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Sen. David W. Ratliff Will Be Speaker At Mattson High School Commencement

Mattson School Superintendent Wm. R. Baker announced this week that State Senator David W. Ratliff of Stamford would be the speaker at the Commencement Exercises of Mattson High School, to be held in the school auditorium Thursday evening, May 15 at 7:30 o'clock.



SEN. RATLIFF

"Our faculty, board members, student body and patrons of Mattson school feel that it is a distinct honor to have Sen. Ratliff as our commencement speaker," Supt. Baker said.

Mrs. J. W. Martin, Longtime Resident, Dies Monday

Mrs. J. W. Martin, 79, widow of an early-day Haskell County druggist, died Monday at 5:30 a. m. in the Haskell Hospital, where she had been a patient about five and one-half weeks.

Funeral services for Mrs. Martin were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. M. D. Resgoode, pastor, and the Rev. Riley Fugitt of Spur, officiating.

Interment was in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Mrs. Martin was the former Ella May Goodman, born July 31, 1878, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Steve Goodman. She was married in February, 1898, to John William Martin of Van Zandt County.

Attend Funeral Of Relative in Floydada

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Swinson and Ray Swinson of this city, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Merrell of Merrell, Texas, Tuesday to attend the funeral of Earl Swinson, 80, uncle of the Haskell man. The Floydada man, a retired barber, is survived by four daughters.

Program Welcoming New Residents Is Being Inaugurated This Week

Inaugurating a program to welcome new residents coming to Haskell, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce through cooperation of the Progressive Study Club and local business concerns, gift certificates or presents will go to nine new families in the community this week.

A committee from the Study Club will visit homes of the newcomers this week, extend a welcome to Haskell, and leave gifts or gift certificates which are courtesies from local merchants. Each gift certificate is redeemable for a "Welcome gift" from

Two Injured In Accident Wednesday

Mrs. Robert Don Means, 75, Stamford, and Mrs. Esra Gilmore, 66, Mountaineer, New Mexico suffered injuries in an auto-truck accident about 9:30 a. m. Wednesday morning 11.7 miles east of Haskell on State Highway 24.

The car, a '51 Ford, driven by R. D. Means, 75, ran into the rear of a Highway Department truck parked on the side of the highway draining water from rains from the road shoulder.

Means told investigating officers that the brakes of his car had failed to hold. Officers estimated that damages amounting to \$350 were done to the car. The truck was not damaged.

The injured were taken to Haskell County Hospital where Mrs. Means was held for treatment of a crushed ankle and broken ribs and Mrs. Gilmore for treatment of a fractured skull, according to a physician. Means and Gilmore, another occupant of the car were uninjured.

Former Residents Will Gather Saturday for Annual Reunion

Former residents of the old Pinkerton and Whitman communities west and northwest of Haskell are expected in attendance Saturday at the annual Pinkerton-Whitman Reunion, to be held in the American Legion Building.

At one time, during the period from 1910 to the late 1920s, the two rural communities had a population of several dozen families. Members and descendants of these families organized the reunion association several years ago to sponsor an annual gathering of former residents.

Henry W. Smith, who now lives in the Mattson community, is president of the reunion association. He has announced that the reunion program will begin around 5 p. m., and an old-time basket dinner will be spread on tables in the large auditorium.

Highlights of the annual reunion include the basket dinner, singing, visiting, and renewing acquaintances among members of the early-day family groups. In past years, former residents have come from as far as points in Kansas and Oklahoma to attend the reunion.

All residents and former residents in the Whitman and Pinkerton communities, along with members of their families and friends, are invited to attend Saturday's gathering, Smith said.

Prisoners Devise Escape Route From Jail for Come-and-Go Theft Schedule

A jailbreak and the subsequent recapture of the escaped prisoner resulted in the discovery that three prisoners had turned new jail, completed in 1957, into a come-and-go affair, Sheriff Bill Pennington revealed Tuesday.

The discovery also automatically solved three burglaries committed in Haskell last week. The prisoners left on two instances to burglarize three Haskell business firms and batter two safes, then returned to the safety of the county jail by way of an exit they had made.

Two of the prisoners have told officers in statements. The burglary loot included \$82.43 in cash, three cartons of cigarettes, plus candy, lunch meat and other food. The easy road to escape became known after one of the prisoners, James Talmadge Golden, 21, of Brevard, N. C., decided to go out and stay out Tuesday night. He was rearrested Tuesday at Stamford.

The exit was made by removing 54 bolts from a steel plate in the rear of his cell, then moving down a service passageway which contained plumbing pipes, then outside through another door. The passageway is between two cell block sections, one facing north and the other south. Fronts of each section are barred but the backs are covered by solid steel plates.

Rice Springs Roundup Will Open 3-Day Run Thursday

Rupert Adams, 55, Dies at Kermit Wednesday

Rupert Adams, 55, longtime resident of Haskell, died at 7:10 a. m. Wednesday in a Kermit, Texas hospital, where he had been critically ill for two weeks. Death was attributed to a brain hemorrhage.

Body of Mr. Adams was returned to Holden Funeral Home in this city Wednesday night. Funeral for Mr. Adams will be held at 3 p. m. today at the Church of Christ, with Minister Fred Custis of Roswell, N. M., officiating. He is a former minister here.

Burial will be in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden Funeral Home. A veteran employee of Shell Petroleum Company, Mr. Adams was supervising engineer for Shell at their Kermit installations, having been transferred there only recently. He worked at the Shell station northeast of Haskell for many years, later was transferred to Hamlin and then to Westbrook before going to Kermit.

Mr. Adams was reared in Haskell County. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Adams of this city. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Soil Conservation Award Presented At Lions Meeting

Presentation of a plaque to Marvin Wheatley, Haskell farmer, in recognition of his outstanding soil conservation achievements, highlighted the regular meeting and luncheon of the Lions Club Tuesday at noon in the Texas Cafe.

Presentation of the award was by Lion Rajah Hassen, who presided in the absence of the club president. Wheatley, well-known farmer, was cited for the soil conservation practices carried out on his farm.

Guest speaker was Buddy Perkins of the local Soil Conservation Service office, who was introduced by Lion C. O. Holt. Perkins explained the aims and purposes of the SCS. To form a soil conservation district, he stated that a two-thirds vote of farmers in any proposed district was required. Operation of an organized district is under the supervision of a board of directors, composed of farmers or landowners in the district. Territory embraced in a soil conservation district is based on the watershed area, Perkins explained.

He pointed out that because of a watershed division in the vicinity of Haskell, the north one-half of Haskell County was in the Wichita-Brazos SCS district, while the south half of the county was in the California Creek SCS district.

Saddle Tramps Win Parade Trophy at Paducah Friday

Haskell Saddle Tramps riding club won second place trophy in the opening day parade of the annual Cattle-King County Horse Show and Rodeo, Friday, April 25 in Paducah.

Competing for parade trophies were a number of area riding clubs, including the colorful Palomino riding club from Vernon. Attending the Paducah show were a number of Haskell people in addition to 19 members of the local riding club.

Monday, May 5, Is Filing Deadline For Candidates

Time is running out for prospective candidates for office who have not formally filed for a place on the Democratic Primary ballot.



BUCK EVERETT



JOHNNY MEDFORD

Two new officers of Haskell Junior Chamber of Commerce for the ensuing year are pictured. BUCK EVERETT, at left, is the new Jaycee president and Johnny Medford, right, is State director for the current year. They were installed at the first anniversary

banquet and meeting of the civic organization held Tuesday evening, April 22. Everett, post office employee, succeeds Dee Larned as president, while Medford, employed in the WTU Paint Creek power plant, replaces Stan Loper as State director.

LIONS COWER, ROTARIAN QUAKES BEFORE JAYCEE'S AUDACITY

Whoever named the Lions Club was sadly misinformed. The lion is reputed to be King of the Jungle; the bravest of all beasts. Not so with the Haskell Lions, although they are referred to in some quarters as beastly. (Ei. note: Getting close to libel, but let it stand.)

They have backed out of wearing female attire in the Woman's Ball Game, to be held Monday night at 7:30 p. m. on the Little League field, according to Jaycee-Lion Allen Rieves. The game is being sponsored by

the Haskell Jaycees as part of the dedication service for the new lights recently installed on the field, a donation of the Jaycees. In addition to a two-inning womanless ball game, there will be an inning of play between the Rams and Hawks and the Tigers and Cubs, opening the season in Haskell.

Whether the Lions are scardy-cat or just lovers of beauty was not made apparent. Perhaps they just fear to offend the aesthetic sense of the population with fuzzy legs and bewhiskered mugs showing right out in public.

They are not standing alone in their position. Even that mighty Rotarian, Mayor Pro Tem Jim Byrd, who will preside at the ceremony, is being a bit wily when it comes to a definite statement that he will show up in a new Chemise dress.

Just to work up a little enthusiasm amongst the citizenry, Jaycees will parade the downtown area about 5 p. m. Monday, according to Dee Larned, president of the Jaycees. Women and children are urged to take whatever measures seem appropriate. No admission will be charged for the game and ceremony. Even the Jaycees haven't that much gall.

All-Day Singing Sunday Attracts Record Crowd

The annual all-day program of the Haskell County Singing Convention, held here Sunday, attracted an overflow crowd that more than filled the large American Legion Building.

In the business session of the convention, all officers were re-elected. They are: Hallie Chapman, president; Truett Cobb, vice president; Mrs. Nellie Ash, secretary.

Convention officers expressed their appreciation to local businessmen, civic groups and individuals for their cooperation in making the program possible.

Contract Due To Be Awarded May 14 On Highway Projects

Contract is due to be awarded by the Highway Department May 14 on widening State Highway 283 from the Knox County line to Rule, and for widening a bridge over Lake Creek on U. S. 277 north of Weimert.

Advertisement for contractors' bids on the combination project is being published this week. Plans and specifications are available at the office of A. L. McKee, Anson, Resident Engineer for the Highway Department.

The project on State Highway 283 will include 10 feet of base and surface on each side of the present highway, to make a total width of 38 feet for the highway after completion of the new project.

Business Section To Be Decorated For Roundup

Haskell firemen will begin work this weekend stringing street banners and placing decorations on store fronts to dress up the business section during the Rice Springs Roundup.

Street banners also will be strung across the route, to the rodeo grounds, and buildings and stands on the grounds will get a share of the decorations. Firemen hope to have all decorations in place not later than Monday. The decorations will remain in place all during the coming week.

With everything in readiness for opening of the fifth annual Rice Springs Roundup Thursday, May 8, sponsors were hoping for a break in the weather during the next few days. They pointed out that recent rains have put the arena and grounds of the rodeo plant in top condition for the 3-day show.

"Prospects are ideal for another successful show this year provided wet weather does not continue," Fred Gilliam, president of the Saddle Tramps riding club which inaugurated and sponsored the show, said today.

The grounds and pens have been readied, and stock to be used in the rodeo will be moved in the first of the week by Morris Stephens, Silvertown, Texas, rodeo producer who has directed the show for the past two years. Many inquiries concerning the show have been coming in from a wide area, reports Brooks Middleton, in charge of contestants entries.

