



Scholarships, Other Honors Awarded HHS Students

Sego Valedictory Keynotes 79th Annual Graduation

JAYCEES PROFITED ON RODEO; CHAMBER SETS FUTURE PLANS

Haskell Jaycees made a profit of some \$750 in staging the annual Rice Springs Roundup and rodeo here May 14-16, and with it expect to retire immediately a portion of the indebtedness the organization incurred in renovating the rodeo plant here this year, Jesse Priest, Jaycee president, told a meeting of the board of directors of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce at a breakfast session Tuesday.

THANKS!
An expression of heartfelt gratitude from all Jaycees here for "the magnificent cooperation of everyone and the unprecedented patronage by area people which assured success of the rodeo" was expressed this week by Jesse Priest, president of the Rice Springs Roundup-sponsoring Jaycees.

Abe Turner, president, reported the board voted to meet twice monthly in the future, on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month for a 7 a. m. breakfast, and "have at least four Town Hall-type meetings a year".

One such meeting in the latter category appears imminent.

Turner said, when a fact-finding committee headed by Don Muenzler, Haskell druggist, reports the completion of a project to study the Chamber of Commerce dues payments scales in towns of Haskell's size with a view toward adjusting the potential of financial support for the civic organization here. Other members of Muenzler's committee are Howard Perry, Mrs. Opal Adkins, Mrs. Roy Johnson and Raja Hassen. Employment of a new Chamber manager here to succeed Bob Lowrance, who resigned on May 10, probably will be postponed pending the Chamber's session on its budget goals. Turner said, Haskell Postmaster Harold Spain heads a manager selection committee.

The Chamber president Tuesday also called a meeting of the planning committee for Haskell's annual "Hey Day" celebration. The group headed by Dr. Frank Cadenhead, and including Mrs. Tom Barfield, Desmond Dulaney, and Porter Oakes, will meet Thursday at 7 p. m. in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank to select a date, probably in August, for the annual county-wide event.

Declaring that "an application of our knowledge is necessary in all we do," and emphasizing the need for exerting "the best that we are every day" in order to achieve happiness in the years ahead, Judy Kaye Sego, graduating senior valedictorian of the Haskell High School Class of 1964, sounded the keynote of the 79th annual commencement of the high school here Monday night.

In her valedictory address before her 45 classmates and a capacity audience in the First Baptist Church here, Miss Sego compared scholarship and the accumulation of knowledge with climbing Pike's Peak. "When we began (12 years ago) our trip up the mountain of knowledge, we went up gradually. But soon the going became rough . . . with steep climbs and sharp curves, with tests at every corner," the valedictorian recalled.

Miss Sego concluded her valedictory with the words of Alexander Pope, quoting the immortal poet as saying, "So near is grandeur to our dust. So near is God to man. When duty whispers low, 'Thou must' . . . the youth replies, 'I can'."

As valedictorian, Judy Kaye, with a 92.88 grade average for four years, and salutatorian, Neida Gibson, with a 92.51 average, were presented tuition scholarships to any state school in Texas by Hooper T. Wilkinson, superintendent of schools. To Barry O'Neal, highest ranking boy in the class, with a 91.33 average, a scholarship was awarded by the Council of Church Related Colleges in Texas. This same scholarship, in like manner, was made available to the valedictorian and salutatorian for their superiority, like that of young O'Neal, in scholarship.

Additional laurels were bestowed on Judy Kaye Sego and Barry O'Neal when Dr. William J. Kemp, representing the Rogers-Cox Post 211 of the American Legion in Haskell, presented the Legion's award, determined by vote of the faculty and their fellow students, as the outstanding girl and boy in Haskell High School during the 1963-64 school year. The American Legion awards, tangibly conveyed with a medal and pin, are voted by the entire student body and faculty to the boy and girl deemed most worthy among them on the basis of scholarship, leadership, courage, citizenship, and moral character.

To Susie Ozuna, another graduating senior, also went 2 signal honors, a scholarship to Wayland Baptist College, of Plainview awarded by the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. She was one of but 13 in the entire state so selected. Superintendent Wilkinson made this presentation.

Mrs. Charlie Redwine, president of the Haskell Chapter, See **Sego Valedictory** page 01



DOLLY BEATS THE ODDS—Larry Sanders, of Grand Prairie, shows off a pair of twin colts born the 1st week in May to Dolly, a mare owned by Larry and his wife, Paula. The mare was raised by Paula, "quite a horsewoman," according to Frank Martin, Haskell County Agent, who is Mrs. Sanders' uncle. The mare was a gift to Paula on her sixth birthday. Mrs. Sanders is the former Paula Turney, daughter of Mrs. Roger Turney, of Dallas. Mrs. Turney is County Agent Martin's sister. A veterinarian says odds against twin births in horses is about 10,000 to one.



GRADUATION—Commencement Speaker Judge Phillip G. Gilliam, university jurist, of Denver, Colorado, left, and Cal Farley, just as well-known men and founder of Cal Farley's Boys' Ranch at Tascosa, near Amarillo, valedictorian Bobby Tatum, of Haskell, after graduation ceremonies at the ranch Sunday marked the 25th anniversary of the ranch in the Top of Texas for homeboys went to Boys' Ranch three years ago at the instance of County Judge Jim Farley interested citizens here.

Band To Take Field In 'Snazzy' New Togs

About the most snazzy new uniforms the Haskell Band members' Club can describe what the Haskell High School marching band will be like, north of new uniforms.

The gridiron line-up of a football team Haskell's Head Coach and his assistants in that division's foes in the AA, the "Little League" in this area.

Here last week, the organization of the Haskell Band members' Club was held at the Indian Stadium. \$1,000 in profits from the sale of new band uniforms at the cost of the Oswald Co., of N. Y.

represents the Haskell Band members' Club in conceding the past year's success. The band stands for the '64 football team, according to the booster meeting. A nominating committee will draw up a slate for the 1964-65 school year. Olson is chairman. Two members of the band are Calenhead Jr., and Whitfill.

The new complete year, his director of bands in the school system, designed new band uniforms for marching. The new uniforms are in white, blue, and black, with a white stripe down the side, outlining the trousers, outlining the white plastic hood for marching, and of which is a white "Haskell" emblem across it in the back of the hood. A shoulder awning is an arrow-shaped emblem, the Haskell, Texas, the emblem complete the change of band uniforms in several years.

Merchants Meeting Market
George Neely, Dry Goods, Mrs. Opa and Mrs. Personality, Mrs. Hardin Coffield, Dept. Store; Mrs. Vicky Felker; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry, Paint Creek, treasurer, together with Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka, of Weinert, long-time cancer leader in the area, were named delegates to the district meeting this fall. The officer slate was adopted. See **Cancer Society** page 10

Bank And Stores Will Close Here Memorial Day

Haskell National Bank here will join most other business establishments in observing a town-wide closing Saturday, Memorial Day.

Memorial Day is a regular bank holiday on the schedule of the banking institution here, and for the most of the other stores and business houses in Haskell, it is a holiday agreed upon as one to be observed during the year by pre-arrangement among merchants here, according to coordinating Chamber of Commerce officials.

The practice of Saturday closing by the Bank will continue throughout the months of June, July, and August. Alfred Pierson, president, and Abe Turner, cashier, announced Tuesday. This practice goes into effect a week from Saturday, June 6, the bank officials said.

Drive-in facilities of the bank will be open, however, from 8 to 10 a. m. each Saturday during the three summer months, it was announced.

Cancer Society Elects Officers, Cites Individuals

At its annual meeting in the Community Room of the Haskell National Bank here, the Haskell County Chapter, American Cancer Society, elected new officers for the 1964-65 activity year, presented citations to three dedicated volunteers for "helping to strengthen the fight against cancer," honored several other cancer workers with gifts for longtime service, and expanded its board membership by 10 persons.

The very active cancer group in Haskell County also named five delegates to the district American Cancer Society meeting in the fall, and heard an address by Dr. Charles Meadows, lung specialist, of Abilene, on the effects of smoking and tobacco on the individual body. Mrs. Ed Hester of Haskell, was named president of the county cancer society, succeeding Mrs. R. A. Shaver, Jr., of Rochester, who was in charge of the meeting. Other new officers are Felix Mullino, Rochester, vice president; Mrs. Robert Wheatley, Haskell, secretary; and Mrs. Ray Perry, Paint Creek, treasurer. The group, together with Mrs. Melvin Vojkufka, of Weinert, long-time cancer leader in the area, were named delegates to the district meeting this fall. The officer slate was adopted. See **Cancer Society** page 10

Mrs. M. F. Medley, Longtime Weinert Resident, Dies

Mrs. M. F. Medley, 86, member of a long-time Weinert family which came to north Haskell County 48 years ago, died at 9:10 a. m. Sunday in Rice Springs Nursing Home here. She had been in failing health since 1957 and had resided in the care home since Jan. 14 this year.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Monday in Weinert Methodist Church with the Rev. Temple Lewis, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church of Stamford, officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. Lloyd H. Jones, pastor of Weinert Methodist Church. Burial under direction of Holden Funeral Home was in Weinert Cemetery beside the grave of her husband who died Oct. 26, 1953. Mr. Medley was associated in this area for a number of years.

Born Aug. 25, 1877 at Rosstown, Ella Vess married Marshall Fate Medley on Nov. 20, 1895 at Rosstown. The Medley family moved to Weinert in 1916 from Whitesboro. Until she entered the care home here, Mrs. Medley had been living with her children in this area for the past five years.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Amon Petty of Clyde, Mrs. Jess Owens of Booneville, Ark., Mrs. Carlton Capps of Albany, Mrs. Marvin Teaff and Mrs. A. B. Teaff, both of Abilene; one son, Everett of Haskell; one brother, Virgil Vess, of Wilson, Okla.; three sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Bewley of Rosstown, Mrs. Bertie Bewley of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Essie Collins of Decatur; 23 grandchildren and 50 great-grandchildren. Pallbearers, all grandsons, were Ray and Jim Medley, James, Edwin and Paul Petty, Leon Marsh, Bill and Bob Teaff.

