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## Heavy Rains Spotted In County



**HIGH WATER DAMAGE**—Conservative estimates on 1 1/4 million dollars in damages occurred in Haskell County due to the heavy rains and high water. Rice Springs Creek overflowed and closed several streets in Haskell Friday and Saturday. High waters almost covered the Rice Springs Park, as shown above, some picnic tables were washed away, but were recovered.

'High Water' was the name of the game, in Haskell County over the weekend.

After a big rain Thursday night, Rice Springs creek overflowed its banks Friday morning and several streets were closed until the rushing water receded. Kids took advantage of the chance to wade, swim, and ride bikes down paved streets that were covered with rushing water.

But things got a little more serious Saturday when rainfall early that morning registered up to 9 inches in some areas of the county. Some homes were flooded; some 'whistle' bridges were washed out to farm homes; and a tractor or two (conservatively) almost got completely covered in water, in the fields where they stood.

The rampaging creek through town looked like the Clear Fork of the Brazos for a while there. Rice Springs Park was covered 'way up past a lot of

the playground equipment and many were fearful some of the little bridges would be swept away.

Driving out of town west and north, the roads were closed for a while, and many farm residents were completely isolated at home until the waters drained away.

Wheat harvesting had just begun in earnest in the county, as had cotton planting... and both were, of course, halted temporarily. Lots of the cotton that had already been planted was washed away, and will have to be replanted. Some wheat damage occurred, but not as much as was thought for a while.

But, on the brighter side, a drive through Haskell Sunday afternoon caught kids swimming and playing in big pools that had formed through the draw. Gardens that were flooded, too, seemed to thrive on all that water... and looked even better than they had.

Conservative estimates have been made at 1 1/4 million dollars in damages during the high water. In areas as much as \$5,000 was estimated per half section of land.

In area towns, rain was spotted. In Paint Creek, the Overtons reported about 2.5 inches. In Sagerton, Mrs. LeFevre received reports of 4 inches in areas. She also noted that in most areas around Sagerton the combining had continued Monday. Reports from Rule were that 6 inches were gauged on the Weatherby farm. Rochester, the heaviest hit town, had a high of 10 inches on the East side and as high as 8 on the west side. Penman Butane reported that Fred Hodges had received 8 inches.

In Haskell, reports varied from 5 to 9 inches.

### Lions Club Sets Ladies' Night

Ladies' Night for the Haskell Lions Club, has been scheduled for 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, June 19, at the Haskell Steak House.

The program will begin with the opening song, America, by Wallace Cox Jr. The pledge of allegiance will be given by Gene Long and the invocation by Sam Sharp, pastor of the First Christian Church.

Following dinner, Lion president Joe Williams will make the introduction of guests and J. C. Yeary will make the awards.

Installation of new Lions Club officers will be made by Bill Longley, of the Stamford Lions Club. New officers for the 1973-74 year are: Gene Long, president; H. O. Abbott, vice president; Doyle High, second vice president; Sam Rosser, third vice president; O. W. Toney, secretary-treasurer; Al Hinds, Lion Tamer; Don Comedy, tall twister; George Fouts, song leader; and Becky Gholson, pianist-sweetheart. Directors for one year will be Jimmy Owens and Aubrey Headstream. Directors for two year terms are David Conner and Charles Thornhill.

Outgoing officers and directors include: Joe Williams, Gene Long, H. O. Abbott, Doyle High, O. W. Toney, Wm. D. Reed, Darold Roberson and Wallace Cox Jr. Outgoing directors are Bill Comedy, J. C. Yeary, Jimmy Owens and Aubrey Headstream. Pianist and Sweetheart for the Lions Club was Ellen Walling.

Benediction will be given by H. O. Abbott, pastor of the First United Methodist Church.

Projects planned for the 1973-74 year will include: Attendance campaign, sight conservation, new membership campaign, pancake supper, do-nut sale, goodfellows, safety month, Lions recognition, public school week, broom sale, soil conservation and farmers recognition and Ladies' night.

### Haskell Volunteer Receives Award

Mrs. Luther Burkett, a long and outstanding worker in education, was presented the Outstanding Volunteer Award, from the Mental Health and Retardation Center.

The award, presented by the coordinator of the outreach services, Jim Brittmacher, was for the Vernon District, which covers 14 counties.

Mrs. Burkett was raised in Haskell and is a graduate of Haskell High School. She has worked with the center since its beginning and is a supervisor of instructions and counseling. She has, along with her work with the Haskell center, driven to Rochester at least once a week and many times twice a week for instructing and counseling. She has taught school and has been a principal.

Attending the awards ceremony from Haskell were Aubrey Headstream, director of the county clinic and Mrs. Myron Biard.

### Fees Collected For Month of May

Monthly report of fees collected in the County Clerk's office of Haskell County by Mrs. Lee McKelvain, County Clerk, for the month ending May 31, 1973 are:

Recording fees, \$743.75; Chattel Mortgage fees, \$408.00; Marriage License fees, \$30.00; Civil Court fees, \$19.50; Criminal Court fees, \$37.50; Probate Court fees, \$86.00; Misc. fees, copies, \$120.20; Notary Bonds, \$190.00; Cattle Brands, \$8.00; \$198.00; Fines collected, \$129.00; County Judge, Co. Atty. and Sheriff fees, \$112.50; Law Library, \$25.00; Comptroller, \$10. Total fees collected for the month of May were \$1,910.45.

### Annual We-Loa-Koda Girl Scout Day Camp Registers 106 Girl Scouts

The annual five-day We-Loa-Koda Girl Scout Day Camp registered 106 girls from Rule, Hamlin and Haskell.

The week's activities were adjourned to the Haskell Presbyterian Church when 3-inch rains flooded the camping area.

Scout leaders led part of the Haskell Fire Department and Jaycees near the camp site to

recover as much of the equipment as time would allow. The remainder of the equipment was tied to trees or floated away.

Industrious, but wet, scout leaders moved the remainder of the girls to the Haskell Presbyterian Church to finish projects and scout crafts.

During the day camp, each unit presented a program on cooking out, crafts or scouting skills.

Scout leaders from Haskell were: Director, Mrs. J. W. Wallace; co-director, Mrs. Lorraine Johnson; camp registrar, Mrs. Wilbert Klose; business manager, Jean Hale; Ruby Wooten, Linda Kuykendall, Muriel Adams, Billie McKeever, Louise Thornhill, Pam Klose, Dee Ann Ballard, and camp trouble shooters, Cindy Thomas and Cynthia Jones.

Camp officials expressed their thanks to the Haskell Fire Department, Haskell Jaycees, and to the Presbyterian Church for the assistance during the rains.

### Party Line Number To Change June 14

General Telephone Company has announced a change in area dialing coming up soon.

The revert line number, 119, which has been used for party line connection, will be changed to 39, effective June 14. The reverting call number has been changed as a part of General Telephones, Extended Area Service (EAS).

This change is being made to enable General Telephone to change over to Direct Distance Dialing (D.D.D.) in the future. No date has been set for the D.D.D. change in the Haskell area as yet.

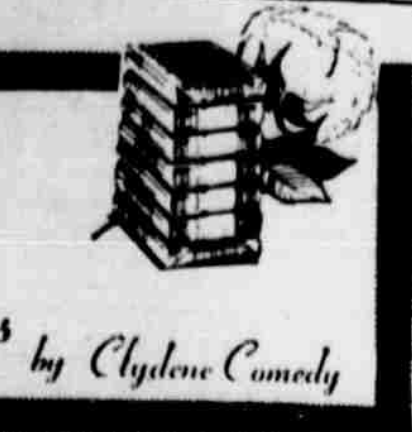
Telephone officials noted that telephone users have been using only five digits (4-0000) to dial. After June 14, users will be required to use all seven digits (864-0000) to place a call.

### SMS Reunion Set In Swenson Park

The annual SMS reunion, for employees and ex-employees of the SMS Ranches, will be held on June 9th at Swenson Park, Spur, Texas. Highlighting the day will be a barbecue luncheon at 12:30 and a dance both in the afternoon and at night.



**CHEERLEADERS ELECTED**... New cheerleaders for the coming year have been elected by the students of Haskell High School. New cheerleaders are: top row, left to right, Margie Kretschmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kretschmer; Jo Overton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Overton; Karen Croft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Croft; bottom row, left to right, are: Melissa McCauley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCauley; Kathy Pringle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pringle; and Anna Lou Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen. They will be attending cheerleading sessions this summer in preparation for next year.



Country Comments by Clyde Comedy

Philosopher sez much more irri- people's coughs than your own.

Volunteer Firemen themselves, their wives to their annual fish night—and deserv- Firemen guard the from big fires and —grass fires, resi- and last week, an explosion caused by all on a volunteer annual fish fry is the only time they for a good visit except for the annual party.

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**WEATHER SUMMARY**

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### Cox Injured In Rodeo Accident

Eighteen-year-old Bill Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cox of Haskell, is reported still in critical condition, after being thrown from a bareback bronc, Saturday night.

Cox was rushed to Hendrick Memorial Hospital where he underwent surgery, Sunday.

The Haskell youth was participating in the Lawn Junior Rodeo when the accident occurred.

Much of the estimated 1 1/4 million dollars in damages was done to crops and land, during Friday and Saturday. Shown above is one field where high water broke a dike and has. Reports indicate that as high as \$5,000 damage per half section was done in some areas.



### Swenson-Kreger Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eric Swenson of Stamford, wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter to Fred F. Kreger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kreger, of Haskell.

