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Our Area Cities To Ballot On Two Propositions May 29th

Qualified taxpaying voters of the cities of Haskell, Munday, Knox City and Goree, which comprise the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, will face two separate ballots when they go to the polls Thursday, May 29th.

One proposition is FOR or AGAINST authorizing their city councils to enter into a contract to buy water to be stored in Millers Creek Reservoir by the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, and the other proposition is FOR or AGAINST a tax revenue bond for a reserve fund which would be for approximately a two-year period.

Voters should keep in mind that it will be necessary to place an "X" in the square opposite the proposition for which they desire to vote. Absentee voting is underway and will continue through Friday, May 23.

The Water Authority has been advised that only \$100,000 will have to be raised as collateral to insure bond payments, which could be raised in two years by a 25c per \$100 valuation...valuation to be based on the 1963 renditions. Balance of cost would be paid by revenue from the sale of water from the Millers Creek lake.

This breaks the cost of the lake down as follows, according to the financial experts: Grant from HUD (Housing Urban Development), \$1,500,000; state's share in the project, \$700,000; Water Authority Cost, \$3,400,000.

Total cost of the project \$5,600,000. Figures reveal that \$2,200,000 of the total cost would be borne by the state and federal governments. Cost of approved water delivered to member cities would be 36c per thousand gallons, based on the present consumption.

Through study proved that the Millers Creek location is the only one where a reservoir of capacity sufficient to serve the entire area can be built. It is designed to meet the needs of the cities, now members of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, plus cities in the area, that might, at some future date, desire to purchase water from the Authority.

The present need for surface water supply is brought about more from the standpoint of quality, than quantity. The present water supply contains nitrates in the amounts higher than recommended by the State Department of Health. Medical authorities of this area have viewed this with alarm and made public statements that the nitrate content is detrimental to health, particularly to small babies.

It has also been pointed out that Haskell, along with other members of the NCTMWA, can not prosper and grow unless they have ample and good quality water.

The election in Haskell will be held at the city hall with C. W. Herren as presiding judge.

Record of \$112,000 In Monthly SS Benefits Paid To 1,619 In County

That figure breaks down into 128 under 18, 22 18-21, and 103 22-59. It may be surprising to some that of beneficiaries in the over-60 bracket there are 780 women and only 586 men in this County.

Many students would have been unable to continue their education were it not for the 1965 Amendments to the Social Security Act which extended survivors and dependents insurance benefits to students until their 22nd birthdays.

Monthly payments to the family of a worker who dies, leaving a widow and two or more children, range from \$82.50 to \$434.40 a month, depending on the worker's average earnings under social security. Such payments often have a potential total of as much as \$85,000 to \$100,000, and more.

Ten Persons Are Injured In Rural Accidents In County During April

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 10 accidents on rural highways in Haskell County during the month of April, according to Sergeant Frank Jirek, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in 10 persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$8,275.00.

Quarter Horse Show Added To County Fair

In a meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce office Monday night, May 12th, plans were formulated for a Quarter Horse Show to be held in conjunction with this year's Haskell County Fair.

The show will be approved by the American Quarter Horse Association and will be held on Friday, September 26, with numerous classes both in performance and halter on the card with exhibitors.

City Council Meeting Held Tuesday Night

In a meeting of the City Council Tuesday night, a resolution was approved for the water contract election Thursday, May 29th.

Also at the Tuesday night meeting an Ordinance was approved for setting of the boundary lines of the city (up to date).

State Director Of FHA Visits Haskell Office

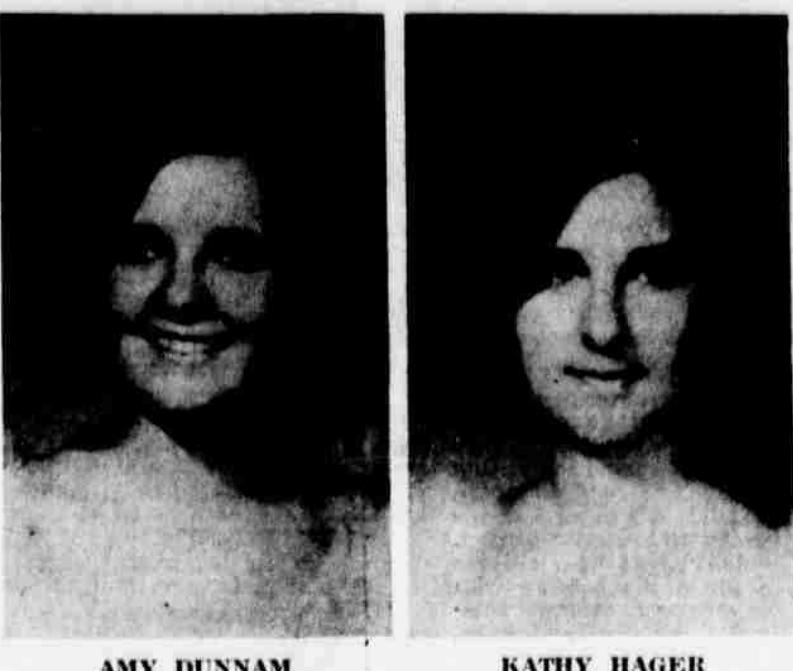
The newly appointed State Director of Farm Home Administration, Leonard Futch, visited Haskell last week.

Futch is a native of King County in West Texas and is a Texas Tech graduate with 17 years experience in agricultural financing.

Haskell Gets More Moisture

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AMY DUNNAM
Valedictorian

KATHY HAGER
Salutatorian

WEINERT HONOR GRADUATES: Amy Dunnam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dunnam, is valedictorian of the 1969 graduating class of Weinert High School. SALUTATORIAN is Kathy Hager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hager, Jr., according to an announcement by Supt. H. L. Guess.

Baccalaureate, Commencement Exercises Set At Weinert High

Weinert School announced the following services for the closing of the school year:

Baccalaureate will be held Sunday, May 18, at 8:00 p. m., and Commencement on Friday, May 23, at 8:00 p. m.

Exercises for the Elementary school will be held May 22nd, at 8:00 p. m.

Rotary Members View Film "Condemned"

"Condemned," title of a film viewed by Rotarians at last Thursday's noon-day luncheon meeting at Felker's Restaurant dining room, revealed that "carelessness" causes most fires.

Charles Thornhill was in charge of the program, and showed the film through the courtesy of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department.

Rites Held For Former Resident Of Haskell

Mrs. John A. Schilder, 70, a resident of Fort Worth for 37 years, passed away recently, following a lengthy illness. She was the former Eula White, daughter of John D. White, minister of the Haskell Christian Church for many years, prior to 1920.

She was a member of the River Oaks Christian Church, Fort Worth.

Hale Farm Supply Moves To New Building

The Hale Farm Supply has moved from 5 North First St., Haskell, to the new building located on Highway 277, just north of the city limits.

Pat Hale, formerly of Abilene, purchased the John Deere Implement Company from Brax Gilmore, January 2, of this year, and plans were immediately drawn-up for a new building and location.

Commissioners Court Meeting Held Monday

The Haskell Commissioners Court convened in regular session, Monday, May 12, with all members present.

E. O. Roberson, County Judge, presiding; C. A. Thomas, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; S. E. Bledsoe, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; J. R. Perry, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; E. C. Collins, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, and Clerk W. W. (Bill) Reeves.

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Cecil Lewis, chairman, pointed out the barbecue is an annual event sponsored by the Haskell County Junior Livestock Association for the various individuals and organizations that purchased memberships which helps finance the show.

ATTENDS SEMINAR

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Parade This Afternoon To "Kick-Off" Jaycee Rodeo

BAND TO PRESENT ANNUAL CONCERT HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Services Held Tuesday For Mrs. Baggett

Mrs. Lela Ada Baggett, 66, of 907-A Brick Village, Haskell, passed away at 1:20 a. m. Monday, May 12, in the Haskell Memorial Hospital, where she had been a patient for four days.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m., Tuesday, May 13, from the East Side Baptist Church with Rev. R. D. Williams, pastor, officiating.

Burglars Hit Hunter's And Biard's Cleaners

"Break-ins" were reported at Hunter Men's Wear, 108 North Avenue D, and Biard's Cleaners, 516 North First, early Sunday morning.

According to Haskell County Sheriff Garth Garrett, \$1500 in cash, and a few items of merchandise were missing at Hunter's.

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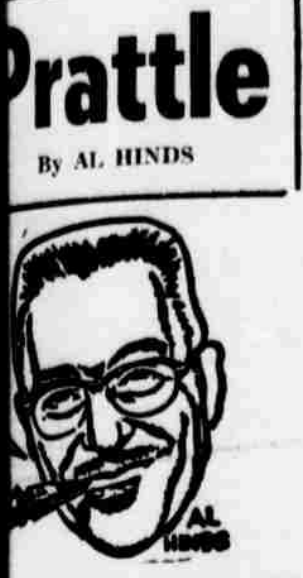
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By AL HINDS

Haskell Jaycees have many, many man hours preparation for the annual "kick-off" which will be officially "dished-off" with a big, gala parade at 5:00 p. m., Thursday.

Following the parade a chuckle supper will be "dished-off" at 6:00 p. m. at the Corral, and the opening rodeo performance will get underway at 8:00 p. m. in Rice Springs.

You are unable to be present for the three nights of the rodeo, at least make an effort to see one of the wild and wonderful rodeos, which runs Friday and Saturday night, and show the Jaycees behind them.

There are 65 million TV sets in the U. S., and 45 million more in the rest of the world. You are one of the million dirty guys watching.

As a graduate: It is comble to have ambition, but to set your goal so high as to discourage yourself when you achieve it. Those who set their wagon to a star sell off the ground, but in bump along the ground being dragged. Your goal, your resolution to succeed, your big way can be limited to the limit and will when trying to make the jump. Take it easy. One at a time will get you there and in the end.

Take pleasure in the little gains, in the little improvements. These are of present, and are important. Now take time to do a turn for someone who is helping it.

Man who works his way on a firm foundation. He is the details on which efficiency is built. If he is like which in a great measure to him, he will be given responsibility, row by row as the superstructure is built. Make a possible plan for the future; have the persistence to stick at it, and the patience of satisfaction day by day.

People should not be misled by believing that the risk of violent crime in the States can be curbed by restrictive gun laws. These crashes resulted in 10 persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$8,275.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of 1969 shows a total of 29 accidents resulting in one person killed, 19 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$19,140.00.

School will soon be out. This will be the signal for summer vacations to begin with hundreds of thousands of people heading for the open highways.

To help insure a safe vacation and summer driving, the sergeant suggests that the following items on your car be safety checked: tires, for worn-out spots; steering and wheel alignment; lights and mirrors; springs and shock absorbers; and as a final reminder the driver should be prepared for "Defensive Driving".

A committee composed of Jetty V. Clare, Max Stapleton, C. A. Thomas Jr., Felix Mulino, Ronon Liles, Loid Reno and Paul Allen was appointed to head the quarter horse show.

A. D. May, of Rule, president of the Fair Association, was present for the meeting, along with Rex Felker, Chamber of Commerce Manager.

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Young Homemakers met with the council in the interest of obtaining playground equipment for the park.

The cleaning, repairing and painting of the city's elevated storage tank is nearing completion.

In other business Tuesday night, the 1968-69 audit was presented; minutes of the last meeting were approved, and bills were presented from April 22 to May 13th.

SAGERTON NEWS

MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

After the nice rains last week, amounting to around 3 inches, the farmers are anxious to get back in the fields.

Melvin Lewis went to the hospital at Haskell Saturday and is a patient there.

Roy Wienke of Lubbock visited here with old friends Saturday. He formerly was our singer here at Sagerton before moving to the Plains several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Benton spent the weekend at Possum Kingdom Lake with their son, Yater and his wife, from Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Herring of Amarillo, former residents here, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis over the weekend and saw some of their old friends as well.

Guests in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Reece Clark Sunday for a Mother's Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mrs. John Clark, T-Sgt. and Mrs. Ted Terrell and Kay and Clark of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Kent and Jill, Larry LeFevre, of McMurry in Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and Mrs. Billy Miller of Jacksboro.

Mrs. Belle Hudson of Abilene visited here with her daughter, Mrs. G. W. LeFevre and Mr. LeFevre Sunday and attended services at the Sagerton Methodist Church where she saw many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Hewett in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz and daughter of Snyder visited with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lehmann for Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehmann and family were also there.