Susie Ozuna Gets Baptist WMU Scholarship

Susie Ozuna, a graduating senior at Haskell High School, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aurelia Ozuna here, has been awarded a Latin-American Scholarship to attend Wayland College at Plainview by the Baptist General Convention of Texas, High School Principal W. F. McCollum announced. The scholarship, awarded to serving students selected on a competitive basis on achievement in high school and through a personal interview method, is part of the Latin-American program of the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Convention of Texas. McCollum reported. Only 13 students throughout Texas were selected for this type scholarship. Charles McLaughlin, chairman. See **Susie Ozuna** page 10

SAGERTON SET FOR EXPLOSION OF POPULATION AT REUNION

Sagerton is ready for its quinquennial population explosion Saturday and Sunday when hundreds will converge on the tiny settlement for homecoming, held once ever five years.

In 1959, Sagerton's Homecoming drew quadruple the population of the town of some 200. Delbert LeFever, general chairman of this year's event, said a cordial invitation is extended to anyone having lived in Sagerton, or who has attended school there, or in the Flat Top or Fairview, sometimes called Tanner, school districts. Starting with informal gatherings at 7 p. m. Saturday at Sagerton School, the quinquennial homecoming will be climaxed with dinner on Sunday at 12 and a program immediately thereafter in which J. N. Wilson, superintendent of schools in Petersburg, and a Sagerton High School graduate, Class of 1940, will be the principal speaker. The classes of '15 and '40 will be given special recognition. The oldest graduate present will be honored, as well as those who came the farthest distance to the homecoming.

All Sagerton School trustees present who served as many as See **Sagerton Set** page 10

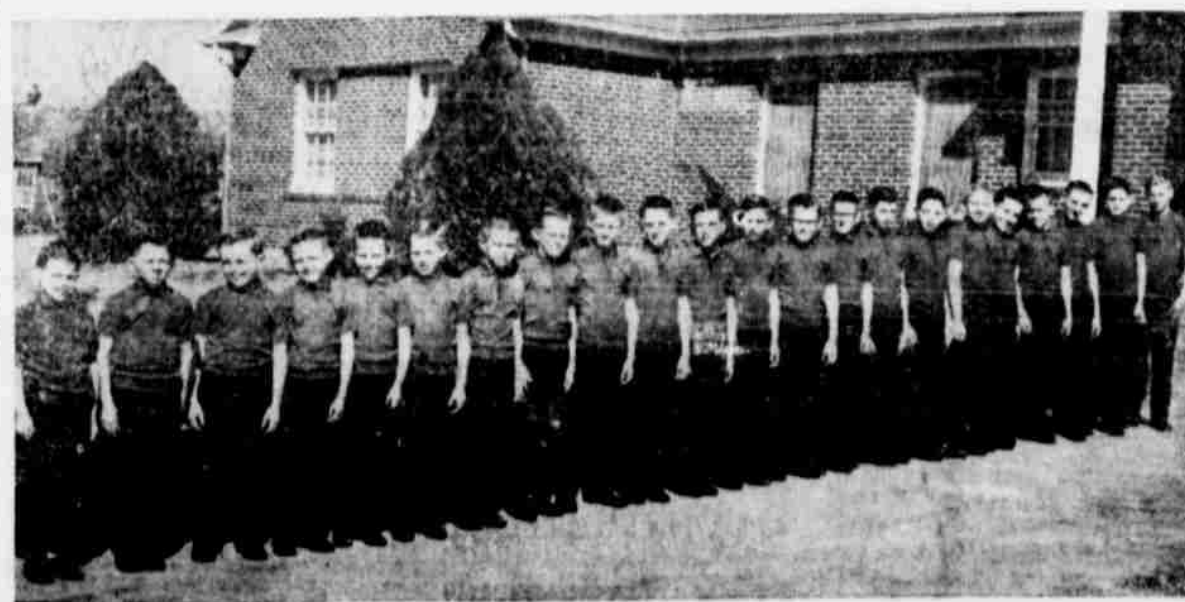
Buck-Snort Start Is Launch Aim Of Rule Fun Festival

Rule is launching on Saturday, June 13, what is expected to be an annual homecoming type event, the Wild Horse Prairie Fun Festival, to be staged all afternoon and evening on the school grounds of the enterprising community in west Haskell County.

A. T. Kutch, president of the Lions Club, one of the sponsoring organizations along with the Rule Chamber of Commerce headed by Clyde Grice, president, announced a full schedule of activities which start at 1 p. m. on the day of the fun festival.

The event is named, according to Jim Norman, Rule civic leader and one of the real old-timers, "because the territory between the town of Haskell and the Brazos River in which Rule is now the geographic hub, was once known as Wild Horse Prairie."

Starting with bingo games See **Buck-Snort Start** page 10



Accomplished Boy Singers From Quinlan, Texas

BOLES HOME BOY SINGERS IN CONCERT AT CHURCH OF CHRIST TUESDAY NIGHT AT 7

Accomplished young Boy Singers of the Boles Home at Quinlan, Texas, will be presented in choral concert at the Haskell Church of Christ next Tuesday, June 2, at 7:30 p. m. Jim Pennington, minister of the church here, has announced. The singers are currently on their annual summer tour under the auspices of the Churches of Christ. The first half of the present three-month tour includes appearances in many cities in West Texas, the Dallas area, and East Tex. In July and August, the Boy Singers

will be appearing in most of the southern states and in New York, New Jersey, and Washington, D. C. An a cappella choir group specializing in inspirational hymns, spirituals, and other familiar church songs, the Boy Singers present seven concerts each week during the summer, and have many week end appointments during the school year. They are under the direction of Allan Lewis. Boles Home is a home for children supported by Churches of Christ. It is composed of two

units, one at Quinlan, where 225 children live, and the Foster Home at Stephenville, where 32 children live. Gayle Oler is superintendent of the school, a community within itself, which conducts 12 grades of public school and renders many other services to boys and girls from pre-school ages through college or vocational training. Mr. Pennington announces the public is cordially invited to attend the Boy Singers' appearance in Haskell.

Overton Leaving For Cooper Post

Priest, McBroom Share Title Of JC Man Of Month

Jesse Priest and Waymon McBroom have been declared co-holders of the title of "Jaycee of the Month" in Haskell for their exemplary work in staging the successful Jaycee-sponsored Rice Springs Roundup and rodeo here May 14-16.

Citations were presented to the pair of young civic leaders at the Haskell Jaycees' monthly Ladies Night Banquet at Felker's Cafe here Tuesday night by Bill Tomlinson, vice president of the organization.

Priest, a state highway patrolman, is the recently elected new president of the Jaycees, and McBroom, a farmer, was general chairman of the rodeo committee.

It was announced at the banquet event that Jaycees will assemble at 5 p. m. next Tuesday prior to their 7:30 p. m. meeting in the Corral Building. See **Priest, McBroom** page 10

George Neely Is Hurt In Wreck On Trip To Market

George Neely, well-known Haskell merchant and owner-operator of Neely Dry Goods Company on the Courthouse Square here, was in Bethania Hospital in Wichita Falls Wednesday with injuries received in a car-pickup collision on the Brazos River bridge between Throckmorton and Olney about 3 p. m. Tuesday.

Neely suffered an injured knee and a broken finger, and was shaken up when the car in which he and Mrs. Neely were driving was in collision with the pickup. His condition was described as satisfactory, although he is reported to be scheduled to have surgery on the knee Thursday morning. Mrs. Neely escaped a single scratch, and credited seat belts with preventing more serious injury to both of them, according to her sister, Mrs. Henry Atkinson, here. According to reports here, the driver of the pickup approaching the Neely car on the bridge swerved to avoid striking a pedestrian and his vehicle veered into the path of the Neely's automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Neely were enroute to Dallas on a market trip at the time of the accident.



RAY OVERTON

Ray Overton, Jr., amiable and personable head football coach of the Haskell High School Indians for the past seven years, has resigned to take a position on the coaching staff of Cooper High School in Abilene, a head junior varsity coach and assistant track member.

Disclosure of Coach Overton's plans came late Monday night with an announcement of his hiring by the Abilene Independent School board of trustees, although it had been known here the popular Haskell coach and moulder of men had been weighing the decision for quite some time. He said Monday, "It's the toughest one I ever made in my life."

Vaccine And Tags For Dogs At City Hall On Friday

Vaccination and tagging of dogs for which these procedures have not been accomplished as stipulated by city ordinance, will be provided between 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. Friday at the City Hall Fire Station here. City officials emphasized that all dog owners whose animals do not have a city registration tag and have not been vaccinated should bring their dogs to the City Hall between the hours designated. Dr. David Ballard, Stamford veterinarian, will be in Haskell Friday for the express purpose of giving rabies vaccination. The cooperation of all citizens in this project will be greatly appreciated, the City Council has announced.

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Oakescripts
A Pencil Pusher's Potpourri
 BY PORTER

Which "common-potater" always used to say, "This is it from the heart of the nation, the everyday story of man on the go?" Anyway, he's been reading our mail ... and the mail of everybody in Haskell, too, for that matter.

If deadlines were two cents a dozen, we'd STILL be rich ... but ain't it been fun? Everyone here has been in the same boat, and we're still afloat, though shipping a little water and patchin' up the ol' hull in the places where it's pounded the most.

June is but three days away. That's the month summer starts. Graduation, wasn't it wonderful, and all that goes with it, is over. But we don't forecast a n'y summer slump that we can foresee. Vacation Bible school, by day, and Little League, by night, already have taken over. And then, there'll be "The Wild Horse Prairie Roundup" at Rule, and Fourth of July, and "Hey Day" and on and on, until, to use the vernacular of an old Air Force retrain, sometimes one might want to holler, "May Day," meanin' "Ball out, you bloke. You've ad it!"

That's the time you lay down the load, pick up your pole, and GO FISHING!

Inky, our favorite ball 'o fur, the Maples' roost ruler, ... ours, too ... has been sleeping on the hood of our car every night, then mee-yowing to get in of a morning early when we leave for the Free Press. That puts him in the house for a re-past, 'bout as early as any reputable cat should want to eat.

