason and R. A. Shaver, Jr.; O'Brien No. 7, Ford Waldrip, R. P. Barnard, and S. J. Reeves; Jud No. 8, Cecil Jetton, Mrs. Ira Short, and Mrs. Cecil Jetton; Weinert No. 9, J. C. Dunnam, J. W. Liles and E. C. Lowe.

Mattson No. 10, Joe Davis and Charlie Campbell; Irby No. 11, Ernest Peiser and Willie Peiser; Paint Creek No. 12, A. J. Moody and John R. Watson, Sr.; Cobb No. 13, R. H. Cobb and V. F. Bunkley; McConnell No. 14, Herbert Bosse and Sam Hanson.

Sagerton No. 15, Reece Clark, Glenn Quade and Herbert Stremmel; Plainview No. 16, George Hanson and J. C. Coleman; Tanner Paint No. 17, Don Kent Smith and Buddy McMeans; and Absentee Box, Thurmond Bynum.

### Extension Service Cotton Clinic Has Good Attendance

Seventy-five Haskell area farmers converged on the 29th District Courtroom at the Courthouse here last week for a cotton clinic conducted by A&M Extension Service specialist to point up the causes of ills in the production of this staple and to prescribe cures for those ills, Frank Martin, Haskell County agricultural agent, reported.

Dr. Robert Berry, plant pathologist on the Texas A&M Extension Service staff, discussed the problems of root rot and wilt and how they may be corrected.

Fred Elliott, cotton specialist, told of the benefits of lateral ginning of cotton and described latest methods of weed control.

Beverly Reeves, gin specialist, outlined steps for preparing cotton for the most productive harvest.

Don Perry, Haskell administrator for the Farmers' Home Administration, assisted County Agent Martin in organizing and directing the session for area farmers.

### Paint Creek 4-H Club Picks Team Of Contestants

Paint Creek School's 4-H Club has completed its selection of a team of competitors to enter the forthcoming county contests among Haskell County 4-H groups to be held on three successive Saturdays in April.

Representatives chosen and the field of participation follow:

Mary Guadaluza and Elaine Marr, electricity; Phyllis Middlebrook, favorite foods; Joe Isbell and Patricia Burns, safety, junior team; Linda Griffith and Melanie Lavengood, safety, senior team; Debbie Weaver and Kay Overton, vegetable preparation, junior team; Jeannine Isbell and Brenda Griffith, senior team; Mary Lee Alexander, public speaking; Sharon and Judy Story, clothing; Wanda Griffith and Eloise Lavengood, vegetable production.

### Mac Williams Is Honored By Rural Carriers

A longtime Haskell rural mail carrier who is retiring was honored and two carriers from here were named delegates to the forthcoming state convention when the Brazos Valley Rural Mail Carriers met at the Cliff House Restaurant in Stamford Saturday night.

Retiring rural carrier J. M. (Mac) Williams, an "institution" here for many years delivering mail to both east and west sections of Haskell County, in the Mattson and Gaunt communities, was honored with presentation of a gift from the Brazos Valley group for his faithful service.

O. W. Tooley and A. J. (Andy) Josselet, also rural carriers working out of the Haskell Post Office, were two of seven delegates designated by the Brazos Valley Rural Mail Carriers' Association to attend the state convention at Corpus Christi in July.

A third delegate from this area will be T. L. Alvis, of Rochester, outgoing president of the association, who last Saturday was succeeded by Talmadge Dean, of Anson. Other new officers are D. L. Smith, of Rotan, vice president; and Jack Crockett, of Stamford, secretary-treasurer.

Guests at the meeting included John Lottin, state president, and Mrs. Lottin, and Mrs. Floyd Dean, of Poolville, president of the ladies' auxiliary, and her husband.

### Faculty Chooses Candidates For Girls' State

Six members of the Junior Class of Haskell High School have been nominated by the high school faculty as candidates for Bluebonnet Girls' State to be held in Austin June 17-26.

The selectees are: Judy Anderson, Andrea Baird, Gloria Darnell, Carol Kierepka, Glinda Long and Carolyn Starr.

The American Legion Auxiliary is the coordinating sponsor of the delegation to Girls' State annually from Haskell, and, with the help of other civic and service organizations here, hopes to send all six candidates to Austin, Mrs. Martin Rueffer, chairman, announced Monday.

Only 400 girls from the entire state can be accepted for the Girls' State project annually.

### Feb. Moisture Is Nearly 1 Inch Above Normal

Haskell's precipitation during February, which included a three-inch snow on the 21st day of the month, with a moisture content of 26, was 2.21 inches, exactly 87 of an inch above normal for the month, U. S. Weatherman Sam P. Herren, Jr., here reported Monday.

Normal for February in Haskell is 1.34 inches, Herren said. Totals for the first two months of 1964 show Haskell running just under an inch above normal moisture. During January and February, a total of 3.20 inches was accumulated. Normal for the first two months is 2.24 inches.

Rain and snow fell on six days during February in Haskell, the largest amount being 1.61 inches recorded during the 24 hours of February 4. Sixteen hundredths fell the next day. Moisture also was received on February 6, 13, 15 and 21.

There was a 53-degree range in temperature here last month. A high of 79 was recorded on February 25, while the low for the month was 17 on February 21.

### 4-H Council Sets Dates In April For Competitions

Sixty-five 4-H club members, adult leaders, and visitors were in Haskell Saturday for a meeting of the Haskell County 4-H Girls' Council at which dates were set and plans made for county contest eliminations to determine representatives at the district 4-H competitions in Wichita Falls on May 2.

Sharon Leverett, Stonewall County 4-H leader, now a freshman at Lubbock Christian College, taught the group a series of songs and discussed her 4-H career.

Janice Moejler and Susan Weise, of Mattson, presented a team demonstration in safety entitled "Cleaning The Bedroom."

County contests will be staged on three Saturdays in April. The first date, April 11, will feature events open to boys and girls and will be under the direction of the county agricultural agent, Frank Martin, and county home demonstration agent, Mrs. V. R. Leverett.

Included among the divisions of competition will be safety, electric proficiency, vegetable production, civil defense, and public speaking.

Events on April 18 will be for girls only, and will be held at the Haskell Homemaking Cottage. The competitions will include vegetable preparation, favorite foods, foods and nutrition, clothing and poultry handling and grooming.

Shrub identification will be held on Saturday, April 25. The annual girls' dress revue will not be staged until July.

County winners will participate at the district level. The junior division includes ages nine to thirteen. To be eligible for senior division status, the 4-H member must be 14 before January 1.

Mrs. Leverett said Haskell County will have both junior and senior entries in some contests.

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### News from Weinert . . . .

Members of the Foursquare Church gave their pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Pool a shower of groceries after services Sunday evening at the recently remodeled home of the pastor. Mrs. Pool served doughnuts and coffee to Mrs. Neil Mathison, Mrs. Leonard Alexander, Dorothy, Ruby and Leo Freeby, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Raynes Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams, Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka and Melanie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vojkufka, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Stout, Wayne and Grenetta, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Alexander, Pat and Terry.

