

"HASKELL—A GOOD PLACE TO VISIT; A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE"



WINNERS IN THE PARADE: In the first division, from l to r, Kelliann Jennings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jennings, Marcy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Davis, and Melinda Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith, Jr.

Large Crowd At Drawing

The 1975 Christmas Season opened in Haskell Saturday, Dec. 6 with a Children's Christmas Parade. The parade was divided into three categories, the first was for children in Kindergarten through the second grade, this group portraying characters in the Nursery Rhymes. First place went to Kelliann Jennings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jennings. She was Mistress Mary, second place was won by Marcy Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Davis, she was Humpty Dumpty, and third was Melinda Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith, Jr. She was little Miss Muffet.

In the third and fourth grade group, the winners were, first Kim Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lanier, Little Match Girl; second Shane Hadaway, Little Drummer Boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hadaway; and third Susie Blankenship, Raggedy Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blankenship.

In the fifth and sixth grade group, first place went to Clifton Brister, Davy Crockett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brister; second, Lee Lane, Paul Revere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lane; and third, Renee Kretschmer, Betsy Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kretschmer.

105 entry blanks were received but only 64 children were in the parade. Mrs. J. A. Bynum, chairman of the parade stated that she was very pleased with the turnout, but felt that next year it will be bigger and better.

A large crowd was on hand for the first Saturday's Christmas program sponsored by the Haskell merchants.

Winners in the program were: Mrs. V. P. Terrell, \$100.00; Mrs. Leon Medford, \$50.00; Jeanette Kirby, \$50.00; Mrs. Billy Reynolds, \$50.00; Mrs. Russell Grand, \$50.00; Mrs. Lela Nanny, \$50.00 and Mrs. Olen Bartley the \$100.00 Jack Pot.

Winning tickets came from M System, Hale Farm Supply, and Smitty's Auto Supply. Three tickets did not have the store name on the back.

Other drawings will be held Saturday, December 13, 20, and Dec. 23.

Lions Club Holds Meeting

The Haskell Lions Club met at the Haskell Steak House Tuesday for their regular weekly meeting. Lion President Don Comedy conducted the meeting. Lion Gene Long led the singing and Lion Dudley Bragg gave the prayer.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Kenneth Sams and H. T. Melton. Mrs. Sams was the guest of her husband, Lion Kenneth Sams and Melton was the guest of Lion Royce Adkins.

Lion High reported on the Board Meeting held Tuesday morning. The Goodfellow Fund and applications was the main topic. They also agreed to assist in the Bloombere program.

Lion Sams was program chairman for the meeting and John Wallace Cox and Brenda Hill gave the program.

HUNTING ACCIDENT

Randy Martin was listed in satisfactory condition Tuesday night in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene with a gunshot wound in the upper left arm from a deer rifle which he suffered in a hunting accident near Lake Stamford. The accident occurred about 4 p.m. Tuesday.



IN THE SECOND DIVISION: from l to r, Kim Lanier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Lanier, Shane Hadaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hadaway, and Susie Blankenship, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blankenship.



IN THE THIRD DIVISION: from l to r, 2nd place Lee Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lane, 3rd place Renee Kretschmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kretschmer and 1st Clifton Brister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brister. Story elsewhere in the paper.

9 HHS Band Students Make All District

Nine Haskell High Band students earned seats in the All-District Band Contest held Sat. Dec. 6 in Sweetwater. The band was selected on a competitive try-out basis. There were over 200 students representing some fifteen AA, A, B, and large city junior high schools trying out for the 130 piece band.

After try-outs the group spent the afternoon in rehearsal under Mr. Dan Gibbs, the director of the very fine Monahans High School Band.

Making the band from Haskell were: trumpets: Clark Richardson, James Wittenborn; bassoon: Kim Campbell; oboe: Elizabeth Wilson; alto saxophone: Jill Adkins; percussion: Craig Childress; flute: Brenda Hill; bass clarinet: Connie Frierson; french horn: Rosemary Kimbrough.

City Council Holds Meeting

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday night with all members present.

Mayor Belton Duncan gave the prayer, and the minutes were read and approved of the last meeting.

Don Comedy explained about a HUD Grant Program pertaining to the Rice Springs Creek running through the city. There will be another hearing at the next meeting.

The Council discussed the paving of alleys and alley crossings. Also they discussed the patching of weather cracks in the landing strip at the airport.

There will be a meeting on December 23.

Caught In Act

The Haskell County Sheriffs Department caught James Hickson in the act of burglarizing the Wigwam Drive in Wednesday morning around 4:15.

Sheriff Garth Garrett and Olen King made the arrest. Hickson admitted other burglaries since September. He is in the county jail under a \$5,000.00 bond waiting on the action of the Grand Jury which will meet Jan. 5.

Fred Drapier, nightwatchman for the city of Haskell, assisted with the arrest.

A shooting occurred early Saturday night at the Yellow-dog in the northeast part of town. George Hicks Jr. is under \$2,500.00 bond. Charges of Assault with Intent to kill were filed. Ben Lewis was the man that was shot.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department will have their annual Christmas Party December 18. The party will begin at 7 p.m. and will be held at the Haskell Steak House.

Goodfellow Fund Running Very Short

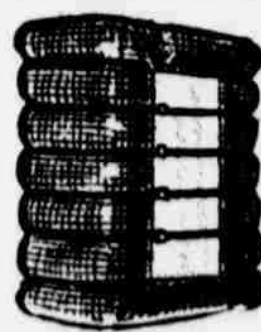
The Goodfellow fund is way short of the total this time last year, with \$125.00 being donated at this time, the same time last year the total was \$215.00.

All donations and profits from the recent Lions Club Pancake Supper will be used to purchase goods for the needy families of Haskell.

Individuals who wish to donate to the fund may bring or mail their contribution to the Haskell Free Press, P. O. Box 577, Haskell, Texas 79521.

Goodfellow applications will be taken Thursday and Friday Dec. 11 and 12 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 13 from 9 a.m. til 1 at the Chamber of Commerce office. Donations during the past week include:

Lydia S. S. Class, F.B.C. in memory of Mrs. J. L. Toliver 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holder 5.00
Thursday Luncheon Club 10.00
Merry Dames 10.00



Gin Report

Haskell County Gin Report
Max Stapleton
County Extension Agent
December 9, 1975

Haskell:
Farmers' Coop Gin, 4384 bales
Haskell Coop Gin, 4665 bales
Duncan Gin, 1437 bales
Rochester:
Paymaster Gin, 549 bales
Farmers' Coop Gin, 2321 bales
O'Brien Coop Gin, 2366 bales
Sagerton Gin, 712 bales
Rule:
Rule Coop Gin, 1300 bales
Lisle Gin, 386 bales
Welnert:
Paymaster Gin, 2471 bales
Weinert Gin, 2687 bales
TOTAL 23,276

WEATHER SUMMARY

By Sam Herren
December 1-9
RAINFALL
None
Total To Date 25.58
Normal To Date 22.26
TEMPERATURE
Hi 79° 5th
Lo 26° 7th

NOTICE

The Haskell County Library will be closed for one week while Librarian Mrs. McGee is on vacation.
It will be closed from Dec. 15 through Dec. 21.

Greeting Issue Of Free Press Set For Dec. 23

Christmas greeting ads, along with regular merchandise ads, will be published in the Free Press Tuesday, December 23. All businesses or individuals desiring to run ads are asked to call the Free Press office, 864-2686, by noon Friday, December 19.

It is impossible to contact all businesses, but a sincere effort will be made. This issue will also contain all letters to Santa Claus that reach the Free Press by Friday, Dec. 19.

This is an ideal and economical way of saying Thanks to your customers and friends at this time of the year. Many individuals also publish a greeting ad, in lieu of Christmas Cards.

The Free Press will be closed December 25, 26, and 27 for the Christmas holidays, and ad deadline for the January 1, issue will be noon, December 30.



OPENING FRIDAY—the Colonial Food Store will take its place as a new business in Haskell. The Haskell store will be store No. 46 in the rapidly expanding chain that is based in San Angelo.

Colonial Food Store Opening Set Friday

Haskell area residents are due their first local introduction to a new concept in retail food service this week end when Colonial Food Stores opens for business on Highway 277 and North 4th Street.

Colonial Food Store No. 46 in the West Texas area is to open for business Friday morning and the one two-word key to the operation here and throughout the chain is "Convenience Stores," according to area supervisor Cecil Beauchamp.

Daily store hours are to be 7 a.m. until midnight.

Basically speaking a general quick service food market, the store will also feature several specialties that have been developed during the personal experience of a young fellow by the name of Ray Hawkins, president of the corporation during a short span of years starting in 1967. The first store was opened in San

Angelo and within nine months there were five stores in operation. And the rate of growth now is 10 new stores annually.