Mrs. Clota Engleman of Spur visited with Mrs. Ben Hess on Mother's Day.

Thomas Nierdieck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, was sworn into the U. S. Air Forces last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitaker of Austin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Lehmann took a group of the Freshman class of Rule High, including their son, Rickey, to Six Flags last Saturday.

High School Graduates

The young people graduating from high school in our community are: Mike Summers, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Summers, from Rule High School; Vicki Tichelman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tichelman, and Judy Nienast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nienast, from Stamford High School; and Roy Nierdieck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, from Stamford High School. Congratulations to all of them.



Light The Night To Fight Crime

The Make America Better program is being sponsored in this area and nationwide by the National Association of Real Estate Boards. Its broad purpose—to help all of us solve the major problems of our cities and towns.

One typical woman in New York has five locks on her door. Washington, D.C., is called the "crime capital" of the nation. Muggers, rapists, and even murderers are set free on bail and are thus free to repeat their crime. Responsible citizens cower behind locked doors and shuttered windows.

Realtors of America, members of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, determined that aroused citizens through voluntary action could reduce this rising rate of crime. In its Make America Better Program, with six objectives and 43 proposals for action, it started action to support law enforcement officers and to reverse the frightening rise in criminality.

One of the most popular of the Make America Better activities is the "Light The Night" campaign. Many of the 1,550 boards of Realtors in the 50 states have activated this proposal.

It is simple and easy and effective, in the words of L. Allen Morris, Miami, chairman of NAREB's Make America Better Committee. Residents of single-family houses are encouraged to use more light, front and back, and in dark places such as garages, to discourage the degenerate rapist and burglar.

Residents of apartments, and particularly apartment resident managers, are asked to



take part. Halls should be well lighted, locks, windows, and doors should be checked, shrubs should be trimmed so they don't provide hiding places, and garage areas should be well lighted, as part of the Make America Better project. Some boards of Realtors have made night trips with police officers to evaluate commercial locks, doors, windows, and skylights. In one city Realtors found that nearly three-fourths of the business houses checked needed better security.

Better lighting and intelligent inspection have proved to be keys in reversing the climbing rate of crime in scores of American cities.

For more information on this timely project, contained in a free Light The Night leaflet, write to: Make America Better Program, NAREB, 1300 Connecticut Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036.

Oil News

HASKELL RE-ENTRY

John H. Chalmers of Abilene filed application to re-enter to 1600 feet to test the Cook Sand at an abandoned project 15 miles east of Stamford in the Haskell County Regular Field. It is No. 2 M. M. Cobb, 2640 feet from south and 990 from east lines of section 3, Block 3, H&TC Survey.

The venture was originally drilled and plugged and abandoned in 1955 as Kendrick Oil Co. No. 1 Tull Newcomb.

Location is 330 feet south of Chalmers No. 1 Cobb, a Flippen sand discovery at 1524-30 feet which was prorated in the regular field.

HASKELL WELLS ARE GAUGED

Second well has been completed in the Turnbow, North (4,650 Strawn) Field five miles northeast of Haskell in Haskell County.

It is Harding Brothers Oil & Gas Co. of Abilene and Dallas No. 1 Cletus (formerly C. E.) Turnbow. Location is 2,549 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines of J. Huffman Survey 120.

Daily potential was 101 barrels of 40 gravity oil, plus 39 barrels of water. It is pumping from four radial jets at 4,660 feet with the 4 1/2-inch casing set at 4,700 feet, total depth.

It is north offset to No. 1 Massey, the field opener.

Harding Brothers completed No. 3 R. L. Dumas in the regular field five miles north of Haskell.

Location is 467 feet from the north and 2,000 feet from the west lines of William Brander Survey, A-25.

Daily potential was 36 barrels of 38 gravity oil, plus 18 barrels of water. It is pumping from perforations at 4,580-90 feet, fractured with 30 sacks of sand and 160 barrels of oil.

Operator set the 4 1/2-inch casing at 4,719 feet, total depth. The hole was plugged back to 4,600 feet.

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SPORTS

LITTLE LEAGUE

Haskell High Represented At State Track Meet

MINORS
Thursday, May 8: Bears 23, Red Horses 5.
Friday, May 9: Cats vs. Crows (no score available).
Saturday, May 10: Bears 9, Crows 0.
Monday, May 12: Owls 17, Crows 8. Winning pitcher, Gary Thomas. Losing pitcher, Richard Acosta.

MAJORS
Thursday, May 8: Cubs 1, Lions 23. Winning pitcher, Rickey Byrd. Losing pitcher, Jeff Hall.
Friday, May 9: Tigers 10, Rams 0. Winning pitcher, Art Williams. Losing pitcher, Frank Jordan.

Saturday, May 10: Lions 1, Hawks 12. Winning pitcher, Raymond Rodella. Losing pitcher, Rickey Byrd.
Monday, May 12: Rams 8, Hawks 5. Winning pitcher, Gonzales. Losing pitcher, McAdoo.

STANDINGS

Standings	W	L	1000
Tigers	1	1	500
Cubs	1	1	500
Hawks	1	1	500
Lions	1	1	500
Rams	1	2	333

Schedule of Play
Majors: Tuesday, May 13 through Monday, May 19: Tuesday, Tigers vs. Cubs; Thursday, Rams vs. Lions; Friday, Cubs vs. Hawks; Saturday, Lions vs. Tigers; Monday, Hawks vs. Lions.

Minors: Tuesday, Cats vs. Red Horses; Thursday, Owls vs. Bears; Friday, Red Horses vs. Crows; Saturday, Bears vs. Cats; Monday, Crows vs. Bears.

The percentages of wage and salary workers covered by employer-provided surgical insurance grew from 35.5 per cent in 1950 to 70.5 per cent by 1968.

Karen Bartley and Pat Harris represented Haskell High School at the state track meet held in Abilene, last Saturday, May 10th.

Karen, a sophomore, placed 10th in the shot-put, and Pat 11th in the discus, at the state meet.

These girls were eligible to go to state as Miss Bartley placed second in the shot-put and Miss Harris second in the discus throw at regional. This was the first year that Haskell girls have participated in a track meet.

Haskell Junior High Girls Win First Place At Comanche Meet

In the Junior High Girls Track meet held Thursday, May 8, at Comanche, Haskell "copped" first place for a total of 199 points; Comanche second with 116 points, and Goldthwaite third.

Results of Haskell's entries follow:
Triple Jump: 1. Glenda Chapman, 28' 1"; 2. Paula Middleton; 3. Mary Ann Elliott.

Broad Jump: 1. Paula Middleton, 12' 11"; 4. Debbie Burson.
High Jump: 1. and 2. Mary Ann Elliott, Glenda Chapman, tie, 4' 6"; 5. Pam Klose.

Discus: 1. Penny Medley, 84' 0"; 2. Fonda Horn; 3. Helen Mary Cadenhead.
Shot Put: 1. Helen Mary Cadenhead, 28' 7"; 3. Fonda Horn; 4. Joan Barnett.

400 Yard Relay: 4th (Glenda Chapman, Joan Barnett, Helen Mary Cadenhead, Pam Klose).

220 Yard Dash: 1. Mary Ann Elliott, 29.7; 3. Pam Klose.
60 Yard Dash: 1. Paula Middleton, 8.1; 2. Helen Mary Cadenhead.
80 Meter Hurdles: Glenda Chapman, 15.6.

880 Yard Relay: 2. (Glenda Chapman, Debbie Burson, Mary Ann Elliott, Paula Middleton) 2:03.2.

100 Yard Dash: 1. Helen Mary Cadenhead, 13.1; 6. Pam Klose.
1320 Yard Relay: 1. Debbie Burson, Fonda Horn, Mary Ann Elliott, Paula Middleton.

The 19.6 million wage earners and dependents with employer-provided life insurance in 1950 grew to 51.8 million in 1968.

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We will have open house as soon as we can prepare for it, and want all to come see how really great the improvement is.

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**Paint Creek
Community News**

Mrs. Gene Overton

I wish you all could have been here in Fort Rucker, Alabama with Wallar and me last Tuesday to see those fine young men graduate from the Army Aviation Center and receive their wings. It restored our faith in the young people of today. Those young men, most all of them college graduates, are giving up three or four years of their lives to serve their country. Their careers and ambitions

have to wait, and over three-fourths of them will be in Viet Nam in two or three months. Some of them have already had one or more tours in Viet Nam. I wish the press would write more about those men and less about the silly hippies and draft dodgers. The pilots we met are as rebellious as the hippies, but they are doing something more about the situation than growing long hair and a beard, marching around and destroying schools of our land. I just wonder sometimes what the hippies and Black militants would do if we were fighting Communism on the shores of Florida or Texas instead of Viet Nam.

1st Lt. Michael Overton received his pilot's wings at the graduation ceremony. He is a fixed-wing artillery pilot and received his basic flight instruction at Fort Stewart, Georgia, and his advanced at Fort Rucker. The Army Aviation Center at Fort Rucker graduates about 475 pilots every month, and 50 of them are fixed-wing pilots. The other 425 are rotary-wing and come to Rucker from Mineral Wells Helicopter Center.

We had a tour of the Fort, and one can't say those pilots are not given the best training possible. I felt better when I saw the radar system that guides the pilots in for their landings. With all those planes in the air at once, I felt it must be terribly dangerous. But the radar shows each plane, and they can be guided right in even in a storm. I asked if they had such a good system in Viet Nam, and the man said the equipment at Rucker was ten years older than that used in Viet Nam. In Viet Nam the radar is the finest there is. We saw a 'copter that can lift a truck, or more than its own weight. Those men just pick up heavy material with a big hook under their 'copter, and move it from one place to another in a few minutes. Mike pinned some wings on his wife, Linda. A young wife earns her wings by helping her pilot husband live through that hard aviation school. Then he pinned a pair on me. I hadn't done a thing to earn them, but you can bet I'll wear them proudly.

ilies for Sunday dinner at their home in Jud. Guests were the honoree, Mrs. Effie Green, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Green, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Green, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grand, Walter Green and the hosts and their children.

Mrs. V. P. Morrison of Mineral Wells is spending this week with her daughter-in-law, Wanda Morrison and Jo. Mrs. Morrison has visited Paint Creek for the school closing week for as long as the Pat Morrison family have lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan and Floyd spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Green and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Overton, Jr. and daughter, Mary Margaret, of Abilene, and Mrs. Catherine Terry of the Stamford Inn at Stamford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Overton, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith of Goree spent Mother's Day with their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Ansley, Mr. Ansley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rueffer and son are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darward Livengood and children and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rueffer. The Dennis Rueffers are moving to Dallas.

Mrs. Bob Hare and little son are spending the week in Breckenridge with his sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Davis.

The Athletic boys and their fathers had their annual camp over the weekend. There were 42 fathers and sons at the

camp, and a great time was had by all.

While the athletic boys were camping out with their fathers, the pep squad was entertained with a supper in the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Buddy Brazell and a slumber (less) party at the home of Mrs. Tom Pritchard.

Gene Overton, President of the Board of Directors, Charles Stenholm, Manager, and Marvin Massey, Maintenance Su-

perintendent of the Stamford Rural Electric Co-Op, of Stamford, were in Washington, D. C. last week where the Texas Rural Electric Co-Ops entertained the Texas Senators and Congressmen with a dinner.

The percentages of wage and salary workers covered by employer-provided life insurance grew from 38.9 in 1950 to 63.5 per cent by 1968.

**Dr. Williams
Invited To
Attend Meeting**

Dr. T. W. Williams, of Haskell, has been invited to attend the first meeting of directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for District III in Wichita Falls on Tuesday, May 20, in the Flame Room of

Lone Star Gas Company. District vice-president Edward M. St. John of Wichita Falls will preside at the 10 a. m. coffee meeting. The WTCC program of work will be detailed by vice-president Harlan Bridwell of Bridgeport and vice-president John Freeman of Fort Worth will discuss finance and membership plans.

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Haskell Garden Club Installs New Officers

The Haskell Garden Club met Thursday afternoon, May 8th, in the home of Mrs. Ed Fouts, for the last session of the club year, with the president, Mrs. C. B. Rhea, presiding.