Miss Jew Williams, Hale Center, is visiting relatives and friends in Weinert and staying with her sister and family, the A. D. Bennetts. Miss Jew is a former teacher in Weinert schools and has recently returned from a Caribbean cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Phemister took their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tipton, Linda, Bob and Jennifer, to Dallas Friday. They left by jet airliner for Buenos Aires, Argentina, where they will be working with the only Church of Christ in South America, for the next 18 months. They had been in the United States for the past year. Bob attended A&I, Kingsville. He received his Master's Degree in English. He was an honor student and won't be here to receive his diploma in May or early June, but had completed all his work.

Jimmy Hackney had charge of Sunday evening services at Goree Church of Christ All Weinert Church of Christ young people attended services there.

Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Eddie and Alton Sanders, returned David Scott Sanders to his parent's home in Austin. His father, Dr. David Sanders, is recovering from surgery at Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., and is able to be at home now.

Mr. and Mrs. David Boykin, Andrews, and Billy Boykin, Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Carroll, Wichita Falls, Barbara, Linda and Brenda, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boykin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stafford and children, Kamay, visited her parents, the Ted Jostens, and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Stephens, Larry and Travis, Lubbock, visited her parents, the Ed McClures and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart, Ronnie, Danny and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Huffines and children, Dimmitt, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Brum-

ton, Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bruton, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Raynes was ill during all of last week. Their daughters, Mrs. George Muntzert and Mrs. Ivy Stephens of Fort Worth, visited them. Mrs. Muntzert remained for this week to care for her mother.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tanner were their granddaughter, Peggy Walker Scott, Odessa, and her family.

R. S. Edwards visited daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Frank West and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Johnson, Lubbock, on his way to spend a few weeks with another and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyles, Bisbee, Ariz., last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens, Carolyn and Pat, Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Earp entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McBeth, Seagraves and Mrs. Earp's children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Earp, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heiskell, Munday, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Dunnam, Vernon, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Earnest, Rosenberg, visited her mother Mrs. Al Cousins, and aunt, Mrs. J. W. Liles and Mr. Liles, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Warren, Munday, last week.

Mrs. Neil Mathison entertained her sister-in-law, Mrs. Marvin Mathison, DeLeon, and Dan Mathison, and daughter, Audrey Rhea, and children, of Tye.

Jerry Buchanan, student at ACC, preached for Weinert Church of Christ members Sunday.

The M. W. Phemisters and Bob Tiptons visited Mrs. Ida Phemister and Hugh, Montague, on their way to Dallas last week. The Phemisters later visited the Frank Alexanders, Frank, Jr., Billy Joe and Jean Anne, Dallas. The Alexanders are former teachers at Weinert School.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clark, Wade and Angela, Electra.

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Naval Training Center

son of Mr. Hall, 600 South Hall, is scheduled to be basic training on March 12 at the Naval Training Center. San Antonio, Texas.

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Steve Denton Helps Fraternity Chapter Earn High Rating

Steve Denton, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Denton, of Rule, a member of Phi Kappa Delta, which is a local colony of Phi Delta Theta, national social fraternity, assisted his chapter in compiling the highest grade point average among the five fraternities on the West Texas State University campus at Canyon for the fall semester.

Junior High P-TA To Present Film On Youth Fitness

Haskell's Junior High P-TA will meet Wednesday, March 18, at 4 p. m. in the visual aids room of the school for a program on "Youth Physical Fitness."

Local Serviceman Takes Part In Mock Battle In Germany

Army Specialist Four Melvin H. Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Williams H. Reynolds, 700 South Ninth Street, Haskell, participated in Exercise MARNE RAM, a field training exercise in Southern Germany which ended February 12, according to word received here.

COMING OF AREA CATTLEMEN PROVIDED FIRST SETTLED LOOK

(Last Of A Series) Coming of the cattlemen, as hunters drifted out, gave Haskell country its first semblance of a secure, settled-down look, sparse as it was.

The hunters, seeing their business left with nothing but a rag, a bone, and a hank of hair, as the old saying goes, kept an eagle eye out for good ranch locations. When Indians and buffalo were gone, they were ready to drift in cattle to take their places.

Bone haulers also selected good ranch locations. These first locations were not on owned land, but public land. They selected the best spots for water and grass, claimed squatters' rights, and kept out everyone else as long as they could.

The first man to locate a herd northwest of Fort Griffin seems to have been John Goff who located a herd of 300 or 400 head at the head of Paint Creek in the southwest part of Haskell County in 1874.

First permanent settlement was made by Matthews and Reynolds on California Creek, where they built a rock house in December, 1876. This was on the Heber Stone tract of land. Glenn Reynolds and his wife were living there when their son, Ashbel Watkins Reynolds, the first white baby born in Haskell County, came into the world on March 19, 1878.

At this time, Rath City, in the southeast corner of Stone-wall County, a temporary buffalo supply town of 600 to 800 floating people, was flourishing for three to four years. Soon after Goff came west, Jim Reed located a herd on Flattop Mountain, and this was known as the Horseshoe Ranch. Others followed in quick succession, selecting the best watered locations, and as far apart as possible.

Cattlemen from the overcrowded range in the east part of this country pushed west until it, too, was overcrowded, believe it or not. As early as 1880, complaints and feuds had sprung up over grass and water rights. The country was in a state of chaos and confusion. And, with little law to regulate, each outfit was the law to itself.

The character of a cow outfit, Mr. R. E. Sherrill, Haskell County historian, declared, "generally corresponded to the character of the owner of the outfit. The good and the bad found their own, in other words. It was not always a love

Modesto Munoz Is Lance Corporal In Pacific Exercise

Marine Lance Corporal Modesto Munoz, son of Mrs. C. Gonzalez, of Haskell, is participating with the Third Marine Reconnaissance Battalion in a coordinated U. S. - Nationalist Chinese amphibious exercise called "Operation Backpack" being conducted off the coast of Taiwan.

Backpack is an exercise to test the amphibious capabilities and readiness of the forces of the Seventh Fleet and the Nationalist Chinese Navy. The exercise, with over 40,000 men and 140 units participating, will culminate in an amphibious assault on beaches of southern Taiwan, and will demonstrate the effectiveness of the United States Seventh Fleet to rapidly move a significant combat force to a troubled area in order to assist an ally.

Rule Square Dance Club Takes Part In Abilene Event

Four couples of the Rule Square Dance Club recently were invited to participate in an invitational square dance exhibition in Abilene called by Marshall Flippo, professional, formerly of Abilene, and now of Kirkwood, Missouri.

The square dance was held at The Wagon Wheel, and there were approximately 100 dancers on the floor. Representing the club from this area were Mr. and Mrs. Norris Anders, of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, of Sagerton; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Andress of Haskell.

Rule's Square Dance Club will square up Friday night, March 13, at 8 p. m. at its new location, 304 South Avenue E in Haskell.

methods of handling cattle—all deserve perpetuation in any valid history. Although there is a beautiful ballad that cries out the contrary, barbed wire fenced upward, toward the sky, rather than in the future of this wilderness. With it came permanent firesides, instead of just campfires rubbed out every morning, and hearths, and homes on the range that is Haskell heartland.

25 BOY SCOUTS FROM HERE 'SEE TEXAS FIRST' IN BIG JUNKET

Haskell Boy Scouts of Troop 36, a contingent 25 strong, sharing with Hamlin the distinction of having the largest group from the area, have returned home after a productive pilgrimage to the Dallas-Fort Worth area in company with 140 other Scouts of the Chisholm Trail Council in the Northwest-Central Texas territory.