Plans for the opening day parade are shaping up nicely, with prospects that 10 or 12 riding clubs will take part in the parade and grand entry. The parade is scheduled at 4:30 p. m. Thursday, May 8, through the entire business section.

More than \$2,000 in prize money will be offered contestants in the eight rodeo events to be staged each night. Jackpot money will also be offered in some events. All events are strictly amateur and open to all comers. Contests scheduled include cowgirl cloverleaf barrel race, bareback and saddle bronc riding, Brahma bull riding, calf roping, ribbon roping, and cutting horse contests in both open and novice divisions.

In addition to \$1,000 prize money in two roping events, a custom made saddle will be awarded to the show's champion roper. In connection with the Roundup, a Quarter Horse Show will be held Friday, May 9, under official AQHA sanction. Trophies will be awarded winners, with some of the top quarter horses in this section expected to compete in the show.

A Shetland Pony Show will be held Saturday, May 10 and is expected to attract a large number of entries, since it is one of the Shetland shows to be held in this section. Fred Albright of Paducah will be judge in the Quarter Horse show, while Gene Stovall of Era, Texas, has been secured as judge of the Shetland Pony Show.

The program of rodeo events will be staged at night only. Contests at the rodeo grounds will be in charge of Haskell Jaycees.

Rudy Aguilar is Guest Speaker at Rotary Club Meet

Members of the Rotary Club heard an interesting and informative discussion of electrical well surveying in connection with an exploratory well at the regular meeting and luncheon Thursday in the Texas Cafe.

The speaker was Rudy Aguilar, operator and engineer with the Schlumberger Well Surveying Corporation's station in Haskell. Aguilar, who has been assigned to the Haskell station most of the time since it was opened here in August 1952, described some of the electrical equipment and other machinery used in measuring oil-bearing formations found in drilling for oil.

In concluding his talk, Aguilar invited his hearers to visit the Schlumberger station here, and inspect the equipment and laboratory, trucks, etc., used by the concern.

In the club's business session, President Robt. R. King was elected as the Haskell club's voting delegate at the International Convention in Dallas, with President-elect Tom Barfield elected as alternate.

Early Return of All Centennial Material Asked

A request was made this week that all Centennial material which had been issued to division heads, be returned to the Chamber of Commerce office as soon as convenient.

The material, consisting of printed outlines and instructions concerning various phases of the Centennial program, is the property of John B. Rogers Producing Co. It was explained.

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A Regrettable Decision

The decision to cancel plans for the Haskell County Centennial is regrettable for many reasons, implying as it does the admission that community leaders find it impossible to solve what many responsible citizens believe to be a problem of minor consequence.

Conversely, other citizens of unquestioned responsibility who constitute a minority of the seven-member School Board, have attached major importance to a single point of difference and contend that their opinion, and theirs alone, should prevail against the view held and expressed by a preponderant number of civic-minded citizens and loyal school patrons. As a consequence, the arbitrary position originally taken by three members of the School Board has the net effect of overriding the expressed judgment of a majority of the citizens in the community.

If such an unyielding attitude could develop concerning the Centennial Program, it can develop again in any future civic and school problems. In each event, as it is in this particular instance, such situations will be detrimental to the community, its institutions, and its future.

The single point of difference was the possibility of damage to the high school football field and whether this would create dangerous hazards that could not be repaired before opening of the football season. Letters from neighboring towns where similar community events had been held on football fields with no damaging effect were dismissed as "Chamber of Commerce propaganda" by some of the school officials.

We do not believe any citizen of Haskell would sanction a project of any nature which would endanger a school student. That fact has been emphasized time and again by sponsors of the Centennial program. Any implication to the contrary is unreasonable, unfair and insupportable in any degree.

On the other hand, the zealous concern expressed by the three school officials for the safety of students engaging in football is to be commended and we are sure that every citizen of Haskell will agree on this score.

Yet we cannot help but note here that such zealous concern is in strange contrast to the apparent indifference to other hazards confronting school students about which no public expression has been heard from these same school officials.

Despite the fact that in recent weeks school children have been injured in street and highway crossing accidents we have heard no expression of concern from school officials, regarding the problem of traffic safety for our school children. This is a hazard existing each school day, not merely one or two nights weekly during football season.

We concede that football has become an important part in the school system operation and that football is an activity which sometimes overshadows and takes precedence over the scholastic program to some extent. For that reason, taxpayers and school patrons have been generous in making possible the school's splendid football plant.

Yet, Haskell can take pride in the fact that despite the lack of today's modern football stadium and huge gymnasium, many HHS graduates of bygone years have attained prominence in the fields of religion, education, law, research, medicine, science and engineering.

The achievements of these Haskell school students were made possible because their pioneer fathers and mothers sacrificed and saved and fought against great odds to overcome the obstacles of drought and adversity and build schools that would provide a basic education for their children.

To honor those pioneers and the American tradition which they exemplified, and to pay homage to those early-day builders and teachers still in our midst, was the purpose of the Centennial program now abandoned.

If it were possible for those pioneer mothers and fathers to return today to the community built on their toil and sacrifices would they be permitted to travel in their crude conveyances or on horseback across this lush playground we call our football field? Would they be denied this route not because of one iota of hurt to our educational system, but because it might create a fancied hazard for those taking part in an extra-curricular activity?

We wonder. And knowing the answer we have a feeling that our community might well bow its head in shame.

It's Roundup Week in Haskell

Haskell will spread the welcome mat next week for the throngs of visitors who annually attend the Rice Springs Roundup, and for three days the calendar will be turned back to recapture the spirit and atmosphere of pioneer days.

The town will be decked out in gala attire, with flags and bunting adding color to the business section. Back in style will be boots and wide-brimmed hats, gaily colored shirts and cowboy attire.

For thrills and entertainment reminiscent of the days of the open range, rodeo contestants will compete in the ever popular pastimes of the Old West—barrel races, bronc and bull riding and roping contests.

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Haskell County History

30 Years Ago—April 16, 1888

Jack Bradford, Frank Turner and Virgil Sonnemaker, all connected with Public Chevrolet Co. in this city, attended a meeting in Wichita Falls Monday of district service managers of Chevrolet agencies in this section.

Mrs. Rice Alvis and infant daughter were brought to their home Monday from the Stamford Sanitarium. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and baby daughter of Pecos are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis.

A carload of bran was received this week by County Agent G. R. Schumann for use in mixing grasshopper poison. Through cooperation of the Commissioners Court, a mixing station will be set up, where farmers may secure the poison.

Wallace Kimbrough and R. C. Couch Jr., students in Texas A. & M. College, are visiting their parents here this week.

Len B. Hammer of this city was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium Monday, where surgeons removed portion of a cast placed several weeks ago to facilitate healing of a fractured leg. He was returned to his home Monday evening.

Record of daily receipts of the Brazos Valley Cheese Plant reached a new high Thursday according to Manager V. L. Alford. He said a total of 20,191 pounds of milk was received at the plant that day.

A number of Haskell people attended the three-day convention of Baptist Sunday Schools held in San Angelo this week. Attending were A. C. Pierson, Rev. H. R. Whatley, Mrs. B. M. Whiteker, Mrs. J. A. Gilstrap, Mrs. R. J. Paxton, Mrs. R. L. Burton, Mrs. Ed F. Fouts, Mrs. J. M. Crawford, Mrs. R. J. Reynolds, Mrs. William Woodson.

40 Years Ago—May 4, 1918
J. N. McFatter of this city has been appointed National Guard recruiting officer for Haskell County.

One of the forerunners in the use of farm machinery in this section is W. I. McCarty. Some time ago he bought a Ford tractor and other equipment for his farm.

This week he bought a motor cultivator to be used in his farming operations. He believes the day will come when all farming is done by machinery.

W. L. Malone of Munday has bought the Collier Cafe in this city and took charge Sunday. Keith Bros. will retain the fountain and cold drink business in the establishment.

The Local Board sent two men to the training camp Tuesday, John Williams and Alexander Neal, and on Thursday, Harvey Brundage from this place. On May 6, H. J. Whitaker and B. C. Condon will be sent to Camp Travis. On May 10, G. C. Carothers and Calvin M. Fields of Rochester will leave for the training camp.

Regarding the law permitting women to vote, the Attorney General has ruled that women desiring to vote in the primary July 27 must register with the County Clerk.

E. N. Baker of Troy, Texas, has purchased a good farm in the Whitman community. He is a brother of Mrs. Treat.

The Gaunt community will have a modern new school building next year. Saturday, voters approved a \$4,000 bond issue for that purpose by a heavy majority.

Women of the Methodist Church will demonstrate the use of wartime food substitutes at Reynolds & Stephens Grocery Friday and Saturday.

50 Years Ago—May 2, 1908

A brisk norther hit Tuesday night, April 28, causing the temperature to drop 35 degrees. And to the astonishment of everyone, snow began falling thick and fast about 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, melting as it reached the ground. Tuesday there was a light frost, which apparently did no damage to vegetation.

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Miss Lillian Fitzgerald, who has been visiting relatives here, left for her home at Sweetwater Monday. She was accompanied home by her cousins, Misses Ruby Fitzgerald and Nora Cobb.

Shortly after 12 o'clock Wednesday night, fire broke out in the wooden building on the north side of the square occupied by English Bros. meat market and Mode Collins confectionery, destroying the building and spreading to an adjoining building, where volunteer fire fighters succeeded in extinguishing the blaze before the second building was very badly damaged.

Monday a crowd of ladies went out to Mule Creek for day's outing. The party consisted of Misses Edyth Jenkins, Jessie Wright, Nettie Wetzer, Dollie Wheeler, and Feral Helton, Mrs. Jenkins was chaperon. They reported a good time and nice catch of fish.

The Rule Camp W. O. W., will have a public unveiling of the monument of Dr. J. E. Lindsey at the cemetery in Haskell Sunday, May 31.

Judge Jas. P. Kinnard, member of the Bell County bar, has moved to Haskell and opened a law office in the State Bank Building.

60 Years Ago—May 7, 1893

Latest war dispatches are to the effect that our Asiatic Squadron under the command of Admiral Dewey destroyed the Spanish fleet at Manila in the Philippine Islands.

Capt. Weatherly of Seymour, cattle inspector for the quarantine department, was here this week inspecting cattle for A. H. Tandy and others prior to their removal to the Indian Territory.

PEOPLE, PLACES, AND THINGS

BY A. PATE

Buck Everett, Jaycee presy, has a special peeve against the Saddle Tramps. He's probably justified, because he was tricked into doing some downright manual labor.

Seems the Tramps had asked for volunteers from other civic organizations to help clean up the rodeo grounds for the 1958 Roundup.

Right on the dot at the appointed day, Buck and four or five Jaycees reported on a work detail. Given instructions by the only two Tramps present, C. O. Holt and Brooks Middleton, the Jaycees soon were hard at work.

After about an hour, they began to wonder where the other workers from the Lions Club, Rotary Club, and C. of C. were. More work and it dawned that no additional Tramps had reported, either.