Now, that Brain Trust of a Tom has a new racket. He has diagnosed our movements for entry into the house a good 30 minutes before the former method. He has taken to lying in wait for the Pencil Pusher at the front of the house, "guarding" the morning paper, lying astride and atop it, in fact, until we arrive to pick it up. The fat cat (he's gotta be, makes about four meals a day off the Maples', ditto the Oakes!) knows what you're truly going to do next 'fore we do. And intercepts us doing it until we go to the icebox.

Inky's guarding the morning paper calls to mind the Italian gal who was visited by the police in Rome last week. When the men with badges came into her apartment, she faked illness, and declared, "I don't feel well. I must lie down. Please go."

The cops followed her to an overstuffed (to say the least) bed, and found sewed up in it, after removing her, about 500 mink pelts worth \$32,000 stolen from a furrier a week before.

Would you call that "lying down on the job ... she pulled?"

One more cat story, please: We once had some wonderful neighbors in Amarillo who had a mother cat which delivered quintuplets. And the two daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Crumley, the neighbors, named those kittens, Eeenie, Meenie, Miney, Mo ... and Josephine. We've been puzzled for years on how the name Josephine got in there, except that we think the "father" was named Napoleon. And maybe it was to perpetuate the memory of a beautiful romance.

Since a gentleman by the

Haskell County History

30 YEARS AGO
 (May 30, 1934)

In order to give better service to patrons in the west part of the county, the Haskell Motor Company, local Ford dealers, has opened a branch house in Rule, J. D. Montgomery, agency manager, said. L. N. Castle will be in charge of the Rule establishment.

W. P. Ratliff, of this city, who recently passed the state bar examination, has received his license to practice law in all courts of Texas. He was sworn in as a member of the Haskell County Bar Saturday morning before District Judge Clyde Grissom. The new attorney is the son of Judge and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff. He will be associated with his father and brother in the Ratliff & Ratliff law firm here.

Mrs. H. B. Conner, of Paducah, who has been a guest of her son, Charles M. Conner and family, left Monday for Mississippi, where she will attend a family reunion. She was accompanied by her daughters, Gladys, of Paducah, and Mrs. Marvin Pritchard, of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guinn, of name of Johnson has become President of these United States, the name of the town where his alma mater is located has been in the news, too, a news story, we saw this town spelled not once, but several times, as "San Marcus." We couldn't help but reflect what an impact Stanley has had on the world. Stanley, as you know, has the last name "Marcus," and he does a whale of a job PERSONALLY operating a store on the corner of Commerce and Akard in Dallas with a fellow named Neiman.

Another "nomenclature" that gets into print often these days is "mugger," referring to a certain specialist type of felonious criminal.

If you can remember when a "mugger" was nothing more nor less ... than a teen-ager with a knuck, or yen, for light courtin' of the opposite sex, you don't have to worry about the draft!

There is a very touchy situation now in our family which is fast reaching the critical stage. It has prevailed for some time, on account of the "well preserved" state, especially peaches and cream complexion of our winsome, and STILL YOUNG (looking) Mother.

If she doesn't stop to remember to quit prevaricatin' about her age, she's gonna have the Pencil Pusher BRANDED ILLEGITIMATE!

Did you ever stop to think, "What if our spit 'n whittle boys had any musical talent?" What a beautiful built-in Hootenanny we could have daily on the east side of the Square. All the other "ingredients" are there!

Oakescript: All that is needed for the triumph of evil is for good men to remain silent ... and do nothing.

60 YEARS AGO
 (May 30, 1904)

J. E. Fitzgerald returned on Tuesday from a trip to the Plains country. He reports good rains and fine grass out there.

Mrs. W. C. Ballard of Dickens County is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Rike and daughter, Miss Lillie, left Wednesday for a visit of two weeks with relatives in Graham.

Miss Laura Garren is visiting friends in town this week. Mrs. J. E. Cox, and Miss Mollie Williams, of Rule, returned Thursday from a visit to Throckmorton.

Miss Bertha Irby and Miss Ina Caddel, of Denton, who is visiting the family of J. E. Irby, spent a day or two in town this week.

Elder C. N. Williams and Miss Dulin Fields went to Seymour Monday to attend the district convention of the Christian Church. Miss Fields will visit friends there several days before returning home.

In the ball game last Saturday between Haskell and Rule, the score was 21 to 19 in favor of the home team.

Grasshoppers are reported to be showing up in considerable numbers in the eastern and southern parts of the county. Farmers are using poison bran mash with success in combatting the pests, and the 'oppers are not expected to damage crops extensively.

The North Texas Agricultural College Band, of Arlington, was here Friday and gave a concert on the public square. Ben Bagwell of Rochester was a member of the band and met many friends while here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Luther Watson, teachers in the Center Point schools for the past two terms, visited friends here on Tuesday. They will spend the summer in Georgetown.

Miss Juanita Kirkpatrick returned this week from Denton Teachers' College to spend the summer with home folks.

Judge A. J. Smith, of this city, former County Judge, has filed his name as a candidate for State Comptroller.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Brasher, and family, have moved to Abilene, where they plan to make their home. Mr. Brasher was superintendent of Haskell Public Schools for the past two terms.

W. H. Bittick and C. S. Barbee, of Rochester, were here Friday to arrange for tickets to Memphis, Tenn., where they will attend the Old Soldiers' Reunion.

M. E. Summers, of Kirkdale, was here Saturday, and says the worms, sheworms and 'oppers are showing up in his section.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Whiteaker and Mr. and Mrs. John A. Couch motored to Stamford on Sunday afternoon to meet their two daughters, Misses Marjorie Whiteaker and Maurine Couch, who attended Baylor College this year.

Mrs. R. J. Earnest and her daughter, Lois, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth and Dallas.

People of the Rockdale com-

munity gathered Friday for a cemetery working two acres of additional land have been bought, and will be added to the cemetery.

L. Lamaden, who recently moved his cattle to Dickens County, came in Tuesday for a remnant of cattle left here. He says the grass is good in Dickens County.

T. L. Atchison, one of our enterprising farmers, was in town Tuesday, and says things are coming along tip-top, and that all crops up were looking as good as he had ever seen.

Assessor Brown says the renditions this year show a very large increase in hogs over last year, and this is good news. It means plenty of bacon and lard next winter.

The Commissioners' Court has been in session all week as a board of equalization.

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And America Can Say To Haskell .. "Curb Service, Please"

We wish last Tuesday's talks in the American Legion Hall here on the future of U. S. Highway 277 between Abilene and Wichita Falls could have been broadcast into each and every home in each and every community like Haskell between those two cities.

Those who were there heard two district highway engineers emphatically state that NO EXPANDED HIGHWAY SYSTEM IS GOING TO BY-PASS A COMMUNITY ALONG ITS ROUTE UNLESS THAT COMMUNITY REQUESTS IT. Or, in other words, until and unless the community "hollers calf-ropo" because the traffic going through the town is creating too great a problem for the town to handle itself.

These words of assurance from those in authority, Jack Roberts, of Abilene, and L. B. Dean, of Wichita Falls, district highway engineers in the territories which surround and include us, furnish all the more reason for Haskell County to move, quickly, and with impetus, to do as our neighbors to the south have done ... purchase the right of way needed to four-lane this county north to south in anticipation of inclusion in a state highway program calling for it. Jones County has done that; and like the fellows who were here from Lawton, Oklahoma, who have an inter-state highway already there, Jones Countians can say, "We've got the preliminaries done. We're just waitin' on you."

It has been aired, with authority, by engineers whose judgment cannot be disputed, that the stretch of road between Wichita Falls and Abilene, through Haskell, can, and should, become a most important link of a proposed Trans-America Expressway from Waterville, Maine, across the heart of this nation, to Los Angeles.

With the completion recently of the 84.5 miles Bailey Turnpike in Oklahoma, only 24 miles, up in Missouri, was all the pavement remaining for four-lane between Wichita Falls and Waterville, Maine. When Interstate 20, scheduled for completion in 1972, is ready, every mile of the way from Abilene to Los Angeles, through Big Spring, El Paso, Las Cruces, Lordsburg, Tucson and Phoenix to Los Angeles, will be four-lane.

Unless we get "high behind", and do something about it, that will leave just 125 or so miles from Wichita Falls to Anson without a four channel thoroughfare.

In our motorized age, good highways are the red corpuscles indispensable to the growth of areas and towns, large and small. They are to the present and future what railroads were to a city's development 50 years ago.

The counties of Haskell, Baylor, Knox, and Wichita south of Wichita Falls, and through their County Commissioners, should and must, act without delay on the matter of rights-of-way purchases, thus "paving the way," literally, to the presentation of the case for four lanes to the Texas Highway Commission.

If we show our interest in this tangible way, the proposed Trans-American highway route charters and mappers WILL favor our territory. The world, this nation anyway, COULD be "beating a path" to our very door, 1964 style, "with wheels."

Without stretching a point, America COULD SAY TO HASKELL, "Curb Service, Please!"

And we want to be in a position to say, "Yes-sirree. What'll you have?" This could be reality in fewer years than you think ... IF WE BUT ACT NOW!

What Dedication Can Do For Achievement ... An Accolade

We cannot let another edition of this newspaper go by without taking most deserved cognizance of the splendid, record-setting accomplishments of the Haskell County Cancer Society in its 1964 Crusade against the terrible disease which has cast a shadow on, and, in too many cases, blotted out, lives in this world.

Through organization, and effort, beyond that which was asked, the volunteer army of the 1964 Cancer Crusade in this county not only achieved, but substantially exceeded its goal, even though it was the most ambitious one in the history of cancer campaigns in this area.

Felix Mullino, Mrs. R. A. Shaver, Jr., W. O. Holden, and the other selfless individuals who played such vital roles in the success of this Crusade, have turned off the laurels offered them, declaring it was those women volunteers, block-by-block who spelled success. We'll go along with that, but it took leadership too instill the spark and the fuel to mobilize those forces. We are beholden to this leadership, while at the same time thanking those tireless ladies who realized so well the necessity for accomplishing the cancer crusade goal ... the volunteers.

Somewhat, we feel this uplifting result of Haskell County's 1964 Crusade might be a sign of hope which seems to have been injected into the entire evaluation of the cancer battle recently.