The Boy Scouts made the three-day trip in four chartered Greyhound buses, and those from here were accompanied by Scoutmaster Edd Smart and his assistant, R. V. Black. Quarters in the 4-H dormitory on the State Fair of Texas grounds, the touring Scouts took in many points of interest around Dallas-Fort Worth, including the General Motors assembly plant at Arlington, a trip to the top of the skyscraping Southland Life Tower in Dallas, the museum and other showplaces on the fairgrounds, and the famed zoo in Forest

Park, Fort Worth. They even went on an ice skating lark of their own one evening at the ice arena in Dallas. The "rides" at the Fort Worth park also were given a workout by the energetic young tourists.

Escorted by Smart and Black from here were Glen Smart Gene Hester, Tim Everett, Keith Everett, Bill Mercer, Joe Greer, Hal Spain, Lesley Huss, Randy O'Neal, Lee Pippin, Jim Kemp, Jim Smith, Larry Jewell, Bobby Black, Johnny Stark, Wayne Davis, Larry Hartsfield, Paul Brown, Wayne Reeves, Jack Smith, Trey Burson, Richard Rieves, Tommy Perry, Mark McCoy and Gary Black.

Mrs. Dunnam Picks Rule High Play For District Contest

Mrs. C. W. Dunnam, play director at Rule High School, has selected "The Heritage of Wimpole Street" as the production for presentation by the Rule school in the district one-act play contest to be held in Rule on Friday night, April 3.

Members of the cast will be Louette Barbee, Jana Kile, Janice Hertel, Brent Davis and Joe Cannon. Alternates will be Patsy Clark and Hal Ousley.

THANK YOU NOTE

We wish to thank this means to say thanks to the many friends and relatives during Randell's illness of the measles. Especially to Dr. Thigpen and the nurses at the hospital. We want to thank the East Side Baptist Church for the special prayer and other prayers offered, his class at school and teacher for the remembrance, and gifts received from his friends and neighbors. Thanks to All. Randell Lacey. 11p

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Verbal Vignette On Guatemala Given At Breakfast of Progressive Study Club

Mrs. R. W. Herren, program director, presented a verbal vignette on the atmosphere, customs, climate and topography of Guatemala at a friendship breakfast meeting of the Progressive Study Club of Haskell recently in the private dining room of Felker's Cafe here.

Mrs. Frank Martin played pre-breakfast music, and following the invocation by Mrs. Virgil Cobb, a short business meeting was held by Mrs. Glen Sammons, president.

Members were urged by Mrs. Bailey Toliver, Mesquite District convention general chairman, to pre-register and get meal tickets for the district convention here on March 20-21. These tickets are to be obtained from Mrs. A. J. Foster by March 15.

Mrs. Herren provided a discerning look at conditions in Guatemala. Among these was

the fact that 55 of every 100 persons in Guatemala are pure blooded Indians. Club members were told that money given through Federation to Guatemala is used to buy unasssembled desks, pens, pencils and other school supplies. This effort has been "a tremendous success and will help the literacy problem in many countries other than Guatemala," Mrs. Herren declared.

Hostesses were Mmes. Wayne Watson, R. A. Lane, and Ed Hester.

Weinert Girl And Coahoma Man Plan Summer Wedding

Mrs. and Mrs. Coyt L. Hix, of Weinert, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Leona, of Coahoma, to Curtis Lee Allen.

The couple will be married in the summer. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Allen, of Big Spring, are parents of the prospective bridegroom. He attended Coahoma schools and served with the Armed Forces. He is employed in Coahoma.

Leona, a graduate of Weinert High School, obtained a degree from Abilene Christian College, and is employed as a teacher in the Coahoma schools.

"Pointed" furs have had hairs added to the skin.

Mrs. Durham Is Hostess For Meet Of Christian LMS

The Ladies Missionary Society of the First Christian Church met Monday in the Memorial Chapel at the church. Mrs. Rogers Durham was hostess for the monthly meeting.

Mrs. George Fouts, president, opened the meeting, calling for the minutes of the previous meeting, and communications. These were given by Mrs. Lynn Pace, Jr.

Mrs. V. W. Meadors gave the lesson for the month, including in her talk several missionaries from all points of the globe. She also brought the devotional for the afternoon meeting, giving an inspiring talk on the Lord's Supper. Mrs. W. P. Ratliff and Mrs. Rogers Durham closed the devotional with a duet, "Nearer the Old Olive Trees."

Yearbooks were passed out, outlining all the meetings for the year. Next month, April, Mrs. Dennis Ratliff will be hostess in her home for a luncheon on the 12th, at 1:00 p. m. Each member is asked to bring a guest and a covered dish.

Nine members were present at the meeting. They were: Mmes. George Fouts, James Crawford, W. P. Ratliff, Dennis Ratliff, C. O. Holt, Lynn Pace, Jr., V. W. Meadors, Rogers Durham and Miss May Fields.

New Officers Will Be Elected At Annual Convention of Mesquite Dist., TFWC

More than 200 women are expected to attend the spring convention of Mesquite District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held in Haskell Saturday, March 21.

The First Presbyterian Church of Haskell will be headquarters for the convention for which Mrs. Bailey Toliver is general chairman, and Mrs. Robert Wheatley is arrangements chairman. Host groups are the Progressive Study Club and the Magazine Club. The Progressive Study Club has been established 37 years, while the Magazine Club, one of the oldest federated clubs in the state, is 62 years old, having been organized in Haskell in 1902.

Re-entry: Applied Knowledge is the convention theme. Registration and a welcome coffee will begin at 8 a. m. and the business session, "Achievements Charted," opens at 9:00 a. m. The nominating committee will present its report, and new officers will be elected. Mrs. R. W. Herren has been district president for the past two years.

Mrs. A. T. Carleton, of Houston, state TFWC president, will speak during the morning session.

Fashions from Lane-Felker of Haskell will be shown in a Zodiac Style Show, a feature of the luncheon hour. Kathryn Duff, assistant editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, will be luncheon speaker, and Alex Foy, of Sweetwater, winner of this year's scholarship award, the first offered by the Mesquite District, will sing.

Reports from department chairmen will be heard during the afternoon. Mrs. Rogers Durham, soloist, will be accompanied by Mrs. Kenneth Lane.

Lowell Ann Wallace, Bob Geilhausen Repeat Wedding Vows At Church Here

Lowell Ann Wallace and Bob Geilhausen exchanged marriage vows on March 1 in the chapel of the First Baptist Church here.

Rev. Ray Nobles, pastor, officiated for the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Opal Lea Furrh, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Jim Furrh was best man.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wallace, of Haskell, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave H. Geilhausen, of Bellflower, Calif.

The bride is a 1963 graduate of Haskell High School, where she was prominent in extracurricular activities and captained the girls' basketball team.

The couple are making their home at 803 Broad Street in Wichita Falls.

Jossette Discusses On Weighing

The Jossette station Club meeting of Mrs. Lane-Felker, Mrs. J. L. (change of the year), is desirable to are in your neighborhood years." Mr. Toliver, Sr., Thurman H. From, Mrs. M. M. Samson, Mrs. J. J. Fred, Mrs. C. A. Thomas, Hines, M. G. Paul, Collins, and Laton.