"One thing certain," the near-exhausted Buck mused, "We had some mighty good supervisors as long as we were able to work."

We learned a long time ago never to sell Cliff Berry short. He's generally right, and about the time you think you've got him in wrong, presto, and you're loser again!

When the plans for the Centennial—now being spelled "Sintennial"—by some—Cliff opined that it'd be a fine thing for the town. Get out of a staid rut, loosen up, bring people closer together for fun and fellowship, and all that. For once, we thought, Cliff and his column were in agreement. "But it can't be done in Haskell, because the people just won't work together to promote anything like that," he predicted.

Cliff's been here for a long time,

he's seen County Fairs, Old Timer's Reunions, cheese plants and panty plants thrive for a time and wither on the vine.

The column has been here longer than Cliff. This Centennial business, why it only comes once in a hundred years, it's a natural, we argued.

We lose again, as if you hadn't heard. But just wait, we'll catch Cliff on the wrong side of a deal one of these days, even if it takes until our next Cen. . . oops . . . Sintennial. . .

We can't help admiring fellows who always look at the brighter side of a proposition, philosophical cusses who can take a lick from Old Man Hard Luck and still be cheerful.

Two local automobile dealers for instance, J. B. Gipson, Bill Wilson Motor Company manager, and Wilda Medford who heads Medford Motor Company.

Burglars hit both concerns within the space of five days—the Bill Wilson place last Wednesday night, and Medford Motor Saturday night.

Commenting on the burglaries, Gipson and Medford drew the conclusion that "At least some people still seem to think there's money in the automobile business."

During the football season, we're always dismayed when our HHS Indians lose a game, particularly to Stamford or Seymour, and that feeling of dismay generally hangs on until the Indians lay it on the Bulldogs or Panthers.

Now we're about ready to concede that perhaps the Panthers were entitled to win (as they did)

the district pennant last year. We've learned on good authority that those Panthers were risking breaking arms and legs in every home game they played! We didn't get the statistics on the number of Panther casualties, but they must have been terrific.

Why all this danger? Simply because the Panthers don't have a football field to call their own. They are compelled to play their home games in a "cow pasture" where those Seymour folks also hold a rodeo each year!

Mart Clifton had us puzzled recently over a "critter" he found on his lawn, a slimy, snail-like creature about four inches long with knobby eyes at the end of short prongs. Mart, an old-timer, is acquainted with every type of animal that walks, crawls, swims or flies around this neck of the woods, but this one had him stumped. It resembled nothing he'd ever

seen before, and the guess we would be a water dog. High School student rescue. They're a "slug," common to humans.

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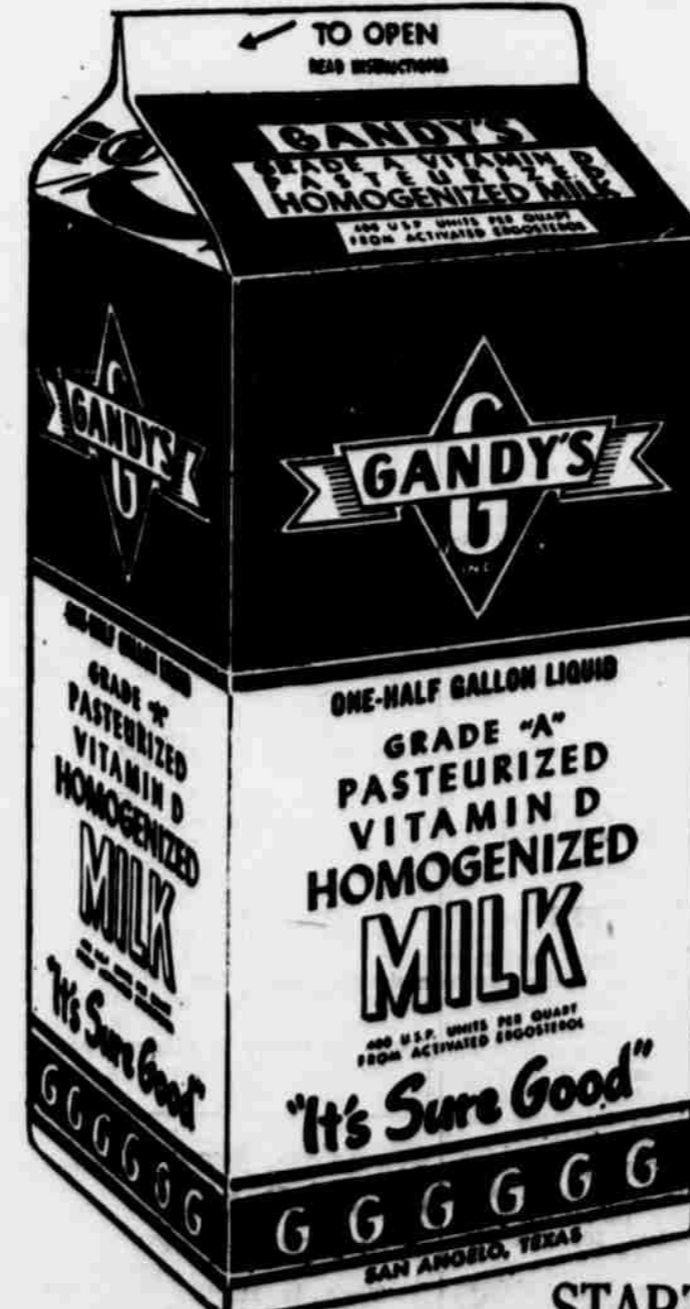
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PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Vernay Teague are the parents of a son, born at the Haskell Hospital Tuesday, April 29, weight six pounds, 12 ounces. He has been named Jeffrey Evan, and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mayfield of Weibert and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Teague of Haskell.

Texas State Park System was begun in 1923.

In the University of Texas library are some 1,106,818 books.

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PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Worrell, Jr., of this city are the parents of a son, Ricky Melton, born April 26 at 1 p. m. in the Haskell County Hospital. The youngster weighed nine pounds, three ounces. Mrs. Worrell is the former Jackie Wynell Moore. Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Worrell, Sr. of Haskell.

CALLED FOR FEDERAL JURY SERVICE

A. M. Turner and H. K. Henry of Haskell, and Tolbert Beason and Orville Hamilton of Rochester, were in Abilene this week, where they had been summoned as jurors in Federal District Court.

Some 48 per cent of Texas population is in cities of 10,000 or more.

Paint Creek . . . Community News

MRS. GENE OVERTON

The program for the closing of school and the honor graduates have been announced this week. The Baccalaureate service will be at the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, May 18 at 8 o'clock with the pastor, Rev. Oscar Bruce bringing the sermon. The commencement program will be Tuesday evening, May 20 at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium and the speaker has not been procured yet. The eighth grade graduation exercises will be Wednesday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock.

The valedictorian for the senior class is Dolin Hughes with a four year high school average of 96.43. The salutatorian is Carolyn Cook with an average of 93. Honor students with an above 90 average are Dan Griffith with an average of 92.76, Kendal Watson with an average of 92.17, William Haynes with an average of 91, Sandy Earles with an average of 90.73 and Mina Griffith whose average is 90.07.

The ladies of the Baptist Church entertained the Senior Class with a breakfast in the recreation room of the church, Spring Blossom Time was the theme, and the tables and room were decorated with apple and peach blossoms. The program was a pantomime of the history of the class. The menu consisted of melon balls, little link sausage, scrambled eggs, hot biscuit, butter, preserves, hot chocolate and coffee.

The members of the Methodist Church entertained the Senior Class and faculty with a picnic supper which was to have been in the church yard, but because of the weather, was moved to the lunchatorium instead. Films of our children made Easer Sunday morning were shown, group singing was enjoyed, then the young people went to the volleyball tournament at the gym.

Sandy Earles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Earles, underwent an emergency appendectomy last

Thursday evening. She is home now and is recuperating nicely. Sandy is a senior at Paint Creek, and she says her official title is "head minnow dipper" at the Earles' Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jossaleet and children from Weibert spent Saturday afternoon with her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Underwood.

Dan Riley Griffith, Dub Sims, G. W. Gunn and Mike Overton of Paint Creek and Charles Griffith of Benjamin attended High School Day on the campus of Texas A&M at College Station. They visited with Cadets Waller and William Overton, and Dan Griffith took the Opportunity Award scholarship tests.

John Earles underwent surgery at the Stamford Sanitarium Saturday morning. It had been thought it was to be a very serious operation, for an obstruction of the colon, but it was found to be only scar tissue, and not a growth at all. He is getting along just fine. Mr. Earles and children, Veda Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Veltan Middlebrooks, R. V. Earles and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Earles and Dodie, and Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Earles, Jane and Margie and Joe Bob, as well as Mr. and Mrs. Dale Middlebrook and Phyllis, Mrs. John Nanny and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Watson Sr., all went to Vernon week before last to visit with Mrs. John Earles at the hospital there.

Rudy Raughton has returned to Waco where he will resume his studies at Baylor University. He spent all last week at home at the bedside of his father, Clarence Raughton, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson and Donnice of Throckmorton spent last weekend with Mr. Johnson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morrison, Vicki, Janay and Marcia Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae and children had as their weekend

guests their daughter and sister, Mrs. Charles Meacham, Mr. Meacham and their three children from Pecos.

Mrs. Allen Isbell and children and Mrs. Bill Mickler were Abilene shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Calloway and daughters Selda, Judy and Mrs. Lonnie Bounds left for West-laco Sunday to be with Mr. Calloway's father, James Calloway who is to undergo surgery this week.

Recent visitors in the Homer Livengood home were Mrs. Wm. Shanz of Vantage, Wash., Mrs. Tom Lowery of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Al Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. James and Steve of Stamford. Last Tuesday the Livengoods were in Crowell for a birthday supper in the home of Homer's twin sister, Mrs. Grady Adcock and Rev. Adcock and their children. Their birthday reminds me of the sweet little note I had from Mother Livengood 19 years ago when our twins were born, about how much fun it was to raise twins. She was surely right. Naturally two babies are just twice as wonderful as one baby. What she didn't warn me about was that when two boys leave home for school at once, there is just twice as large an empty gap in the family as if they left one at a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernay Howard have recently had visitors whom they took fishing at the lake. Mrs. Howard's sister, Mrs. Nelson Crouch and Mr. Crouch from Lorenzo, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis from Crosbyton were here.

The school has had about 15% of the student body absent for the last ten days with illnesses. Measles, mumps, tonsillitis, and this upset tummy virus has played havoc with our average daily attendance. The high school has been especially hard hit.

Cub Pack 48 met for their regular monthly Pack meet Monday night with Cubmaster Lem Ivy directing the program. A film strip on Safety was shown and refreshments of cookies and punch were served. Parents present were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Isbell, Lem Ivy, Glen Walton, Leonard Crabbe, Luther Harris, Leonard Palacios, Cubs Danny Isbell, Larry Walton, Ray Crabbe, Lucky Holcomb, Gordon Don Harris, Danny Ivy, Juan and Eugene Palacios and 7 visiting little sisters and brothers.