Maybe, it's because we have been fighting, and winning, here at home on the financial support front. Maybe it's because again through the organizational ability of Mrs. Shaver, Mullino, Holden, Mrs. Melvin Vojtkufka, Mrs. R. W. Harren, Mrs. Lee Brown and others, the educational program on cancer has been prosecuted, here again, at home, more vigorously, and with obvious success.

Maybe, it's just a sixth sense advising us that the outlook for the future is affirmative, not negative, that makes the word "cancer" seem less foreboding than previously.

Whatever it is, it all adds up to a motivating force for knowledge eliminating ignorance, understanding dispelling fear, and cure replacing catastrophe in the human body.

We believe this is coming about in a more expansive way nationwide and universally, for the same reason is it coming about here among us.

God willing, we are going to beat cancer, just as we have TB and other once dread diseases now on the run. Determination, grit, and dedication will do it.

Dedication has done it here at home. And every last member of our county cancer society, together with the unmistakable help they have received, deserve an accolade for their achievement.

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THESE PRICES EFFECTIVE MAY 28-29-30—HASKELL, TEXAS

Norma Joy Bevel and Jackie C. Harvey Married At East Side Baptist Church

Norma Joy Bevel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Bevel of Haskell, was married Saturday evening, May 23, to Jackie Clay Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harvey here.

The Rev. L. D. Regeon, pastor, officiated for the wedding at the East Side Baptist Church.

Music was presented by Norman Gruben, pianist, and Lonnie Harris, vocalist, both of Abilene.

Sandra Howard was maid of honor. The bride's sister, Patricia Bevel, of Abilene, and Darlene Bevel, were bridesmaids.

Flower girl was Lela Joy Bevel, of La Pryor. Kevin Bledsoe was ring bearer.

Jack Hudson was best man. The bridegroom's brother, Bennie Harvey, and James Freed of Lewisville were groomsmen.

James Bevel, of La Pryor, brother of the bride, and Jerry Larned of Hamlin, seated the guests.

Candlelighters were Sammy and Jimmy Larned.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a dress of white schiffli embroidered tulle, traced on bodice and neckline with sequins and pearls. Bouffant skirt extended to form a chapel train.

A crown of pearls held her elbow length veil. An orchid centered the white carnations arranged on a white Bible.

Bridal attendants' dresses were of cornflower blue brocade satin fashioned with bell skirts. They wore pillbox hats of matching fabric and each carried a single long-stemmed white carnation.

Reception was held in the church annex.

Upon return from a wedding

Shirley Larned Elected President FHA Chapter

Shirley Larned was elected president of the Haskell Chapter of Future Homemakers of America for the 1964-65 school year in an impressive candlelight ceremony at the organization's May meeting.

Other new officers who took their oath of office were: Gloria Darnell, vice president; Terri Stewart, secretary; Sharon Crouch, treasurer; Carolyn Parsons, parliamentarian; Debby Wiseman, song-leader; Donna Josselet, pianist and Toni Greene, reporter and historian.

Shirley Larned and Gloria Darnell, accompanied by Mrs. W. P. McCallum, Home Economics teacher, represented at the State FHA meeting in Austin May 1 and 2.

Betty Andrews, Bride-Elect, Is Honored With Tea

Betty Andrews, bride elect of Doyle Sorrell, was honored with a miscellaneous gift tea on Saturday afternoon, May 23, from two until four in the home of Mrs. Sam Houston of Rule.

The refreshment table was covered with a white linen cloth, with pink centerpiece and a pink double ring cake and rice bag favors.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Lee Landreth, Mrs. R. C. Langford, Mrs. Joseph Minefee, Mrs. Don Pierce, Mrs. J. M. Cox, Mrs. Jack Key, Mrs. T. E. White and the hostess.

Williams-Anthony Wedding Plans Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry J. Williams, of Gorie, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Gary Michael Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Anthony of Haskell.

The wedding date has been set for July 4. Miss Williams graduated from Munday High School, and is now a sophomore at Midwestern University. Mr. Anthony graduated from Haskell High School, attended Baylor University and Midwestern University. He is a member of Chi Eta fraternity. He is employed by Burcamp Steel Company, of Wichita Falls.

Girl Graduate

Stella Faye Howell, a former resident of Haskell, graduated from Meadow Junior High School last Thursday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Howell, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aycock, of Haskell, and Mrs. N. M. Howell, of Rochester.

Marriage Of Karen Lynn Brown And William Andrew Bumpas Is Announced



MRS. WILLIAM ANDREW BUMPAS

Hannah SS Class Meets In Home Of Mrs. J. L. McGuire

Hannah Sunday School Class of the Eastside Baptist Church held its monthly social and business meeting May 21 in the home of Mrs. J. L. McGuire last Thursday.

Mrs. T. A. Tate, the president, opened the meeting with a prayer. Using the first chapter of Psalms, Mrs. Bessie Clark presented an inspiring devotional.

Mrs. T. W. Mercer directed a Bible quiz in which there was spirited participation. Mrs. Jack Hunt gave the closing prayer.

Seven members and two visitors, Mrs. Arthur Shelley and Miss Mildred Mansker, were present.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. J. A. Yancy on June 18.

Ex Paint Creek Girl Is Bride In Unique Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holt, and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Tucker, of Haskell, were in Quanah Saturday night to attend the wedding of Charlotte Ann Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cook, former Paint Creek residents.

The groom was Mr. Hubert Don Lane, of Quanah.

This couple were the principals in a unique wedding which took place in the Quanah football stadium. The bridesmaids, 26 of them, were horseback.

The wedding was held in connection with a celebration staged when the widely publicized wagon-train bound from Spearman to Graham made a stop in Quanah.

The couple received an all-expense paid honeymoon.

The bride is a former student at Paint Creek School.

Her father, Jesse Cook, was assistant superintendent of the West Texas Utilities' Paint Creek power plant for a number of years.

Witnesses Will Hold Assembly In Wichita Falls

A number of Haskell residents, who are members of the Stamford Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, will be among the 500 persons expected to attend the 3-day assembly of the 16th congregation circuit, of which this congregation is a part, to be held in Wichita Falls June 12-14.

Texas Jehovah's Witnesses' Circuit 12, of which the area congregation is one of 12, extends from Wichita Falls to Fredericksburg, and from Abilene to Mineral Wells.

Wallace Wright, presiding minister of the Stamford Congregation, declared of the forthcoming assembly, "The purpose outlined for the assembly should have a stimulating effect on the ministry and help us to get acquainted with our co-workers all over the world."

To emphasize unity and oneness of the society of ministers, a movie will be shown, entitled "Around the World With Jehovah's Witnesses."

The two-hour colored film is based on a 10-week global assembly held last year in 21 different nations with 580,569 persons attending from 161 nations.

Fifth Sunday Singing

A Fifth Sunday Singing Session will be held in the Calvary Baptist Church at Rule this Sunday, May 31, beginning at 2:30 p. m. All followers of old time gospel singing and the spiritual uplift it provides are cordially invited to attend.

Center Point H. D. Club Holds Meeting

The Center Point H. D. Club met Thursday, May 23, with Mrs. Albert Hannas. A program on Legal Status of Women in Texas was given by Mrs. Artie Mae Burkett.

Members present were Messrs. James T. M. Patterson, H. D. Bland, O. W. Whitaker, H. E. Bland, Oris Gibson, Eva Pearse, Bill Founts, C. A. Cone, and the hostess, Mrs. Albert Hannas.

Visitors present were Mrs. F. S. Hunt of Rule, Mrs. Jimmy Hannas, Keith, Charlotte, Mark and Christi, and Deanne Bland.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Tony Patterson, June 4, at which time a program on freezing fruits and vegetables will be presented.

Four H. D. Clubs Represented At Council Meeting

The Haskell County H. D. Council met Wednesday, May 20th, for a regular business session, in the office of agent Mrs. Mary Jo Leverett at the courthouse.

Four clubs were represented at the meeting, with president, Mrs. Paul Cochran, presiding.

Mrs. Thrumman Howeth reported on things which could be taken to the Dallas State Fair. Mrs. Howeth also reported on a meeting held with the Commissioners Court, and what the H. D. Agent had done to help the clubs and a 150 4-H work.

The newly organized club from Sagerton attended the meeting and thanks were extended Mrs. Leverett for the fine work in organizing the Sagerton club.

A training meeting for leaders was held in the Homemakers' Cottage at the school house Wednesday, May 27, at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of discussing freezing fruits and vegetables.

Wellington Girl Marries James Ferguson, Jr., Former Haskell

Miss Nancy Ann Coleman and James Eldridge Ferguson, Jr., exchanged wedding vows in a double ring candlelight ceremony at 5 p. m. Saturday,

May 23, in Bowman Chapel at the First Methodist Church at Lubbock.

The Rev. Dr. R. N. Huckabee officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Coleman, of Wellington. Ferguson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ferguson, former Haskell residents now living in Lubbock. He is the grandson of Andy J. Josselet, of Haskell.

Mrs. Gene Wood served as matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Miss Linda Bert, of Sulphur Springs. They wore pink two piece suits with pink pillbox hats and veils and carried long-stemmed pink roses.

Gene Wood was best man. Groomsmen was Vic Ferguson. Serving as ushers and candlelighters were Coy Witten and Larry Morris.

Traditional wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Mamie Neal, organist.

Mrs. Ferguson was given in marriage by her father. Her white linen street length sheath dress featured a jeweled neckline and a jacket with three-quarter length sleeves. The bride carried a white rose on a white Bible. A white pillbox hat with a brief veil completed the bridal ensemble.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson are honeymooning in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

A graduate of Wellington

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends and loved ones of Mrs. J. T. Hester for the expressions of sympathy and deeds of kindness during her illness and at this time of our sorrow. Sincerely, The children of Mrs. J. T. Hester.



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Pair Well Known In Area Announce Wedding Plans

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharon Ruth, to William S. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jones, of Lubbock.

Sharon is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Russell, of Rochester, and Bill is the grandson of Mrs. W. A. Smith, of Munday.