The next meeting will be a luncheon on Carl Bailey demonstration of freezer also.

With Mrs. W. P. McCollum and Mrs. E. T. Jeter, FHA sponsors, and mothers among the 85 guests present, seven members of the FHA chapter here modeled all types of apparel from the Lane-Felker stock, including sportswear, formal, Easter frocks, and "after five's."

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FHA Girls Here Model Fashions In Gala Style Show

Haskell Chapter, Future Homemakers of America, with their mothers and teachers as guests, were treated to a full-fledged high fashion style show Monday night by Lane-Felker here.

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Mrs. Alfon Peiser Speaker for Meet Lutheran Women

Ladies of the Trinity Lutheran Church met last Thursday for an inspirational session at which Mrs. Alfon Peiser was the principal speaker.

Sixteen members joined in hymn singing preceding Mrs. Peiser's presentation of the devotional and Bible study from Acts 3:4-5. The title of her discussion was "Empowered by The Spirit."

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Rainbow Sewing Members Guests of Mrs. J. B. Edwards

Mrs. J. B. Edwards was hostess for a recent meeting of the Rainbow Sewing Club.

The session began with club singing after which Mrs. Redding gave the thought for the day.

Mrs. H. D. Bland won the honors for having accomplished the most sewing and also received the huestess gift. Mrs. John Larned gave a reading, "Little Things Get Me." Mrs. W. D. Rogers also presented a reading, "A Letter To God."

The club has initiated an attendance contest, with the ladies to entertain the winners at its conclusion.

A new member, Mrs. Billie Jones, was welcomed into the club.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Tony Patterson, Austin New, Rogers, John Reding, W. E. Johnson, Ann Taylor, John Pittman, Bland, Annie Thomas, Eva Pearsey, Larned, E. W. Andrews, J. B. Edwards, Billie Jones, Annie Pearl Lusk and a visitor, Oleta Shepard.

The next Rainbow Sewing Club meeting will be with Mrs. Johnson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to all our friends who so generously helped us in our time of sorrow, also to the Doctors and Hospital staff. The food, flowers, gifts and prayers will be remembered always. Thanks also for the pastors who rendered their services. May God bless each of you. Sotelo and Gaudin Family. 11p

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMITTED: Joe Davis, medical. Mrs. Marie Laughlin, med. Mrs. Susie Kinser, medical.

ROCHESTER: James P. Patterson, medical. Mrs. Sammy Grindstaff, med.

HASKELL: Hallie Chapman, medical. Mrs. John Ellis, medical. Mrs. Mary Brown, medical. Mrs. E. I. Ootson, medical.

DISMISSED: Randall H. Lacey, Mrs. Mary Mullins, Mrs. Sarah Jane Akins, Larry Guilam, Mrs. Clinton H. Herren, Stephen Drinnon, Mrs. Roy L. Rogers, Jackie Sonnemaker, Mrs. James Edward Webster, of Haskell.

Johnny Westbrook, Mrs. P. C. Niernast, Mrs. M. E. Trice, Mrs. W. E. Sorrells, Mrs. Roy Casey, of Rule.

Mrs. Nettie Stephens, Steve Ortega, Weinert.

Mrs. John E. Robinson, of Throckmorton.

Mrs. Ceell Egley, of Abilene. William Guinday, of Pecos. Chano Cantana, of O'Brien. Mrs. Frank Russell, of Monday.

THE VERY NEWEST: Mr. and Mrs. Arlon W. Alexander, of Goree, baby boy, Michael Dawson, weight 6 lbs., 7 oz., born Feb. 29, 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Kojack, Seymour, baby boy, Ronnie Ray, weight 7 lbs., 9 oz., born Feb. 29, 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. Encarnacion Ortiz, Haskell, baby boy, Encarnacion Jr., weight 8 lbs., 1 oz., born Feb. 25, 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Wester, of Haskell, baby girl, Patty Jo, weight 6 lbs., 14 1/2 oz., born March 5, 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Moreno, of Rochester, baby boy, Fernando, weight 8 lbs., 10 oz., born March 1, 1964.

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EASTER FASHIONABLES . . .

Advertisement for Lane-Felker Easter Fashionables. Features two models wearing elegant dresses. Text includes 'A. Jennifer features a Chanel jacket and textured crepe sparkled with a cowl neckline crepe blouse. Sizes 5-15, 6-16. Colors: Black, Navy, Beige, Red with White.' and 'B. Subtle back and front tucking create a look in textured crepe. Sizes 5-15, 6-16. Colors: Turquoise, Pink, White, Lemon, Powder, Black, Beige.'

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The PERSONALITY SHOPPE

Advertisement for The Slipper Shoppe. Features a large illustration of a high-heeled shoe. Text includes 'Rhythm Step' and 'has a wonderful feeling about the shoe NEW NOW Look in Fashion!'. Below the shoe, it says 'And Spring is a wonderful season to enjoy walking in the comfort of the OLYMPIA . . . featuring RHYTHM STEP's cushioned "Wonder-feel" sole that absolutely refuses to wear out. Excitingly chic, too, with its smart tailored toe and its little one-and-a-half-inch stacked heel.'

# WARRIORS RACK UP 5 LOSSES IN B-BALL

Everett's Warriors' score listed first in each game: 36 Weinert 19; 46 Weinert 17; 31 Rule 28; 37 Munday 17; 37 Aspermont 33; 29 Aspermont 24; 19 Merkel 31; 37 Baird 20; 24 Albany 17; 32 Rochester 9; 41 Seymour 24; 32 Hamlin 15; 48 Anson 29; 30 Jackshoro 43; 52 Knox City 32; 62 Seymour 30; 56 Seymour 20; 25 Hamlin 30; 52 Rochester 18; 40 Aspermont 44; 25 Anson 29; 48 Rochester 28; 32 Goree 31; 31 Rochester 19; 23 Albany 30; 46 Rule 31.

# 680 Animals Is Near Record Run At Auction Here

A near record run of cattle greeted the two new lessees of the Haskell Livestock Auction, V. L. Jones, who also owns and operates the Ranger Cattle Company, and Sig Faircloth, at the modern auction facility just south of the city limits here Saturday.

A total of 680 cattle went through the ring and pen pattern, a number bettered only by a run of 800 the third sale after the imposing new plant was opened for business last August.

Jones leased half of the Haskell Livestock Auction only last week from Tommy Ray Foster, the builder of the facility here, and its original owner-operator. Earlier, Sig Faircloth leased the half which had been purchased from Foster by Bill Lane, Haskell stockman-farmer.

Faircloth and Jones are continuing the business as partners and reported a "good market" with many new buyers present at Saturday's sale, principally from Fort Worth and Amarillo.

Cattle auction sales are held each Saturday and the new facility, which the Haskell Chamber of Commerce assisted in establishing through institution of water facilities, has created a notable increase in transient traffic and materially aided economy in the community.



**WINNER IN RCA VICTOR PORTABLE TV CONTEST** - Mrs. E. E. Tompkins of Route 1, Haskell, is shown receiving the warranty card from Mr. Byron Frazier, of Frazier's Appliances for the TV she won. The contest is sponsored, and the TV's are given by the Adleta Company of Dallas, distributors of RCA Victors in this area. Eight TV's have been given away to date with two more weeks to follow in the contest. Residents may register at Frazier's Appliances.