Ten members answered to roll call and each told of the new plants recently added to their yards.

Plans for next year were discussed and several projects were mentioned.

Each member brought a floral arrangement or horticulture specimen, which made a lovely display with a riot of color... roses of several varieties, iris, philox, ferns and other plants.

The most important part of the meeting was the installation of club officers for 1969-70.

Mrs. LeRoy O'Neal, a former member of the club, conducted the installation service. She presented each officer with a different flower and compared their duties and personality to the flower.

Officers installed were as follows:

President, Mrs. Ed Fouts; first vice-president, Mrs. Perry Sperry; second vice-president, Mrs. C. B. Rhea; third vice-president, Mrs. R. L. Lemmon; secretary, Mrs. E. L. Wyche; treasurer, Mrs. Ed Hester; reporter, Mrs. Ira Davis; parliamentarian, Mrs. W. B. Guess.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mesdames Ed Fouts, C. B. Rhea, R. L. Lemmon, and S. P. Kuenstler.

Members were in for a treat when they viewed Mrs. Fouts' yard, with so many lovely plants.

A SON FOR CAPTAIN AND MRS. LEWIS M. JONES

Captain and Mrs. Lewis M. Jones announce the birth of a 7 lb., 8 oz. son, Jay Wilson Jones, May 2, at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio.

Capt and Mrs. Jones have a daughter, Leigh Ann, age 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Ratliff, and Woodrow Wilson Jones of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ratliff were in San Antonio last weekend visiting their "new" grandson.

NEWS OF INTEREST WOMEN

Happy Birthday Club Honors Eva Pearsey

The Happy Birthday Club met May 9 in the home of Lil Davis, honoring Eva Pearsey's birthday.

Meeting was called to order by the president, Eva Pearsey. Sallie Patterson lead the group in singing, "When We All Get Together." Reports were heard from the various committees and a report was given of work done at the Cancer Center.

For the May project the club delivered a vase of artificial flowers to the Rice Springs Care Home on Mother's Day. The project for June will be to make aprons for the Clear View Lodge.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson was in charge of the Mothers Day program. Mrs. Johnson presented a story, "Special Mother's Day Mine," and Doris Hannsz gave a reading, "Mother and Daddy," "Always Love You."

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. Lil Davis, Janie Whiteker, Eva Pearsey, Emma Bland, Doris Hannsz, Sallie Patterson, Eula Daniels, Nel Woodson, Lee Corzine and W. E. Johnson.

The next meeting will be June 13 in the home of Mrs. W. E. Johnson, honoring Emma Bland's birthday.

Young Homemakers Learn Life Saving; Elect Club Officers For 1969-'70

An informative program on the techniques used in life saving by the use of First Aid was efficiently given by Mr. Tom Watson in the regular meeting of the Young Homemakers last Thursday night. Tom Watson is the local Borden's distributor and is the Fire Chief of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department.

Mr. Watson reminded the club members that First Aid means—"the first thing you can do in an emergency until a qualified physician can attend the victim." He pointed out the four main emergencies needing first aid and the methods used. These emergencies are bleeding from an artery, breathing stopped due to drowning, smoke inhalation, or electrical shock. Also the consumption of poison, and a person in shock, caused by severe pain or fear. All of the methods of aid were explained in detail for the club members so that each would have some knowledge of First Aid action in her own family. This type of program is always appreciated and especially in the case of Young Homemakers with accident-prone children.

A film on fire prevention in the home was brought by Mr. Watson, giving full explanation of why so many home fires start and how they can be prevented. Each club member will be especially alert about her own home fire prevention now.

Business session was started with a report from Mrs. Jimmy Hannsz on the club's Community Project for 1969. This project included plans for playground equipment in our community. The club appropriated two hundred dollars for this project. Club members met with the City Council on Tuesday evening and will inform the public of definite plans in the coming weeks.

The Young Homemakers were asked by a national organization to select two women from the Haskell area to represent this area for Outstanding Young Women of America. They are: Mrs. F. D. Mullins and Mrs. Waymond McBroom. The club is quite proud of these young women and feel that they meet the high qualifications demanded.

The meeting was highlighted by the election of club officers for 1969-1970. They are: President, Mrs. Tim Burson; vice-president, Mrs. Jerry Sorrells; secretary, Mrs. Vernay Teague; treasurer, Mrs. John Jameson; reporter, Mrs. Chas. Thornhill, and Parliamentarian, Mrs. Pat Hale. Congratulations and good luck go to these selected with the hope that the coming year may be as prosperous as the last.

Casey-Baird Wedding Plans Are Announced



DEBRA LYNN CASEY

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie A. Casey, of Haskell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debra Lynn, to Bill Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Baird of Rule.

Miss Casey is a 1968 graduate of Haskell High School, and will be a June graduate of the Stamford School for License Vocational Nursing.

The prospective groom is a 1968 graduate of Rule High School and is attending Tarleton State College in Stephenville, where he is majoring in wildlife.

The couple will be married, Saturday, August 2, at the First Methodist Church in Rule.

Weinert Matrons Club Installs New Officers

Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday, May 8th, for the last session of the club year in the home of Mrs. W. B. Guess.

During the business session Mrs. M. C. Cunningham and Mrs. Andy Wilfong were elected to active membership.

Mrs. J. A. Mayfield was program director. She presented Joan Caddell, senior Four-H Dist. III, winner in public speaking, who gave a reading, "Old Glory," (her winning reading).

Officers for the 1969-70 club year were installed by Mrs. Mayfield. They are: president, Mrs. M. W. Phemister; first vice president, Mrs. Bill King; second vice president, Mrs. R. J. Rainey; secretary, Mrs. W. B. Guess; treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Liles; board members, Mrs. J. W. Liles and Mrs. R. W. Raynes.

Mrs. Guess hosted a brunch at 10:00 a. m. for the club preceding the meeting.

Club members will tour the art museum at Wichita Falls the last week in May.

Camp Boothe Oaks To Be Directed By Mrs. Bassett

Mrs. H. H. (Anita) Bassett, of San Antonio, will direct Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks near Sweetwater this coming summer.

Mrs. Bassett will share her experiences she has had as an active adult in the Girl Scout.

The Camp has scheduled three sessions for Scout campers this summer.

First preference will be given to Brownie Fly-Ups at the first and third sessions, June 22-28, and July 12-19.

Session II, June 29-July 12, will include a pioneer unit movement.

Stitching And Stewing

By Ruth Ann Fansler
County H. D. Agent

Few homemakers take into account all their expenses when shopping. For example, consider the cost of driving an automobile to and from the grocery store or stores—if you shop at several.

These little forgotten items—which result in an extra trip—can be quite costly. Careful planning for shopping can save you many of these extra trips.

To arrive at the cost of picking up the extra forgotten

items, do some simple arithmetic. Jot down the mileage from your home to the store. Figure the round trip to the store for the trip when you forgot to get the items, then the second trip to pick them up. Use a conservative 7 cents a mile as the cost of driving. The trips actually cost more than this.

Next, consider other items you may have bought while you were in the store—such as candy bars, a package of chewing gum, and a magazine. Now add up the cost of travel and the cost of the impulse purchases. It may total almost as much as the necessary things you went back to buy. So you may be spending a much larger amount than you thought just to get back to the store to buy the items you forgot.

Another factor to consider is your time. While your time at home does not have a dollar and cent rate, it could have been used in several different ways. There were many useful and productive things you could have done with that time instead of retracing your path to the grocery store. It pays to plan your shopping trips carefully—and reduce the cost of extra trips.

For our recipe of the week we are using Mrs. Myrtle Phemister's Ham Salad recipe. Mrs. Phemister is a member of the Weinert Home Demonstration Club.

Ham Salad
2 cups diced, baked ham (1 lb. trimmed and boned)
1 cup diced hard-boiled egg (3 large eggs)
1 cup diced apple (1 large apple)
Add sauce and toss lightly.

Sauce:
1/2 cup onion (chopped)
1/2 cup chopped pickle (sour dilil or sweet)
1/3 cup salad dressing
1/2 t. salt
Dash of pepper
1 t. prepared mustard
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Haskell Chapter F.H.A. Inducts New Officers

On Monday night, May 12th, the Haskell Chapter of the Future Homemakers held their annual "Mother and Daughter Induction Banquet."

Linda Steele, outgoing president, opened the banquet festivities with the F.H.A. prayer song.

Pam Burson welcomed the Future Homemakers, their mothers, and the guests.

Mrs. Frankie Doni Mullins presented Linda Steele the Young Homemaker's "Little Sister Award." Miss Steele also presented Scott McDonald, F.H.A. Beau.

Retiring officers include Linda Steele, president; Pam Burson, vice-president; Pam Har-

ris, secretary; Janice Scheets, first vice-president; treasurer: Cora Foamster; reporter-historian: Jeanette Glass; Suzanne Kreger, parliamentarian and Beverly Hill, song leader.

Officers inducted for the 1969-'70 year are Janice Scheets, president; Lee Ann Frierson, public relations officer; Parson, parliamentarian; Middleton, song leader; Pat Harris, pianist.

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Haskell Memorial Hosp. Auxiliary Elects Officers

Haskell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary met at the community room, Haskell National Bank, Wednesday, May 14th, at 8 p. m.

Minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report were given by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr.

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION, INCLUDING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK OF HASKELL, TEXAS 79521

THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MAY 30, 1968, PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 11.05, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

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LeFevre-Trussell Wedding Plans Are Announced



YVONNE LEFEVRE

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell LeFevre, of Haskell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Yvonne, to Troy Dale Trussell, of Fort Worth, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Trussell, of Rule.

The Rainbow And Sunshine Sewing Clubs Meet

The Rainbow and Sunshine Sewing Clubs met in the Fellowship Hall at the First Methodist Church, Thursday evening, May 8th, for their annual party. A covered dish supper was served.

Mother's Day Visitors With Mrs. John Lackey

Mrs. John Lackey, who resides at the Stamford Inn, visited over the Mother's Day weekend in the homes of her two daughters, Mrs. W. L. Davis of Morton and Mrs. Cliff Nicholson and family of Clovis, New Mexico.

Mary SS Class Meets In Home Mrs. Cadenhead

Thursday evening, May 8, the Mary Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church, met in the home of Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Sr., for their business and social session, with the president, Mrs. Bonnie Buntyn in charge.

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A medley of hymns was sung by Mrs. Janice Durham, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Cadenhead. A Bible quiz was presented by Mrs. Cadenhead.

Southside Bapt. Chapel W.M.U. Holds Meeting

The W.M.U. of the Southside Baptist Chapel met Tuesday, May 6, at 9:30 a. m., with Mesdames Wilson, Moody, Reynolds, Hodge, and Cain present.

Officers Are Elected By The Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle met Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30 p. m., in the home of Mrs. Roy Cook. Mrs. Hiebert opened the meeting with prayer.

Senior Girls Speak To B&PW Club Members

Tuesday evening, May 13, a regular meeting of the B&PW Club was held in the Community Room, Haskell National Bank, at 7:30 o'clock, with Nettie McCollum, president, presiding over the program, and committee reports were heard.

Josset Home Demonstration Club Meets

The Josset Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. V. Black.



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VIETNAM VIEW

(As reported by Marine Corps Combat Correspondents)
 DA NANG, Vietnam—Suzie is home. Home to her village of Tam Toa near Da Nang and the modest house she had never been strong enough to walk in before.

But the tiny doe-eyed Vietnamese girl, whose real name is Nguyen Thi Than Phoung, can now look forward to a full life instead of what appeared, only a few months ago, to be only the lingering of a child doomed to an early death.

Little Suzie arrived in Saigon almost five months after leaving for open-heart surgery at Orange County Children's Hospital in Santa Ana, Calif. Her mother returned to Da Nang in March after it had been determined that Suzie's surgery was successful. She flew to Saigon April 16 to meet her 27-month-

old daughter. The child's return to Da Nang was a scene of glowing smiles, a toddling healthy little girl and happy Americans who had followed the story of Suzie since her condition was discovered last fall by a doctor from the First Marine Aircraft Wing, Navy Lt. D. Douglas Henning.

Suzie's father, a Vietnamese soldier, met the flight at Da Nang with the happiness reserved for a father who has seen his child waiting to die, then undergo an almost miraculous recovery.