The Eighth Grade enjoyed a theatre party Tuesday night. Mrs. Jodie Earles and Mrs. Alex McLennan took the group in their cars. They had hamburgers and Cokes at a cafe and then attended the show. This is a most unusual class in that there are nine girls and only one boy. There never have been more than four boys in the class since it started in the first grade, and now all the boys have moved and just little Mike Overton and nine girls. Next year we will have the fewest number of boys in high school we have ever class in that there are nine girls had. (I split that infinitive on purpose. I'll get a letter from A.

& M. correcting me. Since my grammar critics have gone to school, I split infinitives and dangle participles all over this news column.)

Mrs. M. E. Hughes is having to wear a protective collar for her neck injury she sustained in a recent car accident. The Hughes had as guests recently Jack Hurst and Katy Thompson of Abilene and Homer Hughes of Lueders.

Mariene Watts and Roberta Jones were delegates from the Paint Creek FHA chapter to the State meet in San Antonio last week. The girls were accompanied by their sponsor, Mrs. Lenard Crabbe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Overton Sr., were in Quanah to visit their brother-in-law, S. J. Bailey. Mr. Overton went on to Childress where he attended an ASC meeting with the other members of the Haskell committee.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 15.476 miles of Widen Gravel, Paved, and Two Crs. Surf. Treat. on Shlds. from Knox Co. L. to Rule & at Lake Creek, 1.6 mi. N. of Weibert on Highway No. US 277, covered by DS 677 (2) & DF 452 (3), in Haskell County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m., May 14, 1958, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

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Some 400 to 500 fairs, exhibitions and festivals are held annually in Texas.

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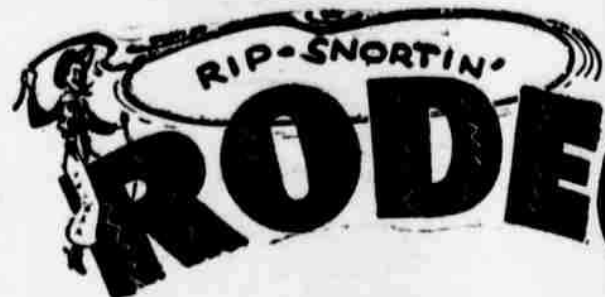
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The Haskell Free Press

Robt. C. Berry, Local Lutheran Pastor, Attends Annual Church Meet at Seguin

Delegates to the annual convention of the Texas District of the American Lutheran Church endorsed a greatly expanded benevolence program when they met recently on the campus of Texas Lutheran College at Seguin.

Representing Trinity Lutheran Church of Haskell was Pastor Robert C. Berry. Approximately 360 pastors and lay delegates from Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana attended the 28th annual convention.

The convention heard plans for a \$2,200,000 building program at Texas Lutheran College and resolved to participate in the capital fund raising drive for the expanded program at Grace Lutheran Sanatorium of San Antonio. Reports of mission churches which had become self-supporting during the past year and plans for establishing several new mission churches in the district were approved by the convention. All told, the convention endorsed 35 per cent increase in benevolent giving for the district for the coming year.

Delegates experienced the innovation of a new convention procedure for the 4-day session. Pastors and lay delegates were divided into four discussion groups to review reports of the church's programs before they were

brought to the convention for action. During the convention a banquet honoring the 10th anniversary of TLC as a senior college was held in the college dining hall. Among those bringing greetings were Dr. Henry F. Schuh of Columbus, Ohio, president of the American Lutheran Church, and the Rev. Vernon A. Mohr of Austin, president of the Texas District.

Officers elected during the business session were the Rev. Geo. Krueger, Hallettville, 1st vice president; Dr. Ed A. Sagebiel, architect; Herman Gaskamp, Houston, member of the district executive committee. The 1959 convention of the Texas District will be held at First Lutheran Church in Galveston.

Houseflies Aid Cancer Research

The housefly, perennial villain in man's fight against disease, is now being useful in this fight by helping speed up tests of anti-cancer compounds—drugs that may someday prove effective in controlling cancer in human beings. They are being used in these tests because of the speed and ease with which they may be reared, according to report from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, comparatively little space, time, effort and expense, a supply of 1,000 to 2,000 flies can be reared daily for laboratory use. They complete their whole life cycle in a little more than two weeks, yet they are physiologically similar to higher animals in many characteristics. This combination makes them useful for quick testing of growth-inhibiting, or anti-cancer, drugs.

By contrast, mice and rats normally used for testing growth-inhibiting materials take two months of effort in breeding and rearing to mature. There is also additional waiting for the slower results which follow. Flies fed milk containing a material to be tested can be dissected and results observed after only three days; rodents take much longer. The work with flies was originated by the Department of Agriculture in finding a chemical that would cause sterility in insects. This could serve as a means of cutting their numbers and keeping them under control, thus furnishing an alternative to the use of poisonous insecticides which nearly always involves some danger to human being, and to which insects have a tendency to build immunity.

Texas Governor's Mansion as it now stands, was built in 1853. It is 32 years older than the Capitol.

Texas paid 3,025,000 acres of land for the present Capitol building.

National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10

Texas home demonstration club women—over 36,000 of them—will be among the 6½ million homemakers throughout the nation who will observe National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10, according to Maurine Hearn, state home demonstration leader of the Agricultural Extension Service. "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World" is again serving as the national theme of the week.

During the week, most of the 2,000 Texas home demonstration clubs plan special activities to highlight their program. Special exhibits, community programs, feature stories, radio and television programs, and tours are planned to inform other homemakers and families of the purposes of home demonstration work and show its contribution to family and community life.

The home demonstration program is planned by homemakers and carried on cooperatively by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the land-grant colleges and county governments. New research information in all phases of homemaking is brought to women and families through specialists, home demonstration agents and local leaders. Programs and demonstrations in foods and nutrition, housing and home improvement, home management, health and safety, recreation, family life, clothing, consumer buying and public affairs are developed to fit local needs and interests. Home demonstration club members also conduct special programs in civil defense and encourage and assist with local 4-H Club programs.

Get acquainted with the home demonstration club program in your own county. Visit your local county extension office and take part in the special activities planned for National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10.

'Bronc Busting' Was One of First Cowboy Sports
One of the earliest bronc busting contests was held at Deer Trail, Colo., July 4, 1869. It was a contest between the Mill Iron, the Hashknife and Camp Stool cowboys. The rules specified the horse should be ridden with a slack saddle (meaning the cowboy couldn't tie blanket rolls on the saddle to keep them from falling off); that the stirrups could not be tied under the horse's belly, and that the rider must not wear spurs. The horses were all outlaws, fresh off the range, that the bronc busters had found it impossible to break. Among the cowboys was an adventuresome Englishman with the name of Emilie Gardenshire. He drew a big bay horse somebody had named Montana Blizzard. With a rawhide whip in his hand, he cautiously crawled aboard the horse and, once seated in the saddle, started using the whip. He rode with both hands free, and kept playing the whip constantly. There was a trifling mixup of cowboy and horse, but for 15

'Bronc Busting' Was One of First Cowboy Sports

minutes the big bay bucked, pawed and jumped, and then the Englishman rode him around in a circle at an easy lope.

Gov. Hardin R. Runnels, in office from 1857 to 1859, is the only Texas governor who never married.

MRS. JOHN A. COUCH IS HASKELL VISITOR
Mrs. John A. Couch of Waco, who with her late husband were longtime residents here, was a recent visitor with relatives and friends in this city. The Texas constitution is 43,000 words long.

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- White or Yellow, 300 Can **HOMINY 2 for 17¢**
- Cal-Top, 2½ Can **PEACHES 25¢**
- Diamond, Sour or Dill **PICKLES quart jar 25¢**
- Jif, 12-Oz. Jar **PEANUT BUTTER 35¢**

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Mrs. Scott W. Greene, Haskell Teacher, Recipient of P-TA Lifetime Membership

In recognition of her outstanding career as a teacher and her contribution to education, Mrs. Scott W. Greene of this city was awarded a life membership in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers at the 18th District meeting held recently in Abilene. The award was given by the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association.

Mrs. Greene, the former Mary Louise Davis, is a member of one of Haskell's early families. Her parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis who were prominent in church and civic affairs of the community during their lifetime.

Mrs. Greene attended elementary and high school in Haskell, finishing high school in Abilene at Simmons Academy. She attended Teachers College at San Marcos and received her B. S. degree from Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. Greene has taught in Haskell city schools for 25 years, the last 20 years consecutively. For the past 18 years she has taught mathematics in Junior High School. She also served as deputy county superintendent under the late Miss Minnie Ellis for several years.

Mrs. Greene is a member of the First Baptist Church, and is an active worker in both church and civic affairs. She has taught a Sunday School class of 15-year-old girls for the past 10 years.

She is a member of the National Educational Association, Texas State Teachers Association, Texas as Classroom Teachers Association, Delta Kappa Gamma Society, Business and Professional Women's Club, the Garden Club and the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association. She has served as Health and Welfare Chairman for a number of years in the Parent-Teacher Association.

WALLACE KIMBROUGH IMPROVING

The many friends here of Wallace Kimbrough, Brazos County Agent, will be glad to learn that he is recovering satisfactorily after suffering a heart attack recently, and has returned to his home in Bryan. Mr. and Mrs. John Kimbrough of this city and Jack Kimbrough of Abilene returned home last week after visiting at the bedside of their brother.



MRS. SCOTT W. GREENE

Jossette HD Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Walters

The Jossette Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Marvin Walters, with Mrs. Ray Cothron as hostess.

The president called the meeting to order, and the group sang the club song, "Ever Onward."

Mrs. Paul Cothron read a poem, "How To Be Unhappy."

Mrs. C. H. White and Mrs. Marvin Walters gave an interesting report of the T.H.D.A. district meeting in Rotan.

The program for the afternoon was on "Recreation." Many interesting games were played, and after the Recreation Kit was filled with the ones that did not have...

To close the meeting the group joined hands and repeated the T. H. D. A. prayer. Refreshments of sandwiches and punch were served to three visitors, the agent, Miss Barbara McAnelly, Mesdames C. H. White and Rachel Morgan, Mesdames Lee Walters, Lena Ruffner, Mildred Robertson, Maria Howeth, Bonnie Cothron, June Marr and the hostess, Mrs. Ray Cothron.

NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Family Reunion Is Held Sunday In Walter Viney Home

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Viney, when they had as their guests their brother and sisters and family.

At the noon hour a bountiful lunch was spread, cafeteria style, and the afternoon was spent visiting together and making pictures of the group.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchens and son, J. W. from Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Conner and son Douglas of Lodi, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daniels of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels and son Jackie of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Austin New and daughter Doyle of Haskell.

Mrs. Howard Smith called during the afternoon to visit with friends.

Elementary P-TA Slates Officer Installation

Haskell Elementary School Parent Teacher Association will have the installation of the incoming officers on Wednesday, May 7, at 3:00 p. m. in the school cafeteria.

The Elementary band will give some numbers under the direction of School Band Instructor Frank Porter. Another highlight of the program will be a square dance number by ten 5th grade students of Mrs. Johnson.