# Agriculture's Role In Growth Of Economy Cited By County Agent

Agriculture will continue to play a major role in the economic growth of the United States, Frank W. Martin, Haskell County agricultural agent, declared here Saturday in calling attention to the tremendous emphasis being placed on an expanding economy in the nation today.

Defining economic growth as "a rising level of national output accompanied by a rising level of living per person over a long period of time," Martin called attention to the yardstick laid down by Adam Smith, the classical economist of the 18th century.

Adam Smith was quoted by Martin as having said in the 1700's, "When by the improvement and cultivation of land, the labour of one family can provide food for two, the labour of half the society becomes sufficient to provide food for the whole. The other half, therefore, or at least the greater part of them, can be employed in providing other things, or in satisfying the other wants and fancies of mankind."

Martin points out that Adam Smith died 173 years ago, and "today, in the United States, one farm worker provides the food not just for two persons, but for TWENTY-EIGHT persons. Think of this and its implications."

The Haskell County agent declared that through the years the marked increase in food supplies of the U. S. has helped the whole process of economic growth and development in this country. The rapid advance in agricultural productivity has meant increased food supplies at relatively lower prices, he said.

When a consumer went to a retail food store in the 1920's to buy a pound of beef steak, a pound of pork, a quart of milk,

dozen eggs, a pound loaf of bread a dozen oranges, and a 10-pound sack of potatoes, he would have had to work about four and a half hours to buy these groceries, Martin pointed out.

This would leave him only 3 hours and 30 minutes out of an 8-hour day to pay for shelter, clothing and other family needs.

"Today, it takes only about an hour and 30 minutes of labor to buy these same groceries and he has about 6 hours and 21 minutes left out of an 8-hour work day to buy clothing, two and three bedroom homes, TV sets, long black automobiles, one compact air conditioning unit... and many other items that make for the level of high living which many of the consumers have in the United States today. I wonder what Adam Smith would think of these fancies?"

Because wage earners need less of their income to buy food, the effective demand for other goods increased, Martin explained.

Following his presentation of these stimulating statistics, Martin called attention to the work of the English economist, W. Arthur Lewis, who has written, "It is not profitable to produce a growing volume of manufactures unless agriculture production is growing simultaneously. This is also why industrial and agrarian revolution always go together, and why economies in which agriculture is stagnant do not show industrial development."

Martin's conclusions on the role of agriculture in economic growth are that, "Agriculture in the U. S. will continue for sometime to supply an abundance of food and a high nutritional level at prices that are low in relation to the prices of other goods and services."

# LUCK OF THE IRISH WILL BE WITH ALL DOLLAR DAY HERE

The old rhyme about "a dollar, a dollar, a 10 o'clock scholar" reminds that next Tuesday is Dollar Day again in Haskell Town, and you'd better mosey into the stores before any 10 o'clock if you want to get an early start on a real day for low-down prices on high quality merchandise.

No matter what time you do your shopping all day Tuesday, March 17, which is Good Ol' St. Patrick's Day, to boot, shure 'n be gorry, the bargains will be beautiful.

So wear your green tie, or green scarf, or buy one when you get there, and have the Luck of the Irish at Haskell's townwide beautiful, beautiful bargain counters, which will be heaped with money-saving items for your discerning evaluation.

# Mrs. Albert Hannsz Center Point Pick For THDA Council

Center Point Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clyde Bland for their semi-monthly business and social get-together.

Mrs. Bill Fouts was in charge and the members were led in song by Mrs. Claude Ashley.

Mrs. Albert Hannsz was elected the club's nominee as delegate to the Texas Home Demonstration Association Council.

Mrs. Oris Gibson, secretary, assisted with the business meeting.

Mrs. J. Whitaker led the group in a series of stimulating games.

The next meeting of Center Point Club will be at the home of Mrs. Buck Bland on March 19.

Refreshments were served the following members: Mmes. Bill Fouts, Oris Gibson, Tony Patterson, Irion Pearsey, Eddy Johnson, J. Cain, Dow Bland, Travis Smith, Buck Bland, J. Whitaker, C. R. Ashley, Albert Hannsz and Claude Bland.

# HD Clubs to Stage Hootenanny Type Rally Day April 3

A Hootenanny-type tri-county rally day among home demonstration clubs of this area will be held at the American Legion Hall here on Friday, April 3, Mrs. V. R. Leverett, Haskell County home demonstration agent, announced Monday.

Participating counties will be Baylor, Knox, and Haskell, Mrs. Leverett said.

Each county will be responsible for a table of exhibits of work and for talent on the "hootenanny" show. Lunch will be served in the private dining room of the Texas Cafe in Haskell in connection with the rally day program.

The program features and events on the day-long schedule will be announced soon by Mrs. Leverett.

# Divot Diggers' Derby Docketed Here May 1-2-3

Annual invitational golf tournament of the Haskell County Country Club will be held May 1-3, it was announced Monday by Bob Mobley and R. C. Couch, Jr., co-directors.

The event here, which annually draws upwards of 100 golfers, will be launched with a huge barbecue on Friday, May 1, followed by matched play on Saturday and Sunday. One of the extra added features this year will be an "Over 50 - Over 90" separate tourney, in which shaft swingers shooting in these numerical realms on nine and 18 holes will be pitted against each other, Mobley and Couch reported.

Travis Horton, of Stamford, is the defending champion of the Haskell Invitational.

# Couples Class At Weinert Baptist Have "42" Party

The Couples Class of Weinert Baptist Church were entertained at a party Friday evening at the Community Center Games of "42" were played. Refreshments of punch, coffee, cookies and brownies were served. Teacher, Jean Thewshanger, and Mrs. Thewshanger, and the following attended: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Earp, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adams, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hackney, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchinson.

# FOUR G.A. QUEENS CROWNED IN CEREMONIES AT FIRST BAPTIST

Coronation ceremonies honoring four queens of the Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church of Haskell were held in the auditorium of the church at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday under the sponsorship of the Women's Missionary Union.

Mrs. C. V. Oates, president of the WMU, directed a program and served as mistress of ceremonies at the coronation.

Intermediate GA members, Theresa Abbott, Sara Yeary, Deana Roberson and Beverly Owens were the reigning queens at the event.

They were attended by a Court comprised of the following intermediate and junior Girls' Auxiliary members: Theresa Wagley, Beth Middleton, Suzanne Thomas, Susan Wainscott, Kay Helweg and Darlene Abbott, all ladies-in-waiting; and Tammy Cox, Becky Ray, Pam Colbert, Paula Middleton, Debbie Burson, and Jeweldeen Branch, all serving as maidsens.

Crown-bearers were Karen Tolver, Nicki Priest, Trenet Nobles and Kathy Perrin.

Theme of the ceremonies, "A Story to Tell," was moderated by Mrs. Virgil Wall, the Intermediate GA supervisor.

Mrs. Gentry Middleton is the GA director and Mrs. Odell Helweg and Mrs. Bill Stegal are Junior GA supervisors.

# More Volunteers Needed For Vital Cancer Endeavors

A large group of volunteer workers handled a volume of needs for cancer patients at the Haskell Cancer Center on the third floor of the Courthouse last Thursday.