Suzie was also welcomed back by Navy Lt. G. Bruce Schumacher, a chaplain in Marine Aircraft Group 16, who aided Dr. Henning in getting the child to the United States.

Col. Edward S. Fris, commanding officer of Marine Air Control Group 18, whose men

had also been involved in the project, presented Suzie with a model of a Marine helicopter, a gift from the men of the First Marine Aircraft Wing.

A ride from Na Nang Air Base in a Marine station wagon, through narrow bustling streets and on to Tam Toa just north of the base, brought Suzie all the way home. The scene was like that anywhere when a neighbor child comes home from the hospital—curious but happy neighbors, other children running near the house and parents walking with new confidence.

There is one difference. This was Da Nang. Jet fighters howled overhead. Artillery rumbled in the distance. The war was still there.

But little Suzie was happy. She was home.

By Cpl. Bob Kerr
 QUANG TRI, Vietnam—It began as a family's birthday greeting to their son in Vietnam, but it developed into an unplanned expression of appreciation from many persons along the way.

Lance Cpl. Ronald Stewart, Whittier, Calif., a rifleman with the 9th Marine Regiment, received what might be one of the most elaborate birthday cakes ever to cross the Pacific for his 20th birthday, April 21.

In one corner of the eight-

pound cake was a red block with USMC engraved in icing. Next to it was the scene of a Marine in a tree dropping coconuts on an unsuspecting enemy soldier below. In the opposite corner was an illustration of the young Marine dreaming of a leave—a sun-showered beach with crashing surf and the Marine taking it all in from a beach chair. The rest of the cake was covered with scenes showing his family reading one of his letters, complete with the familiar red and blue bordered air mail envelope. In the center was the inscription, "Happy Birthday, Ron."

The cake was sent in a package with a large plastic window so the mail handlers could see what it was.

There are many intermediate stops that a package must go through on its way from the United States to Vietnam. By the time it reached him at Quang Tri, the package bore several birthday greetings added by those who knew only that he was a Marine serving in Vietnam.

The first was from Trans-

World Airlines, which brought the package from the states. It read: "It was our pleasure carrying it. Signed, Susan, Barbara, Joyce, and Gloria—Flight 55."

Following was, "Happy Birthday from Us to You—311th Special Operations Squadron—Air-lift Million 772."

The cake, with all its attached birthday wishes, arrived in

perfect condition, and Stewart, with the aid of his fellow Marines, devoured it in short order. But he kept the box bearing the best wishes of the strangers who had seen to it that he received the cake as quickly as possible.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: That Section 5, III, Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended, be read as follows: "The Legislature meet in regular session at such time as provided by law and as convened by the Governor. When convened in regular session in regular session, the Legislature shall devote the first thirty days of the session to the introduction of resolutions, acting upon emergency appropriations upon the confirmation of the Governor and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in messages to the Legislature. The Legislature shall provide that during the first thirty days of the session the various committees of each House shall be organized and shall then consider all resolutions and emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in messages to the Legislature during the first thirty days of the session. The Legislature shall provide that during the first thirty days of the session the various committees of each House shall be organized and shall then consider all resolutions and emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in messages to the Legislature during the first thirty days of the session."

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 2:00 p. m. on June 2, 1969 at the County Courthouse at Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Haskell County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION

In obedience to the order of the Commissioners Court regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas, at 9:00 A. M., on Monday, the 2nd day of June, 1969, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of city and all taxable oil, gas and utilities property located in Haskell County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year of 1969, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

W. W. REEVES,
 County Clerk,
 Haskell County, Texas.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTY OF HASKELL)
 CITY OF HASKELL)

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Haskell, Texas, on the 29th day of May, 1969, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the resolution adopted by the City Council on the 13th day of May, 1969, calling said election, which is substantially as follows:

RESOLUTION

CALLING AN ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING WHETHER THE CITY COUNCIL SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPLYING WATER TO THE CITY OF HASKELL.

WHEREAS, the City is in urgent need of an additional water supply which may be obtained by contract with North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HASKELL, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said City on the 29th day of May, 1969, at which election the following Proposition shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION

"Shall the City Council of the City of Haskell, Texas, be authorized to enter into a contract with North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority for the purpose of supplying water to said City, as authorized by Chapter 342 Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature and other applicable laws?"

2. That said election shall be held at the City Hall, within said City. Said City shall constitute a single Election Precinct for said election, and the following election officers are hereby appointed to hold said

election at the aforesaid Polling Place:
 C. H. Herren, Presiding Judge
 Henry Withers, Alternate Judge
 The Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two nor more than fourteen qualified election clerks to serve and assist in conducting said election; Judge named above actually serves at said election as expected, then the Alternate Presiding Judge shall be one of such clerks.

By approving and signing this Resolution, the Mayor of said City officially confirms his appointment of the aforesaid election officers to serve at said election; and by adopting this Resolution, the City Council of said City approves and concurs in the appointment of the aforesaid election officers.

3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 342, Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature, and only qualified electors of the City who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be permitted to vote at said election.

PROPOSITION

FOR) THE WATER
 AGAINST) CONTRACT

5. If this election results favorably to the making of said contract, the City Council will pass an Ordinance prescribing the form and substance of said contract and directing its execution. North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority will issue the bonds to be voted for the purpose of constructing the water supply project, and pledge to the security and payment thereof its revenues under said contract and such ad valorem taxes as may be necessary, and will issue such other bonds as may be necessary to provide for the construction of the water supply project.

6. The Authority expects to receive a grant from the United States for a part of the cost of constructing the water supply project. The Authority also will receive a part of such construction cost from Texas Water Development Board for which the State of Texas will own a part of the water storage space in the reservoir. The contract between North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority and Texas Water Development Board will provide for the State of the State's interest in said storage space out of resources other than taxation.

7. A substantial copy of this Resolution signed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Secretary shall serve as proper notice of said election. Said notice shall be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen days prior to the date set for said election. Except as otherwise provided in said Chapter 342, Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature, the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general election laws.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Bids will be received in the office of the superintendent of schools, Haskell Independent School District, from now until June 9, 1969, on the following equipment:

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTIES OF KNOX AND)
 HASKELL)
 NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS)
 MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY)

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID AUTHORITY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the Authority on the 29th day of May, 1969, for the purpose as set forth in the Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors on the 5th day of May, 1969, which is substantially as follows:

RESOLUTION

BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF THE ISSUANCE OF

\$3,400,000.00 OF BONDS PAYABLE FROM THE LEVY OF AD VALOREM TAXES AND THE PLEDGE OF THE REVENUES OF THE AUTHORITY.

WHEREAS, North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority was created under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Constitution of Texas, by Chapter 86, Acts of the Fifty-Fifth Legislature; and as amended by Senate Bill No. 257, Regular Session of the Sixty-First Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned amendment provides that said Authority shall contain all of the territory contained in the boundaries of the cities of Goree, Knox City, and Munday, in Knox County, and the city of Haskell, in Haskell County; and

WHEREAS, in order to accomplish the purposes for which said Authority was created, it will be necessary to issue bonds payable from ad valorem taxes to be levied on all taxable property in the Authority; and the revenues of the Authority; and

WHEREAS, an election should be held in the Authority for the purpose of authorizing the issuance of such bonds.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY:

1. That an election shall be held in said North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority on the 29th day of May, 1969, at which election the following PROPOSITION shall be submitted:

"Shall the Board of Directors of North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority be authorized to issue the bonds of said Authority in an amount not to exceed Three Million Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,400,000), maturing serially or otherwise from their date, for the purpose of providing a source of water supply for cities and other users for municipal, domestic, industrial, mining and oil flooding purposes as authorized by the Act creating the Authority; by constructing a dam or dams and all works, plants and other facilities necessary or useful for the purpose of impounding, processing and transporting water to cities and others for municipal, domestic, industrial and mining purposes, and to levy and collect ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the Authority for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon, and to pledge all or part of the net revenues of any one or more contracts for the sale of water and such other revenues as may be specified by resolution of the Board of Directors, as provided in the law creating said Authority?"

2. For the purpose of said election, North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority is divided into four election precincts. All of the territory of the Authority contained in the City of Goree shall be known as the "Goree Precinct"; all of the territory contained in the City of Knox City shall be known as the "Knox City Precinct"; all of the territory contained in the City of Munday shall be known as the "Munday Precinct"; and all of the territory contained in the City of Haskell shall be known as the "Haskell Precinct".

3. (a) The election in the Goree Precinct shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Goree, Texas. Mrs. G. W. Weber is hereby appointed as the Presiding Judge for said election, and she shall appoint an assistant judge and two clerks to assist her in holding said election.

(b) The election in the Knox City Precinct shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Knox City, Texas. Mr. Otis Harbert is hereby appointed as the Presiding Judge for said election, and he shall appoint an assistant judge and two clerks to assist him in holding said election.

(c) The election in the Munday Precinct shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Munday, Texas. Mr. E. H. Nelson is hereby appointed as the Presiding Judge for said election, and he shall appoint an assistant judge and two clerks to assist him in holding said election.

(d) The election in the Haskell Precinct shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Haskell, Texas. Mr. C. H. Herren is hereby appointed as the Presiding Judge for said election, and he shall appoint an assistant judge and two clerks to assist him in holding said election.

4. That said election shall be held under the laws governing general elections except as otherwise provided in the law creating said Authority. Only legally qualified electors residing within said Authority who own taxable property in said Authority and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote, and each elector shall vote only in the precinct of his residence.

5. That the official ballots for said election shall be prepared in accordance with the Texas Election Code, so as to permit the electors to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the aforesaid PROPOSITION, and shall be

printed in the following form, to-wit:

"NO _____ NO _____"

NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY BOND ELECTION.
 MAY 29, 1969.
 NOTE: VOTER'S SIGNATURE TO BE AFFIXED TO REVERSE SIDE HERE-OF.

OFFICIAL BALLOT

(Place an "X" in the square opposite the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.)

PROPOSITION

FOR
 AGAINST
 THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS

6. That notice shall be given by publishing a substantial copy of this Resolution in the following newspapers: "Knox County Herald", published in Knox City, Texas; "Munday Times", published in Munday, Texas; and "Haskell Free Press", published in Haskell, Texas. Such notice shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks, the first publication being at least twenty-one days prior to the date of election.

7. There being no newspaper published in the City of Goree, a copy of such notice shall be posted at the City Hall and at two other public places in said City.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED,

the 5th day of May, 1969.
 L. B. Patterson, Sr.,
 President, Board of Directors,
 North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority.

ATTEST:
 Pete Beecher,
 Secretary, Board of Directors,
 North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority.
 (SEAL)

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
 COUNTIES OF KNOX AND)
 HASKELL)
 NORTH CENTRAL TEXAS)
 MUNICIPAL WATER AUTHORITY)

I, the undersigned, Secretary of the Board of Directors of North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of said Authority (and of the minutes pertaining thereto) on the 5th day of May, 1969, calling an election on the question of the issuance of \$3,400,000.00 of bonds payable from the levy of ad valorem taxes and the pledge of revenues of the Authority, which Resolution is of record in the minutes of said Board of Directors.

Executed under my hand and the seal of said Authority, this 5th day of May, 1969.
 Pete Beecher,
 Secretary, Board of Directors,
 North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority.
 19-20c
 (SEAL)

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OUTDOORS -IN- TEXAS

By Vern Sanford

Texas has a wonderful fishing hole. Anyway, at least half of it is in Texas.

Its Toledo Bend Reservoir on the Sabine river, between Texas and Louisiana. Covering some 200,000 bass-stocked acres it is about 40 per cent water and 60 percent brush.

This new lake is just east of beautiful Sam Rayburn lake in the Angelina National Forest. Among the closest towns to Toledo Bend reservoir are San Augustine, Hemphill, Jasper and Newton. It is a little more than 100 miles north of Beaumont and is pretty well surrounded by good roads.

Toledo Bend Reservoir has been stocked heavily with largemouth black bass by the conservation departments of both Texas and Louisiana. These bass are now yearlings and ready to catch. During the fall and winter months they were schooling.

Early last fall the lake was only about one-third full. Winter and spring rains have added much more water, however, and the fish have been spreading and will spawn this spring.