"The Fast Food" specialties include microwave ovens that prepare food to be served hot to waiting customers within two to three minutes. The fresh, ready to eat items, will be pizzas, hot sandwiches, hot coffee and hot popcorn. Cold drinks and accessories to the foregoing list will include soft drinks, leets in several flavors, a large selection of chips and candies. In addition the store will carry a stock of cold cuts and fresh vegetables for quick sandwich preparation.

Other departments of the store will provide ready access to the common household drugs and remedies, toilet items, a variety of magazines and other items being carried in today's food and household goods market.

Six Indians Named All-District

Haskell Indians had six named to the All-District first team. On offense Indians placed Guard, Rex Brown; End, Rex Brown; and Gary McAdams.

Defense: Lineman, Rex Brown; Linebacker, Rex Larned; and Back, Rex Larned.

On the second offense team, Jamie Mickler; (tie) Rex Larned and Randy Hopper.

On the second offensive team, Lineman, Vonnie Hise; End, Gary McAdams; and, Rex Hawkins.

Following is the complete

Team offense: center, Rex Naylor, Crowell, Sr.; QB, Duane Daniels, Crowell, Sr.; George Brown, Crowell, Sr.; tackles, Melvin Crowell, Sr.; Jimmy Lynn, Knox City, Sr.; Mike Urbanczyk, Munday, Jr.; Rex Pittman, Haskell, Sr.; backs, David Bell, Crowell, Sr.; Danny Garrett, Crowell, Sr.; (tie) Charlie Crowell, Sr.; Jerry Lynn, Knox City, Sr.; Mike Aspermont, Jr.; Rocky Crowell, Crowell, Sr.; QB, Jimmy Moore, Knox City, Sr.; Gary McAdams, Haskell, Sr.; Tommy Templen, Crowell, Sr.; Unanimous, Jimmy Lynn, Knox City.

Team Offense: center, Rex Naylor, Knox City, Sr.; guards, (tie) Max Gerloff, Aspermont, Sr.; Jamie Mick-

WTC Fall Semester Ends

WTC Students at West Texas College will be in final examinations through Thursday as the semester ends.

Activities at the college close at 2 p.m. on Friday and will remain closed until Jan. 12 when registration for the spring semester begins.

Activities at the college will be closed Dec. 25 and 26 and Jan. 1 for the holidays.

The 10-day midwinter session is scheduled Dec. 30-Jan. 3. Registration for the winter session, the second semester, will be held at WTC, in the office of the Registrar and will continue through Dec. 30.

DECORATING CONTEST

The Rule Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a decorating contest. There will be three trophies awarded. First, Second and Third places will go to the winners in Rule. Judging will be held on Dec. 22.

Santa Claus will make a visit to Haskell on Wednesday, Dec. 24 from 2 til 4 p.m. to see the kiddies.

Byrd Seeks Re-election For Comm.

Q. D. Byrd of Rochester has authorized the Haskell Free Press to announce his candidacy for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct 1. Byrd is running for re-election.

He will make a statement to the voters of Precinct 1 at a later date.

DRIBBLERS MEETING

There will be a Little Dribblers organizational meeting for both boys and girls teams, Thursday, Dec. 11 at 7 p.m. in the City Hall. All parents and interested persons are cordially invited.

JAYCEES TO MEET

The Haskell Jaycees will change their meeting place this week. They will meet in the Jr. Hi. Gym Thursday, Dec. 11 at 7:30.

Leisure Lodge News

Mr. and Mrs. David Ganaway and children of Roswell, N.M. visited the J. M. Shaws' over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw were in Abilene on Thursday for Mrs. Shaws' check-up.

Mrs. G. C. Brockett of Munday and Mrs. W. C. Nance and daughter, Dana Jo of Uvalde visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lewis on Saturday.

Mrs. Dorothy Spann of Munday visited her aunt, Mrs. Tommie Hawkins on Monday.

Visiting Mrs. Norma Baker recently were Mrs. Eunice B. Fuller and her son, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Fuller from Hearst. Mrs. Fuller was from Covington.

ton. Mrs. Evelyn Cobb from the Rockdale community visited with Mrs. Baker on Thursday.

Mrs. Carrie Edwards daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grant from Wickett, and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grant and children from Lynch, Wyoming, and their son Bob Cole, from Plano visited over the weekend. Mrs. Edwards went out to spend the day on Wednesday with Mrs. Edith Hudspeth.

Dora Dixon spent the day on Monday with her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Curd.

Visiting with Pat Weaver over the holidays was a grandson, Jack Smith from Forney.

Princella Ford is in an Abilene hospital this week for a check-up and tests. We hope she gets a good report.

Mrs. Dewie Wester, Administrator spent Saturday in Graham with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ovella Weatherbee.

Mrs. Jewel Strickland and Mrs. Freddie Potts have re-

turned to their home in Austin after visiting with their mother, Mrs. Edna Johnson for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wilson from Big Springs visited his mother, Mrs. Nancy Howard on Wed.

Mrs. Jo Fry and son, Billy K. from Abilene visited her mother, Mrs. Dewie Wester, Administrator over the week end and accompanied her to Graham on Saturday.

We will all miss AIT. Ardell Beason this week while she is away at Austin taking her test. We do wish for her the best and will enjoy having her back.

Mrs. Ione Sheid and Mrs. Warren Doyle of Rule visited Mrs. Sheid's brother, Mr. Tom Rogers and a friend Mrs. Ivy Massie.

New Reading Building At Elementary

Haskell Elementary School has just completed construction on a new special reading building located directly across the street from the main building on South Avenue G.

The special reading program at the Elementary School has been expanded this year to include two full-time teachers and three full-time aides, in order for the students with reading difficulties to receive more individualized instruction through various new methods of remediation, work successfully at their own level, and improve their overall reading ability.

The building, furniture, equipment, and salaries are all paid for by the Federal Government under a Title I grant, according to Bill Jones, Elementary Principal.

The public is cordially invited to come by and see the new building at any time.

Sagerton News

Everyone is busy harvesting cotton and getting ready for the holiday season.

Some of the events on our community calendar are:

December 11 Christmas Square Dance at Sons of Herman Hall hosted by the Old Glory and Rule Square Dance Clubs at 7:30 p.m. All area square dancers welcome.

December 11 7:00 p.m. Rule girls basketball vs. Guthrie, Boys 8:00 p.m. at Rule.

December 13 Sagerton Saturday Night Musical at the Sagerton Community Center. All bands and listeners welcome. No admission. Just come 7:00 p.m.

December 14 Sagerton Community Christmas Caroling. Meet at the Community Center at 5:00 p.m. and

leave 5:30 p.m. We will go by truck in a group to homes near Sagerton. Then we will meet back at the Community Center for coffee, cocoa and desserts or snacks. Mrs. Reece Clark and her helpers will serve. Everyone should bring desserts or snacks.

Let's all spread the Christmas spirit around. If you don't have it yet yourself, come sing with us; maybe you'll get the true spirit of Christmas.

December 15 7:00 p.m. Conference with District Superintendent at Sagerton United Methodist Church.

December 21 7:30 p.m. Children's Christmas program at Sagerton United Methodist Church.

December 24 7:00 p.m.

Children's Christmas program at Faith Lutheran Church.

Mrs. M. Y. Benton hosted the Stitch and Chatter Club at her home Wednesday of last week and the ladies helped her finish a double knit quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mullins of Abilene came home Monday after a weeks' stay in Houston, where Mrs. Mullins underwent surgery. Their daughter, Sheralyn, stayed with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse while her parents were gone. Guests in the Jack Monse home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Donny Barbee of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. George Mullins and Sheralyn and Karen Watts of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Donny Barbee of Rule were also guests in the Leo Monse home for Thanksgiving. Their name was omitted last week.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. August

Angerman of Sagerton will celebrate their Silver Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, December 14, at 2 at the Sons of Herman Hall, Old Glory, Texas.

Lena Stremmel and August Angerman met on July 2nd, 1919 at the Sons of Herman Hall when he came to Sagerton from his home in Waco to visit relatives and attend a picnic at the Hall. They married December 10, 1950 in Zion Lutheran Church at Sagerton, and have resided on their farm South of Sagerton since their marriage. Lena is a descendent of the Stremmel family who are natives of Sagerton.

They are members of Faith Lutheran Church, Sagerton, and Sons of Herman Lodge, Old Glory, Texas.

All friends and relatives are invited to the reception honoring the couple.

Classifieds
Small ads...Big Results

HOSPITAL NOT

Admissions
MEDICAL: Harrison ton, Haskell; Gray Alexander, Weimert, Crume, Haskell; Eva Haskell, Lola Scott, Billy Frausta, Haskell Anderson, Haskell, Davis, Haskell; Mr. Oman, Haskell; B. E. lin, Rule; Willie M. Rochester; Brandon J. Haskell; Fae E. Cobkell.
ACCIDENT: Leandra Haskell.

Dismissed
George W. Alexander, W. Crume, Eva H. Scott, Billy Frausta.