The hostesses will be the 6th grade mothers.

ABE TURNERS ARE PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Turner of this city are the parents of a son, Michael Keith Turner, weight seven pounds, 15 ounces, born Thursday, April 24, at the Haskell Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann of Clarendon, Texas, and A. M. Turner, Sr., of Haskell.



MISS KAY HENRY

Miss Kay Henry Will Be Presented In Organ, Piano Recital May 4

Mrs. N. M. Phy will present Miss Kay Henry, of Haskell, in organ and piano recital at the First Methodist Church, Sunday, May 4, at 3:00 p. m.

Selections to be played by Miss Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Henry of Haskell, will include the following: Organ, Sixth Sonata (Mendelssohn).

Piano, Toccata for Herpsichord (J. S. Bach); Sonata Pathetique (Beethoven); Troisene Ballade (Chopin); Toccata (Khachaturian).

Concerts in A Minor (Grieg); Mrs. N. M. Phy at the organ.

Ancient Fashions Modelled at B&PW Meeting

The B&PW Club met Monday, April 21 in the dining room of the Texas Cafe.

"How's Your Spring Wardrobe" was presented by the Finance Committee, Mrs. Opal Dotson, Mrs. Reba Harrell and Mrs. Ruby Smith.

Mrs. Dotson, serving as commentator, stated that the Fashion picture for Spring of 1958 was an exceedingly exciting one. She then presented models wearing fashions dating back to nearly a hundred years up to the present time.

Artie Mae Burkett modeled a dress worn over 70 years ago by Mrs. J. B. Smith's grandmother. The material in this dress was bought from a peddle wagon for the ridiculous price of three cents a yard.

Mrs. C. V. Payne wore a dress of her grandmother's which was near a hundred years old.

Next came Stella Trice wearing Mrs. Courtney Hunt's wedding dress which was fifty-five years old.

Nettie McCollum looked quite charming in a dress of her very own which she had in her wardrobe in the early '30s.

Possibly the most glamorous of all was Bobbie Herd wearing a lace dress worn by Madaline Hunt in her cousin's wedding in 1930.

The modern Chemise styles were worn by Madaline Hunt, Grace McKelvain, Artie Mae Burkett, Bobbie Herd and Lois Jones.

Last, but not least, in the Chemise look, we sleep wear modeled by Clara Beard, Carolyn Everett and Stella Trice as they sang, "Sleepy Time Gal."

Carolyn Everett sang special songs which were popular at the time each style was in fashion. She was accompanied by Anita Medford.

After the Style Show a short business meeting was held after which ice cream and peaches were served by the hostesses.

Legion Auxiliary Meets in Home of Mrs. Walters

The American Legion Auxiliary held its semi-monthly social meeting Monday, April 28 in the home of Mrs. Marvin Walters.

The group enjoyed discussions and games of 84.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Walters to Mrs. David Martindale, Paul Cothron, Martin Ruffer, William Brady, Herbert Ray and T. C. Patterson.

Several regular members were missed due to their illness.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be a business meeting held May 11 in the home of Mrs. David Martindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rose and children of Abilene were guests Monday in the home of the Abilene man's mother, Mrs. Opal Rose in this city.

New Officers of Harmony Club Installed

The Haskell Harmony Club held their last meeting for the 1957-58 year's work with the installation of the new officers for 58-59. Mrs. M. E. Helber acted as chairman in the absence of the president, Mrs. A. C. Foster who has been ill.

The room was made attractive with colorful pinnies and iris with bridal wreath. The year's reports were given by the committees. A gift of silver was presented Mrs. A. C. Foster for her untiring efforts to make this year's Harmony Club a success.

Mrs. J. M. Littlefield sang a favorite song "The World is Waiting for the Sunshine" by Lockhart and Litz, with Mrs. O. E. Patterson as accompanist.

Mrs. Tommie Hawkins gave an interesting report on district committees that met in Fort Worth, which she attended as delegate from the club. The scrap book of District I won first place which was compiled by Mrs. Hawkins who is district historian.

She stated the musical program was wonderful, especially that which was presented by the Baptist Theological Seminary of Fort Worth.

The music department of Midwestern University of Wichita Falls was represented with outstanding numbers, "O Beauteous Night" from Barcarolle, was sung by the club with Mrs. Patterson as accompanist.

Mrs. C. L. Lewis, a life member of the club and who is historian, installed the new officers for 1958-59 in an impressive candle-light ceremony.

President, Mrs. Tommie Hawkins; First Vice President, Mrs. J. M. Littlefield.

Second Vice President, Miss Beryle Boone.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. M. E. Helber.

Treasurer, Mrs. G. F. Mullino.

Historian, Mrs. C. L. Lewis.

Piano Accompanist, Mrs. O. E. Patterson.

Assistant Accompanist, Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead.

Counselor, Mrs. A. C. Foster.

Past President Assembly, Mrs. A. C. Foster.

The Hymn of the Month, "Jesus Still Lead On" was sung by the club as closing number, with Mrs. J. F. Cadenhead as accompanist.

Those present were: Mesdames M. E. Helber, C. L. Robinson, Tommie Hawkins, Cecil Gregory, R. L. Harrison, C. L. Lewis, O. E. Patterson, Tanny Squires, Mart Clifton, J. M. Littlefield, Guy Harris, J. F. Cadenhead, Miss Beryle Boone.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sellers of Graham were here Sunday to visit relatives and attend the annual Haskell County Singing Convention.

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Mrs. A. J. House, TFWC President Speaker at Joint Meeting of Club

At a joint meeting of the Progressive Study Club and the Magazine Club April 25, the speaker was Mrs. Alfred Joseph House of Yoakum, Texas, President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. House spoke on Federation. She used her administration theme, "Abundant Living through Service," to develop her points on Federation.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. J. G. Vaughter, president of the Magazine Club. Mrs. Howard Perry, Jr., President of the Progressive Study Club gave the invocation. Mrs. J. U. Fields was program director for the afternoon. Mrs. House was introduced by Miss Beryle Boone.

Mrs. House was presented a cash gift from both clubs, to be applied on the Oriental Scholarship Fund, which has been her special project during her administration as president of the TFWC.

New members of the Magazine Club were introduced; they are Mrs. Bailey Tolson, Mrs. Allen Overman, Mrs. C. T. Jones, Mrs. Gayle Nantz, Mrs. J. P. Payne and of the Magazine Club.

The final meeting of the Magazine Club for the year will be held May 11 at the home of Mrs. House. New officers will be installed at this time.

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American Legion Family Night Held April 25

The American Legion and Auxiliary members and families enjoyed pie, coffee and thrill-packed games of progressive 42 Friday night, April 25, in the American Legion Hall.

A prize was presented to Mrs. Dave Persons for winning the most games throughout the night.

Even the losers enjoyed the games and went home full of pie to ease their loss.

The hostesses were Mrs. Marvin Walters, Mrs. Roy Pitman and Mrs. Dave Persons.

Pre-School Health Check of Children Slated May 6

The Pre-School Roundup for all school children who will start to school this year, is to be held May 6 at 1:00 p. m. in the Band Room of the Elementary School. It is sponsored by the Elementary Parent-Teacher Association.

Letters are being mailed to all children who are on the census roll, a spokesman for the sponsors said. "But we feel that there may be some children who will not receive a letter and this is their special invitation."

A booklet entitled "Happy Landings for the Beginners," will be given to the parents who accompany their children, and the children will receive a favor and be served refreshments furnished by the Elementary Parent-Teacher Association.

Dr. Joe Thigpen, Dr. T. W. Williams, Dr. Frank Cadenhead, Dr. J. G. Vaughter, Dr. Wm. J. Kemp and Dr. Frank C. Scott will be present to examine the children and see that they are ready to start to school.

Parents and beginners will also have an opportunity to meet the First Grade teachers and the School Nurse, Mrs. W. P. Trice.



MRS. FRANKY DON MULLINS

Wynette Sherman Becomes Bride of Franky Don Mullins in April Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sherman of Haskell are announcing the marriage of their daughter Wynette to Pvt. Franky Don Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Melton, Haskell.

The wedding was an event of April 24 in the Central Baptist Church of Lawton, Okla. The Rev. Frank Willhoite, pastor officiated. Attendants were Janice Thompson and Duane Baccus, Haskell.

The bride is attending Haskell High School and the bridegroom is stationed at Camp Carson, Okla., attending an advanced school for paratroopers. He is a graduate of Haskell High School and attended John Tarleton.

HHS One-Act Play Will Compete In State Meet

The Haskell one-act play, "Mooncalf Mugford," winner of the Conference A Interscholastic League Contest in Brownwood, left for Austin today to enter in the State Meet. They will perform May 2 in Hogg auditorium at 4:30 in the afternoon. They will compete with six other plays.

R. J. Kidd, director of the Interscholastic League, has informed Supt. King that "Life Magazine" photographers will be on hand to photograph members of the cast participating in the meet. These pictures will be featured in a special entertainment issue of "Life" in September.

In the Regional Meet at Brownwood, Jimmy Vaughter of Haskell was selected as Best Actor, and Barbara Lackey was named second best actress and Laquita Young was named as third best actress. Other members of the cast are Donnie Hodgin and Peggy Williams. Mrs. Kathleen Diggs is the director of the play.

The critic judge at Brownwood was Alex Reeve, who is associate professor of speech at Howard Payne College. He was for fourteen years director of productions at Northampton, England, Repertory Theatre. This is widely considered as one of the three top repertory theatres in all of England. In this country Mr. Reeve did a great deal of judging of both professional and non-professional as a member of the Guild of Drama Adjudicators.

Jimmy Vaughter will represent Haskell in the state meet as the Region II-A Extemporaneous Speaker.

Other participants from Haskell who went to Brownwood were Sara Roberson, who placed third in shorthand, Donnie Hodgin, who won third in poetry reading, and Ben Anderson, who declaimed.

This is the first time in the history of Haskell High School that a One-Act play or an Extemporaneous speaker has gone past District competition.

MAKES BUSINESS TRIP TO JACKSONVILLE

H. K. Henry spent Friday and Saturday in Jacksonville, Texas, on business. He was joined there by his son, Pat Henry, student in Texas A&M College. The Haskell man returned by way of Bryan for a brief visit with his son before coming to Haskell.

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Brotherhood Meet Slated Tuesday In Rule

The Haskell-Knox Associational meeting will be in the banquet room of the First Baptist Church in Rule Tuesday night, May 6, beginning at 7 p. m. It will be a dinner meeting with the Rule Brotherhood as hosts.

Rev. Edwin Skiles of the First Baptist Church in Abilene will be guest speaker. Leroy Denton is the president of the Rule Brotherhood.

Plans for Forming Bowling League to Be Made Tonight

Plans for organizing a Bowling League will be made at a meeting to be held at 7:15 this evening in the Chamber of Commerce office, according to Jerry Larned, operator of the local bowling alley.

As presently planned, seven men's teams will be organized, and a league president, secretary, and treasurer will be elected. Several teams have already been tentatively organized, including employees of Service Pipe Line, General Telephone, Schlumberger, and three Jaycee teams, Larned said.