Miss Swenson is a graduate of Stamford High School and El Centro Junior College in Dallas. She has also attended North Texas State University in Denton.

Kreger is a graduate of Haskell High School and attended Tarleton State College, in Stephenville.

The wedding will be July 21, 1973, at the Bethel Lutheran Church, in Avoca.

### Lisle-Atkins Exchange Vows

Jenny Ruth Lisle and Ronald Atkins exchanged marriage vows Saturday, June 2, at 3 p. m. at the Little Chapel at Texas Woman's University in Denton, Texas. Officiating was John Greeson, minister of the Church of Christ in Rule, Tex.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lisle, Jr. of Rule. Atkins is the son of Mrs. A. T. Atkins and the late Mr. Atkins of Koppfel, Tex.

Mrs. Larry LeFevre of Aaportment, presented musical selections. Mrs. Don Davis of Rule was accompanist for the Velve-tees who sang. They were Mrs. Larry LeFevre of Asportment, Mrs. John Sublett of Orlando, Fla., Miss Penny Davis of Amarillo and Miss Jill Fannin of Rule.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor-length gown of white polyester sheer. A satin belt edged with ruffled lace defined the high-rise waist of the gown, which featured a victorian neckline and long full bishop sleeves that were caught at the wrists by deep satin cuffs edged with lace. The softly gathered skirt was enhanced by a wide hemline panel encircled with ruffled lace. Her shoulder length veil was held by a lace cap trimmed with pearls and she carried a bouquet of white rose buds, blue and white carnations and white daisies.

Maid of honor was the brides cousin, Miss Caron Cloud of Lubbock. She wore a floor-length dress of powder blue poly crystal chiffon made with a high neck, bishop sleeves and gathered skirt with a deep hemline flounce. Venice lace in white and blue pull-through ribbon trimmed the neck, waist, cuffs and edged the pleated center bodice. She carried a spray of assorted blue and white flowers.

The groom's cousin, Thomas Powers of Dallas, served as



MRS. RONALD ATKINS  
... formerly Jenny Ruth Lisle

best man, Mike Lisle of Rule, brother of the bride, and Steve Atkins, nephew of the groom, were ushers.

The bride is a 1968 graduate of Rule High School and received her B. S. Degree from Texas Woman's University. She is employed by Capital Dynamics in Dallas.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Mt. Vernon High School and attended Hill Junior College. He is employed by Santa Fe Railroad.

The couple will make their home at 6838 Shadybrook in Dallas, following a short wedding trip.

Following the ceremony a reception was hosted by the parents of the bride at Heubard Hall.

A large arrangement of summer daisies, carnations and gladiolas adorned the bride's table. Appointments were silver and crystal. The three tiered wedding cake and punch was served by Mrs. Stephen Haterius of Graham and Mrs. Jimmy Lisle of Canyon. Mrs. John Sublett registered guests. Other members of the house party

were, Miss Penny Davis, Miss Jill Fannin and Mrs. Larry LeFevre. David Lisle passed out rice bags.

Those attending from Rule were Mr. and Mrs. James Lisle Jr., Mike and David, Mrs. J. A. Lisle, Mrs. W. L. Pinkard, Mr. and Mrs. Scott White, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Cloud and Joe Harold, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Jr., Mrs. A. D. May, Mrs. Melvin Fannin, Mrs. Dennis Briles, Mrs. Mary Place, Mr. and Mrs. John Greeson, Caron Cloud of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Haterius from Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lowrey of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lisle of Canyon, Johnny Westbrook of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. George Lowrey of Sherman and other friends and relatives from Koppfel, Morgan and Dallas.

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### Gardens Selected By Garden Club

The Haskell Garden Club each month selects gardens in the Haskell area which they feel enhances the beauty of the community, are exceptionally beautiful, and have unusual landscaping.

Selected by the Garden Club for the month of March are: Mrs. Hallie Chapman of 600 N. Ave. F. amaryllis, pink and climbing red roses; Mrs. Ed Hester of Star Rt., Spanish dagger and blue bonnets; Miss Nettie McCollum of 1000 N. 8th, daffodils and pansies; Mrs. Leon Pearsey of 606 N. 5th, tulips.

Members selected for the month of April: Mrs. R. C. Couch, Sr. of 1507 N. Ave. E. beautiful roses and lovely display of fine iris in a variety of colors; Mrs. J. V. Clare of 802 N. Ave. F. flowering peach, bridal wreath and iris; Mrs. Ira Davis of 1303 N. Ave. L. roses; Mrs. C. B. Rhea of 1400 N. Ave. F. Columbine, cascade petunias, and beautiful (green-house) bougainvillea.

Members selected for the month of May: Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams, masses of white daisies and pink poppy bed circled with white daisies; Mrs. Ed Fouts, peach roses, bird sanctuary, and beautiful pine trees; Mrs. E. L. Wyche, Corla yucca, gladiolas, roses, daylilies and iris, crushed white marble emphasis.

Garden Club members each month also choose non-members who have colorful and interesting gardens:

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lane of 1201 N. Ave. E. lovely roses, and interesting landscape design; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, fashion rose border, willow tree, magnolia tree, variety of evergreens for year round beauty; Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Felker, 406 N. Ave. H. masses border of red polyantha roses, amaryllis, nandinas, crepe myrtle, magnolia tree and knarled mesquite trees, which add charna and beauty to the landscape; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson of N. First St., most beautiful hanging baskets of trailing angel wings, begonia, bleeding heart, velvet Jew and Boston fern. Mrs. Anderson has many varieties of pink African violets and also some blue varieties.

A tour of the Leisure Lodge grounds were made. Landscaping of the Leisure Lodge was designed by the Garden Club seven years ago.

### Gift Tea Honors Regina Landreth

Miss Regina Ann Landreth, bride-elect of Ed Murray, was honored with a gift tea on Saturday, June 2, in the home of Mrs. Joe Minefee between the hours of 4 to 5:30 p. m.

Mrs. Minefee greeted guests at the door and presented them to the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Estelle Landreth, and mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Rex Murray.

Miss Amelia Moore registered guests.

The serving table was laid with a white net, sequined with wedding bells and ribbons over a pink cloth. A white candelabrum, holding pink candles with an arrangement of pink and white flowers at the base of the candelabrum, was the centerpiece on the table. Serving guests were Miss Janet Landreth and Miss Becky Jones. Serving appointments were crystal and silver.

Showing gifts were Mmes. Donald Lee, Eugene Rhoads, Joan Carroll, John Hisey, Vernon Mahler, James Jones and Howard Brass. Other hostesses were Mmes. Faye Simpson, Danny Johnson, Morris Neal, Garland Lewis, R. C. Langford,

WEDDING DATE SET—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Darling, of Freeport, Tex., announce the marriage of their daughter, Brenda Gayle Darling, to Ron Josselet, son of Mr. J. R. Josselet of Haskell. The wedding date has been set for July 21 at 7:00 p. m. at the Creek Baptist Church, Freeport, Tex.

### Wedding Vows Exchanged Casey-Glending June 2

Miss Brenda Lee Casey exchanged wedding vows with Mr. Kelley E. Glending, on June 2, 1973, in the First Baptist Church, with Rev. Troy Culpepper officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Casey of 1208 N. 11th St., in Haskell, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Dick Watson, of Guymon, Okla.

The bride, given by her father, wore a floor length white dotted swiss skirt, softly gathered to a high waistline, with lace trim at the waistline. Long full sleeves, gathered to stay with lace trim above and below the elbow, and at the wrist. The veil was waist line length, and was of the same lace as the dress.

Flowers for the occasion were white daisies and yellow roses and organist was Miss Ellen

Walling. Miss Deanna Robertson, of Haskell, was maid of honor. Her dress was the same as the brides, in yellow with short puff sleeves. Best man for the wedding was Joe Johnson of Amarillo.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the church.

The bride is a graduate of Seaside High School in Seaside, Calif., and received a BS degree from Tarleton State College in 1971. The groom graduated from Guymon High School, and Southwestern State College in Weatherford, Okla. He is presently employed by Esco Stainless Steel, Commerce, Calif.

After the honeymoon in Carmel, Calif., the couple will return to Long Beach, Calif.,

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# Paint Creek . . . . Community News

**Mrs. Gene Overton**

riping wheat and oats. Poor old June has already ruined herself with everybody. She has 24 days to redeem herself after coming in like a Monsoon and ruining the pretty planted crops. We Paint Creekers are not as hurt as farmers in the north and west part of the county. But a lot of the cotton will have to be replanted.

The 1973 Senior class of Paint Creek High School returned from their senior trip last Saturday morning. They went to Denver, Colo., where they visited the Mint, Coor's Brewery, and saw the many beautiful parks, and went to the top of Pike's Peak. On the way from Denver to Colorado Springs, they toured the Hall of Presidents Wax Museum, went to the Broadway Skating Arena, Cave of the Winds, Cheyenne Mountain Zoo. At Carson City

they saw the Federal Prison. The girls saw "Camelot" at the Celebrity Theatre.

They all seemed to enjoy the trip so much, and coming home they had to have the Highway Department truck lead them through the high water between Rule and Haskell. The water came up into the bus.

Our community has been having a large number of young men to apply for the vocational agriculture job vacated by Tommy Connelly. One day there were four applicants, and poor kids, they have had a hard time finding any of the school board. Some of the school board members' wives have threatened to draw maps of the community so the boys can find which field their husband is working in that day. Not any board member lives more than 10 miles from the school, but they farm miles and miles away.

Little Jana Overton spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Overton.