Like Lakes-Pines and Rayburn, much brush has been left in the lake. It has been engineered for the fishermen, however. A boat road has been cleared along the channel of the Sabine, for something like 40 miles upstream. In addition lateral boat roads have been cut through the brush to the more than a score of landing places and public camp grounds now available.

This lake is a project of the Sabine River Authority and was built entirely without federal funds. It holds water for release to generate hydroelectric power. Lines tie into a trunk system serving both Texas and Louisiana. These two states entered a compact for construction of the dam and sold revenue bonds. They were based on contracts with three power distribution companies.

Site for the dam was first discovered 35 years ago by Carr

Forrest, a young engineer, now the senior member of Forrest and Cotton, consulting engineers of Dallas, who engineered the dam. Forrest is a fisherman himself, and you can bet he was cognizant of the ideal conditions for piscatorial proclivities when he and his staff laid out the lake in the middle of the Sabine National Forest.

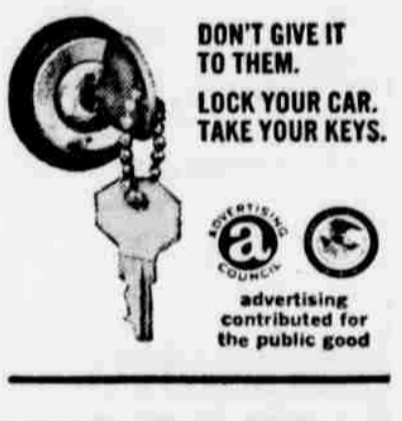
Fishing there today is still rather primitive. More and more rigs are being rented, but to be safe you should take your own boating equipment along. Construction, however, is in progress on a half-dozen camps on both the Texas and Louisiana sides.

When you go there, however, be sure and check on the license requirements because you may be fishing in Louisiana. There is still some debating over reciprocity, although this is expected to be worked out.

And take along plenty of line and lures. With so much underbrush, if you fish in good bass water you are going to lose lots of lures and break quite a few lines. But you'd catch fish!

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (HJR9)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section 49-d-1 to read as follows:

"Section 49-d-1. (a) In addition to Texas Water Development Bonds heretofore authorized to be issued by Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III of the Constitution, the Texas Water Development Board is hereby authorized to issue \$5,500,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of bonds. No part of such additional bonds shall be issued prior to approval thereof by the vote of two-thirds of the elected members of both houses of the Legislature.

(b) The proceeds from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited in the Texas Water Development Fund. (c) The bonds herein authorized and all bonds authorized by such Sections 49-c and 49-d of Article III shall bear such interest and mature as the Texas Water Development Board shall prescribe subject to the limitations as may be imposed by the Legislature.

(d) The Texas Water Development Fund shall be used for the purposes heretofore permitted by and subject to the limitations in said Sections 49-c and 49-d and in addition thereto for the purposes of developing water resources and facilities for the State of Texas, both within the State and without the

Water Development Board to execute contracts or issue revenue bonds when such contracts or bonds are not secured by the general credit of the State.

(f) Texas Water Development Bonds and such contracts secured by the general credit of the State shall after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

(g) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their anticipatory character. Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on Tuesday, August 5, 1969, at which election all ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment broadening the powers of the Texas Water Development Board and the purposes of the Texas Water Development Fund, eliminating the interest limitations on Texas Water Development Bonds; raising the authorized amount of Texas Water Development Bonds by \$5,500,000,000; extending the maturity schedule on Texas Water Development Bonds; eliminating the procedures for curtailment and the curtailment date of financial assistance to be provided by the Texas Water Development Board."

Moisture Planting Conditions Are Good In The Rolling Plains Area

Reports from a large number of counties in the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., area indicate excellent to good planting moisture conditions prevailing, according to Charles G. Bragg, executive vice president of the organization.

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With a majority of producers agreed on May 19 to 23, as about the most desirable uniform planting period, Bragg would like to emphasize the importance of producers giving some thought to the importance of growing the kind of cotton the mill buyers are looking for.

"As we prepare to plant our 1969 cotton crop we hear some grumbling on the part of some Texas cotton merchants that growers are more concerned with raising cotton for government loan programs than they are in producing the kind to meet the needs of the buyers," Bragg said.

"Cotton industry leaders have

voiced concern over reports by a group of Japanese business executives, including representatives of Japan's growing textile manufacturing industry, that they are finding it difficult to buy Texas-grown cotton that meets their requirements," he asserted.

Members of the delegation, visiting in Dallas, told several Dallas cotton buyers that their hosts that mill buyers are finding the kind of cotton the spinners want in other countries.

They also complained that buyers for Japan's textile mills have found that the high temperature needed to do a good job of ginning Texas cotton to command the highest loan price damages the spinning quality of the staple.

Bragg said that a number of Texas cotton merchants have expressed their opinion that producers are not likely to change their goal of producing cotton that will qualify for the highest loan until a more stable market can be found.

Producers, consumers, merchants, farm organization leaders, business and industrial organizations, need to be considering what provisions are made for cotton in the new farm program that will be formulated next year.

"We think it is of the utmost importance to the economy of the Rolling Plains," Bragg said, "because we have not yet come up with any crop or industrial program that comes near to equaling the economic value of the cotton crop to this area."

Randy O'Neal Has Been Selected To Attend Nuclear Science Symposium

Randy Jim O'Neal of 702 North Avenue H, a student at Haskell High School, has been selected to attend the Ninth Texas Nuclear Science Symposium for High Schools at the University of Texas at Austin, June 3-6.

He will be accompanied to the symposium by Gerald McCoy, science teacher at the high school.

They will be sponsored by West Texas Utilities, a member of the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation, which is joining with the university in putting on the symposium. The foundation is made up of ten investor-owned electric power companies in Texas.

Some 500 outstanding science students and their teachers, selected by their schools, will attend the four-day meeting. They will have the opportunity to hear scientists from the fields of both industry and education discuss nuclear physics and related topics, according to Roff W. Hardy, company president.

The participants will spend two afternoons touring the science laboratories at the university, including those where experiments are being carried on in thermonuclear (fusion) research by the university for the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation.

"This is an excellent opportunity for students interested in careers in science to hear about and to see the latest achievements in nuclear science," President Hardy said. "We are

pleased that we can make this opportunity available to them."

James T. Ramey, a member of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission from Washington, D. C., will speak at a banquet during the symposium. Dr. Norman Hackerman, president of the university and a professor of chemistry, also will address the gathering.

Other noted speakers include Dr. Peter Fortescue, chief research and development engineer for Gulf General Atomic Inc. of San Diego, Calif.; Dr. Louis Rosen, division leader in medium-energy physics at Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, Los Alamos, N. M.; Dr. J. R. Maxfield, Jr., Maxfield Clinic and Radiological Center of Dallas; and Dr. Richard E. Wainerdi, head of the activation analysis research laboratory at Texas A&M.

Also on the program from the University of Texas at Austin are Dr. A. E. Robson, research scientist in the plasma physics research center; Dr. Harold P. Hanson, chairman of the physics department; and Dr. W. T. Guy, Jr., professor of mathematics. Dr. B. H. Amstead, assistant dean of engineering, is chairman for the symposium.

"West Texas Utilities Company and the other nine electric companies in the foundation are vitally interested in the thermonuclear research program at the university," Mr. Hardy said. "A tremendous amount of energy is released in the nuclear fusion reaction. Experiments at the university are aimed at harnessing this energy for such purposes as the generation of electricity."

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Joan Caddell Weinert Lions Club Speaker

The recently organized Lions Club of Weinert met Monday night, May 6, in the Community Center, with Elmer Adams, president, presiding over the business meeting.

Melvin Vojkufka introduced Joan Caddell, who was guest speaker for the evening. She is the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caddell, and a freshman in Weinert High School.

In her speech she addressed "Old Glory" and gave a gallant tribute. Joan has been a first-place winner in the public speaking event three consecutive years at the District III 4-H elimination contest at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. Her first two wins were as a Junior 4-H'er. This is her first win as a senior 4-H member and will give her the opportunity to compete at State at the A&M College June 3rd. Miss Caddell gives much of the credit for her success to her coach, Wanda Vojkufka, who will be making a trip to College Station with her.

Alexia Mayfield, Weinert Lions Club Sweetheart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, represented the Weinert Club at Graham last week-end where she competed against other sweethearts of the district.

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Rule: W. A. Gann, medical; Stella Trice, medical.
Sugerton: Melvin Lewis, medical.
Spur: Cassie Mecom, medical.

Dismissed
A. B. Arnett, Gladys Laughlin, Mrs. James Moore, of Rule; Norman Baker, of Dallas; Arnold Warren, Jay Luster, of Munday; Melvin Norman, Laurie Walton, Elbert Mapes, Mrs. Joe Gonzales, of Haskell; Herbert Klump, Gail Lehrman, of Old Glory; Martha Torres of Rochester.

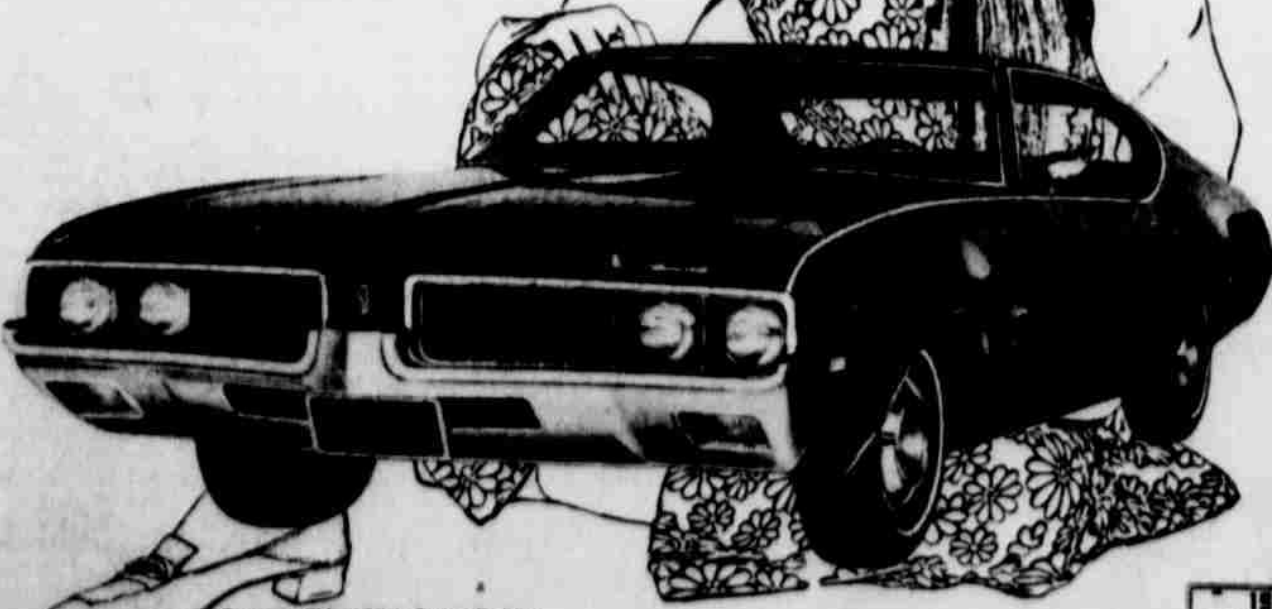
The Very Newest
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Castillo, of Haskell, baby girl, Silvia, 6 lbs., 2 1/4 oz., May 12, 1969.
Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Garcia Torres, of Rochester, baby boy, Ignacio Garcia, Jr., 8 lbs., 3 oz., May 6, 1969.

CARD OF THANKS

The brothers and sisters of Henry W. Smith wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their visits, cards, flowers, and love given us and also for the kindness of doctors and nurses for giving aid and comfort while he was so sick. May God bless each of you. Tom McNeely, John McNeely, Mrs. Virgil Bailey, Mrs. H. M. Stone.

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The following letter from one of our sister cities will be of interest to you:

"A brief history of the struggle for water by Quanah would be a near impossibility. The struggle extends over a period of 50 years. However, it would seem that our problem of supply and quality was solved in 1964 when Quanah joined the Greenbelt Water Authority and Lake Greenbelt was built.

"It is my opinion that any city without an adequate supply of water is a dead city, and any city without a surface supply of water, especially in our part of the state, is a city in distress. Therefore, it is hard to decide whether water is too high or too cheap. The battle cry of Quanah was water at any cost and this theme carried Quanah into the Greenbelt Water Authority by a resounding vote of 4 to 1.