Members of these teams, and other men interested in bowling are invited to attend the meeting this evening.

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Today's Rodeo Had Its Beginning In Early Days of Cattle Industry

The Saga of Rodeo has no beginning or end, states an article in the Olney Enterprise. Sharing that viewpoint are a number of old-time residents in the Haskell area who recall some of the first "Cowboy Reunions" held here and in Seymour which were the fore-runners of the present-day rodeo in this area.

As a matter of course, the history of rodeos must take in both the open range land of the past, and the rodeo arena of the present, for the contesting cowboy is made from the same timber that once supplied the riders of the open range.

The great American sport of rodeo came into being during the early days of the cattle industry. It took form in the cow camps of the West, gathered speed along the trails of the Northern feeding grounds, and moved ahead to spectator acceptance in the area of a more modern era. And in the arena to this day the life of the West and the work of the cattle ranch unfolds before great crowds in contests between wild cattle, wild horses, wild bulls, and even wilder men.

The sport of rodeo was not born. Like Topsy it just "grewed." The assertion that Santa Fe, New Mexico, in 1847, Deer Trail, Colo., in 1869, Pecos, Texas, in 1883, was the birthplace of rodeo can be accepted in terms of locality, and tied to certain conditions.

Agua Fria, Brannock, Phoenix, Prescott, and Williams in Arizona all had early day rodeo contests; Denver and Grand Junction in Colorado; Lander and Cheyenne in Wyoming; Miles City and Wibaux in Montana.

Between the birth of the cattle industry at the end of the Civil War and the dates of the earliest rodeos, ride the trail driving cowboys. They were the bronzed and weatherbeaten riders from the Texas pampas who brought herds North with all the thunder and pomp of frontier progress.

The animals were Texas longhorns, a throwback to the species shipped in from Andalusia in the days of the Spanish conquest. They were lean and lithe, alert as a deer, half-wild, half-savage, half-human. Their long, polished horns sometimes ran six feet from tip to tip, curved like scimitars, and could be used with the deadly affect of a bayonet. The longhorn is gone now, wasted away and bred out of existence like the buffalo and wild mustang. Only a

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drop of the wild longhorn spirit runs through the veins of the sleek Shorthorn, the Black Angus, or the Whitefaced Hereford now grazing the ancient ranges.

Once the open range, the wild horse broken for the cowhand's work, the Texas steer carrying a fortune in beef on the hoof, provided a way of life for a generation of cowmen. But the open range is gone. The land is quartered like a steer on a meat-block, and only the lusty blood of the pioneer cowman is not of the rodeo cowboy, and gives dead. It surges through the veins life to the sport that makes a focal point of the west still leaping, pitching, twisting in the golden sunlight of the rodeo arena.

From the moment that a rider leads the grand entry parade into the rodeo arena until that same arena becomes a yawning oval of empty blanks and seats, rodeo bears the mark of the last frontier. The men who follow the sport know its hardships and comfort, apathy and thrills, grow old and wise and confident that in the rodeo sport they have achieved a satisfaction that can go to only a few shrewd and genial connoisseurs of life.

Yes, rodeo just grewed. But it was a growth that has been unique. The development of the five standard events "The Key" to form the backbone of rodeo came during the transitional period of the sport. The saga of rodeo, is more than the story of the five standard events, but rodeo begins with these events because the sport turns on them just as surely as the massive arena gate swings on the small steel pin of an iron hinge.

Weinert News

BY MILDRED GUESS Study Club Meets

Weinert Study Club met Thursday at the school for a regular meeting. Mrs. J. E. Jetton directed the program on "The Key to the Great Outdoors, Soil Conservation." Mrs. Jetton spoke on We Are Stewards of Our Land. She gave a Scripture reference, "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof. It is committed by God to the care of men and if we are proper stewards of God's bountiful earth we must work and care for it." Mrs. Jetton said that the most precious resource of mankind is our life-giving soil.

Ray Blackwell of Knox City, soil conservationist, showed slides of fields in this district, grasses, irrigated cotton and talked on how to hold a raindrop. He also showed drawings on this subject. Twenty FFA boys attended the program.

Mrs. E. D. Earle presided over the business session. The club voted to have Work Day at the Community Center and Park Thursday, May 1. Members are asked to come and bring garden tools.

Hostess were Mrs. Glenn Caddell and Mrs. E. D. Earle. The next meeting of the club will be May 8 at 8 p. m. when Mrs. E. Hob Smith will install officers for the 1956-57 year. The meeting place will be announced at a later date.

Weinert Matrons Club Weinert Matrons Club met Thursday in the Homemaking room for a regular meeting. The program on "Knowledge of Arts and Gardens" was directed by Mrs. M. W. Phemister. Roll call was answered by naming your favorite painting. Mrs. R. H. Jones spoke on Gardens and Presidents. Mrs. H. W. Liles gave a thumbnail sketch of these famous paintings. Feeding Her Birds, The Gleaners, and Song of the Lark. The club presented the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place awards to the winners in the Art contest sponsored by the club annually. Contestants were elementary and high school students.

Hostess was Mrs. P. F. Weinert, who served refreshments to the following members: Mmes. C. C. Gary, Clyde Mayfield, C. T. Jones, R. J. Rainey, H. W. Liles, M. W. Phemister, Fred Monke, J. W. Liles, Bill King, R. C. Liles, J. A. Mayfield and R. H. Jones. The next meeting of the club will be May 8 for installation of officers by Mrs. E. M. Frierson of Haskell, at the Community Center.

Art Contest Winners The winners in the Art Contest sponsored by the Weinert Matrons Club in the high school division were Yvonne Hawkins, 1st; Jimmy White, 2nd; Linda Gail York, 3rd. Junior High winners: Joe Ed Hackney, 1st; Jerry Dale Hamilton, 2nd; Linda Adams, 3rd. Fourth and Fifth Grade winners:

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Appreciation Shower Honors Mrs. Driggers

Mrs. J. A. Driggers, former telephone operator for Weinert, was honored at an appreciation shower at her home Friday afternoon. The affair was a surprise to her.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. General Stewart and Mrs. Henry Volkufka. Others assisting as hostesses were Mmes. Thurman Stout, R. W. Herricks, Pete Johnson, H. D. Griffith, Tom Kreger, L. H. Cooper, Melvin Volkufka, J. W. Liles and W. B. Guess.

Hostess gift was a bedspread. Thirty-three guests called during the afternoon. They were Mesdames Ed McClure, Henschel Alexander, R. H. Jones, E. M. Owens, Glenn Caddell, N. M. Stewart, Neal Mathison, C. O. Garrett, Joe Garrett, C. F. Oman, Fred Monke, G. C. Newsom, J. W. Earp, M. R. Boykin, John Hawkins, G. C. Brockett, O. W. Vaughn, C. Y. Pettigrew, G. L. Walker, C. C. Childress, Eddie Sanders, E. C. Lowe, Carter Tucker, M. W. Phemister, P. F. Weinert, E. S. A. Tanner, Buck Turnbow, and W. A. Tanner; Misses Melanie Volkufka, Nadine and Joella Weinert.

Locals Mrs. E. M. Owens visited the past week in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie (Butch) Owens, Donna Ruth and new son Marion Keith, in Lubbock. Mrs. Perry Mayfield and Loyd of Fort Worth are spending a few days with Mrs. Mayfield's mother, Mrs. E. E. Owens and other relatives in Weinert. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Driggers returned this week from Pampa where they had been visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Earp, Debbie and Wyatt. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkerson of Graham, former Weinert residents, visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vaughn last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kinnard of De Leon spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Driggers recently. They were neighbors 34 years ago in Wolfe City.

American Heritage Scholarship to Former Resident

Abilene Christian College has sent official notification to Mrs. E. R. Moore, Rankin High School librarian, that she is to be a recipient of the American heritage scholarship. This scholarship will provide tuition, fees, room and board for that term. American Education Heritage and American Historical Heritage will be the course of study.

Mrs. Moore is the former Jan-nelle Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kennedy of Rankin, formerly of Haskell. She now holds a B. A. degree from Abilene Christian College and a BLS degree from North Texas State College. She attended Haskell High School and graduated from Abilene Christian College. She has been employed as librarian at Rankin High School for five years.

Neil W. Jeter To Receive Degree at Baptist Seminary

A former Haskell man, Neil W. Jeter, is one of 24 candidates for graduation on May 16 from Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. Jeter is to receive a Bachelor of Divinity degree. Since the Seminary is celebrating its 50th anniversary, he is a member of the Golden Jubilee Class and will receive a special Jubilee diploma. The Seminary graduate is the son of R. T. Jeter of Dallas, former longtime resident in Haskell County.

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BY VERN SANFORD
 Texas Press Association
 Austin, Texas—If you drive a car, 1958 will be a good year to pay closer than ever attention to how you drive it.

Under Gov. Price Daniel's "Texas Plan" to reduce highway tragedies, the spotlight will be on individual driving practices as never before.
 Gov. Daniel is heading a drive to mobilize all the state's resources to combat "the threat of public disaster. Annual loss of life, health and property in traffic accidents," he said, "is greater than the loss sustained in all our natural disasters combined."

Five points "Texas plan" involves (1) cooperation between all safety and enforcement officials, (2) formation of local traffic councils, (3) public education to the problem, (4) road improvements at hazardous spots and (5) more rigid enforcement and certainty of punishment for violations, especially drunken driving and speeding.

Last year 2,539 persons were killed in traffic and 122,000 were injured. Even so, 1957 ratio of fatalities to miles traveled was down—from 6.5 deaths per 100 million miles in 1956 to 5.6 deaths per 100 million miles in 1957.

Department of Public Safety Director Homer Garrison Jr., attributes the reduced rate to lower average speed, Texas saved 111 lives, he said, by slowing down average speed by 1.6 miles per hour.
 Goal for 1958 is more ambitious—to save 254 lives or one for each Texas county.

It's up to every Texan, said the governor to "accept traffic safety as a do-it-yourself project."

Toward Safer Roads
 An important arm of the anti-accident campaign is a \$43,000,000 program to rebuild some hazardous spots in the highway system.
 Gov. Daniel and State Highway Engineer DeWitt Greer formally launched this work by placing a "drive carefully" sign by a narrow bridge on a farm road near Austin. Scene of previous accidents, the bridge is to be widened.

State Highway Department allocated \$25,000,000 to the emergency safety construction fund, and \$18,000,000 will come from federal funds.

Money Hunt
 Gloomy predictions abound as government and industry leaders look toward the state's 1959 financing problems.
 A "conservative estimate" by Sen. William S. Fly, chairman of the Texas State Tax Study Commission, is that \$45,000,000 per year in new revenue will be needed just to maintain present state services.

Latest report by the Tax Commission calls the situation "a fiscal crisis of major proportions" and "not a temporary condition."

State and local taxes have tripled since World War II, says the report, but not fast enough to keep pace with spending needs. This is attributed to a sharp upsurge in population, especially in the under 18 and over 65 brackets. These ages require expensive services (schooling, pensions) but net little in taxes.