Mrs. Grace Montgomery has her grandchildren visiting her for a week or 10 days. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlos Montgomery of San Angelo.

Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Abbott are attending the Northwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church which is meeting in Abilene at McMurry this week. Bro. Abbott is being returned to the Haskell-Paint Creek charge for another year, and we are so grateful to the Bishop's Council. We think H. O. preaches better than the Bishop. Mrs. Gene Overton and Quala Buerger were delegates to the Conference from the Paint Creek Church.

Paint Creek students attending summer school are Janice and Jeannine Isbell, Dwight and Marcia Overton, Terry Walton and Wanda Griffith, who are all in Texas Tech; Steve and Sari Livengood, who attend Hardin-Simmons; Tommy Pritchard, who will enter Tarleton State at Stephenville; Mike Overton, who will attend Texas A&M.

Willie Peiser, who with Mrs. Peiser owns and operates a huge egg producing business in the Mattson community, has his picture on the front page of a recent issue of the "Poultry Times." Mr. Peiser presided at the annual meeting of the West Texas, New Mexico Egg Producers at Abilene, May 17. Mr.

Peiser is the brother of Mrs. Paul Fischer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fischer honored their daughter, Linda, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fischer, with a birthday supper last Sunday evening. They all have a birthday in the same week. Guests were Mrs. Fischer's mother, Mrs. Bertha Humphrey, her uncle Mr. Bennie Lain, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fischer, the honorees and the host family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton had their sons home Sunday. Mike Overton of College Station was here several days helping with the farm work, and William Overton of Abilene came for dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Coleman, Mrs. Gene Fischer and Mrs. Paul Fischer attended a low-calorie food demonstration at the County Kitchen in Haskell Friday. It was given by Barbara Elliott, Home Demonstration Agent. The demonstration will be given to the Paint Creek Home Demonstration Club at their next meeting.

Bro. Neal Shepherd of the Big Country Encampment was guest preacher at the Paint Creek Baptist Church, Sunday.

Mrs. Velton Middlebrook, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middlebrook, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Coleman and Adam, spent Sunday in Winters with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Middlebrook. Mrs. Martin Middlebrook has recently undergone surgery.

## Bible School Held Jointly

Vacation Bible School for the Presbyterian and Lutheran Churches will be held jointly, June 11-15.

The Presbyterian Church will have classes for ages 2 through 6 and the Lutheran Church will hold classes for children 7 through 14 years of age.

Time for the classes will be from 8:30 till 11:00 a. m., and will include crafts, teaching, recreation and refreshments.

## Holden Awarded Masters Degree



THOMAS WM. HOLDEN

Thomas Wm. Holden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Holden, from Haskell, recently completed advanced studies in languages and linguistics at the University of Texas at Austin, and was awarded a Master of Arts degree in French literature. Holden is also a 1967 honors graduate of the University, and was the recipient of the Aaron Schaffer Award, granted yearly to the most distinguished scholar in French literature. Tom Bill has been president of the UT Fencing Club and is active in gymnastics, is a member of Pi Delta Phi professional French fraternity, and is a member of the board of directors of the campus Baha'i Faith Association.

During his graduate studies at the University, Holden has been employed by the Faculty of French and Italian as an instructor in the French language and has worked with the National Translation Center in Austin. He is qualified for secondary school teaching in French, German and Spanish.

Tom Bill also graduated with honors from Haskell High School in 1963, where he was active in track, Quill & Scroll, the National Honor Society, and served as Junior Class President.

Holden is a veteran of three years' service with the US Army, including overseas duty in Thailand.

He plans to study animal science at West Texas State University at Canyon during the next two years.

## TH&C Association Meet In Haskell

The Texas Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Association met in Christene's Beauty Salon on Monday, June 4, at 7:00 p. m. Hairstyles were combed by Martha Toliver on model Christene Greene, Julie Wallace on model Florence Larned, Hazel Trice on model Julie Wallace, and Christene Greene on model June Perry.

A cut and tint was given by Christene Greene on model Frances Draper.

Next meeting will be held at Christene's Beauty Salon on July 2 at 7:00 p. m., with a salad supper.

## Rural Area Wins In Gas Law Suit

State Representative W. S. Healy announced that the settlement and dismissal of the law suit by Skelly Oil Company against the Railroad Commission was a significant victory for the rural people of Texas. The suit was a test of the Railroad Commission's authority to keep Liquid Petroleum Gas supply available to local areas rather than for the fuel diversion out of its Historical marketing area. In this first test of an unprecedented regulation for the Railroad Commission, Skelly Oil Company agreed to an allocation of 85% to Texas Distributors, the same amount as is being allocated of its own company-owned retail outlets.

Mr. Healy expressed gratification in sponsoring in the House of Representatives a Resolution commending the Railroad Commission for actions taken to protect the rights of the purchasing and consuming public. Mr. Healy said that we must be mindful of the role and needs of the farming and ranching activities, the very backbone of our American way of life.

## Abilene Garden Club To Host District VIII Garden Clubs June 12

Abilene Garden Club will host District VIII Garden Club Forum, Tuesday, June 12, 1973, at the Abilene Garden Center. "Know Your Chairmen" will be theme for the event. Registration and coffee will be from 8:30-9:25.

The afternoon session, "Parade of Talents", will highlight the day's activities. Every garden club in District VIII is urged to bring flower arrangements eligible for National Council Awards. They include Tricolor, Award of Distinction, Creativity, NAI Award and Horticulture Exhibits eligible for Horticulture Excellence, Arboreal Award and Award of Merit. These exhibits will be evaluated by seven panels of Life and Master Judges who belong to District VIII Judges Council. The chairman of each panel will discuss HOW and WHY to arrive at their decisions.

Committee chairmen include: Registration, Mrs. Joe O. Hagens; Hospitality, Mrs. Wendell Foreman; Staging Exhibits, Mrs. K. H. Fleming and Mrs.

W. A. McKee; House, Mrs. C. D. Fielder; Mrs. W. H. Buchanan is Forum Chairman; Mrs. Zeno Hemphill is District VIII Director.

Registration fee is \$1.00, payable at the door. Advanced registration is not necessary.

## Comedy Speaks To Lions Club

The Haskell Lions Club met Tuesday with vice-president, Gene Long, presiding. Lion Fouts led the singing and Pledge, and Lion Hartsfield gave the invocation.

Lion Bingham introduced the program, Lion Don Comedy, who spoke to the group on Watergate and the affect it had on the government and the public. A question and answer session followed the talk.

Lion Long asked Lion Royce Adkins for a report on Bill Cox. Adkins reported that there had been no change in his condition, which was critical.

The meeting was adjourned with a prayer, given by Gene Long.

## Church of Christ Bible School Set

The Haskell Church of Christ will be holding Bible School, June 11 through June 15, from 9:00-11:00.

Classes will be held for all age groups. Director of the Bible School will be the Church of Christ minister, Bob Connel. Everyone welcome.

Connel also noted that the Haskell Singing School will be held July 9 through 20.

## Business And Professional Women's Club Holds Officer Installation

The new Community Room of Haskell National Bank was the beautiful setting for the annual officer installation ceremonies for Haskell Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Von Marr of Munday B&PW Club, installed the officers from a head table centered with a large white candle with which each officer lit her own candle as she was installed. As she did so, she explained her new duties to the club.

Mrs. Artie Mae Burkett was installed as the new president for the 1973-74 club year and lit her red candle; first vice president Opal Adkins lit the dark blue candle; Ozelle Frierson lit the light blue candle as 2nd vice president. New secretary-treasurer, Dora Montgomery lit the yellow candle as she was installed, and Lois Redwine lit the purple candle as the club's new reporter and parliamentarian.

A real effort is being made to streamline and update the club. Some committees have been combined and these chairmen have been named: Public Relations and Civic Participation, Clara Biard; Legislation and World Affairs, Leone Pear-

sey; Membership and Personal Development, Ozelle Frierson; Telephone and Scrapbook, Nettie McCollum; Finance and Benevolence, Lois Redwine.

Several club members will be guests of the Abilene Club on Monday, June 11, for dinner and a workshop. Other guests from Munday attending Tuesday night's meeting were Noraline Willoughby, Munday club president; and Callie Robinson, former Haskell resident.

Outgoing officers served float drinks to those attending.

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### TFB's New \$2.7 Million Dollar Office Dedication To Host Dignitaries

Several state and national agricultural and governmental leaders will participate in activities connected with dedication of the Texas Farm Bureau's new headquarters building in Waco June 13.

TFB President J. T. (Red) Woodson announced that William J. Kuhfuss, president of the 2.2-million-member American Farm Bureau Federation will be main speaker at a county FB presidents' conference June 12.

Other dignitaries already accepting invitations to participate in dedication day activities include Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz, Governor Dolph Briscoe, Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage, and Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Governor Briscoe will be the

### Marriage Licenses Issued For May

Six marriage licenses were issued for the month of May, 1973, as follows:

David Vasquez Guadaluazar of Haskell, and Susan Ann Villarreal of Stamford.

Frank Jimenez of Weinert, and Mary Helen Rodriguez of Haskell.

John Edwin Bowers of Haskell and Thelma Yancy of Haskell.

Robert Howell Anders, and Sammie Lynette Oliver of Rule.

Timothy Darwin Watson of Abilene and Thelma Ruth Dutton of Weinert.

Glenn Aaron McGhee of Rochester and Terri Jean Carr of Rochester.

### Scout Program Held At Rotary

The Haskell Rotary Club held their regular weekly luncheon meeting at the City Cafe at noon, Thursday, May 31, with president Bob Philpot, presiding.