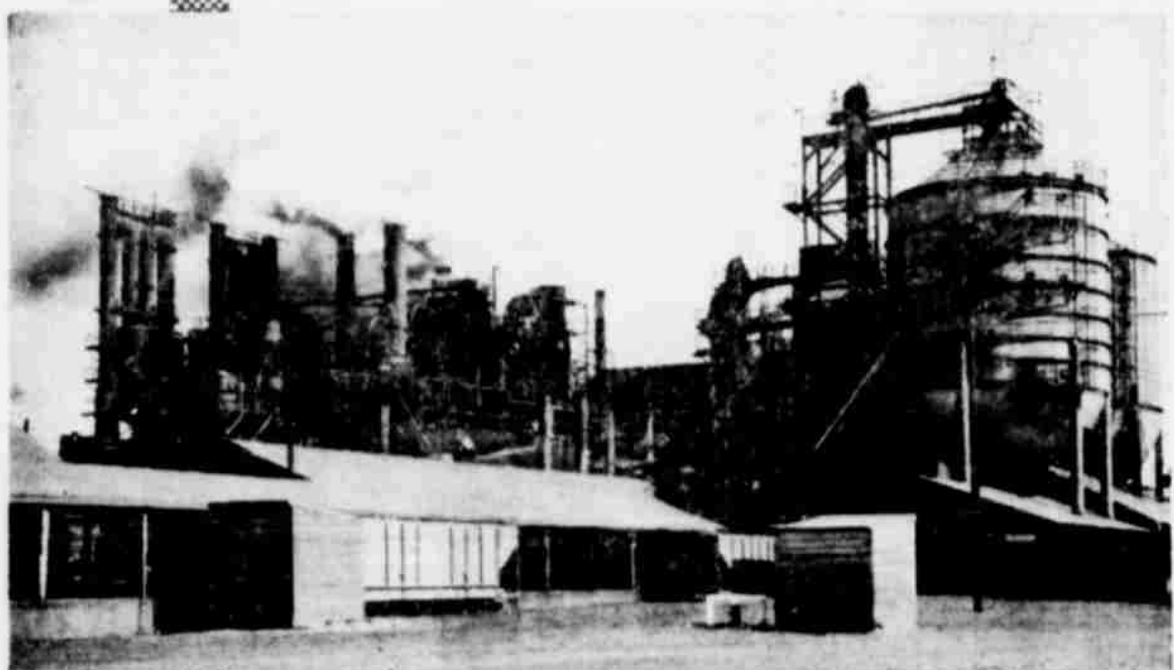
The bride-elect attended Seagraves High School, and is presently employed by the Tax Assessor-Collector at the Lubbock County Courthouse.

The prospective bridegroom attended Monterey High School in Lubbock, and is employed by Gifford Hill American, Inc.

Wedding vows will be read in Lubbock, August 1, by Rev. Jack Peacock, pastor of Calvary Temple Foursquare Church.



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Of Results Recorded -Breaking Horse Show

named colt, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Strole, Abilene; Bar's Mr. Bar, Hays Ranch, Snyder; Fourbie Bar, H. C. Lewis, Lubbock.

Horse and mare colts foaled in '64 - High Jo Bars, Hays Ranch; unnamed colt, Bailey Foster, Rochester; unnamed colt, David Holcomb.

In the other performance classes besides barrel racing, here were the results, by class, then winners, first through third in that order:

Junior Cutting - Cross L. Pocco, Aurora Farms, New Orleans, La., ridden by Glenn McWhorter, Throckmorton; Rum Sapphires, Dr. and Mrs. D. G. Strole, Abilene, ridden by Snooks Burton; Randy's Rita, Jannell Knight, Lubbock, ridden by Dovec Knight.

Senior Cutting - Skipper Dog, owned by Dr. Joe Thigpen, Haskell, ridden by Joseph Thigpen, Haskell, and Duke's Dandy, owned and ridden by Felix Mullino, Rochester, tie; Vaca Joe, owned and ridden by David Guitart, Abilene, and Cornelia Boy, owned by M. V. Davis, Clairmont, ridden by Elmo Favor, Lubbock, tie.

Junior Reining - Mr. Gold Sonny, Billy Ray Morrow, Rochester; Poco Beancan, Richard Bock, McLean, Texas, owner, and ridden by Leo Huff, Houston; Miss Powder Lee, owned by Jimmy Lewis, Lubbock, and ridden by Boyce Hart of Lubbock.

Senior Reining - Paladin, owned by Billy Wallace, Clairmont, ridden by Sheep Morrow, Clairmont; Dr. Cutter, owned by D. A. Duplantier, Baton Rouge, La., and ridden by Jack Peek, Seymour; Tony Dodger, Dr. R. W. Evans, Clyde, owner and E. J. Freeman, Clyde, rider.

Western Riding - Tony Dodger, Dr. R. W. Evans, owner, and Freeman, rider; Dr. Cutter, Duplantier, owner, and Peek rider; Vaca Joe, David Guitart, Abilene, owner and rider.

Western Pleasure Riding - Dr. Cutter, ridden by Peek, first; Vaca Joe, ridden by David Guitart, 2nd; Lady Aledo Bar, owned and ridden by Mary Anne Parris, Lubbock, 3rd; Blue Gold Maid, owned by Rob Brown, Throckmorton, ridden by Tommy Martin, Throckmorton, 4th; Elo, owned by Louis Brooks, Sweetwater, and ridden by Pat Murphy, Snyder, 5th; and Scrub Girl, owned and ridden by Nancy Brown, Abilene, 6th. There were 11 entries in this finale.

Dr. Cutter won with peak scores in his halter class, and Western Pleasure riding, sections in pleasure riding and senior reining, and a 3rd in barrel racing, for 52 points. In second place was David Guitart's Vaca Joe with 32 points.



3 NOSTALGIC NINE TEENS CLIMAX CHORAL CAREERS; SUCCESSORS CONTINUE TRADITION

Haskell High School's classic Nine Teens, a choral organization which has charmed many a banquet and civic organization audience in North Central and Northwest Texas during the school year just ending, was presented in their traditional, colorful, annual "Rainbow Concert" Sunday afternoon in the Haskell Haskell High School Auditorium.

Those inducted were Misses Peggy Thigpen, Pamela Druessedow, and Bobby Kimbrough, they were escorted to their positions "under the rainbow" by their brothers, Joseph Thigpen, Gary Druessedow and Johnny Kimbrough.

The public is cordially invited to this annual climax event in the extra-curricular life of Haskell High School.

Louisa Herren Is Sweetheart Of McMurray's XO

Louisa Herren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Herren, of Haskell, was chosen 1964 Sweetheart of Chi Omicron social club on the campus of McMurry College, Abilene.

Selection of Miss Herren, a junior from Haskell, came at the climax social event of the year held by the club at the Sands Motel Banquet room. On this occasion, Miss Herren was the surprise recipient of a bouquet of roses and a sweetheart pin from the club after she was announced as Sweetheart.

Theme for the banquet was a "Spanish Evening," and party favors were obtained from Mexico especially for the banquet.

'Splash Day' At Swimming Pool Set For Saturday

Haskell's Rice Springs Park Swimming Pool will have a Splash Day opening for the 1964 season here at 1 p. m. Saturday.

Exact hours the pool will be open daily throughout the summer have not been announced. There will be a 7 p. m. closing on Sundays, however.

Glenn Kreger and Sam Adams, both well-known area natives, who teach school at Munday and Wehnert, respectively, will manage and operate the swimming facility in the City Park here as in previous recent years. Both are proficient swimming instructors and experts in the water safety field.

The operators report the pool here will be clean and "swim-shape" from the opening splash here Saturday afternoon.

LETTERS ...

Dear Porter,

Thanks for the invite to the Rice Springs Roundup. I wish I could've made it, but my week-end already had been allotted by the time your note arrived.

I approve of your year designations. I'm afraid, though, I could lump the past 15 as the Year of the Bill Collectors.

It's good to hear from you, Porter, and I hope to be out your way soon. Maybe we can make 1964 the Year of the Bull.

Sincerely,
George Dolan
Fort Worth
Star-Telegram

AT P-TA SPRING CONFERENCE - Mrs. Fred Brown, Haskell, who was elected a district vice president, talks over the program of work with Mrs. Angus McDonald, of Austin, state chairman of P-TA publications and magazines, at the annual spring meeting of the 18th District P-TA in Snyder last week. At the session, Mrs. M. F. Garland, of Rotan, was named president, and other vice presidents elected in addition to Mrs. Brown, of Haskell, were Mrs. Donald Love, Paducah; Mrs. W. D. Sims, Snyder; and Mrs. Kenneth Wisenand, of Abilene. Mrs. Leon Sterling, of Ira, is recording secretary; Mrs. W. D. Farriman, Rotan, is corresponding secretary; Ms. Carl Duncan, of Aspermont, is historian, and Mrs. Elmo Crowder, Snyder, is parliamentary.

Sagerton News

BY MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

This past week and this week are very busy for the farmers in this community, but the end of the week should find everyone sort of caught up and waiting for a rain.

Mrs. J. M. New visited in Walnut Springs last weekend with relatives.

Mrs. D. A. Ulmer of Hamlin is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer this week. The newly formed Home Demonstration Club in this vicinity, which has not yet adopted a name for themselves, met in the home of Mrs. Leonard Kieck Thursday afternoon, May 21, at 3:00 p. m.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Fred Kupatt, president, and roll call was answered as Mrs. Johnny Tiechelmann called the names, by members nick-names. During the business meeting, the members adopted their constitution and by-laws.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Lewis Corzine, on June 2, and a demonstration on freezing foods will be given. Mrs. Clarence Tiechelmann, Mrs. Monroe Blackwell, and Mrs. Hardy Hewitt were visitors. The following members were present: Mrs. Herbert Niederleck, Mrs. Johnny Tiechelmann, Mrs. Fred Kupatt, Mrs. A. C. Knippling and the hostess.

Water Works Assn. Elect Officers At Meeting In Rule

The Lone Star Water and Sewer Works Association held its monthly dinner meeting in Rule at the Bluebonnet Cafe on Wednesday night, May 20. Fifty people were present, including the Rule City Council and Mayor as guests.

Sam Warrington of Austin, State Health Inspector, was the speaker of the evening. Jack Land, of Knox City, was elected president of the association for the coming year. Travis Self, of Rule, was elected vice president.

Weinert Baptist Vacation School Registration Fri.

Registration for the Weinert Baptist Church's annual vacation Bible school will begin at 2 p. m. Friday at the church, after which a parade through town and refreshments at the church will complete the opening day's activities.