LOOK WHO'S IN THE CRIBS
Mr. and Mrs. David Gibbs of Knox City of the birth of a son, David, born Dec. weighing 8 lbs. 5 oz.

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- 3 load-size water-saving selector
- Easy-to-clean filter
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13

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NEW SORGHUMS
KING GREENBUGS
Jerry Johnson and Dr. Teets, of the Lubbock and Extension Center, have been instrumental in developing a new hybrid grain resistant to green-

bug damage. The 20 or so seedlings will have greenbug resistant sorghum lines available for planting in Texas where the insects have caused heavy damage in the past.

Johnson stated in his report for the December, 1975, meeting of the FARMER-STOCKMAN that yields shouldn't be affected in most of the new resistant lines. He said that in some parts, and in some years, even better yields.

For you, it will pay to try the possibility of growing seed for the 1976 season. By 1977, Johnson estimates that there should be seed available for sale.

APPLICATION WORK
IN FULL SWING
Level terraces have been completed on a 290-acre block George Mullins Estate. Construction is underway on an additional 160 acres.

Walter Bredthauer has just completed construction of parallel terraces on approximately 90 acres on the Carothers Farm.

Construction is underway on Arlos Weaver's farm northeast of Weinert on about 40,000 feet of parallel terraces.

Waterway construction has been completed on Wayne Phemister's farm and Pace Brothers farm southwest of Haskell. These waterways are planned to be established to permanent vegetation this coming spring.

Conventional standard level terraces have been constructed on Gus Rueffer's farm in the Roberts Community. These terraces were spaced between existing level terraces to reduce the interval and slope, and thereby reduce inter-terrace erosion.

Layout work has been finished and construction started on a system of standard level terraces on John S. Rike's farm. This field has never been terraced. Parallel terraces were considered, but due to complex slopes, the decision was reached by Mr. Rike to use conventional terraces.

Underground plastic irrigation pipe has been installed on the Ira Grinstead and

Mental Retardation

Editor—This is the tenth in a series of articles about Mental Retardation prepared by Mrs. Eugene Cochran and the Public Education Committee of the Texas Association for Retarded Citizens.

The TEXAS REHABILITATION COMMISSION is a state agency which provides handicapped individuals with services that will enable them to enter or return to gainful employment.

TRC believes the best way to help people is to help them to help themselves. It offers assistance to disabled Texans who want to work. It presents an opportunity for dependents to become independent.

ELIGIBILITY for TRC services is determined by just two requirements: (1) The individual must have a physical or mental disability which for the individual constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment; and (2) Vocational rehabilitation services may reasonably be expected to benefit the individual in terms of employability.

Rehabilitation programs have been expanded dramatically in recent years to aid almost every person with any kind of handicap. Some of the disabilities which may qualify an individual for services are: mental illness, neurological disorders, mental retardation, amputations and other orthopedic impairments, including congenital deformities, speech or hearing limitations, heart ailments, epilepsy, cerebral palsy, diabetes, arthritis, tuberculosis, and behavioral problems evidenced by alcoholism, drug addiction, and adult or juvenile public offenders.

AVAILABLE SERVICES are planned to fit an individual's needs and are provided without regard to sex, race, color, or national origin: (1) EVALUATION—medical, psychological and vocational—to determine the nature and degree of disability, and to assess work potential; (2) COUNSELING AND GUIDANCE to deal with problems, select a proper vocational goal, and make plans to reach it; (3) INTERPRETER SERVICES for the deaf; (4) MEDICAL TREATMENT—based on economic need—including surgery, hospitalization, and other therapies to reduce or remove disability; (5) ASSISTIVE DEVICES—based on economic need—such as artificial limbs, braces, wheelchairs and hearing aids to improve functioning; (6) TRAINING for the right job, or at home; (7) ROOM, BOARD, AND TRANSPORTATION—based on economic need—

Edwin Fly farms in the Rochester area, and on the Don Davis farm west of Rule. These pipelines are installed for the conservation of water. Other irrigation pipelines have been designed and locations staked on the Donald Griffis farm near Rochester, and the E.H. Tankersley farm northwest of Weinert.

Harry G. Koehler
Conservation Technician

during rehabilitation; (8) TOOLS, SUPPLIES AND LICENSES—based on economic need—to help in obtaining and maintaining employment; (9) INITIAL STOCK AND SUPPLIES—based on economic need for self-employment enterprises; (10) PLACEMENT in a position suited to the individual's ability; and (11) FOLLOW-UP after placement to insure job success. All services are designed with one aim to help the handicapped to have and to hold a good job.

TRC applicants may be eligible for REHABILITATION SERVICES TO MIGRANT AND SEASONAL AGRICULTURAL WORKERS. Individuals interested in this special rehabilitation program should discuss eligibility requirements with a Texas

Rehabilitation Commission Counselor.

Locally, the TRC district office is located at 309 S. First St., phone: Area 817-864-3027. For further information, contact TED ELLIOTT in the Haskell office, or the TEXAS REHABILITATION COMMISSION, 7745 Chevy Chase Drive, Austin, Texas 78752. Phone: Area 512-452-8192. Jess M. Irwin, Jr., Commissioner.

TRC is the state agency designated to administer the federal-state programs of services for handicapped individuals of working age. In fiscal year 1973, TRC served 11,699 mentally retarded citizens and rehabilitated 2,916. In fiscal year 1974, 13,425 mentally retarded persons were served and 3,291 were rehabilitated.

FOR THE HOME OR OFFICE a DESK SUSAN, revolving desk organizer, has compartmented tray & pen & pencil holder. Haskell Free Press.

Library News

Look what's new at the Haskell County Library: "Curtain", Christie; "The Turquoise Mask", Whitney;

"Man in Black", Cash; "Miracle in the Wilderness", Gallico; "The Moneychangers", Hailey; "The Little Wood Duck", Wildsmith; "Let Freedom Ring", Rogers; "Prefaces", Dobie; "Angels, God's Secret Agent", Graham; "Bill W.", Thomsen; "If You Could See What I Hear", Sullivan; "The Promise of Joy", Drury; "Gone To Texas", Carter; "The Massacre at Fall Creek", West; and "Lord of the Far Island", Holt.

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SHOUT SOIL AND
Stain Remover 12 OZ CAN 77¢

WHITE SWAN
FABRIC SOFTNER 1/2 GAL 59¢

CORONET
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In times of inflation, an old adage says: "Buy property now, and pay it off in cheaper dollars". Sound sensible? Give it some thought. At my Granddad's we have listings on worthwhile properties to consider. Kyle

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Phemister New Director Of TFB

Haskell County Farm Bureau was represented by 7 voting delegates to the 42nd annual meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau State Convention held in the Convention Center in San Antonio Nov. 30 thru Dec. 3, 1975. They were Haskell County Farm Bureau President J. W. Aycock and Mrs. Aycock, of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Hix of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phemister of Weinert, and Dan Griffith of Haskell. Also attending from Haskell was the Agency Manager Leo Fields and Mrs. Fields, and County Secretary Mrs. David Frierson. Some 1,500 persons from all parts of Texas attended.

Policies to guide the state's largest farm organization next year were adopted by the voting delegates representing the majority of the 104 counties. Also approved were recommendations on national issues.

Delegates registered Sunday, Nov. 30, before participating in the evening's activities which included a Vesper Service, Discussion Meet and Talent Find.

The Monday morning agenda included addresses by TFB Pres. Carrol Chaloupka and Governor Dolph Briscoe. A luncheon with guest speaker Mrs. Janie Briscoe, wife of Governor Dolph Briscoe, was special feature for the ladies.

Special conferences were held Monday afternoon on the different commodities. In the state finals of the TFB Queen Contest that evening, Miss Stephanie Myska of Richmond was chosen queen over 11 other contestants.

Tuesday's activities included the administrative report by Executive Director Warren Newberry, and the financial report by Secretary-Treasurer Bill Reid of Lamesa.

The convention business session began Tuesday afternoon and continued through

Wednesday. The last order of business was the election of directors and the president. The president for 1976 is Carrol Chaloupka of Dalhart, Texas.

When the Texas Farm Bureau's 42nd annual convention came to a close Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1975 in San Antonio, Marvin Phemister of Weinert was one of the newly elected directors representing District III from Haskell County.

Mr. Phemister has been a member of Haskell County Farm Bureau for a number of years serving on the board of directors for 10 years and as its president for four years. He also has served on various state committees for Texas Farm Bureau. Being a civic leader, he is presently serving on the Wichita Brazos Soil Conservation Committee and is a member of several other organizations. He is a member of Weinert Church of Christ. Mr. Phemister is a farmer and has lived in Haskell County for 51 years—all in the Weinert Community.

Marvin is married to the former Myrtle Sanders. The couple have three children: Lola Tipton of Edenberg, Wayne of Haskell and David of Dallas. They also have nine grandchildren.

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Gravy
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Fruit Salad
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Hot Rolls Butter
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Milk

Rice Springs News

Christmas decorations are going up all over our nursing home. Everything is being made ready for Santa Claus, who will make his appearance for the residents on December 23rd at 2:30 p.m.