The regular program for the day failed to materialize, so Bob Harris, District Boy Scout Executive of the Chisholm Trail Council, filled in to tell those present some of the plans of the council which will directly affect some of the scouts of this area.

"This District is composed of nine and one-half counties," he said, "and plans are in the making for the hiring of another scout executive who will be stationed in Stamford and will handle the northern area of the District." He advised those present that the Camp Tonkawa near Buffalo Gap, would be open for the visiting scouts of this area on June 10th. He stated that the

annual budget for 1973 for the district, was \$98,000 and that 83 percent of the funds came from various United Funds of the district and that the remainder had to be made up by contributions.

Abe Turner, Scoutmaster for Troop 31, which is sponsored by the Rotary Club, introduced Bob Harris and later told of his plans to attend the scout jamboree in Idaho this year. Three boys from Haskell will attend and five of the Abilene area.

The invocation for the meeting was given by Rev. H. O. Abbott and the singing was led by Bob Herren with Rene Abbott providing accompaniment. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Charles Thornhill who also introduced the guests, Joe Ed Parsons of Ft. Worth, guest of T. C. Walker and Horace Abbott, guest of his

### Red Cross In Disaster Area

"When we came in over St. Charles in the plane, I was beginning to wonder where the land had gone to. It was all mud and water, and in a lot of places all you could see were the housetops."

Thus, a Wichitan who's a member of the National Red Cross disaster reserve staff described her first impression as she arrived in the Missouri city to "help the Red Cross help people" in the wake of flooding of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers.

Mrs. John Guckian returned home Sunday night after 32 days in St. Charles, where she worked at the Office of Emergency Preparedness Center, interviewing flood victims, assessing needs and issuing vouchers for food, clothing and shelter and disaster-related expenses.

Mrs. Guckian is the wife of the assistant manager of the Wichita County Chapter, Red Cross. As a member of the disaster reserve staff, she and other Americans were assigned into service areas of disaster.

According to Corps of Engineer figures, Mrs. Guckian said, flood damages in Missouri and Illinois were set at \$150 million, sending thousands of persons fleeing from their homes.

More than 8,000 families applied for assistance from the Red Cross, 1,500 of them at the center where she worked, she said.

"We had a lot of Red Cross volunteers out sandbagging and setting up emergency food stations and shelters the first few nights," Mrs. Guckian said. The Red Cross set up 24 shelters for 552 people in the disaster area which covered 65 counties, and fed 34,000 sandbaggers, National Guardsmen and flood victims.

The Red Cross provided housing for a period of one month and then the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) took over, offering assistance to families unable to get back into their homes.

"We had four crests," related Mrs. Guckian, which caused some residents to clean up their homes as many times trying to move back. "The water would come up and they'd have to go back and start cleaning all over again," she said.

"In the second crest, a lot of people thought they were safe and then the levees broke and some of them had 15 minutes to evacuate their homes.

"One woman left her dentures and her husband wouldn't let her go back and get them. The time was that short," Mrs. Guckian said.

"High crest, the second crest, was 43.5 feet at St. Louis, Mo., about the middle of April," she

### Gracie Medford 83rd Birthday



GRACIE MAY MEDFORD

Mrs. Gracie May Medford was honored with a surprise 83rd birthday party at the Henry Harris home Wednesday, May 29. Guests registered on a giant birthday card made by her granddaughter, Pat, and highlight of the day was receiving a congratulatory letter from President Nixon.

She was born May 29, 1890, in Fannin County at Savoy. She married Oscar Lee Moore on Dec. 16, 1917, and they moved to Haskell in 1929. The couple had four children, Theo Lee, of Chicago, Ill., Velton Dee of Baird, Douglas Dewayne of Abilene, and Pansy Ruth Harris of Haskell. She has 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Hostesses for the party were Pansy Harris, and granddaughters, Pam Gibson, Pat and Peggy Harris.

Guests registering during the afternoon were Betty Harris, Julia Gibson, Mrs. C. W. Marion, Mrs. Walter Copeland, Lee, Gail, Joan, Fred, Tom and Paul Barnett, Nerva Oates, Lillian Buerger, Wilma Brown, Ardonia Toliver, Addie Weaver, Emma McDonald, Nanny Reese, Mrs. Ed Fouts, Mrs. Lela Smith, Neta Burson, Neat Bevel, Alma Leek, Lillie Kreger, Mary Barnett and Chad Gibson.

### Invitation Golf Tournament Set

The Haskell Country Club has set June 30 and July 1 for their annual Invitation Golf Tournament. Plans are being made for six, 16-man flights, with winners being taken from 36-hole totals.

Entry fee for the tournament is \$20.00 with the cut-off for entries set at 96 players. Scores must be in no later than 10 p. m., Friday, June 29. Entries may be phoned in to the club at 864-3400 or by writing the Haskell Country Club.

A Bar-B-Q, open to the public, will be held Saturday, June 30 at 7:30. Tickets for the Bar-B-Q must be purchased no later than Thursday, June 29. Price for the tickets will be \$2.50.

### Children's Day To Be Held June 10

"Jesus Loves You" has been chosen as theme for Children's Day, June 10—a Sunday set apart to minister evangelistically to the children of the First Assembly of God Church and the community of Haskell. A special program will be presented in honor of all children. After the morning service there will be "dinner on the ground" and an afternoon of recreation at the park.

said, "First the city of St. Charles was on high ground from some of the flooding were inundated."

The Army engineers at Ft. Mo., built a levee for people to get from Portage to Charles county and St. Louis to their jobs and to get in and out of the city."

Mrs. Guckian's husband came to St. Charles in January 1973 in a disaster field near the West Texas Red Cross.

### City Cafe \$88.61 For

The City Cafe one of more than 200 restaurants throughout the annual Memorial Project to benefit the Rehabilitation Center.

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Griffin	Black Pepper	3 4 oz. cans	\$1 <sup>00</sup>
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Johnson	Pie Shells		39 <sup>c</sup>
Matey	Fish Sticks	8 oz. box	29 <sup>c</sup>
Wilson's	Viennas	can	29 <sup>c</sup>
Kraft	Ketchup	14 oz. bottle	29 <sup>c</sup>
	Crisco	3 lb. can	89 <sup>c</sup>
Texsun	Grapefruit Juice	46 oz. can	49 <sup>c</sup>
	Dash	Jumbo Size	\$1 <sup>98</sup>
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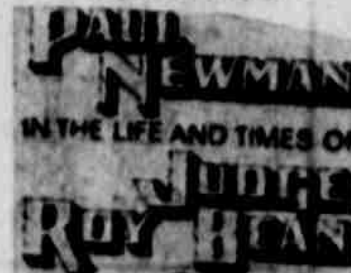
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CARD OF THANKS: We appreciate so much the many kindnesses shown to our family at the loss of our beloved Benno. We appreciate your visits, flowers and food, but most of all, we appreciate your thoughtfulness and friendship. For all of these, we express a sincere thank you. The Benno Address family, 23p

CARD OF THANKS: We want to take this opportunity to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives who sent cards, flowers, prayers and for each visit made while I was in the hospital. A special thanks to the doctors and nurses who gave me such good care. Also, we thank the ones who sat up with me and the ones who sent food. May God bless each one. With love, Thelma and Frank Oman, 23p

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DEATH NOTICES

Ben's Address Glenn Merchant, E. T. Archison, Jack Chapman, Rody Johnson and Jack Speer.

Reid Receives Masters Degree Nicky Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Reid, of Rochester, received his Master of Arts degree in Drama from the University of Arizona in Tucson recently.

Sam Warren Sam Warren, 93, of Rule, a retired farmer, died at 12:10 a. m. Wednesday in Haskell Memorial Hospital. Funeral was at 10 a. m. Friday in the First United Methodist Church in Rule.

Mike Bird Mike Bird, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Bird Jr. of Woodward, Okla., and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Leonard of Overton, Texas, was killed in an oil field accident May 25, 1973. He was born April 9, 1952.

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Hospital Notes Admission MEDICAL: Lonnie Hise, Haskell; J. B. Dunnam, Haskell; Janette Moore, Stamford; Lottie Hodges, Haskell; Euna Jones, Old Glory; Matias Tonche, Haskell; Maria Lopez, Rochester; Josie Johnson, Irving; LaRue Teague, Haskell; Columbus Whittemore, Rule; Jay Gipson, Snyder; Claude Wheatley, Haskell.

Discharge SURGICAL: Evelyn Mercer, Haskell; Evelyn Foley, Haskell; Florene Larned, Haskell; Jimmy Vasquez, Stamford.

Hallie Chapman, Haskell. DISMISSED: Lonnie Hise, Evelyn Mercer, J. B. Dunnam, Janette Moore, Lottie Hodges, Euna Jones, Maria Lopez, Evelyn Foley, Florene Larned, Josie Johnson.

THE VERY NEWEST Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Fuentes Mendoza of Haskell announce the birth of a son, Carlos Fuentes, Jr., born June 4, 1973, weighing 6 lbs., 14ozs.

Veterans who are eligible for educational assistance from the Veterans Administration under the GI Bill have available to them a wide variety of training opportunities. This announcement was made today by C.H. Herren, Veterans Service Officer for Haskell County.

When the subject of education is mentioned, many people immediately think of college training. The Service Officer has emphasized, however, that there are a number of other training opportunities for those eligible veterans who are unqualified or who have no desire to attend college.

