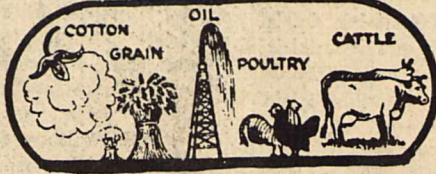


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## Arts & Crafts Deadline Is Today

All exhibits for the Arts and Crafts Show must be brought to the Corral Building at the Haskell County Fair grounds on Thursday July 1. Entries will be accepted from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m.

All entries should be properly tagged with name, division, and description of article. All art entries must be properly framed, no wires or tacks will be furnished.

Entries must be picked up between 9 p.m. and 10 p.m. on July 3 (Saturday).

Exhibits will include all types of arts and crafts including those made by senior citizens and the youth of our county.

The needlework division consists of all types of handwork including quilts, afghans, crochet, needlepoint, etc. Articles are to be displayed only and will not be judged.

## Dr. W. J. Kemp Honored By Dental Assoc.

Outstanding senior dental students at the University of Texas Dental Branch in Houston have been honored by the faculty and state and local dental associations for superior performance and scholarship.

Honored by the American Society of Dentistry for Children for outstanding interest and ability in the field of dentistry for children was W. J. Kemp, Jr. of Haskell. Kemp also received the award from the American Academy of Oral Roentgenology for his accomplishments in oral radiology.

Dr. Kemp, a June graduate of the University of Texas Dental Branch-Houston will begin a two-year residency program in Children's Dentistry at the Texas Children's Hospital in Houston early in July. Dr. Kemp, is the son of Dr. and Mrs. William J. Kemp of Haskell.



**OH GET LOST FELLAS...**This endeavor doesn't seem to be going over too well with the horse. This is one of the many exciting events in Haskell's first Wild West Show held last Friday and Saturday. The show was produced by Rex Felker and sponsored by the Haskell Jaycees and the City-County Bicentennial Committee. (Staff Photo)



**THE EQUALIZATION HEARING** drew a standing room only crowd...Haskell County land owners were well represented at the Commissioners Court Board of Equalization meeting Tuesday, June 22, to voice their opinions and questions concerning the re-evaluation of property. The Commissioners Court sitting as the Board of Equalization met to answer questions in reference to the proposed increase in property values. Individuals signed up for more personal talks on a one to one basis and these talks are taking place now. (Staff Photo)

## Judge Explains Equalization

Judge B. O. Roberson discussed the difficulty the Board of Equalization was having in getting across what they were doing and what has made it necessary.

What it amounts to is that property values have remained low for several years (estimated 30 years) with no re-evaluation, property that was valued at \$100.00 per acre several years ago is still paying taxes on that amount. On the other hand the fair market value of that same land (or what the land owner might be willing to sell the property for) has increased to as much as six hundred dollars.

The re-evaluation simply increases the property value by 30% of its original appraised value which would be in this example, \$130.00 and the taxable portion is 25% of that \$130.00 or \$32.50.

Law regulates the maximum tax that can be charged per hundred dollar evaluation, which in this case is 80c for the general fund and 45c for roads and bridges, bringing the maximum tax to \$1.25 per \$100.00 (this law was passed in 1908) of taxable value, in this case \$32.50 equaling a tax payment due in the amount of 41c.

Judge Roberson sighted a number of reasons making this move necessary, and they all revolve around the increased cost of running a county government. Prices have gone up and new regulations passed effecting the county government as well as the average citizen.

Among the additional expenses sighted were: workmans compensation, which is now required by law as of July 1, 1976. This will cost an additional \$9,000.00; the ambulance service for the county, the counties share being \$20,000.00 (the remaining two-thirds is divided between the City of Haskell and the hospital district); Insurance premiums that are now required that were not necessary before will cost about \$9,000.00; the balance of the estimated \$54,000.00 in additional funds needed to just stay even are represented in increased utility rates, general supplies, etc.

Judge Roberson stressed that the figures quoted were maximum rates and he felt sure that the final tax would

be less than the 80c but there is no way of knowing until all budget requests are submitted.