Our special Thank You goes to Mrs. Florence Henderson for all the beautiful Christmas decorations and the work she has done. We also thank Elna Weise and Oca Karr for decorating. The place is looking more like Christmas every day.

Those visiting Mrs. Alvena Holle was her Pastor Gary Kleypas from Sagerton.

Bobby and June Ann Sego and Bill Bell from Dallas, Judy Berry and Jason from Abilene, Jim III Isabell and Sharon and two children Jim IV and Cindy Keller from Abilene visited with Mrs. Ola Isabell.

Mr. John McGuire from Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodgkin from Abilene visited their Mother Mrs. Maggie McGuire.

Mrs. Ida Phemister spent Thanksgiving Day with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phemister.

Mrs. Thelma Nix from Seymour and Aline Cross visited their mother Mrs. Annie Vojkufka.

Walter Medley from Santa Rosa visited Mrs. Dessie Marion and Mary Liles.

E. W. Cox from Cisco and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Phelps of Muleshoe visited with Mrs. Birdie Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Woods from Munday visited Mrs. Bertha Yarbrough.

The residents enjoyed the singing and devotion by the ladies of the Rule First Baptist Church WMU, the devotion by Jo Simpson and as always the great gospel singing by the Gospel Singers. A special Thanks to these.

The contribution from the Grace Sunday School Class of the Haskell First Baptist Church to the Activity Group each month is greatly appreciated.

Gary and Charlotte Turnbow from Clyde visited Mrs. Maebelle Turnbow.

Tom Ed Simpson visited Mr. Oscar Vanderworth. Also visiting Mr. Vanderworth were Gladys Grice from Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tichelman, Mr. and Mrs. Tichelman who carried him to his home at Old Glory for Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alvis from Old Glory visited Mrs. Mattie Gipson.

Mike Toliver from Austin visited Martha Collins, Faye Thompson and MacBelle Turnbow.

Opal Dunnam from Dallas

visited her mother Mrs. Faye Dunnam.

Gail Lott from San Angelo visited Mrs. Ora McCollough.

Visiting Mrs. Eva McMillin were Bill Jetton of Brownwood, Jackie Frantz of Dallas, Danny McMillin from Dumas and Glenda Bell from Austin.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pumphrey Mason from Waco and Mrs. R. M. Parsley visited Mrs. Elizabeth Yakey.

Visiting with Claude Sanders were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sanders, Ken Monty and Becy from Sanger, and L. G. and Mary Lou Glen and Nancy, Larry, Glenda and Lanny from Aubrey.

To the Family of Mrs. Anne Dunn do we especially give our sincere sympathy. We especially send to Faye Webb

our condolences on the loss of her mother. Mrs. Dunn has been a resident here at Rice Springs since March, 1975. Her daughter Faye Webb works here as a nurse's aide. E. H. Walton of Lovington, New Mexico visited Mr. B. E. Walton. Mr. Walton is now a patient in the Haskell Memorial Hospital. We miss you Mr. Walton and hope you are soon home.

Rodeo Finals Set Dec. 13

Continuing their battle for the world champion All Around Cowboy title are Leo Camarillo, Oakdale, Cal.; Tom Ferguson, Miami, Okla.; and Larry Mahan, Dallas, Texas.

Rodeo fans will have to wait until the National Finals Rodeo competition is over to see who will be the top money winner and the top cowboy of

the year. The total purse for this 17th Annual National Finals Rodeo exceeds \$200,000, making this the largest purse in rodeo history.

For the second consecutive year, Hesston Corporation and the local Hesston farm equipment dealer Woodard Farm Sales, Haskell, Tx., are co-sponsoring the final night performance of the National Finals Rodeo. The 2 1/2 hour telecast will be aired live from Jim Norick Arena in Oklahoma City, Saturday, December 13. Consult the local TV listings for exact time and station of the telecast.

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ANNIVERSARY
Children and grand-children of Mr. and Mrs. Miller honored them on their wedding anniversary in an open house in the home of Sunday, December 7, between the hours of 2 to 5 p.m. The children are Mrs. L. Laughlin of Irving, Mrs. Miller of Rule, Mrs. J. Letz of San Angelo, Mrs. Tina Laughlin, Gary Miller, all of Rule, and Mrs. Julia Laughlin of Rule.

James A. Lisle Jr., registered guests in the anniversary book at a round table laid with a satin cloth with a white net overlay with scalloped white felt flowers on the hem of the cloth and white felt flowers on the net. Also on the table was a yellow spider mum with baby's breath and greenery in a gold vase.

The serving table was laid with a white cloth with white felt and golden bells around the edge of the cloth and bordered with white felt and gold braid. A center floral arrangement was of yellow spider mums with baby's breath and greenery in a crystal vase. Serving appointments were crystal and silver. Serving guests were granddaughters, Mrs. Gaylan Akins and Miss Tina Laughlin. Showing gifts and assisting were other members of the houseparty Mmes. Jack Denson, E. B. Whorton, Roy Letz, Myron Biard, Loudell Barbee, Verna Mae Denson, Miss Trannie Brooks, and Mrs. Jo Ellen Lewis, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller were both born in Haskell County. She is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wilson and his parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Miller. The couple met at a party north of Rule and were married December 10, 1925 in the Presbyterian Church at Haskell. They have lived in Rule since. Mr. Miller is retired from farming and the couple are members of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Howard Bauliff of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall of Hassie, Mrs. Joy Brooks and Mrs. Terry Starnes of Glen Rose, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wilson of Dallas, Miss Joanne Letz of San Angelo, and Mrs. Eva Mathis, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Greer, of Clovis, New Mexico.

ROOKIE COOKIES
The Rookie Cookies met Thursday, December 4th after school in the Home Economics room and talked about nutritious snacks. They enjoyed chili con queso, carrot and celery sticks and doritos. Those present were: Mike-ana Wilcox, Lisa Baird, Rhonda Stremmel, Leigh Ann Greeson, Carla Marquis, Charlene Hicks and Mrs. Greeson.

All the Rookie Cookies attended "Now Comes Christmas" presented by Mrs. Martha Harmon from Lone Star Gas at Haskell on Monday, December 1. They were accompanied by Mrs. Greeson and Mrs. Stremmel.

WEEK OF PRAYER
The First Baptist Church of Rule observed the Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions last week, December 1-5. Countries named and the leaders were: Angola; Mrs. Howard Brass; Ecuador; Mrs. Frank Campbell; Malaysia; Mrs. J. R. Williams; Venezuela; Mrs. Clyde Grice and Austria; Mrs. A. D. May.

OBITUARY
Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Pearl Dunn, 89, were held Friday, December 5, in the Rule Church of Christ. John Greeson and Travis Body officiated. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery. Mrs. Dunn died Wednesday, December 3, at 7:20 p.m. in Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Dunn was born July 12, 1886, in Bluffton, Arkansas. She had been a resident of Rule since 1942. Her husband John, preceded her in death.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Faye Webb of Rule; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Dorothy Buck of Medina, Mrs. Lovella Eubanks of Lawton, Oklahoma and Mrs. Viola McMillan of Arlington; four stepsons, R. M. of Amarillo, J. M. of Fort Worth, Ralph of Abilene and J. R. of Haskell, and 29 grandchildren.

HONOR ROLL
A list of students of Rule High School making the A honor roll for the first quarter has been released and are as follows: 12th—Johnny Baitz and Leonard Rhoads; 11th—Eddie Brass, Wes Kittley and Wynette Williams; 10th—Joanne Cloud and Jill LeFevre; 8th—James Cloud, Emily

Moore and Rock Petty; 6th—Dennis Cloud and Rod Petty. Students on the A & B honor roll were: 12th—Jami Barbee, Norva Lehrmann, Jimmy Macias and Teresa Vargas; 11th—Larry Denson, Cynthia Sorrells, Clyde Stegemoeller, and Charles Threet; 10th—Bobby Flores, Lynn Fouts, Bobby Hunt, Nick Hunt, Leonard Plunk and Linda Rhoads; 9th—Lisa Buhkuhl, Ricky Kittley, Tami Letz, Cheryl Marquis, Judy Threet and Bonnie Woods; 8th—Kelli Alexander; 7th—Linda Coker, Cary Hannsz, David Lisle, Billy Plunk and Tommie Whittemore; 6th—Jay Beakley, Leon Greeson, Casey Hannsz and Danny Kittley.

BOUNCING BALL
In a nip and tuck boys basketball game last Tuesday, December 2, the Rule Bobcats lost their district 26-B opening game with Rochester by the score of 47-45. Rule led 35-30 in the 4th quarter but, Rochester came from behind in the last seconds of the game to win. Michaels was leading scorer for Rochester with 16 points and Jimmy Macias led the losers with 13.

In the girls game, Rule won 53-25. Leading scorer for Rule was Norva Lehrmann and Wynette Williams with 23 points.