Educational assistance is available from the Veterans Administration for veterans who honorably served on active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States for 181 days or more at any time since Feb. 1, 1955. The entitlement consists of one and one-half months training for each month of military service, with a maximum of 36 months of actual training time.

Each veteran has eight years from the date of his release from service to complete his training, or eight years from June 1, 1966, whichever is later. Veterans who were released from service prior to June 1, 1966, will no longer be eligible for VA educational assistance after May 31, 1974.

An eligible veteran may train in a vocational or trade school, business school or college, on the job or apprenticeship training. Many veterans have found that on job training is the most practical and may be accomplished through any private business. Any businessman who wants to train a veteran on the job may contact the Office of Proprietary Schools and Veterans Education, Texas Education Agency, 201 East 11th St., Austin, Texas 78701. A representative of the agency will assist in setting up a training program for the veteran.

MAJOR LEAGUE Team Wins Losses Lions 7 2 Tigers 7 3 Rams 5 5 Eagles 3 5 Cubs 2 6 Hawks 2 6

MINOR LEAGUE Team Wins Losses Crows 8 1 Bears 6 4 Red Horses 3 7 Cats 2 7

Games Played: Crows 9, Bears 4, Red Horses 6, Cats 5, Bears 3, Cats 2; Crows 3, Red Horses 9.

(The following is a series of questions which have been asked about Little League Baseball. Questions are those most often asked. Answering the questions is Haskell Little League Commissioner Gene Long.)

Q. What is Little League Baseball? A. This program is an attempt to bridge the transition between adolescence where a boy is still looking to parents for his every need, and junior manhood, where the boy discovers he has certain obligations to fulfill, where he is given responsibilities to his team, his manager, the league, the fans, the umpires, and finally where he discovers an area where he can perform his part in unison with his whole team.

Q. How big is Little League? A. The different levels are, the local level, comprised of six major teams; an area level, which includes Haskell, Rule and Stamford; district level, state, national and finally world series.

Q. How do you meet expenses for the local program? A. In many ways, such as clubs, businesses sponsoring teams by furnishing uniforms in return for advertising on the back of the uniforms. Lights, playing equipment, insurance, umpire equipment, field maintenance and equipment, sound equipment, and many other seemingly small expenses are paid by contributions, concession stand sales and special fund drives. Also advertising is sold on the outfield fence.

Q. What are some of the problems facing the Haskell Little League? A. Surprisingly little for a change. We just wish that all young fans and players could understand that any equipment lost or destroyed, cost money which would ultimately have made a good program even better for his friends, brother and possibly his own son someday. We lose an excess of equipment to vandalism, care-

lessness, neglect and indifference. No one group, or person can be blamed for the loss, but it adds up, anyway.

Q. Could you elaborate on these "losses"? A. Plumbing torn up in the bathrooms, boards torn from the stands, speakers box, concession stands, equipment lost, and equipment taken. These things are little by themselves, but added together make a great expense.

Q. Do you think the Little League program helps the community? A. Yes, in that the program helps boys to face the very real problems of life. The game is played by rules, and so is life. A boy recognizes authority in his manager and the umpires and hopefully he will in life. A boy learns to be a part of a team, and thus sees strength in unity and cooperation. If a boy learns these things and continues to develop them he builds character and is an asset to any community. Perhaps the more immediate result is just good clean recreation, and that's better than street loitering anytime.

Q. Why make such a big deal out of playing baseball, a few years ago baseball was played on vacant lots? A. The purpose for Little League is to go deeper than just a baseball game. We try to mold character, sportsmanship, and honesty. Any boy can play, regardless of what his background or problems may be. Regardless of his surroundings, he can learn to depend on himself. This in itself is an accomplishment, it builds self-confidence and character. If he fails, then it is just a ballgame and there's next year.

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The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department dispatched two fire trucks, Tuesday afternoon about 2 p.m., to the A. H. (Johnny) Becker residence, to extinguish flames in the three bedroom home.

The fire, which occurred during a rebuilding project, took firemen close to an hour to bring under control.

Before the first fire could be brought under control, a second alarm was turned in.

The second fire, on the Adell Thomas farm, eight miles south west of Haskell, was a grass fire and brought under control with little damage.

Chamber Meeting Set for June 12th

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce directors met Tuesday, June 5, at 6:30 p. m. to discuss plans for a future promotion and to make plans for the Hey Day celebration.

Directors attending the meeting were Bill Lane, Mrs. Viars Felker, Mrs. R. A. Lane; chamber manager, Rex Felker, and Free Press Editor, Ron Bingham.

Directors present voted to hold a dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m., Tuesday, June 12, in an effort to get more members to attend so that plans might be completed for the upcoming events.

Plans were also discussed for creating a Chamber of Commerce Dining Club, which would meet once a month. A club of this nature would encourage Chamber members to attend, and would be held at noon.

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# Around Town

by CLYDENE

All of Haskell's prayers are with young Bill Cox and Buford and Gerry this week as Bill is cared for at Hendrick's Hospital in Abilene. You will find in a related story in this edition that Bill suffered head injuries last week while participating in a bronc riding event at the Lawn Rodeo. This fine young Haskell citizen was still in the intensive care unit at Hendrick's at news deadline, but we are sure that cards, calls and visits will be appreciated by his family there.

Fire calls were the order of the day in Haskell Tuesday when firemen answered three calls in a matter of hours. Flooding occurred the latter part of last week when Rice Springs Creek overflowed its banks and rushed through some homes; blocked a lot of streets for a time; and created a lot of mud puddles for kids to play in in its wake as waters receded. Fields suffered the same fate of high water and some farm homes were flooded and damaged. The wheat harvest had just begun, and cotton planting was well underway by some. Most planting will have to be redone, but things are beginning to dry out, and every plant in town is taking on a fast new growth. Spring days are still balmy for the most part, though, and farmers are optimistic about the wheat

crop—as well as the prospects for a good cotton crop. Merchants have returned from market, and shoppers are treated to new merchandise displays daily over town. Haskell—still considered over the state as one of the most progressive, active small towns in the state—shows off its spring dress both downtown and in the residential area. We're proud of it—and invite everyone who reads these pages to come and take a look, and see what we mean.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. B. Hampton of Naples visited over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kennedy. He is Mrs. Kennedy's brother.

Visiting in the C. E. Tidwell home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Travis T. Burson, Joni and Bruce, who have just returned from Spain. Travis has retired from the Air Force. Others visiting were Dan Burson of Arlington, Ruth Tidwell of Throckmorton and Mimie Yarbrough of Haskell. The Travis Bursons are also visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mildred Kennen.

Christene Greene and Judy Blair went to the Pruitt cousins' reunion over the weekend and stayed with the Jack Clines in Irving. Tuesday night, Christene attended the ballet recital of her granddaughters, Stacy and Delia Pipkin at Wichita Falls.

Mrs. N. I. and Nettie McCollum spent last week in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. John L. McCollum, and they returned home with them Monday for a few days in Haskell.

Families of the late Mose Bland of Stamford and the late H. E. Bland of Haskell met on Saturday night, June 2, and Sunday, June 3, for a family reunion in the Community Room of Haskell National Bank. Forty members were present for ice cream and cake Saturday night. Lunch Sunday was catered. The group played dominoes and 42; enjoyed music by a player piano loaned by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herren. Towns represented were Ennis, Dallas, Abilene, Pecos, San Angelo, Irving, Wichita Falls, Sagerton and Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bird were in Abilene Tuesday night to see their grandson Ricky Foust, graduate from Cooper High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Herren of Dallas visited over the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herren. Ray graduated from NTSU last fall majoring in marketing, and is now group sales representative of Blue Cross-Blue Shield in Dallas.

The Lanark Dancers of San Antonio, School of Dancing, held their annual spring recital Thursday, May 31, at 7:30 p. m. in the Ruth Taylor Concert Hall at Trinity University. Mrs. Sandra Mullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trav Hadaway of Haskell, is instructor for the school. She is a graduate of Haskell High School and is married to Jerry Mullins. The couple has three sons, Randy, Ronnie and Jimmy. She teaches tap, Ballet and acrobatics. She had 75 students in recital, and was praised for a good job on the students training. They presented her with a dozen red roses at the end of the recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Trav Hadaway of Haskell attended the recital.

Laurie Ann Leonard is starting her summer vacation with a bang. She is spending two weeks with her Grannies—Mrs. Ollie Leonard and Mrs. Woodrow Jones. She will attend Vacation Bible School, will fish, ride horseback and anything else that turns up at her grandmothers' homes. After a week of birthday partying at Plano, she will go to Girl Scout Camp. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald E. Talkington, Kim and Gregg, of

Midland, spent the weekend in the Bill Comedy home, on their way to Lafayette, La. Gregg will spend a part of the summer here, working at the Free Press.

Mike Brazzel of Denton spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brazzel of Paint Creek.

Jim Hunt and grandsons, Billy and David Smith of Shreveport, La., were here for the weekend to take Mrs. Mogia Howard back for a visit. Mrs. Hunt is Mrs. Howard's daughter.

The Charles McCauleys and the Jack McAdoos took their daughters, Marilu and Susie, respectively, to Denton where they are enrolled in the first summer session.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Turner attended the Turner family reunion in Lamesa over the weekend. Abe's sister, Mary, made the trip with them.