## Haskell CC Best Ball Winners

A 36 hole couples best ball golf tournament was held June 26 and 27 at the Haskell Country Club. Participating were couples from the Haskell area who made up twenty-eight teams.

The top 3 flights all playing for cash prizes were the Championship Flight members: Strickland-Jenkins, 136; Doug and Nadine Jones, 139; Charlie and Shirley Orren, 140; Jack and Ruby Medford, 141; First Flight members were: Tim and Paula Everett, 149; Bill and Betty Buckhar, 154; Bob and Betty Raines, 154; Leroy and Dorothy Smith, 156; Second Flight: Bill and Stella Steele, 156; Mont and Marion Frierson, 161; Jimmy and Brenda Bynum, 164; Bobby and Linda Watson, 165; John Montgomery and Lola Milstead 165.

**WEATHER SUMMARY**  
June 22-29

**TEMPERATURE**  
Hi.....100°.....23rd  
Lo.....68°.....27th

**RAINFALL**  
27th.....0.22  
Total.....0.22  
Normal to Date.....12.06  
Total to Date.....6.63

## HASKELL CITY-COUNTY BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

- July 2-3 10:00 a.m. Arts and Crafts Show and Sale  
County Fair Grounds
  - 8:00 a.m. Flea Market County Fair Grounds
  - July 3 7:00 p.m. Family Picnic and Games  
Rice Springs Park
  - July 4 1:00 p.m. Nation-wide Bell Ringing  
Commemorating exact time of Signing of  
Declaration of Independence
  - July 4 8:45 p.m. Festival of Religious and  
Patriotic Music Rice Springs Park
- EVERYONE IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO COME  
AND HELP US CELEBRATE**

## Singing School Starts Monday

Students will begin arriving soon for the eleventh annual Haskell Singing School to be held July 5-16. The school, which is under the oversight of the elders of the Haskell Church of Christ, Haskell, is anticipating a record enrollment. Last year's largest with approximately 130 students. Young people from all sections of the country participate regularly in the school. States represented last year were: Louisiana, Texas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico and Alabama. Students have come from as far away as New Hampshire and Virginia to attend the well-known school.

Holland Boring, Sr. of Bryan will direct this session of the school. He has assumed this responsibility since the school's beginning. Other

instructors will be: Holland Boring, Jr., minister, Grand Prairie; Bob Connell, minister from Post, Texas; Tom Chapin, minister from Amarillo; and Billy Bob Shaw, ACU, Abilene, Texas.

A unique feature of the Haskell Singing School is that all students are housed with local Christian families. In these individual homes they eat their morning and evening meals, rest, prepare for the following day's classes, help with assigned chores and participate in nightly devotionals. In essence, for a

two-week period, they become a part of another Christian family whom they learn to love, made up of "foster-parents" and other young people. It is a concept that has proven most successful in the ten year history of the school.

Anyone 10 years of age and older is invited to attend. The purpose of the school is to improve congregational singing by training all Christians interested. Special emphasis is given to song leading. There are additional courses, however, in song reading, rudiments, song writing, etc. The school is for men and women, boys and girls. Cost of attending the two-week school is \$35.00 tuition, \$50.00 room and board and approximately \$5.00 for other materials (text books, etc.).

Additional information or application forms may be obtained by writing Haskell Church of Christ, 510 N. Ave. E., Haskell, Texas 79521. Telephone (817) 864-3101 or 864-2772.

## Meet The Candidate

J. W. Aycock, president of Haskell County Farm Bureau presided over a closed meeting of "Meet the Candidate" with Rep. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls Thursday night, June 24, at the Haskell Steak House. Leaders and members from Stonewall, Knox, and Haskell counties attended along with State Director Marvin Plemister of Weinert and Field Rep. Steve Cochran of Aspermont.

They discussed key agriculture issues. "We appreciate Rep. Farabee taking time to meet with us in this small group fashion where each of us could personally talk with him," said Mr. Aycock.

## Haskell Grant Announced By Burluson

It was announced Wednesday morning by Congressman Omar Burluson that approval had been given for a \$223,350.00 Environmental Protection Grant to the City of Haskell. This is for the step 3 project for construction of waste water treatment facilities. The current eligible cost of this project is \$297,800.00.