On Thursday night, December 4, Rule was host to Goree with the boys losing 43-35 and the girls winning 52-45. Jerry Tomlinson led Rule boys scoring with 20 points, and Norva Lehrmann led Rule girls with 25 points and Wynette Williams 21.

The boys will be playing in the Aspermont Tournament this weekend Dec. 11-13, and the girls will host Guthrie Friday night at 7 p.m. Rule boys play their first tournament game on Thursday night, Dec. 11, at 7 p.m. In junior high play, they were beaten by Old Glory, December 1. The boys lost by 29-37 and the girls by 18-46. They will host Goree tonight, Thurs. Dec. 11, at 5 p.m. in Connor Horton Gym.

Thursday night, December 4, the junior split games with Weinert, with the girls losing 24-28 and the boys winning 44-33.

Other junior high games scheduled are as follows: December 15, Old Glory here; January 8 at O'Brien; January 15 at Rochester; January 22 at Weinert; January 29-31 Knox City Tournament; February 12 O'Brien here; and February 19 Rochester here.

ENGAGEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. Billy M. Wright of Anson, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jo Ann, to Johnny Ray Wilson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Wilson of Rule.

The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Anson High School and is presently a freshman at Jacksonville Baptist Junior College at Jacksonville, Texas.

The future groom is a 1975 graduate of Rule High School and is currently employed at Tanner's Grocery in Rule. The wedding is tentatively set for the last of June in 1976.

Leonard Malone of Tucuman, New Mexico. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery. Mrs. Penick died at 3:30 p.m. Monday, December 1, in the Knox City Care Home in Knox City.

Born Mae Turner, April 16, 1889, in Ellis County, she married Elmer Penick, October 1, 1911, in Rule and was a resident of Rule for 67 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Ray Dean Penick of St. Augustine, Florida, Russell Penick of Midland; a brother, Homer Turner of Sweetwater; eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

SQUARE DANCE
The Rule and Old Glory Square Dance Clubs will hold a joint Christmas square dance in the Herman Hall at Old Glory on Thursday night, December 11, at 8 p.m.

The public is invited to attend. Admission is \$1 per person.

WTU
Presenting the annual Christmas program from West Texas Utilities will be Mrs. Judy Ender, on Monday December 15, at 2:45 p.m. in the Rule High School auditorium. Mrs. Ender is WTU Home Economist of Stamford.

GARDEN CLUB
The Rule Garden Club met Wednesday, December 3, at 2 p.m. in the Rule Philadelphian Clubhouse with the theme, "Joy to the World". Director for the day was Mrs. W. S. Cole.

Club president Mrs. R. O. Carothers called the meeting to order and secretary Mrs. Olis Macon read the minutes and led the roll call with fourteen members being present. Mrs. Macon read a thank you from the Abilene State Home for the donation presented to them by the Rule Garden Club. A motion was made and carried to decorate a window of the Clubhouse for the Christmas season. Members attending the state garden club meeting held recently in Sweetwater reported on that meeting. Representing the Rule Garden Club and attending were: Mrs. R. O. Carothers, Mrs. Olis Macon, Mrs. A. B. Arnett, Mrs. C. E. Franklin, Mrs. W. C. Campbell, and Mrs. Arthur Williams.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. O. G. Lewis presented an interesting talk on Christmas legends and then Mrs. W. S. Cole led the group in singing Christmas Carols, accompanied by Mrs. Lewis on the piano. Concluding the meeting, refreshments of cookies and coffee were served to the group on a table laid with a red Christmas cloth and centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums. Several poinsettias were also included in the Christmas decorations. Hostesses for the meeting were: Mrs. S. P. Keller, Mrs. E. O. Morgan, and Mrs. Bill Fouts.

OBITUARY
Funeral services for Mrs. Elmer Penick, 86, were held Thursday, December 4, in the First Baptist Church of Rule. Rev. J. R. Williams, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. Kent Smith had surgery in Abilene, at Hendricks Hospital last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cornelius of Abilene, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hertel and Mrs. J. N. Cornelius.

50TH ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bristow were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at the Rule Philadelphian Clubhouse on Sunday, December 7, between the hours of 2 to 5 p.m. Hosting the reception were their children, Mrs. Wanda Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie (Jack) Gore of Rule, and their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pittman of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Alexander of Stamford and Miss Kelli Alexander of Rule. The Bristows and their children greeted guests at the door.

Mrs. Lee Pittman, granddaughter, registered guests in a golden anniversary book on a table laid with a gold cloth with a white lace overlay. Also on the table was a large gold candle in a crystal candle holder.

The serving table was laid with a gold cloth with a white lace overlay and held a brass candelabrum with gold candles and miniature birds and flowers. English ivy was entwined around the base of the candelabrum. Serving appointments were milk glass and silver. Serving guests was granddaughter, Miss Kelli Alexander and Mrs. Steve Alexander.

Others assisting in the houseparty were: Mrs. Wesley Hobbs of San Angelo, Mrs. Don Hamilton of Fort Sumners, New Mexico, Mrs. Barbara Griffin, Mrs. Clifford Butts and Mrs. Clinton Hobbs, all of Roswell, New Mexico.

The Bristows met in the Sweet Home Community and were married December 4, 1925, in the parsonage of Rev. Milar Smith. She is the former Gracie Mae Crosson, daughter of Mrs. Henry Crosson and

the late Mr. Crosson. Mr. Bristow is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bristow. The Bristows lived in the Sweet Home Community and Old Glory before moving to Rule in 1949 where they have lived since. He is retired from the Rule Co-op Gin and they are members of the Calvary Baptist Church of Rule.

Out of town guests attending from Roswell, New Mexico were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Butts and Dana, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stites, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Griffin, Leslie and John, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Bristow and Mrs. Lillie Anderson; from Abilene were Mrs. Doug Frazier, Mrs. Trudie Bush, Mrs. Charles Bilbrey, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bristow, Mrs. Ray Tummeral and daughters; Mr. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Alexander and Pam, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell of Stamford; Mrs. Roger Webb and children of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conner of Tulle, Oklahoma, Mr. Allen

Davis of Old Glory, Mr. R. N. Wilson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Priddy and family of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. James Priddy and family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spaulding and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Berry and Kenneth of Hamlin, Mrs. V. F. Baldree and Kim of Aspermont, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pittman of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Bristow of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hamilton of Fort Sumners, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hobbs, Julia and Debbie of San Angelo.

LOCALS
Mrs. Irene Yarbrough visited recently in Austin with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byers and Rob. They were joined by Mrs. Sandra Browning and son Billy Wayne of Amarillo. Mrs. Allie Mae Anderson has returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tooley of Austin. Mrs. Jo Andrews was in the

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Luther League Holds Meet

The Trinity Lutheran Luther League held their regular meeting Sunday, December 7. Mr. Headstream was the speaker, he talked on "Boy-Girl Relationship". The group discussed having a Christmas Party and names were drawn for gifts. After the business session, refreshments were served. Members present were Roy and Eddie Klose, Hollis and Gail Howard, Dwain and Peggy Weise, Betsy Opitz, Jimmy Wittenborn, Jo Ann Weise and Tommy Young, sponsors, Elna Weise and Ruth Ann Klose.

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OBITUARIES

John E. Pope

John Edwin Pope, 65, of Midland and formerly of Haskell, a retired employee of North American Aircraft in California, died Saturday at the Weatherby Ranch, 60 miles northeast of Van Horn after an apparent heart attack while he was deer hunting. Justice of the Peace Nora Boyd of Kent pronounced Pope dead at the scene.

Services for Pope were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Midland Christian Church. The Rev. Billy Stewart, pastor, officiated. Graveside services were at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Willow Cemetery in Haskell, directed by Newnie W. Ellis Funeral Home.

Born April 8, 1910, in Bell County, Mr. Pope married Ella Virginia Davis Oct. 7, 1928, in Haskell, and she died in 1974. He was a member of Midland Christian Church.

Mr. Pope was raised in Dallas and moved to Haskell during the 1920s. In 1942 he moved to Los Angeles and moved to Midland in 1970.

Survivors include a daughter, Geneva Nolan of Midland; a sister, Evelyn Turpin of Midland; and four grandchildren.

Paul Dunlap

Paul Dunlap, 64, of Haskell was found dead at his home about 6 p.m. Thursday. His death was ruled due to natural causes by Justice of the Peace Hubert Bledsoe. He was found by his brother-in-law, A. D. Fancher.

Services were at 4:30 p.m. Saturday in East Side Baptist Church.

The Rev. Jimmy Griffith, pastor, officiated. Burial in Willow Cemetery, directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 26, 1911, in Haskell County, he was a veteran of World War II and worked as a mechanic. Survivors include two sons,

John Paul of New Mexico and Sam of Haskell and a brother Gene of Dickens.

Pallbearers were A. O. Fancher, S. R. Fancher, Roger Messenger, Joel Nanny, Jay Trussell, and Otie Carruth.