Oil industry spokesmen served notice that oil, even if it pulls out of its present slump, cannot produce nearly enough revenue to save the day.

Charles W. Alcorn, president of Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, predicted a need for as much as \$65,000,000 a year in extra revenue. "Even if all imported crude oil were cut off from the U. S.," he said, "we would stand to gain only about \$20,000,000 a year."

More Needed
 Further complicating the fiscal picture are statements, such as that of the State Board of Corrections, that it will need more

money from the legislature next year.
 Chairman H. H. (Pete) Coffield said the Board will ask for \$8,000,000 in building funds and a \$1,500,000 increase in its operating budget.

State prisons are overflowing, says Mgr. O. B. Ellis, with more to come. Prison population (10,400) has doubled in the past seven years while population as a whole increased 24 per cent.

Anchors Aweigh
 After 115 years, Texas again has a Navy.
 Gov. Daniel has reactivated the Texas Navy and called on the some 286,000 owners of powered craft to join up. Nucleus of the fleet will be the Texas Game and Fish Commission's 180 boats.

Their purpose will be to defend if necessary, the 10 1/2 miles of tidelands claimed by Texas and assist with civil defense in time of disaster.
 A large early response by boat owners and previously commissioned admirals "convinces me we're going to have the largest Navy in the world," said the governor.

30,000 New Jobs
 State Highway Commission will start taking bids next month on \$36,000,000 in "extra" road building projects made possible by the new federal aid bill.

Texas gets \$24,000,000 in federal funds, puts up \$12,000,000 in state money.
 These extra projects will mean 20,000 new jobs in the state, says Commission Chairman Marshall Formby. Each million-dollar project brings an estimated \$1,000 a day for six months into the affected community, he said.

"Times have been so good since World War II," commented Formby, "that most people have forgotten the impact of the highway dollar."

Roping in Rodeos Goes Back to Days Of 1880's
 The diversity of cowboy skills is brought clearly into focus in calf roping, since 1921 one of the five standard events at rodeos everywhere.

In the span of 15 seconds or less, you'll see a demonstration of horse training and riding, the flash of a lariat from the roper's skilled hands. There is courage and skill as the cowboy ropes and ties a kicking calf. Above all, there is the display of a man and horse working as a team.

Roping in rodeos dates back to the 1880's. Today, the calf roping events accounts for the greatest number of contestants in rodeo, and pays out the biggest amount of prize money, due to the high number of entry fees added to the purses.
 The official rules of the Rodeo Cowboys' Association, Inc., give these guides for the calf roping event:

Calves are given a head start, determined by the size of the arena. Officials for this event are a scoreline judge, a field judge and two timers.
 When the calf is out of the chute and has crossed the scoreline, he breaks the barrier. A flag to signal starting of time. He pulls the rope barrier from in front of the box where the roper waits.

If the contestant leaves the box before the calf crosses the scoreline, he breaks the barrier. A 10-second penalty is added to his time.
 The quarter horse closes on the calf as quickly as possible. The roper usually lets fly from about 12 feet away. He may catch the calf any way—by the feet, around the head or body—just so long

Sagerton News

By MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Laughlin of Waco visited with Mrs. Etta Leach and Mrs. Ethel Laughlin part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Laughlin of Avoca were guests of Mrs. Leach and Mrs. Laughlin Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Apple of Lubbock spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LeFevre.
 Mrs. John Clark returned from Midland Friday of last week where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Cobb and family. Mrs. Cobb and sons Johnny and Randy, came home with Mrs. Clark for the weekend. Mr. Cobb came to take them home Sunday.

Bro. Lloyd Hamilton, a former Methodist pastor here and Jimmy Hollar and C. W. Moser came Sunday night to spend a couple of days here fishing with friends. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reece Clark.
 Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and children of Rule visited with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lewis in Aspermont Tuesday evening April 22, and helped them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and children and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spitzer and family attended the Cottle County Horse and Colt Show in Paducah last Saturday.
 Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kainer and family of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel and family, and Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and children of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. August Angerman visited with Mrs. Minnie Koch in Lueders Sunday.
 Adolph and Raymond Ender are attending a convention of the Sons of Herman Lodge in San An-

tonio this week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stremmel and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel, Hilda and Emil, Mrs. August Angerman, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaake, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and Diane, James Wendeborn and Jimmy Sims. The occasion was a birthday party in honor of Larry Stremmel.

Mrs. Johnny Teichelman was called to Abilene Monday after her father, Mr. Thorn, was injured on his leg by an electric saw

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Thane Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stremmel and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel, Hilda and Emil, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Helm, Mrs. J. D. Kupatt and children of Rule, Mr. Tom Thane and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thane and sons of Abilene. The occasion was a birthday party for Kerry Lynn Thane, who was two years old last week.

Mrs. Alvin Holle was omitted as one of the hostesses for the bridal shower given for Miss Barbara Echart two weeks ago. This omission was not intentional.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert are back home after spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert and family at Idalou.

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News from Rule

BY MRS. FAYE DUNNAM

Rotary Sponsors Pancake Supper
The Rule Rotary Club will have a Pancake Supper in the school cafeteria on Friday night, May 2, from 6-7:30 p. m.
Plates will be 50c and the proceeds will go toward a Community Service Fund. The public is invited to attend.

Faculty Elected
The entire faculty of the Rule Independent School District was re-elected when the board of trustees met April 7.
Those on the faculty are: Mrs. David Garlington, Mrs. Jerry Decker, Mrs. R. C. Pool, Mrs. Connor Horton, Mrs. Lavon Beakley, Mrs. J. D. Roberts, Thos. Kitch, Mrs. Ben Kittley, David Garlington, Mrs. Robert Brown, Frank Baker, Mrs. C. W. Dunnam and Connor Horton, Superintendent.
Mrs. Oswald Kieke, the eighth grade teacher, resigned.

Fifth Six Weeks Honor Roll
Students on the all "A" honor roll for the fifth six weeks are: Senior, Larry Horton, Sonja Carroll; Juniors, Jan Ousley; Sophomores, Jimmy Higgins, Mary Whorton, Kay Hertel; Freshmen, Cindy Williams, Janet Hannsz, Barbara Stryker, Keith Whitaker, Kay Ball, Phyllis White, Tom Horton; Eighth grade, Gary Wood; Seventh grade, Marguerite McQuien, Lynn Beard, James Norman; Sixth grade, David May, Dolores Stryker, Carol White; Fifth grade, Glenda Cox, Linda Simpson, Charlene Wood; Fourth grade, Gerre Colbert, Billy Dave Kittley, Dave McCandless, Edith Murray, Lynn Richards, Beth Simpson, Ronda Stryker, Linda White, Gail Wood; Third grade, Cheryl Counts, Edith Chambers, Inetha Hudgins, Glenn Davis, Eddie Loehman, Mary Sue Lewis, Sue Gann, Mary Ann Anders; Second grade, Tommy Jo Anders, Darrrell Davis, Nan Jones, Jimmy Kittley, Marijane McCadoo, Susan May, Johnny Westbrook.

Pre-School Roundup
Rule will have its "Pre-School Roundup" next Friday, May 2, beginning at 1 p. m. This roundup is for all children who will start to school next September.

Dr. R. E. Colbert will give their physical examination at that time. Mrs. Jerry Decker, the first grade teacher, will show a film, and the Parent-Teacher Association will give a party for the children.

Local
Mr. and Mrs. Don Hale of Amarillo visited relatives in Rule this weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smitherman are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mauldin. Mr. Smitherman is being sent to Fort Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ross Payne and baby spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douthitt Payne.
Danna Hunt of North Texas State College spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Festus Hunt. She brought a friend, Miss Lois Coleman of Denton home with her.

Eighth Grade Banquet
Twenty-six members of the 8th grade had their annual banquet in the cafeteria Friday night, April 25, at 7:30. They had as their guests members of the elementary faculty.

The cafeteria and tables were decorated in the "Candyland" theme, and this was also carried out in the program.
Lavon Beakley, elementary principal, gave the invocation. Ford Cole, class president, welcomed the group. Martha Campbell, Gary Wood, Ford Cole and Nancy Turnbow sang "Big Rock Candy Mountain." Barbara Colbert read the class prophecy and Don Bivins the class will.

Dianne Jones introduced the speaker of the evening, Dallas Baugh. The program closed with the singing of the school song. The mothers of the class served the meal.

Elementary Valedictorian Chosen
It has been announced that Gary Wood is valedictorian of the eighth grade with an average of 94. Barbara Colbert will be salutatorian with an average of 92.30.

Shower Honors Mrs. Smitherman
Mrs. Harold Smitherman, nee Janice Ruth Mauldin, was honored with a miscellaneous gift tea at the Philadelphian Club House Saturday afternoon, April 27.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. A. E. Fouts. Others in the receiving line were Mrs. L. O. Mauldin, mother of the bride; Mrs. Smitherman, the honoree, and Mrs. J. E. Geer.

Mrs. Orville Tanner registered guests. Mrs. R. O. Henry and Mrs. Festus Hunt showed the gifts.

Mrs. A. D. May served from a table laid with white net over pink. Table appointments were of silver. A huge arrangement of white iris and bridal wreath served as a centerpiece. Suspended from the ceiling with white satin streamers were two huge white wedding bells and two white miniature doves with the names "Janice and Harold" on them.

Music during the afternoon was furnished by the Joy Notes, consisting of Jan Ousley, Audrey Smith, Fern Ross and Jackie Estes, accompanied by Mrs. Novis Ousley.

Rule Seniors To Take Trip
The senior class is planning to leave by chartered bus next Wednesday afternoon for Colorado Springs, Colo. They will drive all night the first night and spend Thursday around Canon City and the Royal Gorge, going to Colorado Springs Thursday afternoon where they have reservations at Blue Moon Lodge. They will spend Friday and Saturday seeing the sights around Colorado Springs and Manitou Springs, and return home Sunday.

Seniors making the trip are: Sonny Bounds, Gary Bailey, Doug Davis, Jerry Hannsz, Jimmy Hamilton, Larry Horton, Joe Soto, David Springs, Pete Torres, Bobby Whorton, Fred Wendeborn, Jerry Jeffcoat, Davene Jones, Juanita Pike, Myrtle Murray, Sonja Carroll and Sara Williams.
Class sponsors are Mrs. C. W. Dunnam and Connor Horton.