The school will open Monday, June 1, and will continue each day through Friday from 2 to 5 p. m.

Rev. R. N. Tucker is principal. Other members of the vacation Bible School faculty are Mrs. R. C. Liles, musician; Mrs. J. A. Driggers, nursery superintendent; Mrs. W. A. Sanders, beginners; Mrs. Toby Yates, primary; Mrs. Johnny Earp, juniors; Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, intermediates; and Mrs. R. J. Rainey, refreshment chairman.

A recognition service will be held Friday, June 5, at the completion of the school.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted

RULE: Oscar W. Hibdon - medical; Mrs. R. W. Cole - medical; Felix DeLeon - accident; Mrs. Harve Brundige - surg.

MERKLE: D. O. Toliver - surgical

LUBBOCK: Joe Earl Bailey - accident

HASKELL: John Brock - medical; Mrs. Jimmy Owens - surg.; P. C. Spenny - surgical; Lonnie Hodgins - medical; Lucy Lancaster - medical; A. M. Bird - medical

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Mrs. V. D. Pippins of Abilene; Mrs. C. R. Morgan of Seymour; Ina Mae Greenhaw of Stamford; W. J. Asbury of Independence, Missouri; Mrs. Victor Huizar of O'Brien; Mrs. H. L. Coker, A. F. West, F. S. Hunt all of Rule; David Ep-ley, Johnny Wyatt of Rochester; Randall Bryan, Miss Joy Bergstrom, Mrs. V. R. Roberts, Mrs. Allie Karr, Mrs. James Kelley, Lynda Lane, Martin Rueffer, Mrs. Ronald Bolen, Will Young, Cathy Money, Mrs. Paul Fischer and Mary Brown all of Haskell; Myrtle Smith of Colorado City; David Bone of Munday; Cecil Hutchinson of Jayton; and Frank Oman of Weinert.

THE VERY NEWEST
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Huizar, of Rochester, baby boy, Victor Huizar Jr. weight 7-lb. 12-ozs. born May 24, 1964.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ronald Bolen of Haskell, baby boy, Kenneth Warren, weight 6-lbs. 1/2-oz. born May 19.
Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Roberts of Haskell, baby girl, Linda Kay, weight 7-lbs. 7-ozs. born May 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lynn Coker of Rule, baby boy, Michael Lynn, weight 5-lbs. 11 1/2-ozs. born May 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Raymond Morgan of Seymour baby boy, Sammy Dale, weigh 6-lbs. 9 1/2-ozs. born May 20.

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News from Weinert

By MILDRED GUESS

Mrs. J. A. Driggers spent a few days last week with the L. D. Vaughns, Anson, this week.

Pfc. and Mrs. Lowell McGuire of Camp Chaffee, Ark. and Fort Worth, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McGuire, Mrs. McGuire met them in Fort Worth Thursday.

Tommy Clark of Electra, was elected Director of Texas Crippled Children's Camp in Kerrville, during the annual 2 day convention in Wichita Falls of the Lions of District 2. He was selected from 53 clubs. He will serve for two years. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jetton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Vaughn and children of Anson visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vaughn and her mother, Mrs. J. A. Driggers, Sunday.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lowe were Mrs. S. A. Latimer of Marlin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davidson of Fort Worth, and his mother, Mrs. Daniels of Krum, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Williams, Mrs. C. B. Young and Judy of Seymour, and Mr. E. R. Lowe of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ashley visited her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welch of Sagerton and her sister, Mrs. Pearl Self of Roje.

Mr. and Mrs. Breman Young of Lubbock attended services at the Weinert Baptist Church and visited the Leonard Alexanders and other relatives Sunday.

Mrs. V. C. Derr is in Enid, Okla., this week visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Therwanger, Barry, Teresa and Bobby.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Carl Pool were his brother, Rev. Cecil Pool, Los Angeles, who preached at the morning service at the Weinert Foursquare church, Sunday. Other visitors were a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Foster, and another brother, L. B. Pool of Fort Worth and the Pool's grandson, Gary Lynn Pool of Abilene.

Mrs. Douglas Myers accompanied the seniors and sponsors on their recent trip to Colorado. The children, Diane, Helen, Greg and Mary spent a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Myers of Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Obidinski, Michael and Michelle of Arlington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchenson.

Mrs. A. J. Sanders and Eddie attended the funeral services for Gusso Sanders, Thursday at Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Oman, Niesha Lynn and Michael of Austin are spending a part of their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman. The other children visited Sunday. They are the W. A. Duttons and Clarence Seargeys of Munday.

Mr. E. E. Owens of Munday, visited his aunt Mrs. J. A. Driggers and other guests were the Abbe Hesses, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Henderson, Patsy and Johnny of Fort Worth, visited his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ab Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henderson of Knox City also visited the Hendersons.

Mrs. George Muntzert of Fort Worth, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Raynes. Mrs. Raynes is recovering from a recent illness.

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Awards Given Weinert Students At Exercises

A number of awards for achievement were presented to Weinert students at Weinert High School's commencement exercises on May 15, immediately after which all members of the graduating class departed for a week's trip to Colorado.

Faculty awards presented at commencement included the following: Best All Around Girl, Shirley Sanders; Best All Around Boy and Best Male Athlete, Johnny Cunningham; Best Female Athlete, Dorothy Raynes.

Linda Davis received an award for homemaking accomplishment, and Lee Roy Jones was a citizenship award recipient.

"W" merit awards also went to Linda Davis and to Dale Carroll and Johnny Cunningham for their outstanding accomplishments in track events.

Perfect attendance records were set by, and certificates of the records given to: Arch Mapples, Cecil Davis, Roger Sanchez, Jimmy Sanchez, Sue White, Sherry Newton, Kay Newton, Patsy Miller, Lynn Gray and Ruby Ramey.

All 11 members of the Senior Class, Shirley Sanders, J. D. Davis, Eddie Roberts, Curtis and Clayton Hawkins, Johnny Cunningham, Dale Carroll, Ronnie Stewart, Jill Jetton and Jack Dunam, left by train after graduation for Denver, and other points of interest in Colorado. Sponsors accompanying them were Weinert School Superintendent Douglas Myers and High School Principal Don Lamb.

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Mrs. Winchester showed slides of Hawaii and gave a short history of the Islands. The next meeting will be held June 2, in the home of Mrs. Lewis Hester. The program will be on freezing fruits and vegetables.

The hostess served angel food cake and sherbet to Mmes. Scott Hutchenson and Joan, Ira Townsend, Thomas Bevel, Jess Adams, and W. C. Winchester.

Everybody reads the classified page of the Haskell Free Press.

Haskellite's Son Participating In Desert Maneuvers

Airman 2/C Raymond L. Smith, son of Raymond R. Smith, of Haskell, is in the field with the U. S. Air Force Military Air Transport Service (MATS) airlift units now engaged in Exercise Desert Strike being conducted by the U. S. Strike Command.

The realistic combat operation is the largest joint air-ground training maneuver in the southwestern states since World War II.

Airman Smith, an aircraft mechanic, and other members of flying and support units of the MATS world-wide airlift force, are part of the vast Air Force team providing full air support for the U. S. Army battlefield troops participating. The exercise will run through May 30 on 12,000,000 acres of desert land in California, Nevada and Arizona.

Memorial Service Is Tribute To C. G. Armstrong

Friends from throughout this area joined students and faculty of E. B. Evans Negro Elementary School in Haskell this week in a memorial service for Claudius G. Armstrong, principal of the school, who died in Hendrick Memorial Hospital on Wednesday, May 13.

Funeral for Mr. Armstrong, a well-known and longtime Negro educator, who came out of semi-retirement to become principal of the school here in September, 1963, was held at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church in Fort Worth Sunday. He was buried with Masonic rites at Chambers Memorial Park in Cleburne.

Resolutions on the occasion of the memorial service in the school, here were prepared and read by Mrs. Richard Ellis, a faculty member. Music was presented by Miss Verdi Callo, way, and Mrs. John Greer read "A Psalm of Life," as a tribute.

Students offering tributes of respect were O'Quinn Catro, Marie Johnson, Brenda and Beverly Hill.

Mrs. Luther Burkett, guidance counselor for the Haskell schools, closed the memorial services with a prayer written by Mr. Sam Herren, Haskell citizen.

Van Morrison Is Among Few For Science Study

Van P. Morrison, principal of Paint Creek Rural Elementary School is one of some 40 junior high teachers of general science representing 24 states who has been chosen from approximately 1500 applicants to attend the annual National Science Foundation summer institute in chemistry at Southwestern (Oklahoma) State College in Weatherford.

Morrison, who graduated at Texas Wesleyan College with a bachelor of science degree in 1951, has been science and history teacher, in addition to handling the duties of principal, at Paint Creek School since 1960.

At the institute, which begins June 1, at Weatherford, Morrison will be engaged in classroom and laboratory work in the identified areas of chemistry, geology, biology and physics. He will be busy studying and experimenting in all these new theories from 12 to 14 hours a day, five days a week.

The geology phase of the institute will have numerous interesting facets, and methods of cutting and polishing rocks studied in order to use them for jewelry also will be taught. One of the main objectives of this phase is to teach the students how to make at low expense, machines to do this work that can be used in the classroom.

Morrison and his fellow students also will be attending special courses in film strip and slide preparation for use as teaching aids, slide rule instruction, and instruction in exponents and logarithms.

County Has One Traffic Fatality So Far This Year

The Highway Patrol investigated but three rural accidents in Haskell County during the entire month of March, but one of them was the first 1964 fatality in the county, Sergeant Frank Jirik, area patrol supervisor headquartered here, reported recently. It has been this county's only motor vehicle death this year to date.

The three crashes accounted for one death, one person injured, and an estimated property damage of \$2,250. The death occurred in a 1-car accident in the northeast corner of the county, eleven miles from Weinert.

Traffic accident summaries for Haskell County from January through March of 1964 show a total of 13 crashes, with one killed, four hurt, and property damage of \$7,560.00, Sergeant Jirik said.