The J. W. Howards were hosts for a fish fry Saturday night. Guests were Jim Hunt, Billy and David Smith, all of Shreveport, La.; Mogia Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pierce and Salina, and Wayne Carlton, Clint and Stephanie Ellis and Andrea and Craig Guin.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Adkins and Jill took Bonnie to Lubbock over the weekend for the first summer session at Texas Tech. The Ken Lanes, Peggy, Bud and Les, made the trip to take Eugene. The two girls will be roommates this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlton Jr. and children of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carlton Sunday. Gail Ann Howard returned with her cousin, Laura Carlton, for a two day visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Casey had all their children together over the weekend, for the first time since June of 1965. Visiting the Caseys were Mrs. Melvin (Anita) Cotter of South Lake Tahoe, Calif., T Sgt. and Mrs. Tommy Casey, Sheila and Alexander of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Massteller and daughter, Shannon of Baytown, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baird of Lubbock, and Janice, of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowers went to Graham Lake over the weekend for a camping weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bowers of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lane enjoyed a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henry of Fort Worth, last weekend.

Miss JoBeth Baum of Miner

al Wells was a houseguest last week of Kim Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lane.

Master Lee Norman, son of Dr. and Mrs. Jim Norman of Dallas, is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Norman of Rule, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hess Hartsfield were in Canyon Monday to take Linda for the summer term at West Texas State.

Bob and Anita Herren went to Fort Worth over the weekend to visit Ed and Bobby Ann Corzine, Amy and Ed, Jr. Their other daughters, Dan and Betty Jo Howard, Rob, Danna and Kim, of Tulsa, Okla. and John and Jan Gannaway and Julie of College Station, were also there, and the family celebrated John's getting his doctorate a few weeks ago. The men planned a trip to Canada while they were all together, and the women will go to Ruidoso, N. M. while they are gone. Ed, Jr. returned to Haskell with Bob and Anita and will spend some time here.

Mrs. A. B. Corzine left Monday for Fort Worth to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ed Corzine, and will go on to Houston to visit with Jack and Iva Lee Price and Glen Aivin, before returning to Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr., enjoyed a few days visit this week from their daughter, Jerri Sue Moore and granddaughter, Michelle of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tanner of Ranger spent the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Merchant and family.

Mrs. Jerry Jetton, Shelah and Sharla and Mrs. Opal Rose spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Taggart of Crowley. While there they attended graduation exercises for Vicki Taggart and David Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rose of Fort Worth. Both graduated from the O. D. Wyatt High School of Fort Worth and

are grandchildren of Mrs. Rose. Mrs. Nolan Lees and Mrs. Bill Lees of Haskell, Mrs. Quincey LeFevre of Bay City and formerly of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Pointer of Rule, all visited in Fort Worth last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hawkins and Mrs. Edith Norman and in Irving with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Carlock and Mrs. Lee Norman.

Mrs. Dec Pointer of Rule and Mrs. Bill Lees of Haskell are in Lubbock this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pogue.

Small tykes are seen lined up each morning at both First Baptist and First United Methodist Churches as they anxiously await entrance to Vacation Bible School. Attendance at both churches is good, and the children eagerly look forward to each day's activities. While visiting with one of the Bible School workers in the office this week, I was told that there just aren't enough hours in the day to get all the activities for that day completed. The workers enjoy the schools every bit as much as the children, and there is no way to adequately express the appreciation of the entire town for their dedication. This is just ONE of the reasons it's great to live in Haskell!

See you next week...



**AMERICAN LEGION AWARD** . . . The American Legion gives each year to two students which are elected by the body and teacher, was awarded to Karen Seftick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adams. The awards, based on courage, leadership, and scholarship, were presented to the youth by Mr. and Mrs. Karen is the daughter of Coach and Mrs. Ray Seftick. The other award was given to Tommy McAdams, the son of Coach and Mrs. Tommy McAdams.

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H78-14	\$64.00	\$54.40	\$1.00
F78-15	\$58.50	\$49.72	\$1.00
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# H Recipes ...

were: her mother, Mrs. Fred Kupatt and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre.

## Festive Potato Salad



Kris Kupatt

bers are very happy on a square of waxed paper or into a bowl. Stir in the cornmeal. Make a well in the mixture. Add the eggs to the milk and stir in the shortening. Pour all at once into the "well" in the dry ingredients. Stir with a fork just to mix and until all the dry ingredients are moistened. The batter will not be smooth.

Fill muffin pan cups two-thirds full with batter. Bake on the rack in the center of the oven 15 or 20 minutes or until the muffins are golden.

Remove the pan from the oven and place it on a wire rack. Run a spatula around the outside edge of each muffin to loosen. Lift out and serve at once. Makes 12 muffins.

When a 4-H member has worked and prepared for the County Food Show for weeks, it takes a lot to keep her from participating. This was the case for Kris Kupatt of the Sagerton 4-H Club. The night before the Food Show, Kris was preparing the Carrot Curis to garnish her potato salad for the next day, the knife slipped and cut her thumb severely. The next day Kris was at the food show, bandages, stitches, aching thumb and all, to win second place honors in the Fruit and Vegetable Group of the Junior Division. Her adult leaders

- 4 cups diced potatoes
  - 2 tsp. vinegar
  - 1 tsp. salad oil
  - 1/4 tsp. powdered Worcestershire sauce (if unavailable, use liquid)
  - Salt and pepper to taste (use very sparingly)
  - 1/2 cup mayonnaise
  - 1/4 cup prepared mustard
  - 1/4 cup dill pickle finely chopped
  - 1/4 cup ripe olives, finely chopped
  - 1/3 cup green pepper, finely chopped
  - 1/2 cup grated fresh carrot
  - 2 tsp. grated onion
  - 1 1/2 cups finely grated cabbage
  - 1 small jar chopped pimento
- Boil 4 medium potatoes in jackets. Cool. In a large bowl dice enough potato to equal 4 cups. To diced potato add the vinegar, salad oil, worcestershire sauce, salt and pepper, mayonnaise and mustard.
- Chop finely the dill pickles, ripe olives and green pepper and add to potato mixture.
- Grate finely the carrots that have been peeled or scraped, onions and cabbage and add to the potato mixture. Then add jar of chopped pimento and mix all ingredients together well.
- Put in bowl or platter and garnish with ripe olives, green pepper slices, pimento slices, parsley or carrot curls. (Kris' note: Beware of Carrot Curis) Let set at least 3 hours for flavor to blend.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

May I take this means of saying "thank you" to all of our neighbors in Haskell for your help and support given Sagerton in the recent Texas Community Improvement Contest. We appreciate articles carried by your newspaper and words of praise and encouragement by everyone in Haskell.

We especially appreciate the great number of Haskell County officials and other business representatives who were able to take time off from their busy schedule to be with us for the state judging program, tour and lunch. Your presence and encouragement has given us the incentive to continue in the contest, and by doing so we hope to help make Texas a better and cleaner place to live.

We are proud to have been chosen number two in the state from a field of 308 entries, and much of our success in this contest can be attributed to the fine leadership we had in our County Agent, Max Stapleton, and our Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Barbara Elliott. Thank you, Max and Barbara.

# SECTION TWO

# The HASKELL FREE PRESS

HASKELL, TEXAS 79521, THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1973

NUMBER TWENTY-THREE

Sagerton is already looking forward to the 1974 Texas Community Improvement Contest!

Yours truly,  
Mrs. Billie Kupatt  
Sec'y TCIP for 1972-73  
Sagerton, Texas

Susan Pope is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wainwright of Haskell. She had a 4.0 average and is a junior, majoring in English and minoring in business education.

## Subscribers

Royce L. Williams, Haskell  
Mrs. Faye Thompson, Haskell  
Milton F. Wilfong, Paducah  
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Herbert R. Fiesher, Haskell  
Wilson Bean, Rochester  
Otto Peiser, Haskell  
Gene Lancaster, Haskell  
Allen Isbell, Haskell  
Bertha Yarbrough, Ennis

ing, N. M. He is a sophomore and has a 3.8 average.

Jack Chapman, Haskell  
Mrs. Myrtle Cobb, Haskell  
W. C. Winchester, Rochester  
Wallace Allison, Rule

V. W. Howard, Haskell  
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## Area Students Are On Dean's List

Three area students have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at McMurry College.

Named were Susan W. Pope,

Betty Long is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards of Weinert. She had an average of 4.0 and is a freshman. She is majoring in business.

Larry Long of Haskell is the son of Mr. John Long of Snyder and Mrs. P. Long of Lov-

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# SAGERTON NEWS

by Mrs. Delbert LeFevre

The wheat harvest was going good until the rain late last week. Most fields were averaging close to 30 bushels an acre. We received about four inches of rain Thursday and Friday nights of last week, and farmers are waiting to see just how it will affect the cotton that is trying to come up.

Last Sunday was a big day for several youth at Faith Lutheran Church who were confirmed. In the class were: Jay Swofford, Fred Baitz, Eddie Wolsch, Steve Hertel, Michael Nauert and Celinda Vahlenkamp.

Emmalee Bevin's, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bevin's, was presented in baptism.

Mrs. Cliff LeFevre observed her birthday Wednesday of last week when all her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren stopped by to wish her "Happy Birthday." Those present were: Mrs. Frank McKerral of Angleton, Mr. and Mrs.

Reece Clark, Mrs. Glenda Terrell, Clark and Kay of Stamford, Mrs. Oscar Manske, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Manske and Phillip, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Manske and family of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre and daughter of Aspermont, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Jill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling and their grandson, Bruce Toney, are visiting relatives in West Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jackson and daughters of Alice visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Whit Clark and Mrs. John Clark and other relatives and friends. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyers and family of Alice and they all went on to Colorado for their vacation.