"Memphis and Paducah were originally included in the Authority. Paducah voted not to join, and Memphis did not own its water distribution system. Both cities are having water supply problems and will sooner or later be forced to look for other supplies. Vernon is negotiating with the Authority for future water needs.

"A direct result of having an ample supply of water has led to new industry taking a second look at Quanah, and the establishing of a garment plant employing around 200 women. We feel certain that this will lead to other industries coming to our area.

"As I have previously said, 'Our motto was water at any price.' Sure, to the outsider our cost of water seems to be high. However, tell me what is cheap. Certainly the cost of living has increased to a point where most necessities seem to be out of reach. When water was a plentiful bounty, and cities could sell at 20c per thousand, we could also buy an automobile for less than \$1,500.00. Now an automobile sells for an average of \$4,000.00. Therefore, 75c per thousand, the price we pay for water, is certainly in line with other inflated prices. Who can say what price water should sell for. Certainly a man without water in a desert would consider 75c for a thousand gallons dirt cheap.

"Yes, some of our people complain about the price of our water. However, in the same breath they will tell you they never want to go back to the hard, gippy water they perviously had to use. Neither do they want to go back to the times when it took all night to draw a tub of water for a bath. Neither do they wish to recall the days when trees, shrubs, and grass died because of lack of water. Yes, our water is costly, and a few people may regret the day we signed with the Greenbelt Authority, but they are the people who would complain if water was given to them.

"Good luck in your efforts for a supply of water.

Sincerely yours,
I. M. HUTCHENS,
City Secretary, City of Quanah"

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James Powell **Elbert Johnson**
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HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

By REX FELKER
 Cowboy Reunion was held in Haskell on July 27-28 and for several days as to the opening of the rodeo, the roads were lined with wagons, hacks and buggies in from every direction. The morning of the first Wednesday, the town looked like a mining camp, with tents in every direction as far as the eye could see. The floating crowd was estimated at from 15,000 to 20,000 of cowboys, western rangers, traders, gamblers, and performers, as was probably ever in one little town at one time. At night the crowd was entertained with a musical concert by the Midland Band, show, a moving picture show exhibiting Mexican historical scenes a merry-go-round, a fat man show, a petrified child, snake show, tricks, games and schemes of every kind.

The second day's sport opened with a bronco busting contest between eight rough riders on the fiercest bucking horses to be found and closed with a lot of horse races. The third day was set aside for the most exciting feature of the entire program: the cutting out contest (cutting horse contest). It was won by S. L. Graves of

King County on old "Hub", the aged horse which had long since been turned out to pasture and which has become a legend when cowmen get together and talk of cutting horses. The above story was taken out of Sherrill's History of Haskell County and is being used again for the sole purpose of bringing to one and all's attention the fact that Thursday, May 15 will kick off another exciting rodeo here in Haskell under the auspices of the Haskell Jaycees.

This rodeo will be held over seventy years from the famous cowboy reunion in 1898 and without a doubt will be wilder, more colorful, faster in production and will feature outstanding specialty acts far surpassing the "fat man act," the snake show and etc., which drew crowds in the thousands at the rodeo many years ago.

The Haskell Jaycees are not expecting the crowds to equal the thousands present at the early cowboy reunion but they are going to a great deal of trouble and time-consuming work to present a rodeo that is tops in the rodeo world today.

We urge you not to take for granted their efforts and neglect to attend at least one of the rodeo performances because they are doing their part to perpetuate the western atmosphere of Haskell.

We sincerely hope that rodeo-minded folks in this area will turn out for the colorful street parade to be held at 5 p. m., Thursday, May 15, attend the chuckwagon supper at the corral building at 6 p. m. and be in the grandstand for the rodeo grand entry and the exciting western contests, pitting the skill of cowboy and cowgirl against the ornery rodeo stock used today.

Ralna English To Appear On Welk Show

Ralna English will make her first appearance on the Lawrence Welk Show, May 24th, and will be a regular on the show.

She was born in Haskell and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raul English, natives of Haskell, who now reside in Irving.

Ralna is the granddaughter of Mrs. W. D. Kemp and the niece of Giles Kemp and Willie

Mae Fouts. She has been singing since she was 10 years old. In 1964 she sang twelve weeks at "Six Flags Over Texas."

She was on a U.S.O. tour for 35 days in 1968 to the Philippines, Korea, Taiwan, Japan, Okinawa, Guam, Thailand, Hong Kong and Singapore.

VISIT IN HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIver of Eulass and Mrs. A. E. McIver of Grants Pass, Oregon, visited with friends in Haskell, Monday. The McIvers are former residents of Haskell.

Final Rites Are Held For Mrs. Ola Yancy

Funeral for Mrs. Ola Yancy, 64, was held at 2:00 p. m. Thursday, May 8, at the Baptist Church at Rochester, the Rev. Jude Strickland of Abernathy, officiating. Burial was in Coleman Cemetery under direction of Smith Funeral Home.

Mrs. Yancy died at 10:45 a. m. Tuesday, May 6, in Knox City Hospital following an apparent heart attack.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. J. F. Huxall of Shawnee, Okla.; two sons, Walter of Rockwood and O. C. of Austin; four brothers, Robert, Ivy, Lewis and Kerry Holmes; three sisters, Mrs. Molly Bearfoot, Mrs. Velma Bozeman and Mrs. Maudie Baggett; 10 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Kenneth Jett, Daryl Huxall, David Yancy, Cardell Cameron, Larry Sam, Carl Canody Jr.

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Study papers and recommendations relating to abortion, jail ministry, teenagers in need of medical aid, self-determination of the Mexican-American and youth and the Armed forces will be considered by the Synod.

The Synod of Texas, meeting at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, in Beaumont, is expected to examine its present program structures, with the intention of streamlining the planning process by redefining the Synod Program Coordinating Committee in order to make it more directly related to Presbytery programs.

Representatives expected to attend as commissioners from here are the Rev. and Mrs. Harry Searles of the Haskell-Rule-Throckmorton Presbyterian Parish, and Mr. C. W. Kitchell of Anson.

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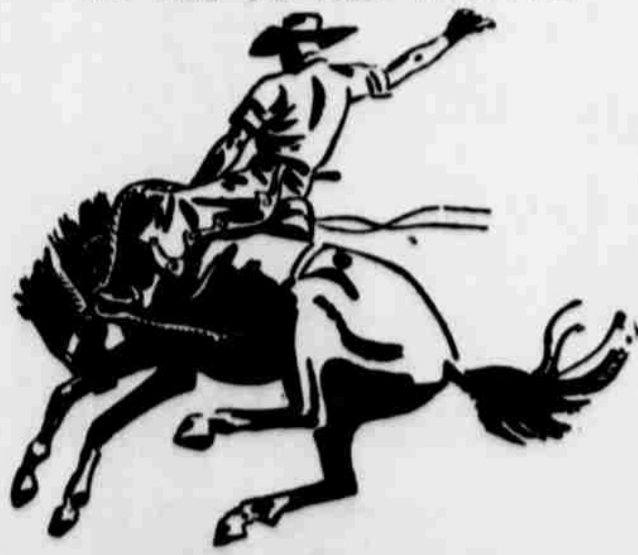
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Those who scorn commercialism and those who would like to curb or eliminate the promotion and advertising that are an integral part of commercialism and the free market are on weak ground. At no time is this more evident than at Christmas when the material and the spiritual become a happy blend of good cheer.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor: On behalf of 17,941 disabled Texans, thank you for your excellent cooperation during our 1969 Easter Seal Appeal. The Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

Weinert Junior 4-H's Tour Power Plant

The Weinert Junior 4-H Club held a bake sale at Weinert on May 10. Everyone brought a sack lunch and after the sale the group gathered at Lake Stamford for a picnic and outing.

The group toured the West Texas Power Plant, and Wayne Lyles explained the operation of the plant. After the tour the 4-H's were treated with cake, by Mr. Lyles.

Enroute home when the group arrived in Haskell they were treated with ice cream.

There were 10 4-H members on the tour including Calvia Wilfong, Lisa and Ruthie Dutton, Kim Hager, Lynda Yates, Reda Campbell, Tammie Herriek, Nean Newton, Debra Robertson and adult leaders, Mrs. C. C. Campbell, Mrs. W. R. Hager Jr., and Mrs. Toby Yates.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hale of Fort Worth announce the birth of a 6 lb., 9 oz. son, Jimmy Glenn, May 8th at 10:45 a. m. in the All Saints Hospital, Fort Worth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hale of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Andress, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Andress and son spent the weekend in Fort Worth visiting the new grandson.

MOTHERS DAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Firestone of Glen Rose; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Maddox, of Nocona; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kirby and children, Carole, Kent K., Claudette and Lisa of Henrietta; Mrs. A. L. Johnson of Tulia; Mrs. Rodney Whitley of Henrietta and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bird, of Haskell visited Mother's Day with Mrs. Eva Pearsey.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Malow of Santa Marie, California, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, May 11th, at Vandenberg AFB Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Roberts of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Malow of Guthrie, Oklahoma.

The baby has only one Uncle, Bonnie Roberts of Dallas, and no aunts.

HASKELL COUNTY HISTORY

30 YEARS AGO (May 19, 1939)

The May 19, 1939 issue of the Free Press is missing from our files. The 30-year-ago column will be resumed next week.

40 YEARS AGO (May 16, 1929)

The cities of O'Brien, Rochester and Sagerton have been without train service since the big rain Sunday night which fell along the drainage of Red and Pease Rivers to the north and a heavy rain caused a washout to the south, and towns mentioned above were stranded regarding train and mail services. Most of the mail where it was possible was routed through Haskell and carried by E. Thornton, Star Route man, out of Haskell. The service is expected to be resumed today (Wednesday) if there is no further trouble.

Mrs. J. A. Couch Sr., of Abilene, was in Haskell the past week visiting her boys and their families.

Miss Thelma Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams, who has been in Fort Worth for the past few years, was a last week-end guest of her parents, returning to Fort Worth Sunday night.

O. E. Patterson, vice-president of the Haskell National Bank, is in Galveston this week attending the State Bankers Convention.

Mrs. Ree Gardner and daughter, Brucille, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. F. O. Purcell at Lueders. She attended the graduation exercises when Mrs. Purcell's daughter, E. U. A., graduated. While there, Mrs. Gardner attended a fishing party on Lake Penick with fifty or sixty other young folks and fishing and swimming were enjoyed.

J. T. (Tom) Johnston, of this city, spent the week-end with his parents. He is employed with an Oil Company with headquarters at Wichita Falls, and he has been with this company a number of years and has made good.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Smith of Rochester are sporting a new Ford.

Miss Ann Howard of Weinert has recently returned from Ranger and other parts where she visited friends and relatives.

60 YEARS AGO (May 15, 1909)

On Saturday afternoon, May 8th, the pretty west-side bungalow of Mrs. Henry Alexander was the center of much interest, a reception being given in honor of Mrs. George Langston by the Haskell Magazine Club. The home was decorated in colors, white and gold, and at four o'clock, the fifteen members of the Magazine Club were in receiving line awaiting the arrival of the Symphony and the Civic Improvement Clubs, who were invited to hear the address on Club lines by Mrs. Langston. The guests were greeted most cordially by Mesdames Alexander and Scott, the latter being president of the Magazine Club, who most graciously presented them to Mrs. Langston. At five o'clock an informal reception was held. Mrs. Langston meeting many of the representative ladies of Haskell. Mesdames A. W. McGregor, S. R. Rike, C. D. Long and H. R. Jones presided in the dining room.

highly enjoyed and appreciated. H. M. Rike, vice-president of the Farmers National Bank, attended the Bankers Convention at Houston this week. Messrs. J. B. Baker and A. H. Alexander made a business trip to Fort Worth the early part of the week. Mr. Robt. Simmons returned Monday from Fort Worth where he has been on business. Mr. L. M. Garrett returned from an extended visit to Davis Mountains, where his brother-in-law, Mr. S. S. Garrett is much improved in health. He was accompanied home by Miss Fannie Cummings who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Garrett.