Throckmorton and Stonewall, the counties bordering Haskell east and west, set by the month of March with welcomed "goose eggs" in their reports—no accidents, no injuries, no property damage, no fatalities. During the last quarter of 1963, when driving is seasonably more hazardous, all three of these counties were accident free, to establish a unique record.

Knox County, Haskell's neighbor to the north, had one fatality and five injuries last month in recording five accidents with property damage of \$3,075, according to Sgt. Frank Jirik's report.

With traffic on the upswing during spring and summer, the highway patrol supervisor here reminded motorists and pedestrians alike of "the importance of knowing and obeying, traffic laws."

Opal Smith Has Charge Of ADAA Chicago Meeting

Mrs. Orville B. (Opal) Smith, of Haskell, chairman of the important by-law committee of the American Dental Assistants' Association, has returned here from Chicago, where her group met, completed a study of, and made recommendations for, a revision in the parliamentary procedures of the organization.

The Haskell dental assistant, who is associated with Dr. William J. Kemp's dental clinic here, presided over parliamentary sessions at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago for five days before the project was completed last Saturday.

En route to Texas, Mrs. Smith was a special guest at a meeting of the Kansas-Missouri Bi-State Dental Assistants Association's annual meeting in Kansas City.

While in Chicago, she and her traveling companion, Mrs. Steve Ann Montgomery, of Dallas, a fellow dental assistant, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Hauser, former Haskell residents.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Rule Independent School District, Rule, Texas, for the General Construction, including the plumbing, heating, vent-

ating and electrical work, for proposals will be opened by the Board of Trustees. Any bids received after closing time will be returned unopened. Bids will be received in the office of the Superintendent of Schools in Rule, Texas, until 5:00 p. m. (CST), Friday, June 5, 1964, at which time and place proposals will be opened by the Board of Trustees. The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and all formalities of the Board of Rule Independent School District.

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By AL HINDS



Over at M & F Pharmacy the other morning while I was imbibing some of Don Muenzler's home-brewed coffee, I asked Eva Bartley if she would like to be my guest columnist some week and write the Prattle column. Eva said she would think about it. . . and Jack McAdoo, Ben Franklin Mogul, quipped: "You don't have to think to write Al's column."

While I was down at Dulaney's Grocery one afternoon last week, Julia, (one of the Dulaney daughters), had a bat in her hand, and I asked her if she had been playing ball. "Yes," Julia said, "I have been playing with my sister, Jamie, but I hit so many home-runs, she quit playing with me." I told Julia that she must be a Mickey Mantle to hit so many home-runs, and she quickly replied, "Yes, but I don't like to brag."

Dog days usually are during the hot summer days of August . . . but the doggone dogs of late have taken over most of the political news.

When a dog bites a man . . . that's not much news anymore . . . but when a man bites a dog and it sometimes happens, believe it or not . . . that is news.

Some high government officials and their dogs have put the "bite" into political news during the past year, and dogs have played a part in politics.

According to an Associated Press release . . . down through the years, dogs have tended to get U. S. presidents, near-presidents and other celebrities either in . . . or out . . . of the doghouse.

The recent yelp-heard-round-the-world, when President Lyndon Johnson lifted his two beagles by the ears, are only the latest chapter in a long story.

Until secret White House archives are opened, perhaps 100 years hence, the world will not know the extent of the public reaction to Johnson's earlift. The White House has clamped a blackout on how its mail is running on Beagles and all other subjects.

An old maxim never offend dogs, because there are some 25 million of them in the country, and many of their masters are voters.

This was a lesson Republicans learned to their cost in the 1944 presidential campaign. The episode involved Fala, a Scottish terrier owned by Franklin D. Roosevelt, and perhaps the most influential dog in history. Republicans charged that Roosevelt, on one of his Pacific Ocean jaunts, forgot Fala in the Aleutian Islands, and sent a destroyer to bring him

home at enormous expense to the taxpayers.

Further back in history, House Speaker Champ Clark almost made it to the White House, helped along by an appeal to the emotions of dog lovers. Campaigning for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1912, he had a little song . . . "Every time I come to town, the boys start kickin' my dog aroun'. It makes no difference if he is a houn', they've gotta stop kickin' my dawg aroun'." Woodrow Wilson, did not say much about hounds . . . but he did have a dog . . . an Airdale named Davie.

Since George Washington, most all presidents have had dogs. An exception was Harry S. Truman.

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge had a white collie dog, Prudence Prime, which was the most photogenic dog ever to reside in the White House.

Probably the ugliest dog was Scamp, a rat terrier owned by Theodore Roosevelt. T. R.'s kindness to domestic pets helped offset the political effect of his unkindness to big game, which he shot on African safari.

The maxim that dogs can get a fellow into deep trouble was brought out in 1945 by an episode involving "Blaze," a 135-pound bull mastiff owned by Elliott Roosevelt, second son of the then President. Elliott, then in the Army Air Corps, had Blaze shipped cross-country to Hollywood as a present for Elliott's bride, Faye Emerson. Somebody put an "A" priority sticker on the dog and at Memphis he bumped from the plane three servicemen with lower priorities.

In the big uproar, Secretary of War Henry L. Stinson had to come to Elliott's rescue. Stinson explained that the "A" priority had not been requested by Young Roosevelt, but had been tacked on the dog by some unidentified dunderhead in the Air Transport Command.

A cocker spaniel, called Checkers, demonstrated how a dog can help get a man off a tough spot. In 1952, when Richard M. Nixon was Dwight D. Eisenhower's running mate, Democrats raised a howl that Nixon had accepted funds from well-to-do California admirers to help him perform his senatorial duties. Nixon, in a broadcast, called Checkers a witness for the defense. Eisenhower thereupon decided that Nixon was clean as a hound's tooth, and kept him on the tickets.

Sagerton Set-

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Two terms will be recognized. The steering committee for the homecoming, in addition to LeFevre, includes Charles Clark, finance; Mrs. I. O. Hughes, Jr., of Stamford, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. August Balzer, publicity chairman; and Johnny Spitzer, food procurement. This group will serve as hosts and hostesses for the opening gathering Saturday night. Registration opens at 8:30 a. m. Sunday, with Mrs. Hughes, chairman, and the following serving on the registration committee: Mrs. Leslie Cobb, Midland; Mrs. Bill Stanhope, Miss Lillian Neinaast, and Mrs. Woncille Fowler.

Greeting committee is composed of Mrs. Balzer, chairman, Mrs. Cecil Kitley, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. Cliff LaFevre, Eddie Kainer, Fred Kupatt, Dick Hankins and Whit Clark.

Dr. Kemp Tells Lions Of Trip To N. Y., Wash.

William J. Kemp, DDS, who recently returned from Walter Reed Hospital, where he was enrolled for about two weeks taking a dental course, spoke to members of the Lions Club, Tuesday, noon.

Rev. Ray Nobles, pastor of the local First Baptist Church, was in charge of the program, and introduced the speaker.

Dr. Kemp and family left Haskell on May 6, and from Dallas boarded a Jet which flew them to Washington, D.C. They flew to Washington, D.C. "working-man's holiday", and sandwiched in between his courses at Walter Reed Hospital, the Haskell family toured all the scenic spots in Washington, D. C., then later went on to New York where they attended the World's Fair, and toured New York.

Secretary, Harold Spain, reported on final tabulation of the mop and broom sale which showed Lions netted \$152.44 from the project.

John Wallace Cox, son of president, Wallace Cox, Jr., and Hal Spain, son of Harold Spain, were noted as guests at Tuesday's meeting.

Priest, McBroom--

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to put finishing touches on gateway signs proclaiming Haskell's hospitality to transients. The signs soon will be placed on the four major highway approaches to this city.

Buck-Snort Start-

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and group singing convention at 1 p. m. on Saturday, June 13, the fun festival will feature a ducking machine sidelight, an old fiddlers' contest at 2:30 p. m. for persons 50 or over; barrel racing in the later afternoon; a barbecue supper on the grounds starting at 5 p. m., with square dancing as the entertainment; a pig scramble for boys and girls 12 years old and under; and a talent show for all to cap the day.

A number of Chamber of Commerce committees directed by Grice are hard at work organizing the first Wild Horse Prairie Fun Festival to assure it gets off to a "buck-snort start".

Susie Ozuna--

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man of the scholarship committee, notified the high school principal here of the award by telegram. McCollum said the scholarship carries with it \$400 per year and other potential benefits.

Miss Ozuna, who graduated here on Monday night, has been active as a basketball and volleyball player, a member of the Haskell Chapter, Future Homemakers of America, and as a staff member of "The Totem," Haskell High School magazine.

Sego Valedictory-

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Business and Professional Women's Clubs of America, presented to Miss Ozuna the Fifth Annual Haskell EDPW Scholarship for the outstanding business administration student of the year in Haskell High School. It is awarded for leadership, attitude, personality, poise, scholarship, and evidence of a desire and endeavor to further educational pursuits in the business realm.

Nine other members of the Senior Class who have compiled an average of 90 or better their four years in high school here were recognized at the commencement. They were: Betty Bruton, Ruby Kaye Alvis, Beth Vaughter, Randy Turnbow, Margaret Ann Wall, Charles Chapman, Jo Helen Elliott, Eddie Smart, and Sammy Larned.

In addition to the valedictory, a welcome by Salutatorian Nelda Gibson, a reading by Beth Vaughter, a choral selection by seven girl graduates, the singing of the Class Song by the Seniors, and the awarding of diplomas by High School Principal W. P. McCollum completed the commencement program.

Seniors Dollie Norton and Sue Long played the processional and recessional marches. Dennis P. Ratliff, elder of Haskell Christian Church, and Rev. Ray Nobles, pastor of the First Baptist Church, gave the invocation and benediction, respectively.

Cancer Society--

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unanimously after presentation by a nominating committee comprised of Mrs. R. W. Herren, of Haskell, Mrs. Jess Place, of Rule, and Mrs. Vojkufka.

Mullino, 1964 Haskell County Cancer Crusade chairman, reported a total of \$3,404.04 contributed, and another \$50 had been sent in at latest report Tuesday. The crusade chairman said he "feels sure" the final total will exceed \$3500, and amount \$300 over the record setting goal for this year.

Mrs. Shaver, the retiring president, commended the more than 500 volunteers, whose meticulous canvassing of the county made possible the "tremendously successful" cancer crusade last month.