The increasing needs of patients call for more volunteers who will be welcomed at the Center here at 2 p. m. today.

Working at last Thursday's session were: Mmes. Perry Spenny, J. E. Wilson, Alice Mayes, H. Russell, John Brock, J. E. Sanders, W. G. Pope, Frank McCurley, J. R. Davis, R. R. Overton, Jim Darden, Ruth Reid, Mrs. McMeans took bandages out to sew.

# "History Shared" Rule Garden Club Topic of The Day

The Rule Garden Club met for a luncheon and program on Wednesday, March 4, at 12 noon.

The club president, Mrs. Clyde Grice, presided for the business meeting. Mrs. C. A. Jackson was program director.

The topic for the day was "History Shared." Mrs. O. G. Lewis gave a talk on "Life and Works of Luther Burbank."

Those to attend the San Angelo District VIII meeting were announced: Mrs. Clyde Grice, Mrs. Bob Turner, Mrs. A. R. Eaton, Mrs. R. O. Carothers, Mrs. Morris Neal, Mrs. Columbia White, Mrs. J. A. Lisle, Mrs. Lynn Martin and Mrs. John A. Lee.

Members present were: Mmes. Turner, Lee, Lisle, Neal, Grice, Jackson, White, Eaton, Lewis, Carothers, W. D. Payne, W. S. Cole, W. T. Hines, W. T. Sorrells, Ed Conner, Herbert Rinn, H. A. Hertel, Joe Cloud, C. O. Davis, Claude Norman, E. O. Morgan, Parish Keller, Cameron Sprayberry, W. R. Mason.

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**DIVIDEND SAVINGS**

Lt. Charles Smith Gets Assignment At English Base

First Lieutenant Charles H. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Smith, of Route 1, Wettersfield R.A.F. Station, England, following his graduation from the United States Air Force training course for F-100 Super Sabre pilots at Luke AFB, Arizona, according to word received here.

attended McMurry College, Abilene, and Texas Technological College, Lubbock. He has a bachelor of business administration degree and was commissioned in January, 1962, through the Reserve Officer Training Corps program.

His wife, Kay, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Smith, 3704 Brighton Road, Ft. Worth.

FROM A PASTOR'S STUDY - by DOUGLAS B. FINCH, MINISTER, First Presbyterian Church, Haskell, Tex.

The fact of separation of church and state is a matter of great interest to all of us... but like many other things of this sort, we have failed, largely, to understand its meaning. It is a very one-sided idea, to be sure, and this is as it should be, in this case. The purpose of separation of church and state is to protect the church from the state and not to protect the state from the church.

wrecks in the first place; or a doctor who puts iodine on allergy "bumps" but fails to seek the substance to which the patient is allergic. Picking up the "wrecks" or "painting the bumps" is the role that we would delegate to the Church often, while denying to them the ministry of removing the first cause!

Many persons, however, wrongly feel that the idea is that the church has no right to mix into affairs of state. Such would, of course, be an impossibility. Strict separation of this kind would render our nation sterile.

Take the welfare rolls in our own county, for example. We are deeply concerned, along with our dedicated welfare workers, for the plight of persons who must be wholly or partially supported by the county or state. The problem, obviously, is basically an economic one.

Unfortunately, many persons like to live their lives very comfortably "compartmentalized"... They like to relegate the Church to one of the "comfortable compartments" which in no way encroaches upon the other compartments.

A lawyer told me recently that the divorce problem is basically a problem that can be traced to the economy. One couple sought a divorce in his office whose cotton crop was drying up for lack of rain.

Often times in such cases, however, the Church finds itself in the position of treating the symptoms of disease without getting to the root of the trouble. It's sort of like the highway department spending millions of dollars for equipment to remove the wrecked cars from the highways, but doing nothing to improve road hazards that created the run-

Cooperation and broader concepts are needed by all of us. We must recognize, too, that when we spend a little money to remove these evils, we are the very ones who will benefit most in the long run.

Sagerton News

BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

The Sagerton Homecoming committee met last Wednesday evening with Sagerton School principal, Miss Irene Stewart, to plan Sagerton School's Third Homecoming which is held every five years.

The committee consists of Mrs. I. O. Hughes, Jr., of Stamford; Mrs. August Balzer, Chas. Clark, Delbert LeFevre, and Johnny Spitzer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton and their grandson, Steve Clark, visited in Haskell Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Murr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hendrichs of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel Sunday.

Miss Irene Stewart, Mrs. Mary Dell Watkins, Mrs. Hollis Haynes, all teachers at the Sagerton School, and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre and Mrs. M. Y. Benton, lunchroom workers, attended the Oilbelt Teachers Meeting in Sweetwater Friday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Simpson, of Rule, and Mrs. Charles Clark and Steve were guests in the Delbert LeFevre home Tuesday evening of last week.

Mrs. J. L. Odell, 93, a resident of Haskell 56 years from 1903 until 1959, died at 1 a. m. last Thursday in the Merrill Rest Home at Winters, where she had been a resident for the past five years.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a. m. Friday in Spill Memorial Chapel in Winters with the Rev. B. T. Shumake, pastor of the First Baptist Church there officiating.

Graveside services were held in Willow Cemetery here at 3 p. m. Friday. Mrs. Odell was buried beside the grave of her late husband, J. L. Odell, who died here on July 23, 1959.

Born Iva Bedford on August 20, 1870, Mrs. Odell's birthplace was in Arkansas. Her parents were in the process of moving from Missouri to Texas at the time of her birth.

Survivors include four sons, Gordon Odell, of Amarillo; James J., of Oklahoma City, Okla.; A. D. of Abilene; and J. L. of Lubbock; two daughters, Mrs. H. F. (Lela) Barnes, of Plains; Mrs. J. L. (Mamie) Donohoo, of Abilene; two brothers, Jay J. and Fred Bedford, both of Winters; nine grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a. m. Friday in Spill Memorial Chapel in Winters with the Rev. B. T. Shumake, pastor of the First Baptist Church there officiating.

Stegemoeller. Mrs. D. A. Ulmer of Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer and Diane several days last week.

Mrs. John L. Brooks attended the District meeting of National Association of Postmasters in Fort Worth Saturday.

Wanda Nixon, Chas. Chapman Honored By Club

Two outstanding Haskell High School Seniors were named Honorary Rotarians of the Month at the first March meeting of the Rotary Club of Haskell Thursday, March 5.

Miss Nixon has been a cheerleader for the past two years, was Basketball Sweetheart this year, played girls' basketball, was all-district in volleyball in 1965, Sweetheart of the Haskell Chapter, of the Future Farmers of America, is a member of Future Homemakers, and the Owl Club, served as Junior Class secretary, and participated in the Senior and Quill and Scroll plays.

Chapman was an outstanding lineman of the Haskell Indians football team for four years, played basketball and ran in track one year each, served as basketball manager and track squad manager this year, was a candidate for American Legion Boys' State in 1965, took part in the Junior and Senior Class plays, and also participated in Owl Club stage reading.

Mrs. Erna Emma Holloway, 68, former Haskell resident, died Saturday morning at Hereford.

Mrs. Holloway, 68, Dies In Hereford; Burial Is Here

Mrs. Erna Emma Holloway, 68, former Haskell resident, died Saturday morning at Hereford.