Rev. Jno. Arbuckle preached the Annual sermon for the W.O.W. at the courthouse last Sunday. There was a large crowd and the sermon was



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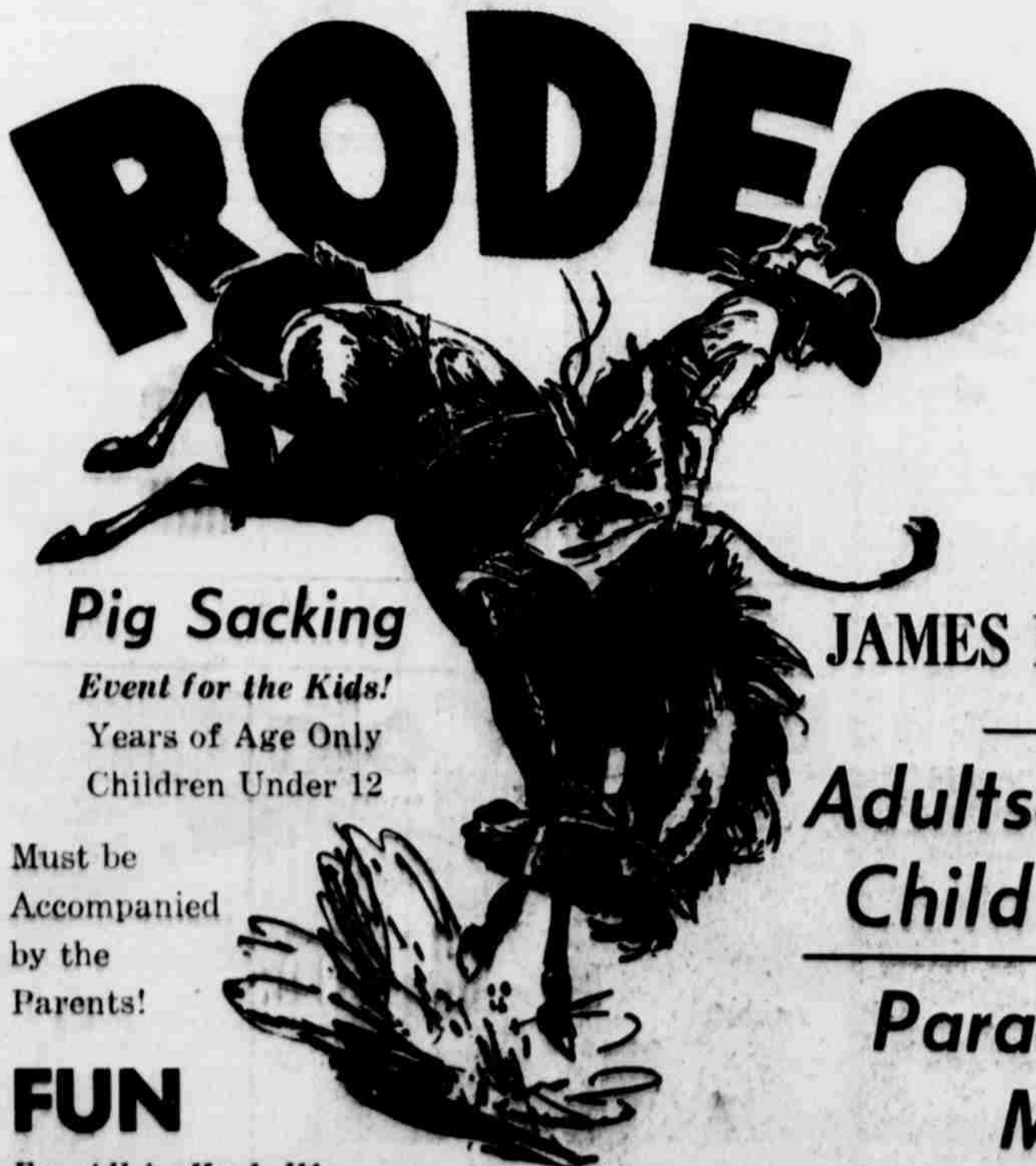
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Sheila D. Bevel, a Tarleton State College senior from Haskell, is presently doing her student teaching at Stephenville. Miss Bevel, the daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Bevel of Haskell, is majoring in physical education at Tarleton.

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News from Weinert . . .

MRS. ERON JENKINS

The weather has been the main topic of conversation around here for almost a week. The abundance of rain, although damaging to growing crops and land, came just right for the cotton farmers, and in most places the wheat came through here and Rochester was closed for a time, and lightning struck the flag pole at school and knocked out the phones. Still we are thankful for the good rain!

The Weinert High School Baccalaureate Service will be held next Sunday night, May 18, at the high school.

Vacation Bible School will start June 2 at the First Baptist Church and run through June 6. We are hoping for a large attendance.

Here and There

Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Vaughn and family of Anson spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mrs. Nova Driggers and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vaughn. Also visiting in the Vaughn home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Vaughn and James from Abilene, and Mrs. Joyce Hawkins and children from Haskell.

Among visitors at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning were Mrs. Alice Smith of Munday, Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter and granddaughters from Plano, Mrs. Bill Pape and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hester of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey Guess and sons from San Antonio, Mr. T. E. Brock and a friend from Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Offutt and family of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cunningham of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Walker and family of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Weinert and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailiff of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Raynes, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Raynes Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Jenkins and Teresa spent the weekend in Seminole visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Raynes, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones spent a few days last week visiting their son, Dale Jones and family and brother, Carl Jones and wife of Houston. They got to see their grandsons, David and Robert Jones, play a very good game in Little League. They also got to the Astrodome to see the Astros beat the Giants. Yes, and they reported it still rains in Houston, but they had an enjoyable visit. Mrs. Jones received word after they got home of the death of an uncle, Mr. Jack Meredith who lived in Floydada. He passed away in the Temple hospital May 6th after a two-week illness. He was also an uncle of Mrs. Frank Oman and Glen Caddell of

Weinert, and Mrs. Everette Medley of Haskell. Jack Meredith was born in Denton County in 1885. He was 74 years old and was the brother of Mrs. Scott Caddell and Mrs. W. W. Ashby. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Caddell and Mrs. Frank Oman attended the funeral which was held at Archer City First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones had for the weekend their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones from Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey Guess and sons from San Antonio were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Guess over the weekend.

Jimmy Alexander II and his wee sister, Nikki, from Wichita Falls spent last Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander, while their mother was in Abilene at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Mathews, who is in the Hendricks Hospital.

The Weinert Lions Club will sponsor a cake and ice cream supper Thursday night, May 15, from 6:00 until 9:00 p. m. Proceeds from the supper will be used for community projects.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Earp, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Earp, Jr., and children, left Friday after school for a weekend in Pampa with their children and brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Earp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heiskell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gray and Judy spent last Tuesday night with her mother, Mrs. Alice Smith of Munday because of high water. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Alexander and family from New Home were weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander.

Among those who were visitors at the Four Square Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reid of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Oman Sanders of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Owens of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Ashley visited his sister, Mrs. Exa Lott of Rule. They brought Mrs. Ashley's sister, Mrs. Annie Callaway, who was visiting in Rule with them. Mrs. Callaway is from Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett and son, Doug, and grandson, Tommy, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bennett, Sunday. Also visiting in the Bennett home were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Newton had as guests for Mother's day, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tiner of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Adams and David, Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden McDonald from Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis had their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anderson of Dallas and Cecil of McMurry home for Mother's day. Sp-4 J. D. Davis

Jr., stationed at Ft. Devens, Mass., called his mother.

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Ima Stewart had her late husband's sister from Cisco to see her. They were Mrs. Charlie Thacker, Mrs. Walter Hunt, Mrs. Marvin Henderson and Mrs. S. R. Alexander.

Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders on Mother's Day and the weekend were: Mr. and Mrs. Oman Sanders, Travis, Yvonne and Darrell. Mr. and Mrs. Butch Cox, Brenda and Debra, all of Lub-

bock; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders and Ricky of Dallas, Mrs. Dudley Phelps, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell and Karen of Haskell and Rocky Sanders, who is attending James Connally Institute in Waco.

Mrs. C. C. Campbell, Mrs. Toby Yates and Mrs. W. R. Hager took ten junior 4-H Club members to Lake Stamford for a picnic lunch and outing last Saturday. They came back by the West Texas Power Plant where Mr. Wayne Liles gave them a guided tour through the

plant, then on back to Haskell for ice cream. Those making the trip were Kyte and Calvin Wilfong, Nean Newton, Ruthie and Lisa Dutton, Kimberly Hager, Reta Gay Campbell, Debra Robertson, Linda Yates and Tammy Herricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hester had their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hester of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Miller, for Mother's day. Also Mrs. Hester's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cunningham, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Garrett of Haskell visited their mother, Mrs. Garrett, on Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne visited their parents for their's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. W. Offutt.

Mrs. A. J. Sanders and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sanders and Joan and Scott from San Antonio (Cont. on Page 5, See



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The unclaimed amounts due the depositors or owners, listed herein will be paid upon proof of ownership at the office of the named depository within nine (9) months, and if unclaimed thereafter may be subject to report to and conservation by the State Treasurer in accordance with said Article 3272b.

Item Number of this report, names of missing depositors and last known address follow:

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| 2. G. T. C. Construction Co.
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Fort Worth, Texas | 8. Holloway, D. H. |
| 3. Greenup, A. G. | 9. Jones, W. E. |
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| 5. Harwell, Vernie | 11. Wilson, M. O. |
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| | 13. Woods, Mrs. Mary |

OPEN LETTER TO Haskell City Council

—AND—

North Central Texas Municipal Water Assoc.

Gentlemen:

We note from Abilene News and Haskell Free Press that we are offered an opportunity to vote on a \$3,400,000.00 tax bond. Also that we will be able to purchase water at 36c per thousand gallons delivered to City of Haskell.

We submit that you are attempting to shove this project down the throats of the voters with rosy pictures and misrepresentation.

You have submitted no figures to substantiate that the 36c per thousand gallons will pay principal and interest, plus cost of operating the authority facilities.

Also you have promised that the bond tax will be collected for only two years.

We now challenge you to show proof, not promises, that the taxation will end with collection of only two years taxes.

The two year tax offer is your own proposition and unless you can show proof of its truth we can only feel that you intend to make suckers of the Haskell voters and saddle them with a mortgage on their homes and property for the next 40 years, with an unlimited tax rate.

We cannot believe that our citizens are either stupid nor naive. We believe that they will not be willing to vote blindly on a tax bond of this size to be collected for a period of 40 years.

Unless the two year limit on the tax question is guaranteed we will be discussing several other features with you next week.

COMMITTEE FOR ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by J. E. Walling and C. E. Smith)

nerf . . .
 Mrs. Ronnie Stewart Missie and Mendie, all spent Mother's Day a week early with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Raynes.
 Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hale of Fort Worth, former Weinert residents, have announced the arrival of a new baby boy. The little fellow made his appearance on May 8th at All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth. He weighed 6 lbs., 9 oz., and has been named Jimmy Glenn. He has an older sister, Tammy, age 10. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hale, Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anders, Haskell.
 Miss Alexia Wyn Mayfield, Sweetheart of the Weinert Lions Club, was one of 21 contestants vying for the Queen's crown of District IE at the Lions District Convention held in Graham Friday and Saturday.
 Miss Mayfield is a Sophomore student in the Weinert High School. She is a very talented young lady and a community favorite.
 She was accompanied to Graham by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield, and her

plano accompanist, Mrs. Jerry King, and Mr. King, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pheimister. They all attended the banquet and Queen's contest on Friday night.
 Janice Rainey and Pauletta Wilfong attended FHA State meet, May 13, in Dallas. Mrs. Hadley went with the girls as Chapter Advisor, and Mrs. Andy Wilfong and Mrs. Russell Rainey also went as Chapter Mothers.
Attend South Funeral
 These out-of-town people attending the funeral of Henry W. Smith were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John McNeely of Austin, Mrs. J. L. McGuire, Marlin, Claude Norman of Rule, Ruby Nell Smith of Los Alamos, N. Mexico, Mrs. Bertha Smith of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Smith of Quanah, Mrs. Lucy Denson of Rule, Peggy Jenkins of Stamford, Mrs. Mildred Alverson of Stamford, Mrs. Laredo Gibson of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Strickland and children of Bedford, Mrs. Billie Sosebeen of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bland of Fort Worth, Mrs. Hazel Jones of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bettis of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Murray, Rev. and Mrs. Gene B. Leader of New Home, Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Myers of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bean of Rochester, Urie H. Lea of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Naveratil of Gilliland, Mrs. Sherry Upshaw, Harry Kochler, B. O. Roberson of Rochester, Danny Amerson of Abilene, Mrs. Anna Decker of Munday, Mrs. Ira Short of Rochester, Edna Adkins of Rochester, Mrs. Eunice Michaels of Rochester, James E. Smith of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Perrin of Hereford, J. M. West of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. King of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King, Petersburg, Miss Sherry Griffith of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gaunt of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Murray of Rule, Rev. Billy Wilson of Kress, a former Methodist pastor at Weinert, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pate and family of Plano, Dr. and Mrs. Don W. Smith and family of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith and family of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Irving, and David Smith of Denton.
 People who took food to the Smith home can pick up their bowls at the community center.