Mrs. Ivy Callaway

Mrs. Ivy Callaway, 73, of Haskell died at 4:40 p.m. Thursday in Haskell Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, December 6 in the First Baptist Church in Haskell. Rev. Dudley Bragg, pastor and Rev. Walter Copeland, semi-retired Baptist minister officiated. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 27, 1902, in Bell County, she came to Haskell County in 1905. She married E. B. (Buck) Callaway Dec. 30, 1923, in Haskell. She was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Clarence of Wichita Falls; two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Toliver of Haskell and Mrs. Dorothy Hines of Mineral Wells; two brothers, Frank Lewellen of Haskell and Clifford Lewellen of Dallas, and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, J. C. Callaway.

Pallbearers were Charlie Lewellen, Morris Toliver, Hess Hartsfield, Billy Fray, A. L. Shewmake, Hollis Callaway, Borden Clifton, Glen Sammons, Jimmy Lewellen, and Jerry Lewellen.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to everyone who helped make our 50th wedding anniversary such a happy day. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bristow. 50p

CARD OF THANKS

We thank each one who helped fight fire on the Davis ranch. It was greatly appreciated. May God richly bless you all. The B. L. Kuykendalls. 50p

L. C. Chamberlin

Louis C. (Cliff) Chamberlin Jr., 18, died at 9:15 p.m. Nov. 28. Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, Dec. 1 in the Nalley-Pickle Rosewood Chapel.

Born Dec. 1, 1956, in Midland, he moved to Big Spring in 1974.

Survivors include his father, Louis Sr. of Big Spring, his mother, Jerrve Chamberlin of Odessa; a brother, Samuel Martin of Lubbock; a sister, Sandra Lee Chamberlin of Odessa, a grandmother, Mrs. Vernon King of Fort Worth and an aunt Mrs. Cliff Chamberlin of Haskell.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the love, kindness and thoughtfulness shown to us during the illness and death of Ivy Callaway. A special thank you for the nurses and doctors and staff at the Haskell Hospital and to the nurses that did special duty with her, also our friends that were so faithful to sit with us at the hospital. For the food brought to the Lynn Toliver home and all the beautiful flowers, cards and memorials made in her memory. Also to Bro. Bragg for the beautiful service. Buck Callaway, Clarence & Martha, Carol & Scot Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Toliver and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hines and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewellen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lewellen and family. 50p

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UNDERSTANDING OUR ECONOMY

How much your next car, your next home or your children's education is going to cost you could depend, at least in part, on what is happening in two other places today.

According to many economists, unless the government in Washington, D.C. guarantees the nation's municipal bonds, New York City may



be unable to pay all its debts. This, bankers believe, will cause banks all over the country to have less money to lend and to have to charge more interest for it, making the next loan you need more expensive.

In addition, since the interest rates in the municipal securities markets will go up as well, communities all over America will have to raise taxes to cover the increased costs of new schools, new roads and other improvements. Fortunately, this can be prevented by the people in Congress who understand the

economy and can guarantee the use of U.S. municipalities who are interested in the bonds to keep your loans. In India, the moon is seen as a

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New pension legislation made effective (for taxable years after December 31, 1973) the equalization of the treatment basis employers and accrual basis employers. Contributions to a qualified plan are deductible in the current year if paid on or before the date the employer's tax return must be filed. The plan must be established prior to December 31st of the year on which you are claiming the deduction. This provision, designed basically to claim the deduction, provides an outstanding advantage to agricultural producers who market part of their crops after the end of the calendar year.

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WEDNESDAY
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& Bell Pepper Salad
Butter
Cobbler

THURSDAY
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& Carrot Salad
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Mayonnaise
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FRIDAY
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Yams
Sauce
Milk
Butter

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
at Rule High School
Dismissed on Friday,
Dec. 19, at 2:15 p.m. for



SMILES OF HAPPINESS — These two youngsters have good reason to smile after being named Little Mr. and Miss Pecan during the annual San Saba Pecan Festival. Little Mr. Pecan is Robert Whorton Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whorton Sr. and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whorton, Rule and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Couch of Haskell. Little Miss Pecan is Gayle Huff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huff. Both are students at San Saba Elementary School.

the Christmas holidays. Classes will resume on Monday, January 5, 1976, at their regular time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cole, at whose home refreshments will be served.

SENIOR PLAY

The senior class production of "Hot Ice", by Al W. Clark, will be presented to the public on Thursday, December 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the Rule High School auditorium. Admission price will be \$1 for adults and 50c for students. Pie and coffee will be sold by the senior class afterwards in the cafeteria, and the senior class would appreciate your attendance.

"Hot Ice", a mystery comedy in three acts, deals with the problems a young author faces when her story comes to life. Both comedy and suspense blend well to thrill the audience to the utmost capacity.

Velma Warren, a girl of twenty who aspires to be a successful author, is played by Teresa Vaugas. Velma's sister, Pat, is a young vivacious girl who talks with an abundance of slang. Pat is played by Jami Barbee. Mrs. Warren, mother to Velma and Pat, constantly nurses a weak heart in a humorous sort of way. She is in her mid-forties and is played by Frances Macias. Norva Lehrmann plays the part of the Warren's hired maid, Olivia, whose ignorance produces an uproar of laughter. Louise Temple, a relative of the Warren's, is a fine educated girl and is played by Barbara Plunk. A gossipy old neighbor, Mr. Noster, who really causes a

stink is played by Danny Whitaker. Jackie Plunk plays the part of Mrs. Emerson, a lady lawyer. Earl Wakefield, a handsome joker of twenty, constantly tries to win Velma's affection. Earl is played by Johnny Baitz. At mid point during the play, he changes to Russell, his twin brother. Leonard Rhoads plays the part of detective Sharp, a not-so-humble Howard Cossell type. Matthew Warren, father of Pat and Velma, is played by John Menchaca. Robert Moore, a good looking movie hero, is played by Robert Tribbey.

The play, published by Heuer publishing company, promises to provide and captivate the audience with its blending of humor and comedy.

BULLETIN BOARD
Thur. Dec. 11 Busy Bees, 12:30; Jr. Hi. host Gorce, 6 p.m.; Aspermont Tourn. Boys; Square Dance, 8 p.m.
Fri. Dec. 12 Girls host Guthrie, 7 p.m. A girls only Sun. Dec. 14 Parade of Homes, 2 to 5 p.m.
Mon. Dec. 15 WTU Xmas Program, 2:45 p.m.
Tues. Dec. 16 Rule host Lueders-Avoca, 7 p.m.; Young Homemakers, 7 p.m.
Thurs. Dec. 18 Phil. Club, 2 p.m.; Sr. Play, 7:30 p.m.
Fri. Dec. 19 Rule host Weinert, 7 p.m.; School out early: **HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

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Cotton Report From Munday Classing Office

Cotton prices to the growers strengthened considerably this week according to Sidney Ferrell, in charge of the Munday Classing Office. Trading was light as growers still are not offering freely. All grades with a 3.5 — 4.9 mike are in demand. Mixed lots of mostly grades 41, 32 and 42, staples 30 through 32, mostly 3.5 — 4.9 mike brought around 47 to 47.60 cents per pound.

Grade 32 was the predominant quality classed this week, accounting for 36 percent of classing compared to 25 percent last week. Grade 42 accounted for 23 percent;

grade 41 was 18 percent and grade 31 was 16 percent. The amount of cotton reduced because of back dropped to 27 percent from 41 percent last week.

Staple 31 was the predominant length again this week with 41 percent as compared to 66 percent last week. Staple 32 accounted for 28 percent and staple 30 was 23 percent of the cotton classed.

Micronaire readings were 63 percent in the 3.5 — 4.9 range as compared to 71 percent last week. Mike readings in the 3.3 — 3.4 range accounted for 15 percent, and 17 percent fell in the 3.0 — 3.2 range.

About 8200 samples were classed by the Munday Classing Office for the first week of operation, ending December 5.

4-H News

The Food and Nutrition project group met Thursday, December 4 at 4 p.m. The group selected a name for themselves, The Crazy Cooks, and officers were elected. They are Shannon Lane, president; April Turner, vice president; Leann Turnbow, secretary-treasurer; and Tina Morris, reporter.

Others present were Kathy Kemp, Michelle Briscoe, and Sheila McFadden.

NOTICE

The youth of the First Baptist Church will again present a Living Manger scene in front of the House of Life in the 200 block of N. Ave. E on Dec. 11, 12, 13, and 15 from 7:00 until 8:30. Everyone is cordially invited to come by.

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Holt To Retire From WTU

Aubrey Carroll, plant superintendent at West Texas Utilities Company's Rio Pecos Power Station since 1957 will assume the responsibilities of plant superintendent at Paint Creek Power Station near Haskell beginning January 5, 1976.

Carroll will replace C. O. Holt, plant superintendent at Paint Creek Power Station, who will retire from the company after nearly 30 years of service.