W. O. (Bill) Holden, Haskell funeral director and civic leader, was presented a certificate for his "excellent organization of the crusade effort in Haskell," where some \$1300 was raised toward the 1964 goal.

Mrs. Janice Pace O'Neal was commended for achieving her goal of \$1,000 in special gifts.

Mrs. Lois Martin, of Rule, reported to the annual meeting that \$126 has been received in memorial contributions to fight cancer in recent months. Gifts were presented by Mrs. Vojkufka to Mrs. Lee Brown, of Haskell, who is retiring from her chairmanship of the Cancer Center workroom in Haskell after three years "of superior performance." Mullino, Holden, and Mrs. Shaver also were presented gifts for their sacrificial work.

Mrs. Hester was designated the chapter's delegate to the state convention in San Antonio in the fall.

The board of directors of the county chapter was expanded from 26 to 36 persons, whose names will be announced at an early date.

The annual meeting closed with a social hour at which Mrs. Hester and Mrs. O'Neal were co-hostesses.

Overton Leaving --

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1948. He was assistant coach for eight years before assuming the top job seven years ago.

During the past three years, in torrid District 6-AA, known as a "Little Southwest Conference," Overton's Indians have finished second twice and tied for third once in their district. His football teams have won 21 games while losing nine during those three years.

While assistant coach here, Overton's Haskell teams won two district championships, losing to Wink in bi-district and regional the two seasons. He won the district track title in 1962.

Overton is married to the former Margaret Free of Haskell, and the couple have a seven-year old daughter, Mary Margaret. The Overtons plan to move immediately to Abilene, where he will enroll in college to continue work on a master's degree this summer.

Superintendent of Haskell Schools Hooper T. Wilkinson said the school board here could take no official action on Overton's departure until his resignation is received. With the action of the Abilene school board, it is expected momentarily "We will have a school board meeting just as quickly as we can get them together," Wilkinson reported.

Overton's contract as head coach here still has two years to run.

Speculation here was that a member of the present coaching staff in Haskell will be promoted to head coach, succeeding Overton. The staff includes Bill Blakely, Carlos Berry, David Middleton, and Sonny Everett.

Blakely is next in line as far as seniority goes. He is head scout and assistant football coach.

Herman Pittman In Pulpit At Christian Church

Dr. Herman Pittman, a native of Haskell, head of the department of sociology at Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, and an ordained minister in the Disciples of Christ (Christian) Church for many years, will be the guest minister at the Christian Church here Sunday morning at the 10:30 o'clock worship service.

A cordial invitation for Dr. Pittman's many friends in this area has been issued by Rogers Durham, minister of the church here, and the official board of the Haskell Christian Church to join the membership in hearing Dr. Pittman at this service.

Graduate of Haskell High School in 1931, Dr. Pittman obtained his bachelor's degree at Texas Christian University and served on the faculty there for three years. He took his master's degree at the University of Chicago and his doctorate at the University of Southern California in 1946.

The Haskell native served for several years as director of religious education at the large Huntington Park Christian Church, Huntington Park, California, went to Drake University, where he was chairman of the department of religion there. He was director of human relations four years as an executive for the state of Illinois.

Since 1957, Dr. Pittman has been on the staff of Central Missouri State College, while at the same time serving as chairman of the board of his church there and filling pulpits intermittently in the area.

With him are his wife and two children. Dr. Pittman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pittman, longtime Haskell citizens.

Homecoming At Youngs

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young had visiting in their home over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Plante, of Norwich, Connecticut; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Liles, and daughters, Connie Lou and Margie Ann, of Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark, Janette and Lee, of Knox City; and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Guess, Carol Sue and Dal of Mattson.

Foursquare Will Hold Bible School Here

Haskell Foursquare Gospel Church has scheduled a week-long daily vacation Bible school beginning next Monday, June 1, with commencement exercises set for Sunday night, June 7, Rev. Roy Herricks, the pastor, has announced.

Mrs. Carl Pool, of Weimert, has been named superintendent, and Miss Grenetta Stout will be pianist.

There will be classes for beginners, primary, junior, and intermediates. Volunteer workers for the school held two recent night sessions preparing for the presentation of Bible courses. The school staff includes Misses Roy Herricks, Creed Planary, James H. Agee, Edna Roberts, Sue White, Ray Mearns, Thurman Stout, Raymond Crane, and Dudley Phelps.

Reverend Herricks has issued a cordial invitation for all children to participate. There will be Bible stories, singing, craftwork, refreshments, and fun, the pastor said.

Negro People Here Plan A June 19th Event

Haskell's Negro community has appointed a steering committee of three to plan a "June 19th" observance here to include a big barbecue dinner and three ball games as the principal entertainment fare.

Named to crystallize planning for the event are Albert Sharpe, Jessie Tyler, and Martin Randlel.

Preliminary plans are to hold the barbecue from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. at a site to be announced, with a softball game between "young and old" immediately after dinner. At 4 p. m., the Haskell Braves will engage the Ft. Worth Hawks in a diamond duel.

Prior to the barbecue, Haskell girls will engage Stamford girls in a softball contest at 10 a. m.

The steering committee has asked for volunteers to help with the organization of the observance.

Seven 8th Graders Are Graduates In Evans Exercises

Seven eighth graders graduated from E. B. Evans Negro Elementary School in Haskell in commencement exercises held in Evans School Auditorium here this week.

All seven graduates, who received diplomas and other awards from Haskell School Superintendent H. T. Wilkinson, were on the commencement program.

Marie Johnson, valedictorian, delivered the valedictory. A tribute to the teachers was presented by John Thomas Bagley. Seward Thompson gave the class prophecy, Johnnie Johnson read the class will, Brenda Hill recalled the class history. Herschel Thompson recited the class poem. Walter Stillwell, Jr., welcomed the capacity audience.

Lanny Ivy Sets Torrid Pace To Keep Tiger Lead

They may have to rename Haskell's Little League "The Ivy League" yet.

Lanny Ivy, an 11-year-old, who rapidly is attaining sensation stature in several athletic endeavors, during the past week in two appearances with his team, the Tigers, coached by his father, Volly Ivy: (1) pitched a perfect game in regulation six-inning Little League affair against the rival Hawks, allowing no one to reach first; (2) struck out 16 of the 18 batters to oppose him; (3) hit a homer to aid his own pitching cause in winning 5 to 0; (4) playing as an infielder, came up with some sparkling plays and socked two more homers to pace the Tigers' rout of their nearest rivals, the Rams, 10-3, in the five-team major Little League race here.

Ivy received a handsome trophy and a jacket earlier this year for placing second in the state of Texas among thousands of boys entered in the Ford Motor Company's punt, pass, and kick contest.

Attend Graduation
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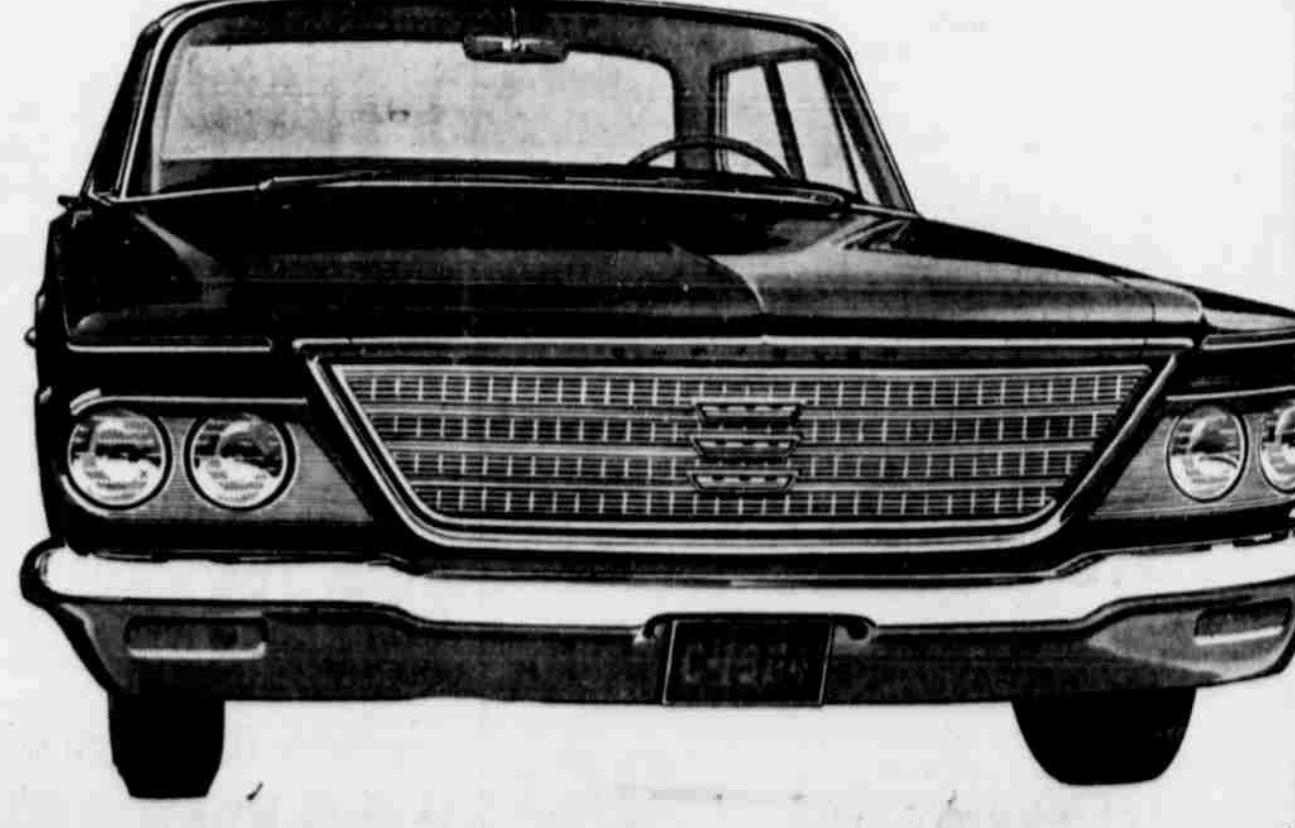
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