ROCHESTER NEWS
 By FAM ADKINS
Mother and Daughter Tea
 The Rochester Junior Girl Scouts held a Mother and Daughter Tea at Mrs. George Mullino's home May 8th. The girls received their badges and sang songs. The leaders were Mrs. George Mullino, Mrs. Grady Newsome, and Mrs. Coleman Wright. The girls sent their mothers invitations to the tea. The mothers and daughters attending were: Mrs. Beverly Roberson and Melissa, Mrs. Jessie Silba, Kay and Michelle, Mrs. Grady Newsome and Betty, Mrs. Coleman Wright and Cissy, Mrs. Ben Williams, grandmother of Ellen Neeley, Mrs. Howard Sloan, Becky and Sherry, Mrs. George Mullino, Susan and Reida, Mrs. W. T. Adkins and Pam, Mrs. Espinoza and Mary, Mrs. Dera Myers and Rhona, Susan McGhee, Mrs. J. B. Glover and Camey. The refreshments were cake and punch. The cakes were re-

ed in yellow and the punch was sherbert in ginger ale.
Senior Play
 The Rochester Senior Class of '68-'69 staged a play Thursday, May 8th, entitled "Off The Beam." The play was a comedy. The admission was 30c for students and 60c for adults. The class sponsor, Mr. Don Lamb, asked to play before the play and in between the first and second acts. This was due to the long costume change. The band played five numbers. They were, in correct order, Holiday in London, two movements, Changing the Guard and Trafalgar Square, Appalachian Suite, two movements, Barbara Allan and Lollytodum, and the last was Country Squire.
Rites for Mrs. Yancy
 Funeral for Mrs. Yancy, 64, was held Thursday, May 8th, at

the Baptist Church at Rochester, the Rev. Jude Strickland of Abernathy officiating. Burial was in the Coleman Cemetery under direction of Smith Funeral Home.
 Mrs. Yancy died at 10:45 a. m. Tuesday, May 6th, in Knox City Hospital following an apparent heart attack.
 Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. J. F. Huxall of Shawnee, Okla.; two sons, Walter of Rockwood and O. C. of Austin; four brothers, Robert, Ivy, Lewis and Kerry Holmes; three sisters, Mrs. Molly Bearfoot, Mrs. Velma Bozeman and Mrs. Maudie Baggett; 10 grandchildren; four great grandchildren.
 Pallbearers were Kenneth Jett, Daryl Huxall, David Yancy, Cardell Cameron, Larry Sam, Carl Canody Jr.
Installs Officers
 The Woman's Literary Club met for the last meeting of the year Thursday, May 8, 1969. Mrs. C. A. Gaunt, club president, called the meeting to order and presided over a short business meeting, at which time


the club voted to award a deserving graduating senior a \$50 scholarship, to be given at the close of the first semester of college.
 Mrs. Warren Short led the group in the Club Collect. "Opening Doors To The Future" was the theme for the day and roll call answered with a suggestion.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
 Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
 NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (HRS.)
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 Section 1. That Sections 42, 46, and 48 of Article III, Sections 3a and 7 of Article VII, Section 12 of Article VIII, Section 3 of Article IX, Sections 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Article X, Section 10 of Article XI, Sections 3, 4, 5, and 7 of Article XII, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article XIII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Article XIV, Sections 3, 4, 7, 13, 29, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 42, 45, 46, 54, 55, 57, 58, and 60 of Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be repealed, it being specifically understood that the repeal of these sections shall not in any way make any substantive change in our present constitution.
 Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to repeal the obsolete, superfluous and unnecessary sections of the Constitution."


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HASKELLITES BACK FROM FISHING TRIP
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Rochester

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Mrs. Gauntt gave "Highlights of the Year." She told of the awards the club had received and the projects in which we as club members had been involved.

The Club was most happy to have as guest Mrs. Hob Smith of Knox City, who presided over the installation of officers for the coming year. She used the colors of the rainbow as the theme, showing how each offi-

cer should reflect her color in her duties to her Club.

Mrs. Phil Simmons gave the closing prayer. Club adjourned and a social hour followed. Refreshments were served to: Mmes. Earl Alvis, W. W. Cooley, C. A. Gauntt, Felix Mullino, John Nichols, R. A. Shaver Jr., Warren Short, Phil Simmons, Dan Wadzeck, R. A. Shaver III, A. B. Michaels and guest, Mrs. Hob Smith.

Hostesses were Mmes. Clinton Tanner and Joe Fletcher.

The Woman's Literary Club elected the following officers for the '69 and '70 club year:

Mmes. C. A. Gauntt, president; Clinton Tanner, vice president; R. A. Shaver Jr., secre-

tary; Warren Short, treasurer; Dan Wadzeck, parliamentarian; Earl Alvis, musician; Joe Fletcher, reporter.

Mrs. Lector Thomason spent three days at Leveland with her niece, Mrs. Floyd Grimsley, then three days with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Martin of Odessa. She came home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Thomason, Debbie and Mrs. Lector Thomason, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeeter at Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Robertson, Stewart, Edwin and Melissa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Stewart of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve LeFevre of Cisco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ballard over the Mother's Day weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hudspeth and Doug of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hudspeth over the Mother's Day weekend.

Debra Jean, from Stamford, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Speck over the Mother's Day weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Deaton, from Mineral Wells visited the Hatfield's over the Mother's Day weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Adkins visited their daughter, son-in-law, and grandchildren, Mr. and

Mrs. Sam Turner and family last week at Rule.

Sickness
Mrs. Sam Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ace Adkins, underwent minor surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital this week.

Owtest Howell, brother to Mrs. Joe Fletcher and Mrs. Bud LeFevre, is in the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring. He is reported to be very ill.

Cancer Center In Need Of Sheets, Pillow Cases

Mrs. Perry Spenny, workroom supervisor, states that the Cancer Center is in dire need of sheets, pillow cases, white and colored.

The sheets and pillow cases may be left at the Welfare Office or at the Cancer Center workroom, third floor of courthouse.

TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

Within a few weeks thousands of young Texans will trade their classroom chores for a three-month turn in the world of work. Perhaps in our affluent society the students are earning money for those extras or for money to buy that car. Con-

trary to the practice followed by quite a few employers, students or any employees who work for a short period are subject to the same withhold-

ing, social security and other employment taxes for both the employee and the employer, that apply to regular employees. Even if you are only going to work a short time, you must take your employer your social security number and fill out a Form W-4. Don't forget to get your W-2 on the job at the end of the summer, or by January 31. Taxes withheld during the summer spend quite well during the spring term of school. However, there is one little chore you must file a tax return for the government to know that you are due a refund of part or all of your tax withheld during the summer.

The percentages of wage and salary workers covered by employer-provided accidental death insurance grew from 16.2 per cent in 1950 to 43.2 per cent in 1968.

246 of every 1,000 Texans past age 65 got an old age assistance check for December 1968.

FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation; and **AGAINST** the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation.

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Lone Star Gas Company Dividend Is Declared

Directors of Lone Star Gas Company meeting in Dallas, May 8th, declared a quarterly dividend of 28¢ per share of common stock payable June 9, 1969 to shareholders of record May 23, 1969.

Consecutive dividends have been paid on common stock since April, 1912.

HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Buford T. Abeldt of Weatherford, Oklahoma were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Abeldt.

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PUBLIC NOTICE Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR6)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; all real and personal property owned by a nonprofit water supply corporation which is reasonably necessary for, and is used in, operation of the corporation in the acquisition, storage, transportation and sale of water as authorized as its sole legal purpose; actual places of (of) religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to

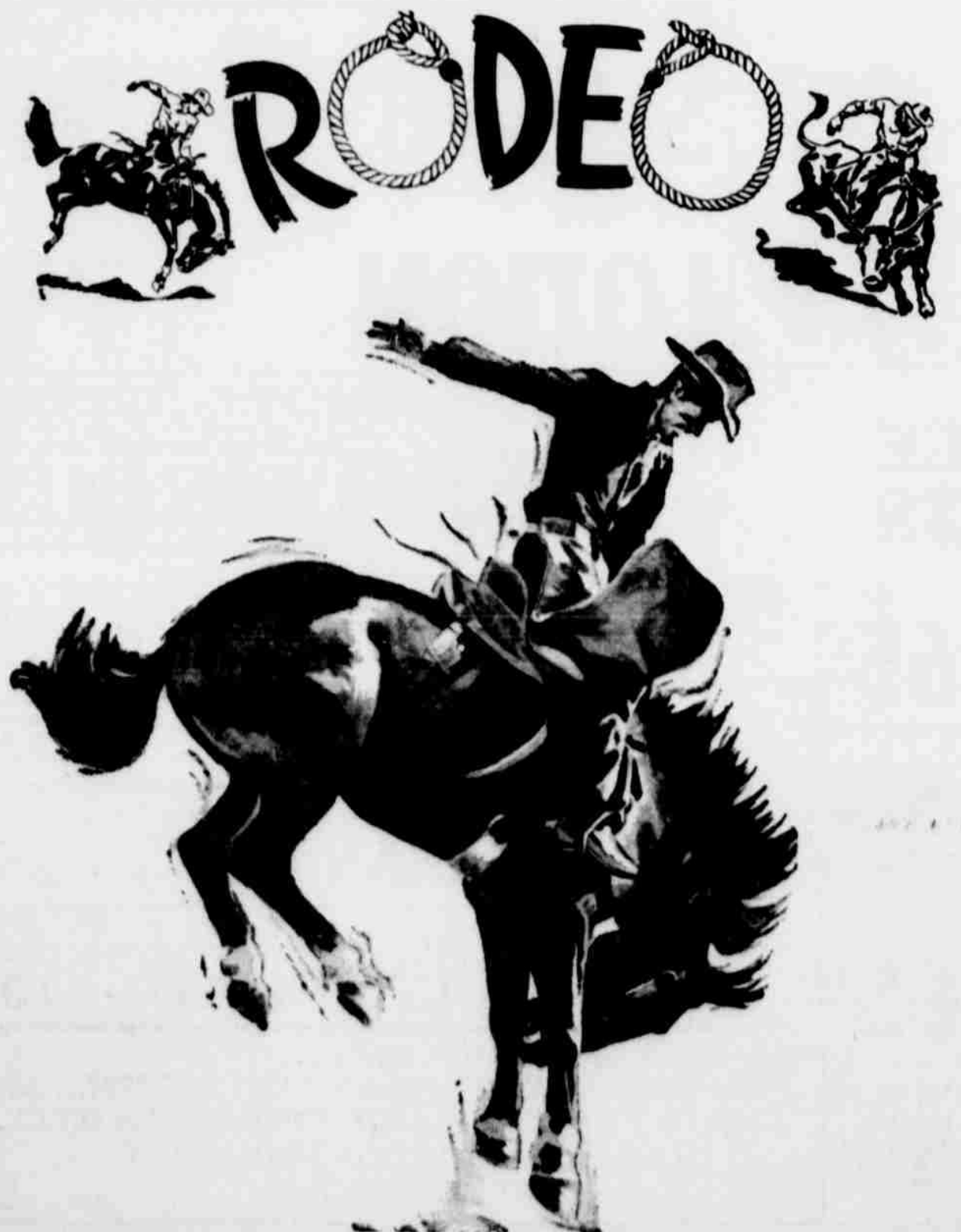
such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a state or national organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such

bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation;" and "AGAINST the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election, and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.



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