Funeral was held at 1:30 p. m. Sunday at the Gilliland Funeral Chapel at Hereford. A second service was held here at 3 p. m. Monday at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Douglas Vaughn, pastor of the Pinkerton Baptist Church officiating, assisted by Rev. Odis O. Carruth, pastor of South Side Baptist Chapel. Burial in Willow Cemetery was directed by Holden's Funeral Home.

Born Erna Emma Jaeger on August 1, 1896, in Lavaca County, she was married to Mr. Omar Holloway Nov. 29, 1916, in Haskell. The couple moved to Hereford in 1958. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

School lunch menus for the week of March 16-20:

Monday: Swiss Steak with tomatoes, mashed potatoes, English peas, cabbage slaw, pecan cookies, milk, hot rolls, butter.

Tuesday: Weiners stuffed with cheese, buttered corn, seasoned pea beans, sliced tomatoes, hot rolls, butter, plain cake with apricot sauce and milk.

Wednesday: Tamales, pinto beans, buttered spinach, onion rings, pickles, cornbread, butter, peach halves, milk.

Thursday: Hamburger Supreme, mashed potatoes, green beans, tossed green salad, butterscotch pudding, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Friday: Tuna sandwiches, punnetto cheese sandwiches, potato chips, baked beans, green pepper and carrot sticks, peach cobbler, milk.

Blue And Gold Banquet Is Gala Event At Rule

More than 100 patrons attended the annual Blue and Gold Banquet of Rule Cub Scout Troop 44 at the school cafeteria in Rule recently.

Cubmaster Don Smith was master of ceremonies, with Mrs. Don Smith serving as secretary in an awards program which included presentations to the following:

Wolf pins - Booby Anders, Doyle Morris, Tommye Davis, and Mark Davis.

Bobcat - Nolan Pitcock, Lan Hartenberger, Corky Wilson, David Kupatt, Roy Don Wilson and Roger Frazier.

Receiving merit badges and three-year pins were Bobby Bishop, Ricky Norwood, and Kelly Holaman.

The average water consumption per person in the U. S. is about 50 gallons.

Two Area Students Are In College Pledge Classes

Two Haskell County college students recently have been named members of pledge classes in extra-curricular activities on their respective campuses.

Keith Bernard Brien, was one of the Texas Tech spring semester pledges of Phi Gamma Delta at North Texas University.

"Henpecked Harry" Will Visit In Rule Tomorrow Night

"Henpecked Henry," billed as a "knee-slapper to watch," will be the presentation of the Senior Class of Rule High School in the high school auditorium at 7:30 Friday night, March 13.

Members of the cast will be David May, Ronnie May, a "guest star," Sharon Fischer, Louetta Barbee, Lana Bell, Dolores Stryker, Missy Denton, Richard Mathis, Ronald Kinney, Estelle Wampler and Elaine Elmore.

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# Prattle

By AL HINDS



"High Hurdles" Wallace Cox Jr. has a pretty good story for those who will listen. You have probably heard of the expression, "jumping the gun" ... Well, friend Cox attempted to jump the chain fence over at Bailey Toliver Chevrolet Co., the other day and didn't quite make it. For the past few days he has been nursing scratches and bruises about the face and body. "Prexy" Cox thought at first he had been struck by a two-ton truck ... but it was just the ground which flew up and hit him. Oh! "High Hurdles" states he ain't agoin' to jump any more fences!

The once spoken words of Horace Greeley ... "Go West, Young Man" still has a lot of meat in it today.

Walter B. Moore, Editor, Texas Almanac, had this to say recently in the Dallas Morning News:

A Texas crowded with 260 million residents is hard to imagine. So is a Dallas of six million citizens, or a United States with 12 billion ... four

times the present population of the entire globe. All of these totals would be reached today if Dallas, Texas and the nation had gained population as fast during the last 50 years as Lubbock has.

Lubbock doesn't show up in the U. S. Census tabulations until 1910, when it had 1,938 population. (Dallas was a city of 92,000 and Houston had 78,800 by that date). But Lubbock's population had approximately doubled each decade, increasing 68-fold in the 50 years to 128,891 by 1960. Let this doubling continue, and Texas' No. 1 city may someday be the 'Hub of the Plains'.

Lubbock's history is far more than a matter of size. It has grown in agricultural importance, in cultural leadership for a wide area, in varied economic and educational services. Many achievements justify the fierce loyalty and pride of its citizens.

Those accomplishments are thoroughly explained in "A History of Lubbock," written by nine members of the Texas Technological College staff and edited by one of the authors, Lawrence T. Graves. The 692-page volume is available from the West Texas Museum, on the Tech campus.

Readers who think of history in terms of battles, political jockeying or even frontiersmen, hard-riding cowboys and Indian fights will find little of that in Lubbock for it is a young city, vital, vigorous, but a farmer's and businessman's town, not richly endowed with a past.

Displacing Dallas and Memphis as claimants for the title of the capital of the Kingdom of Cotton, Lubbock has the world's largest cottonseed processing plant, and some of the largest concentrations of ginning, warehousing, marketing of cotton fiber and seed. In

grain sorghums, cattle fattening, irrigation supplies and many other enterprises, Lubbock ranks high.

Many important dates are on the calendar for both voter and candidate in coming months. Some dates are important to candidates while others are vital to the voting public. Many dates are set by the general election code of the state. These are as follows:

March 16—County executive committee to determine by lot the order of candidates on the printed ballot, the hour and places of holding precinct conventions on primary election day, and the hour and place of the county convention May 9.

April 7—First day to make application to county clerk to vote absentee by mail in the second primary.

April 12-28—Absentee voting by personal appearance or by mail for first primary begins 20 days before election and continues through the fourth day preceding election.

May 2—First Primary Election. Candidates who receive a majority of the votes cast in their race will be party nominees. The two top vote-getters in races where no candidate obtains a majority will be voted on in the second primary.

May 2—Precinct conventions to elect county convention delegates.

May 9—County Convention to elect delegates to the state convention.

May 27-June 2—Absentee voting by personal appearance or by mail for second primary.

June 6—Second Primary election. Completion of nominating process except for canvassing and contesting of vote outcome.

June 16—State Convention to meet to elect delegates to the national convention.

Sept. 4—First day to make application to county clerk to vote absentee by mail in the general election.

Sept. 15—State Convention to meet to adopt state platform for general election.

Oct. 14-30—Absentee voting by mail or by personal appearance for general election.

Oct. 24-26—Sworn statement of campaign expenditures must be mailed.

Nov. 3—General Election Day.

Dec. 14—Presidential elections convene in Austin to vote for President and Vice President of the United States.

January, 1965—Federal, state and local officials are sworn in on various dates to begin their terms of office.

Some officials, such as state senators or representatives, take the oath immediately after the votes are canvassed in November.

### Six Are Presented

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lastic sweater in 1963, was awarded a "hash mark" in lieu of a second sweater for superiority in English this year. Similarly, David Follstaedt, a junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Follstaedt, was recognized for second straight year, for proficiency in science.

Runnersup in the various academic subjects and saluted for their accomplishments also were Jimmy Bynum, a junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Bynum, History; Jerre Sue Colbert, sophomore, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Colbert, in two subjects, science and English; and Larry Jeter, a junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Jeter, math.