The Gibson Family Reunion was held Sunday at the Sagerton Community Center for descendants of one of the first families to settle in this part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson

and their granddaughters from Martindale visited with Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Cliff LeFevre both of whom are shut-ins with a broken arm and a broken hip. They are both doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hertel have their grandchildren, Mike Hertel of Stamford and Gayle Hertel of Hamlin visiting them this week.

Mrs. D. A. Ulmer of Hamlin was released from the hospital in Abilene last weekend and is staying with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer.

Thursday, June 7, is the regular meeting date for the L.O.C. Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Herbert Lamert. The program will be on "Weight Control", given by Mrs. J. A. Hertel. Visitors are always welcome. The meetings begin at 2 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer and Mrs. Will Stegemoller returned Sunday from Lewisville and Bedford where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cornelison and Kathy, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bailey and sons.

Mrs. Larry Letz and children of Abilene spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Buster Tredemeyer.

Services at Faith Lutheran Church will be held early next Sunday, at 9:00 a. m., with Sunday School afterward. Rev. Stanley Leaf of Bethel Lutheran Church will serve as pastor in the absence of Pastor Joe Aalbu.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Jordan attended a wedding in Clovis, N. M., last weekend.

Mrs. M. Y. Benton is home after having extensive tests made at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene.

Mrs. Josie Ender and her sister, Mary Pesch, have returned home after visiting with relatives at Bovina. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pesch of Bovina brought them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cook and family of New Orleans, La., are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and family.

Saturday night will be monthly musical night at the Sagerton Community Center at 8:00. Several different bands have promised to come, so come prepared for a good time. No ad-

# Haskell County History

## 20 YEARS AGO

June 4, 1943

Mrs. Elma Guest and Mrs. Buford Cox were at Dallas and Fort Worth markets this week selecting early fall merchandise for the Personality Shop.

Christine Harris returned to Lubbock Monday after visiting for several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Harris. She will attend the summer session at Texas Tech.

Mrs. H. M. Roberts and daughters, Melba Jo, Bobby Rene and Nora Frances of Petersburg are visiting their parents and grandparents here this week while Mr. Roberts is working at the barber business in Abilene.

Mrs. Eltis M. Cox returned this week from San Diego, Calif., where she has been for the past few months with her husband, Pharmacist Mate E. M. Cox, who is stationed at Marine Corps aviation base in that city.

Mrs. Effie Fultz of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kemp and other relatives and friends here. She is a sister of Mrs. Kemp.

Clyde Rogers and family of Bomarton spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sharp.

T. J. Turner and family of Monday spent the weekend here with relatives.

## 10 YEARS AGO

June 8, 1933

Miss Maybell Taylor, who taught in the public schools at Albany the past year returned home the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason W. Smith are rejoicing over a new baby boy, born Sunday, June 4, at the Knox City Sanitarium. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ratliff and fam-

ily are home from Austin where Mr. Ratliff has been in attendance on the Legislature since the first of January.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope E. Haynes and little son, Charles, are spending three months in Lubbock this summer, while Mr. Haynes takes some special courses at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gilliam and little daughter, Annie Bess, attended the graduation exercises at Lubbock Texas Tech College where their son and brother, Hughes Gilliam, received his B. A. degree. Hughes is a consulting and manufacturing chemist, and already has his business well established under the trade name of "Charme" Scientific Cosmetics.

Miss Ella Mae Lyles of Rails spent Wednesday with Mrs. Jewell Paxton Miss Jewell left with Miss Lyles Thursday for a few days visit with friends in Fort Worth, Dallas, Roysce City and Denton.

## 60 YEARS AGO

June 7, 1913

Miss Beryl McConnell has returned from Dallas, where she has been attending Ursuline Academy Miss Effie Nola Long and Mrs. McConnell went down last week to attend the commencement exercises, and to accompany Miss Beryl home.

Mayor T. C. Cahill, Past Master Baker, Virgil Hudson, W. H. Murchison, John Russell, Marvin Hancock, Bruce W. Bryant, Roy Shook, Mr. Meek, Henry Alexander, C. D. Long, Ross Payne, Hardy Grisom and Tom Pinkerton, drove over to Throckmorton Tuesday and attended the picnic given by the citizens of that enterprising city.

Mr. Cogdell shipped out nearly all the cattle he had on feed at his oil mill. He has fed heavily during the past season, and has probably broken the record for cattle shipment at this point for shipment of fat cattle.

Paul Zahan sold a bunch of purebred Duroc Jersey hogs to Virgil Hudson this week. One of the hogs weighed 670 pounds and brought 7c per pound. The pigs sold at \$5 apiece.

E. E. Marvin made a trip to Wichita Falls Thursday.

H. C. Wych left Thursday for Seymour, where he has a contract.

# Cancer Society Meets Tuesday

The Haskell County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Tuesday, May 29, at 5:00 p. m.

Genie Cobb, secretary, presided in the absence of the President; the minutes of the last meeting were read. The nominating committee reported on officers for the coming year: Billy Jack Ray, president, replacing Joyce Williams, retiring; Genie Cobb, secretary, incumbent; Mrs. Virgil Cobb, (Evelyn) memorial chairman, replacing Mrs. Ruby Smith, retiring. The vice-president is yet to be elected.

Mr. Mike Dabbs, Field Representative, attended the meeting and furnished helpful information on how to raise money to reach the \$4500 goal Haskell County has set. To date there is \$3521.60 toward this goal. Anyone not having made a contribution and wishing to mail their check to Mrs. Evelyn Cobb, Box 761, Haskell Texas 79521.

The American Cancer Society's district meeting will be in Dallas, Texas June 19, 1973 and the annual meeting will be in Houston, Texas, August 22 and 23, 1973. Delegates to these meetings will be chosen at a later date.

# Kim Kemp To Attend Camp

Kim Kemp of Haskell High School has been accepted in the Ranger Junior College Basketball Camp, June 10-15. This camp is directed by Ron Butler, coach of the Ranger Junior College Ranganrans, the 1971 National Junior College Champions.

This is the fifth annual camp and the only one of this kind in Texas. The camp is for girls of high school, junior varsity, and junior high. Primary purpose of the camp is to teach new skills in the fundamentals of sound basketball and to improve the skills and individual abilities of each girl.

Kim is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William J. Kemp of 912 N. Ave. H, Haskell.

# Stephens County Youth Horse Show

Stephens County 4-H Horse Club will sponsor a Youth Horse Show June 9 at the Breckenridge Rodeo Arena on Highway 180 East.

The show will begin at 10 a. m., and will feature three age divisions: 8 years and under, 9-12, and 13-19 (age at time of show).

Entry fee will be \$1 per event. Events for pee-wees will include halter, showmanship,

western pleasure, polo bending. Events for the other western pleasure, reining, poles, goat tying, milking. An electric timer will be used for the speed events. Trophies will be given to place winners with through sixth place. Buckles will be given to the high point junior and senior contestants, and a high point pee-wee. To file early and for information contact Mrs. E. J. Rison, show secretary, 559-9082.

# Cancer Center Need Of Shee

The Cancer Center monthly meeting Thursday, May 31. Members who attend the Cancer Center monthly meeting may receive Russell, Alice May, Stiewert, Laura Parker, Dora Klose, Florence Dandies, Della Corzine, and herderwood. All old sheets which can be donated to the Cancer Center will be appreciated.

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# Herren Accepts ARAC Post

Robert W. Herren, board chairman, Haskell National Bank, Haskell, has accepted appointment to the Agriculture-Rural America Committee of the Independent Bankers Association of America for the year ending March 23, 1974. The association has 7,000 member banks in 40 states, and the committee assignments will end with the 44th annual convention in Dallas, Texas. The IBAA president, Fred T. Brooks, president, Merchants State Bank, Dallas, announced the appointment.

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# Lehrmann Is NTSU Graduate

Gail Denise Lehrmann from Old Glory was listed among the 161 honor graduates who received bachelor's degrees from North Texas State University, May 19.

Of the 161 honor students, two were graduated summa cum laude, 46 magna cum laude and 113 cum laude.

Based on a 4.0 grade point system, summa cum laude graduates posted perfect 4.0 records for their last 54 semester hours. Magna cum laude honorees had at least a 3.8 grade point average and cum laude graduates at least a 3.5 average on the last 54 hours at NTSU.

Miss Lehrmann, whose major was in physical education, graduated Magna Cum Laude. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clancy R. Lehrmann, Rt. 1.

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### County To Have Role In of New TFB Building

County will have a role in the construction of the new \$2.7 million TFB building. The building will be located on the grounds of the old TFB building. The building will be used for the TFB's group purchase program. The building will be used for the TFB's group purchase program. The building will be used for the TFB's group purchase program.

A delegation from this county is expected to go to Waco for the day's activities. They will attend the dedication program and open house that afternoon and the giant barbecue dinner climaxed the day-long activities that evening.

Governor Dolph Briscoe will be dedication speaker. Others on the program include Waco Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage, Chairman of the U. S. House Agriculture Committee; and Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz will address the dinner audience that evening in the Waco Convention Center.

The dedication, open house and barbecue on June 13 are feature events of the week of June 10-15 which has been designated by Governor Briscoe as "Farm Bureau Week" in Texas.

A county presidents' conference will be held June 12-13 in Waco, while service agents will have an awards banquet on the evening of June 12. On

June 14, servicing agents for the TFB's group purchase program will tour the General Tire plant in Waco and hold a business meeting.

The TFB has been in Waco since 1938 when the Waco Chamber of Commerce lured the fledgling farm organization from Brownwood with the offer of free office space over the Chamber's office in Waco.