Jimmy Tom, results engineer at Paint Creek Power Station, will be promoted to assistant plant superintendent at WTU's San Angelo Power Station in San Angelo and will assume his duties there December 16.

Carroll came to work for the company in 1938 as a helper in the Lake Pauline Power Station. He has worked in various plants since that time. In 1943 he was promoted to an engineer, later worked with the chemist at Lake Pauline, and then was promoted to assistant plant superintendent at the Abilene Power Station in 1951.

Born in Quanah in 1918, Carroll attended the Quanah Public Schools and was graduated from Quanah High School in 1937. He completed a course in steam-electric engineering with the International Correspondence Schools.

Mrs. Carroll is the former Jean Day. They were married in Altus, Oklahoma, in 1937, and have two sons and one daughter. They are members of the Methodist Church where he has served as Chairman of the Board, District Steward, and as a lay leader. He is also a member of the McCamey Lions Club, the Chamber of Commerce, and has worked many years for the United Fund.

Holt began working for WTU as a repairman in 1946 after working for the Kaiser Company in Portland, Oregon. He began as a repairman at the Rio Pecos Power Station. In 1946 he was promoted to shift engineer and in 1948 was promoted to assistant plant superintendent at the Rio Pecos Plant. He assumed the responsibilities as plant

superintendent at Paint Creek in 1952. Born in Nolan, Texas Holt attended public schools in Sweetwater and graduated from Sweetwater High School in 1928. He took a general course in Supervision at Texas A&M University in 1959, and later completed a course in bookkeeping in 1941 from the International Correspondence Schools.

Mrs. Holt is the former Ruby Brown of O'Donnell, Texas. They were married in Sweetwater in 1935. They are the parents of one son.

As a member of the Christian Church, Holt has served as both an elder and

treasurer. He has also held offices in the Haskell Lions Club, the Haskell Booster Club, and was a member of the Haskell County Sheriff's Posse and served nine years on the board of directors of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce.

Tom began working with WTU in 1972 as a results engineer in the Production Department in Abilene. He was later transferred to the Rio Pecos Power Station near Girvin where he served until transferring to his present position in March, 1973.

Tom was born in Uvalde, but moved to Leakey where he attended public schools. He graduated from Leakey High School and went on to attend Schreiner Institute in Kerrville where he received an AA diploma in 1969. In 1972, he received a BS in Mechanical Engineering from Texas A&M University. He served for a short time in the U. S. Marines.

He is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Fees Collected

Hubert Bledsoe, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Haskell, reports the following cases filed for the month of November 1975.

Total cases filed by Highway Patrol 111; total cases filed by other agencies 14; total number of convictions 85. Total amount of fines \$2,392.50.

Christmas Party For Employees

West Texas Utilities Paint Creek Power Plant Employees and their families were honored with a Company sponsored Christmas party held at 7:00 p.m., December 6, in the Haskell National Bank Community Building. Turkey with all the trimmings was served buffet style. After the meal the Power Plant Employees and guests from the WTU local office enjoyed a puppet show by Wayne and Robbie Peiser. Out of town guest was Joel Wilson of the WTU Employee Affairs Department. The group enjoyed a sing song of Christmas songs led by Kenneth Jarred. Hosting the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holt.

Farabee Named To Commission

AUSTIN—Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobbs today announced his three appointments to the Texas Coordinating Commission for State Health and Welfare Services which was created by the 64th Legislature.

They are: Senator Fay Farabee of Wichita Falls, Senator Tati Santiesteban of El Paso, and Senator A. R. (Babe) Schwartz of Galveston.

Under provisions of House Bill 2164, the commission will review and comment on any state agency applications for federal grants for health purposes. The commission also is charged with making a continuing study and analysis of the services and programs of all health-related state agencies.

In addition to the three senators named by Hobbs, the commission will include three members of the House of Representatives appointed by the speaker, three citizens named by the governor, and various state agency heads.

Cancer Center

At our last meeting due to bad health Ethel Thomas resigned as Supervisor. Wilma Wallace was voted to take her place as supervisor. Because of holidays and the work on the court house we will not meet again until January 8. Workers were Laura Overton, Era Davis, Wilma Wallace, Ethel Thomas, Grace Montgomery, Mrs. H. Russell, Bertha Klose, Paulene Stiewert, Dora Klose, Maye Bledsoe and Lucille McCurley.

Jr. Hi Basketball

The Haskell Warriors continued their winning ways by defeating Paducah three games in the local gym last Monday night. The seventh grade boys breezed to an easy 36 to 6 victory. The seventh

graders were ahead 26-0 at halftime.

Haskell 8th grade girls defeated Paducah girls by a score of 35 to 25. 8th grade boys defeated Paducah in a hard fought 27 to 25 game.

The Warriors will journey to Knox City next Monday for three games starting at 5:00.

The seventh girls along with the 8th will return home next day. December 19th Stamford for 4 games at 4:30 p.m. The Warriors then take off for the holidays. They will return court wars January 5.

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Around Town

by Lois

back to Has- and Mrs. Bailey Kingsland, Texas. Mrs. C. O. Holt and Mrs. Jim Alvis visited their children in Sugar-

McKennon of Mr. and Mrs. Herndon of Abilene Thanksgiving reunion of Mrs. The home Mrs. Mabry Brock. Mrs. Brown, Lubbock Mrs. Roy Brown

Mrs. Maye went to Slaton and Floy, then on with Cora Caddell. Mrs. Wayne and friends, Dr. Jim Morton and Lubbock and Mr. Proctor of Waco and Mrs. Frank

Spent the Coleman with Mr. M. Comedy. Mrs. Charles and Lisa from Bedford and Mrs. Buddy

Address spent in Palacios visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fere. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were also in visiting their son Mr. and Mrs. Johnson in Corpus

Gregory-Portland game with Cuero Tommy is assistant coach at Gregory-Portland head basketball

relatives and the funeral Mrs. Ivy Callaway and Mrs. Norman General Wells, Mr. Bobby Burres of Mr. and Mrs. Lewellen, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry and Mrs. David Steve, of Dallas, and of Riddleton, paper Jenkins of Tenn. Mr. and Mrs.

Ben Rich of Merkel, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Toliver of Breckenridge. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shewmake and Craig. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casey of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Borden Clifton and Brent and Sara Goodson of Midland, Tex. Linda Hartsfield of Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Marsch and Mrs. Sherrie Schrad of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Kimbrough of Ralls, Texas. George Callaway, Eureka Calif., Bill Fry Abilene, Addie Mae Bouldin, Abilene, Jo and Billy K. Fry, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson, Floydada, Ora Hinsley, Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams, Dallas, and Mary White of Dallas.

The family of Mrs. Pearl Holmesley visited in her home Dec. 6th in celebration of her 80th birthday. Children attending were Mr. and Mrs. John B. White of Hale Center, Mrs. Cecil Bookout of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Johnson of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Sterlin Holmesley of San Antonio.

Grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel K. Furr of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Abston of Spearman and Grant and Laura Johnson of Pampa. Great-grandchildren included April and Rigina Abston and Paige Furr. Other guests included Mrs. Flora Josselet, Mrs. Carrie Edwards and Mrs. Juanita Massey.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Jackson, Huntsville, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of the daughter, Ann, to Mr. Spencer Tyler, son of George N. Tyler and the late Louise Spencer Tyler of San Antonio. Mr. Tyler is the grandson of Mrs. Frank Spencer of Haskell.

Miss Jackson and Mr. Tyler are students at Sam Houston State University.

A February 13 wedding is planned at St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Huntsville.

Missionary Society Holds Meeting

The Christian Missionary Society met with Ruby Holt December 8, at 7:00 with seventeen members present.

The president, Sula Mae West, read a love poem and gave a Christmas prayer. She then opened the business meeting. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A financial report was given.

Mary Jane Young gave the devotion from John 15: 1-11.

Dottie Parker as program leader gave a talk on "How to Overcome Your Weaknesses and Spirit-Modified Temperament" by Tim LaHaye. She then lead the group in a lively discussion on the subject.

The hostess served a Christmas plate.

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Haskell Bicentennial Happenings

By Roxie Parker

The entries in the contest featuring characters from American history in the Children's Day Activities Saturday created quite a stir. Mrs. Truman Therwanger, chairman for the contests, said it is hoped to make this a regular feature for the opening of Haskell's annual Christmas program.

All the winners were fifth graders and knew their history, at least to the point of authentic appearance.

Clifton Brister as Davy Crockett looked the part right down to the powderhorn slung around his neck.

Renee Kretschmer's impersonation of Betsy Ross and her 13-star flag made her an easy winner.

And you half expected Lee Lane, with his wig pulled back in a pony tail topped with the

tricorn hat, accompanied by his trusty steed, Chief, to start shouting, "The British are coming!" (or was it, "The Redcoats are coming?")