Dottie Norton, president of the Quill and Scroll chapter, made the presentations between acts of the annual Q&S play.

## Wallar Overton Shows Slides At Lions Meeting

Interesting facts and slides about East and West Germany were presented Lions at their Tuesday noon-day luncheon meeting by Wallar Overton who spent almost two years in Germany with the 14th Armored Cavalry.

Rogers Durham, First Christian Church minister, was program chairman for the day, and introduced the speaker.

As he showed the slides Lt. Overton explained where the pictures were made, and told something of the conditions in Germany.

Wallace Cox Sr. was noted as a guest at Tuesday's meeting.

### Zone Meeting

President Wallace Cox, Jr. announced the final zone meeting of this official Lions Club year will be held tonight (Thursday) March 12, in Knox City, and asked that Haskell be well represented at the meeting.

### Tree Planting

Due to the fact the club has not had available a machine to dig the holes, the tree planting project has been stymied, but plans are underway to complete the project immediately.

## Gym Most Suitable For 'Gyrating' Domino Players

The school gymnasium seemed the appropriate site to schedule a domino tournament, "judging by the gyrations of both players and dominoes," Weinert High School seniors said Monday in announcing the event for Friday night, March 13, at 7 p. m.

Proceeds from the tourney, which has an entry fee of \$1 per person with each participant requested to bring his own dominoes and markers will go toward paying for the annual Senior Class trip. Weinert seniors are going either to Washington, D. C., or to Colorado this spring.

### A. D. English---

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the saddle arrived, then maintained a constant vigil at the train station until his master returned from selling his cattle.

The longtime Haskellite established one of the first livery stables here, placing a cousin in charge, Mr. English spent his early life in Crockett and Austin, coming here 73 years ago from the state capital city.

Survivors include the daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Merkel; two sons, Albert English, Jr., of Judd and Rochester; and John English, Longview; and four grandchildren.

### Father's Death ---

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Barbosa's condition was critical Tuesday in a Big Spring hospital where he is confined of compound fractures of both legs.

Steve Jr. is in satisfactory condition, recuperating from multiple abrasions at a second Big Spring hospital.

David Ortega, thought to have been returning to Big Spring after picking up his brother and brother-in-law from a job at Tahoka when the accident happened, was born Jan. 8, 1945, at Coleman.

David Ortega's survivors include his wife, Mrs. Vetarena Garcia Ortega of Rio Grande City, Texas; a daughter, Dabil, of Rio Grande City; two brothers, Steve Jr., of Weinert and Albert, of Haskell; three sisters, Miss Aliza Ortega, of Weinert; Mrs. Della Lopez, of Weinert; and Mrs. Tony Barbosa, of Fort Worth; his mother, Mrs. Maria Dias Ortega, of Weinert.

Steve Ortega's survivors are his wife, two sons, three daughters; one granddaughter.

## COASTAL BERMUDA PROVING OUT VALUE TO LIVESTOCKMAN

Southwestern cattlemen are swinging to the planting of Coastal Bermuda, but many are still doubting Thomases about the success those who have tried it have enjoyed for the past 10 years.

The "doubters" are more than offset by the "believers" in this territory, where users say, "Coastal Bermuda is destined to change the entire industry."

In Haskell County alone, an estimated 1,500 acres have been sprigged to the grass in the last three years.

One area rancher, compared Coastal to wheat, reminding a visitor how price supports made it possible for every farmer owning 15 acres to grow wheat profitably and what this did to the grain market.

### Dr. Vaughter---

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Methodist University. He and his wife, also a Sweetwater native, have four children, all girls. Mrs. Dulaney is the former Beth Haggard, of Sweetwater.

A resident of Haskell eight years, Browning was head basketball coach and assistant football coach for six years. He was a science teacher for that length of time. He is married to the former Janice Hester of Haskell, and the couple have three children.

Browning holds a bachelor of science and master of education degree from Midwestern University, Wichita Falls.

B. B. (Brack) Gilmore, a native of Olney, who has owned and operated the Gilmore Implement Company in Haskell for the past 17 years, filed for a council post Saturday. His wife is a member of the Haskell Board of Education. The couple has one son, a sophomore in Haskell High School.

An outstanding athlete at both Olney High School and Texas Tech, Gilmore served four years in the United States Navy before entering business for himself in Haskell. While on Naval duty, he saw service for two years in the Panama Canal Zone and two years in the Pacific Theater.

## James Davis Is All Area Second Team B-Ball Pick

James Davis, the Of Reliable and chief net swisher on Haskell's basketball "momentous mites," was named to the Class AA All-Area second team by a consensus of coaches, the Abilene Reporter-News announced Tuesday.

Only one 6-AA player, Anson's Abner Shelman, made the starting all-area team, and Davis had the company on the second team of Steve Haterius, of Stamford, and Dennis Cooley, of Anson.

These were the only four boys honored with All-Area mention in the entire six team 6-AA league.

Davis, who banged the basketball for a better than 15-point average per game all season, was the mainstay of the Haskell roundball roustabouts.

Tom Burks, Anson, and Jack Baucom, Coleman, share glory as co-coaches of the All-Area team.

### Aspermont Site---

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would continue "to go the limit for early construction."

Based on the information about the 1975 completion date for the chain of flood control dams on the Brazos, "we feel the acute need exists to build this dam sooner than later," Judge Alvis pointed out, citing the urgency for the fact gathering talks next Friday.

Kenneth Musgrave, of Abilene, a member of the citizens committee, reiterated his earlier argument before Colonel Wells that studies of the upper basin have been going on "for 30 years and no dams have been built yet" in this lake-ahy region.

few years back by experts, he planted a large number of acres and, though it might have been a "local situation," obtained only heartache and a little grazing.

"After that, I finally gave in" and planted Coastal, hoping for results only half as good as what he'd heard, Russel related.

The first 70 acres went in on sand ridge land covered by sagebrush, grass burrs, and shinnery. This land had a stocking rate of a cow to every 25 to 40 acres. Now, two years later, he is running more than two animals to the acre on this same land.

He had the brush bulldozed out and the worst ridges leveled before sprigging the grass. No cost figures were available on this first work other than \$15 an acre for the sprigging, but the 283 acres put to grass this spring were cleared and leveled at \$11.25 an acre. This time there were no sprigging costs other than for tractor and labor, since he used his own sprigs.

Russel now plans to expand his cow herd and hopes someday to have 900 acres of Coastal for grazing in the spring, summer and fall. Then, just as this winter, he'll have 140 acres of rye for winter grazing. He also predicted he will start baling the grass for hay once he gets enough acreage into full production.

The Rochester farmer-rancher already had three-quarters of a mile of sprinkler pipe and nine wells that he used for his cotton, and this saved him a great initial expense.

Russel's summation of his experiences went like this: The calves are doing as well as if they were grazing Sudan grass. The cows are fatter and the bulls look better than ever before. I expect my calving to be near 100 per cent. Proper use of water and fertilizer will allow me to graze two cows and calves per acre on established Coastal. The carrying capacity increased from a cow-calf to 25-40 acres to two cows and calves to each acre.

"I told you nobody would believe me," Russel concluded.

### Too Late to Classify

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