### CONSERVATION VIEW POINTS

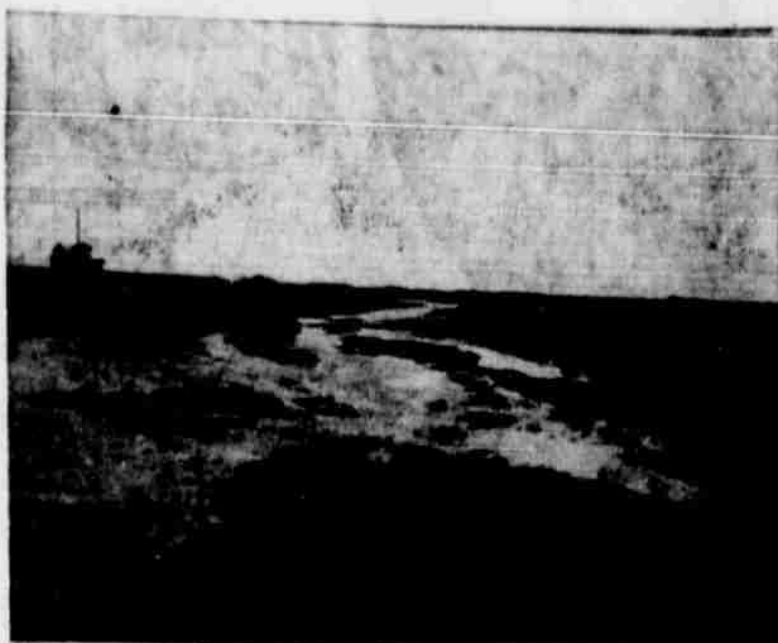
District Conservationist  
**J. C. YEARY, JR.**



Last Friday's rain of from 3 inches to eight inches in various parts of Haskell County indicate the need for considerable conservation work to be done.

The average 10-day, 24-hour frequency rain for Haskell County is 5.4 inches. Friday's storm exceeded our average in several places.

Many fields have been severely damaged due to the intense rain. But in every case where damage was extensive, conservation measures were lacking.



The above photograph shows intensive damage to cropland from concentrated runoff. This situation can be remedied by the installation of a planned and shaped waterway sodded to Coastal Bermudagrass.



This picture shows the lack of terrace maintenance and contour farming. Had these terraces been maintained and the land farmed on the contour with them, instead of straight-row farming over the terraces, this cropland field would not have been damaged.



This picture shows one of Haskell County FM Roads heavily inundated by runoff water due to lack of sufficient water control on the watershed above the FM Road.

### Fuel Shortage Affects Harvest

Texas Farm Bureau President J. T. (Red) Woodson on May 23rd reminded the Texas delegation in Congress that tractor fuel is "absolutely vital" to the feeding of this nation and suggested possible ways of easing the fuel crisis.

Woodson said the Texas Farm Bureau is now surveying county leaders to find out the extent of the fuel problem in Texas.

"We are getting reports from around the state that harvest equipment and farm tractors are being idled due to a shortage of fuel," the state farm leader said in a letter. "This could be a foretaste of a chronic problem in the future."

Woodson told the Texas representatives and senators in Congress that people in agriculture regard the fuel shortage as one of the most urgent problems facing the nation. He added that farmers and ranchers are ready to cooperate in any way "that will enable us to continue

supplying food to this nation."

He recommended that:

- (1) Agriculture be given high priority for food production should rationing be necessary.
- (2) Work on the Alaskan pipeline begin without delay, with reasonable regard for the environment.
- (3) Independent oil companies and their customers be protected from a possible squeeze play by major oil companies.
- (4) That price controls on petroleum products be lifted where they have discouraged exploration and production.
- (5) Lifting of oil import quotas be continued and fees that discourage imports be ended.
- (6) Action be taken to prevent labor tie-ups and strikes that threaten fuel production and delivery.
- (7) Research be started on ways to safely ease pollution that could save fuel and permit production of more fuel supplies.
- (8) The Federal government help pay costs of researching new ways to find, extract and use oil, gas and coal.

### Brown Ranch To Host Field Day Haskell Market Reports Steady

The R. A. Brown Ranch near Throckmorton will host a field day on Monday, June 11, co-sponsored by the Texas Section, Society for Range Management, and Rolling Plains Economic Program Committee. The ranch is located four miles west of Throckmorton on Highway 380 (old Highway 24). All interested persons are invited to attend.

Following a registration period at 9:30, a tour of the ranch will begin at 10:00 with lunch at 12:00 and the afternoon program to be held in the air-conditioned Throckmorton High School.

Rob Brown has a three-year-old High Intensity Low Frequency rotation grazing system involving eight pastures on eight sections with 300 cows. Gary Mathis, associated until recently with the Texas Experimental Ranch, and Dr. Leo B. Merrill of the Texas A&M Ranch Experiment Station at Sonora, will discuss HILF systems. A panel composed of Rob Brown, Jim Barron, Dr. Dub Waldrip, and John Merrill, will discuss related livestock and grass management problems.

In addition to HILF grazing, subjects during the day will include crossbreeding, with data from birth to carcass on steers sired by Hereford, Angus, Brown Swiss, Simmental and 1/2 Simmental bulls on Hereford cows in a cooperative study with Texas Tech; artificial insemination; confinement of cows on silage; feeding of whole cottonseed as a protein supplement; and a gain comparison of steers under HILF and continuous grazing systems.

The market at Haskell Livestock was steady on most classes except light weight stocker heifers which were 50c to \$1.00 lower. Heavy feeder heifers were \$1.00 higher, on a run of an estimated 750 head of cattle and 50 hogs.

Market reporter James Powell reports that there has already been several cattle consigned for next week's sale. 100 steers from Graham, 100 steers and heifers from Guthrie, and 20 pairs of cows and calves from Throckmorton.

Quotations for Saturday, June 2, are as follows:

Bulls: Bologna 38-40, light 48-50.

Butcher cows: Fat 32-34, canner and cutter 30-32, old shells 26-30.

Butcher calves and yearlings: Choice 44-48, good 40-44, standard 36-40.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 52-54, good 40-52, common-medium 42-46.

Feeder heifer yearlings: choice 44-48, good 40-44, common-medium 36-40.

Stocker steer yearlings: good and choice 55-57, common-medium 46-55.

Stocker heifer yearlings: Good and choice 45-50, common-medium 40-45.

Stocker steer calves: choice 45-50; common-medium 40-45.

Cows and calves: choice pairs 400 to 510 per head; good pairs 350 to 400; plain pairs 300-350.

Stocker cows: choice 300-400 bulk of butcher hogs selling per head; plain 250 to 300. from 35 to 36, sows from 30 to Top on hogs was 36, with 32; and boars 26 to 28.

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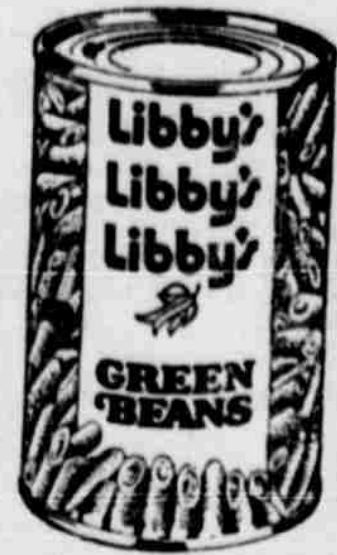
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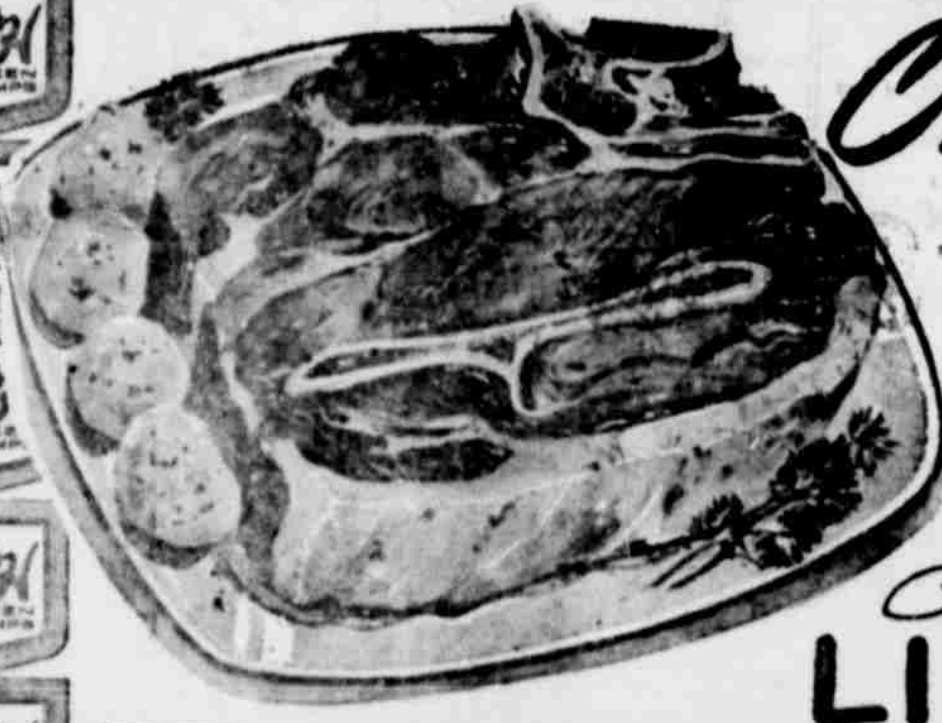


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