Pfc. Gerald Speck With 1st Cavalry Division in Korea
1st Cav. Div., Korea (AHTNC)—Army Pfc. Gerald D. Speck, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Speck of Rochester, is a member of the 1st Cavalry Division in Korea. Speck, who arrived overseas last November, is an information specialist in Headquarters Company of the division's 4th Cavalry. He entered the Army in May 1957 and completed basic combat training at Fort Polk, La.
Speck, a former clerk at the

First National Bank in Abilene, is a 1952 graduate of Rochester High School and a 1957 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University.
Bond Purchases In County Total \$43,495 in March
"During the month of March \$43,495 in Savings Bonds were sold in Haskell County," reported J. M. Crawford, county chairman. Savings Bond sale in Texas for March were \$14,831,097, which is 11.7% above sales for March 1957. "Keeping America strong in mil-

itary preparedness and economically sound must be the concern of every American," County Chairman Crawford concluded.
CARD OF THANKS
I would like to take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to the doctors and nurses for their help while I was in the hospital, and for the flowers, cards and other gifts sent me. May God bless each of you.—Mrs. M. O. Bringlee.
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FOR RENT: 2 room and bath furnished apartment. Dora Cook, 1006 North Avenue G. 16tf

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS

The State of Texas
County of Haskell

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of the Commissioners Court of Haskell County, Texas, made and entered on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1958, appointing the undersigned as Commissioner to sell and dispose of, at public auction, the herein-after described tract of land of said Haskell County, Texas, in accordance with the terms and provisions of Article 1577 of Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Annotated, now in effect, I will, on the first Tuesday in June, 1958, same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Haskell County, Texas, in the town of Haskell, Texas, between the hours of 10 a.

m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said order and said Article 1577, sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said Haskell County, Texas, the following described tract of land, situated in Haskell County, Texas, to-wit:

Being out of the SW corner of the John Campbell 1-3 League Survey, No. 58, Abst. No. 91, and patented to John Campbell on March 9th, 1857, Patent No. 712, and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point 10.8 varas N. of the SW corner of the John Campbell Survey;

THENCE N. (variation 8 deg. 50' E) 37 varas, a hackberry stake on W. bank of branch from which a small hackberry bears W. 1 varas a gumlastic bears S. 2 deg. W. 3.3 varas;

THENCE E. at 3 varas branch cross Red Creek at 571 varas a stake from which a mesquite bears S. 38 deg. W. 3.4 varas; Do bears N. 69 deg. W. 5.4 varas;

THENCE S. 37 varas set stake

10.8 varas N. of S. B. line of John Campbell Survey, from which a hackberry marked X on S. side bears S. 70 deg. 48' W. 24.3 varas;

THENCE W. Crossing Red Creek 571 varas to the place of beginning, containing 37-10 acres of land;

And, in compliance with said order and said Article 1577 of Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, Annotated, now in effect, I give this notice by publication, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks preceding such sale, in The Haskell Free Press, a newspaper published in Haskell County, Texas, the county in which such real estate is located, and which is also the county which owns such real estate.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION OF TOWN OFFICERS FOR TOWN OF O'BRIEN, TEXAS

The State of Texas
County of Haskell

To the Qualified Electors of the Town of O'Brien, Texas:

Take Notice that an election will be held on the 10th day of May.

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Prisoners - - -
(Continued from page 1)

Golden, in jail on forgery charges, and the other two identified by the sheriff as Dan Earnest Griffin, 22, of Stamford, under grand jury indictment for burglary, and Raymond T. (Jackie) Stevens, 19, of Anson - had access to the "runaround" in the jail so they could move from cell to cell but still were locked up. Someone removed the bolts from the steel plate and fixed it so

the plate appeared riveted from the front like all others in the cells. Thursday about 1:30 a. m. the three left the jail, went over the fence around the jailyard and broke into Bill Wilson Motor Co., about 1 1/2 blocks away. They took \$20 from an office and battered open the safe, getting \$62.43 more. Leaving by the same window they had entered, the burglars stopped at the Indian Grill sandwich shop about 1/2-block from the jail, broke in and got the cigars, candy, and food, then

went back to jail and divided the money. On Friday Stevens, who had been serving out a fine, was transferred to Jones County to face charges there. Saturday about midnight, Golden and Griffin went out of the jail again and broke into Medford Motor Co., three and a half blocks from the jail. They knocked the knob off the safe but couldn't open it. Also unsuccessful at "peeling" the safe, they gave up and returned to jail. At 11 p. m. Sunday Golden left the jail and did not return. Griffin remained in jail. The escape was discovered Monday. Tuesday morning Jones County Sheriff Dave Reeves arrested Golden at a drive-in in Stamford. Golden offered no resistance and was alone. Sheriff Reeves took Golden to Anson and placed him in the Jones County jail. Sheriff Pennington of Haskell picked him up there about 4 p. m. and returned him to Haskell's jail where the easy-come, easy-go exit had been welded shut. When Golden left the jail Sunday, three other prisoners in addition to Griffin and Golden also were in the runaround and could have escaped also, but claimed they did not know of the break-out. Sheriff Bill Pennington, Deputy Garth Garrett and Texas Ranger H. F. (Buddy) Hendricks of Jacksboro questioned Stevens in the Jones County jail Monday night. Stevens signed a statement admitting his part in the burglaries and told of the activities of others. Tuesday night the sheriff, Garrett and Ranger Byron Curran of Vernon and Highway Patrol Sgt. Frank Jirick of Haskell questioned Golden who also made a detailed statement. Sheriff Pennington said charges of jailbreaking and burglary would be filed against the three men.

1957 Second Worst Year for Traffic Deaths in Texas

Texas improved their driving sufficiently in 1957 to lower the motorcade total by 72 persons over the all-time record high of 2,611 who met death on the highways in 1956, but they paid increasingly for it while adding more than two billion (B) miles to the distances they traveled. The annual final report of the Statistical Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety shows that Texas motorcades dropped from the record-breaking 2,611 in 1956 to 2,539 in 1957. These totals left 1956 the greatest killer-year of all in Texas, traffic-wise, and gave 1957 the dubious honor of being the second worst. But there was an improvement of 3 per cent. Governor Price Daniel's traffic safety director, Brad Smith, said the new total means that "72 Texans lived through 1957 who would have been killed in Texas traffic had the 1956 death rate continued," and added: "Something was done when the full horror of the 1956 highway tragedy in this great state became known."

Smith called attention to passage by the Texas Legislature of Senate Bill 477 establishing the Texas Traffic Safety Council, as an example of the swift action that followed the 1956 tragedy. This bill called on six of the top agencies and departments of the Texas State Government to use their influence and personnel to help solve the problem. The Council, headed by Gov. Daniel as chairman and Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the DPS as vice chairman, staged three special safety publicity campaigns last year during heavy holiday traffic periods. These spot campaigns apparently helped reduce the usual toll during those periods. A co-ordinated program of activity, involving these and several other state departments, is now being developed. While the 1957 death toll was down 3 per cent from 1956, the number of accidents jumped from 61,945 to 67,896, about 10 per cent, and the number of injuries increased by some 9.6 per cent, from 111,501 in 1956 to 122,195 in 1957. At the same time Texans increased their traveling by 6 per cent, from an estimated 40.1 billion (B) miles in 1956 to 42.4 billion (B) miles in 1957. The death rate per 100 vehicle miles driven showed a decrease of 8 per cent, dropping from 6.5 death for every 100 million miles in 1956 to 6.0 in 1957. Estimated economic loss from Texas motorcades, plus human injuries and property damage, amounted to \$277,500,000, an increase of \$47,800,000 over 1956. Col. Garrison pointed out that the reduction in the death rate and the increase in the vehicle miles traveled, greatest in the history of the state, meant that Texas highways last year were actually safer than ever before. But both Col. Garrison and Smith agreed that the price of 2,539 lives lost on Texas highways was too high, but that only careful obedience to traffic laws and careful driving attitudes on the part of Texas drivers could reduce the toll. "Thankful as we are that both the death toll itself and the death rate were down," Smith concluded, "nobody in Texas takes any pride in the loss of 2,539 Texans in this needless way. And worse, while Texans were driving an extra 46 million miles a week last year they were injuring an extra 206 persons in an extra 114 crashes every week and the economic losses were jumping at the rate of \$92,000 a week over the 1956 rate. Even for fabulous Texas, this was unbelievably fantastic waste."



REV. TOM MOSLEY



REV. ARTHUR TRAVIS

Youth Revival Will Begin May 2 At Rule First Baptist Church

A Youth Revival will be held at the First Baptist Church in Rule, beginning Friday, May 2, and continuing through Sunday evening services May 4. Rev. Rodney C. Dowdy is pastor of the church. An evangelistic team from the student body of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will lead the revival. Rev. Arthur Travis will be the preacher and Rev. Tom Mosley will lead the singing. The evangelistic team will also include a pianist and organist.

Services will be held each night beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The youth of the church will be on the various committees to promote prayer meetings, attendance, and advertising. Rev. Mosley is music director of the First Baptist Church in Munday. Rev. Travis is a brother of Mrs. Grady Allison, whose husband is pastor of the Munday church.

Paint Creek FFA Hosts Father-Son Barbecue

Members of the Paint Creek F. F. A. and their sponsor, Willie Lee Medford, entertained their fathers and the members of the Board of Education with a barbecue supper Monday night, April 28 at the lunch room. Underwood's of Abilene served the meal. A regular FFA Chapter meeting was conducted with vice president, Kenneth Carlton acting as president in the absence of President Jimmy Griffith who is ill. Roy Scheets acted as vice president, and Johnny Watson acted as secretary in the absence of Secretary Gobby Edwards. Other officers are Roy Petrich, treasurer; Robert Weaver, sentinel; John McRae, reporter; and advisor, Willie Lee Medford.

The following awards were made: Roy Scheets, Electrification; John McRae, Public Speaking; Albert Roberts, Farm Safety; Robert Weaver, Soil and Water Management; Roy Petrich, Farm Mechanics; Kenneth Carlton, Chapter Star Farmer; and Jimmy Griffith received the DeKaib Award.

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a short distance away. They went to a nearby telephone and notified officers and summoned an ambulance from Holden Funeral Home. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd were removed to the Haskell Hospital, and body of Mr. Frazier was taken to Holden Funeral Home. Later, a Pinkard Funeral Home coach from Rule removed the accident victim's body to that city. Beard, who told persons first reaching the scene that he was unhurt, remained at the site of the wreck for a short time. Later he was brought to the hospital by Highway Patrol Sgt. Frank Jirick. Examination revealed that Beard had received a fracture of one bone in his left knee. Investigating the accident were Highway Patrolmen Arthur Mason and Tommy Wood, Sgt. Jirick, Sheriff Bill Pennington, Deputy Garth Garrett and Haskell Chief of Police Tom Paul Barnett. Death of the Rule man was Haskell County's 7th traffic fatality in 1958. Scene of Sunday's fatal accident was four miles east of the place on Highway 24 where five persons were killed last Feb. 22 in a two-car collision. **Bites for Victim Held**
Tuesday
Funeral service for Mr. Frazier was held at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Rule. Officiating was the pastor, Rev. Rodney Dowdy. Burial was in Rule Cemetery under direction of Pinkard Funeral Home, of that city. Mr. Frazier is survived by his wife and two small sons, Dale, three, and Dan, one and one-half years old; his mother, Mrs. Jim Frazier; three sisters, Mrs. E. F. Martin, Mrs. D. Arrington and Peggy Frazier, all of Rule; two brothers, Dick Frazier of Rule and Wayne Frazier of Seymour. The accident victim was a nephew of former Stonewall County Sheriff Warren Frazier. Eighty-nine of Texas 254 counties have general library service.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
The Free Press is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries. All listings are made on an advertising basis, cash in advance.
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FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
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