The Haskell City-County Bicentennial Commission Festival Committee, Mrs. J. A. Bynum, chairman, was on the right track when they planned this part of the program.

And I hope these children can be involved when we have our big celebration in 1976. They could man the booths for arts and crafts displays, or present historical skits, or distribute programs—lots of possibilities.

There are so many interesting things to read this year and there never seems to be enough time for all of it. The Texas Farm Bureau paper recently promoted the sale of

the best beef dishes of the past 200 years.

From the article we learned that beef cattle first appeared in the American Southwest in 1540 and arrived in the East in 1624, four years after the Mayflower.

Not only did cattle feed the colonists, but oxen pulled the plows, and hides for leather and tallow for candles were useful by-products.

The tannery always occupied a prominent spot in colonial villages because there the animal skins became material for use in clothing, furniture, and other necessities.

Recently when we toured Henry Ford's Greenfield Village in Dearborn, Michigan, we talked with a young man working in the leather shop. There are 103 shops and houses in this restoration project, billed as the place "Where American history comes to life."

The leather shop and tools are kept just as they were used in colonial times, and he was making a leather tool chest as it would have been fashioned 200 years ago.

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Paige Gannaway To Tour With Singers



PAIGE GANNAWAY

Paige Gannaway, a junior at Brownfield High School has the opportunity to tour with the Continental Singers during her summer vacation this year.

Being interested in music for 12 years, Paige feels this is an opportunity of a life time. She sings with the Brownfield High School Choir presently and has played the piano for 12 years. At present she is teaching piano to all ages, mostly beginners.

The Continental Singers are made up of nine non-denominational singing groups that tour the United States and parts of Europe. To be eligible to sing with the groups you must be between 16 and 25 years of age and interested in singing. The singers are then chosen by auditions.

Paige auditioned for the

group when the singers were in concert at the First Baptist Church. She will join the tour in California and then travel with the group to Europe.

This particular group will present concerts in Holland, Sweden, Germany, Denmark and the United States. Before returning to the States, all the groups touring the European countries will gather in Rotterdam, Holland for a joint concert. After the three months of touring, the nine groups will join forces in a final concert in Los Angeles, Calif.

Paige is the daughter of Mrs. Jerry Gannaway (Mary Emma Reeves formerly of Haskell. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves.) and has one brother, Craig, an eighth grader. Her father is the late Jerry Gannaway, noted area pianist and teacher.

T.E.L. Class Holds Party

The T.E.L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church, met Thursday, Dec. 4, in the Tom Watson home, for a surprise Christmas party, in honor of Mrs. Erma Watson, past member of the class.

The beautiful lighted Christmas tree was the center of attraction. The president, Mrs. Hilan Swinson, presided. Opening song "Silent Night" was led by Mrs. Swinson accompanied by Mrs. Beatrice Livengood at the piano. Opening prayer by Mrs. Erma Watson. Mrs. Bessie Fouts, read the birth of Jesus from Luke, Chapter 2.

Following song "Joy To The World" was sung. Mrs. Fouts read a poem "A Tribute To A Lovely Lady" dedicated to Mrs. Erma Watson and oldest member Mrs. Addie Weaver. Mrs. Tom Holland gave a humorous reading on "The Night Before Christmas".

A brief business session was held. A few minutes were spent in reminiscence of past teacher, and to members, of the T.E.L. Class. Each member brought a gift, drawn by number, and Mrs. Fouts gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments of cake, coffee, cheese crisps, and candy were served by the hostesses to the following members, Mmes. Bonnie Buntyn, Emma McDonald, Thelma Vogel-sang, Rose Philips, Ethel Bird, Addie Weaver, Bessie Fouts, Beatrice Livengood, Hilah Swinson, Annie Reding, Eula Therwanger, and one visitor, Tom Holland and Erma Watson.

Matrons Club Holds Meeting

The Weinert Matrons Club met December 4 at 2 p.m. in the Community Center.

Roll Call was answered by 9 members, each contributing a magazine, a book, or money to the Weinert High School Library. Mrs. Henry Smith was appointed to the nominating committee by the president, Mrs. Derr, and the club elected Mrs. Russell Rainey and Mrs. J. A. Mayfield as committee women. They are to report at the January meeting.

The president named a Decorating, a Clean-up and a Food committee for the Christmas Party. The food committee gave their report. Director Mrs. Ramon Liles, gave the purpose of Literature in an Art Program.

Mrs. Ila Moody gave three life histories, Louisa M. Alcott, Pearl Buck and Margaret Mitchell. Mrs. Liles read some of Robert Frost and Carl Sandburg poetry and told a story entitled "I Have To Tell You Something" by Philip Wylie.

Mrs. W. C. Winchester and Mrs. W. A. King each gave a Federation and Bicentennial Fact.

Mrs. Henry Smith was hostess.

Progressive Study Club Holds Meeting

"The Spirit of America—Giving" was the program theme for the meeting of Progressive Study Club members and guests Thursday night, December 4.

Director Mrs. T. P. Barnett introduced the speaker, Mrs. Martha Harmon, Consumer Information Specialist with Lone Star Gas Company.

Mrs. Harmon reminded listeners that Christmas is the greatest of festivals, and spoke of the joy of sharing in the spirit of Christmas by sharing something you have made with someone.

She demonstrated assorted holiday packaging for gifts of home-cooked foods and displayed them on a festive table covered with a red cloth and centered with a welcome wreath in traditional red and green colors with white accents. The wreath encircled red candles of varying heights.

During the program Mrs. Harmon emphasized that energy conservation is every one's job. A folder of recipes and gift-wrap ideas was given each person present.

Preceding the program, Mrs. Howard Perry, president conducted the business session and announced the report of the Nominating Committee will be given the club at the next meeting, January 8.

Guests were Mrs. Bill Letterman, Mrs. Patsy Cobb, Mrs. Melvin Norman, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead, Mrs. Coy Payne, Mrs. Terry Diggs, Mrs. Jiggs Edwards, and Mrs. Gertrude Tyree.

Refreshments reflecting the holiday theme were served by hostesses, Mrs. T. W. Williams, Mrs. W. O. Holden, Mrs. Charles Chapman, and Mrs. Kenneth Lane.

DINNER MEETING

The Woodmen of the World will have a dinner meeting at the City Cafe December 11 at 7 p.m. All members are urged to attend.



MR. AND MRS. ROQUE GONZALES announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Silveria, to Mr. Jaime Gonzalez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Gonzalez of Rio, Verde S.L.P., Mexico. The wedding date has been set for Jan. 10.

Brazos West Art Assn. Holds Meeting

Brazos West Art Association met at the Haskell National Bank Community Building Monday, Dec. 8 at 7 p.m.

President Anita Herren opened the meeting, and secretary Pansy Harris read the minutes of the last meeting. Mrs. Williams gave a treasurers report.

Pat Harris gave the program on Strings and Things. She gave the history of macrame. She demonstrated making knots. Members also learned to tie knots.

Alta Faye Davis and Lou Ann Dotson were guests.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hobbs and Mrs. Baird.

The next meeting will be held Jan. 12. The program will be "Old Things Made Beautiful".

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CANCELLED

The 50th wedding anniversary celebration has been cancelled for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman. The celebration, set for Sunday Dec. 14 from 3-5, was cancelled due to illness of Mrs. Oman.

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B&PW Club Holds Meeting

The Business & Professional Womens Club held their annual Christmas dinner, Tuesday, Dec. 2 at the Haskell Steak House with the Program committee as hostess.

The head table was covered with a red cloth and centered with an arrangement of poinsettias, pine cones and greenery and flanked on both sides with red and green candles. Other tables were decorated with greenery and pine cones.

President Jeffie Adams welcomed guests and members. Dora Montgomery gave the invocation and Lois Redwine introduced Roxie Parker who reviewed Margaret Sanger's Christmas story about the little humpbacked boy who received a miracle.

Guests besides Mrs. Parker were Genelle Overton, Novella Rastetter and Marguarite Jordan.

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Mary Sunday School Class Has Meeting

The Mary Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. G. Burson Wed. Dec. 3 at 2:30 p.m. for their Christmas Social and Business meeting.

With the president Nita Burson presiding the meeting was opened with the group singing Christmas carols, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Jewel Cadenhead.

Edna Brown brought the lectional using the 2nd Chapter of Luke, stressing the marvelous birth of Christ and what it has meant to mankind. Mrs. Ester Cobb then led in prayer.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The officers gave good reports.

Games were enjoyed by all present.

The hostesses, Nita Burson, and Beulah Gibson served refreshments to the following: Era Davis, Ethel Tidwell, Ollie Kendrick, Maud Rhoads, Edna Brown, Clara Holt, Wilma Brown, Ester Cobb, Jewel Cadenhead, and a visitor, Alma Collins.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Sons of Herman Lodge will meet December 14 at 3 p.m. at Irby Hall for the Christmas Party for the children. Everyone is asked to bring a gift for your child. Members are asked to bring sandwiches.

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