## Wild West Show Results

The Wild West Show competition results were reported to the Free Press as follows:

- Jr. Division 13 and under age group:  
1st place: Shawn Chambers;  
2nd place: Carl Hopkins; 3rd Place: Tina Morris.
- Pole Bending:  
1st Gena Brooks; 2nd Carl Hopkins; 3rd Missie Bearden.
- Break away roping:  
1st place, Mark Wallace.
- Open Barrel Race: Friday night.  
1st Helen Mary Holmes, 2nd Glenda Gail Chapman, 3rd (Tie) Debra Morris and Gena Brooks.
- Open Barrel race Sat. night.  
1st Shawn Chambers, 2nd Tammy Herricks, 3rd Carl Hopkins.



**HEY IT'S HOT IN THERE!**...The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department gained valuable instruction in fighting LP gas fires last week. A combination of classroom instruction and actual demonstration were presented to HVFD firemen by Ranger Insurance Co. The demonstration was designed to familiarize fire fighters with procedures for handling LP gas fires. The men conducting the training travel throughout the country holding these classes, depending on Texas A&M to handle their schedule in Texas. (Staff Photo)



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FOR SALE: 1 1/2 acres land, grocery store, office building, 6 room house, 3 storage buildings. Other misc. items. See Hoie Harrell or call 864-2172. 24-27p

FOR SALE: 100 Acres 5 miles southeast of Haskell. 50 in cultivation, 50 in grass, 1/2 royalty, \$300.00 per acre. W. L. Bischofshausen, 3241 S. Main, Ft. Worth, Tx 76110, 817-923-1277. 26-29c

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LOST: Small black, part poodle puppy with a little of white on paws and under neck. Lost around area Ave. F. Please contact Nicky Cobb. Reward offered. Phone 864-2182. 27p

MISSING: 57 Ford pickup, light blue with white top. License #1DB518, papers in pocket belonging to John P. McMillion. If found call 864-3003, \$50.00 reward. 27-28p

### Public Notices

Haskell County Commissioners will open bids at their regular meeting place in the Courthouse at 10:00 a.m. on July 12, 1976, for one 1976, 2 ton truck with the following specifications: Cab & Chassis, 84" Cab to Axle, Maximum GVW - 24,000#, 330 Cu. in. heavy duty engine or equal, 2 speed rear axle (low speed), Extra heavy duty springs, Auxiliary springs, 900x20-ply tires, Erie Wheels, Rear P.T.O., Heavy Duty Cooling, West Coast type mirrors. If further information is required, please contact Bud Turnbow. The Court reserves the right to accept or refuse any or all bids.  
Haskell County Commissioners Court  
B. O. Roberson, County Judge Haskell Co. 27c

### FOR SALE

One 1968 eight-cylinder Chevrolet 48-passenger school bus. The engine has been replaced and the replacement engine has approximately 15,000 miles on it. The body and tires are in good condition. This bus can be inspected at the bus garage at the Haskell Independent School.  
Sealed bids will be opened July 6, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. Bids should be mailed to: R. K. Sams, Supt., Haskell Independent School, Box 666, Haskell, Texas 79521.  
The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids. 27c

THE WEINERT SCHOOL BOARD will consider bids on a 1963 Chevrolet school bus. The board reserved the right to refuse any or all bids. 27c

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Arthur Edwards wish to express their deep appreciation for all the kindness, sympathy, thoughtfulness and help that friends have shown to us during the recent illness and death of Mrs. Edwards. 27c

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all my friends for all their prayers, love cards, and gifts while I was in the hospital. A special thanks to Dr. Thigpen, Dr. Colbert and Dr. Cadenhead. I would like to thank all the nurses for being so kind to me. A special thanks to Jimmy Griffith for his visits and prayers. May God bless you all. Mrs. Bessie Green. 27p

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all the wonderful friends and neighbors who helped us through the loss of our mother. Your kind actions and words of sympathy will always be remembered.  
We are grateful to the staff at Rice Springs Care Home and Haskell Memorial Hospital for the loving care and consideration extended to our mother. The help of Dr. Thigpen, Dr. Cadenhead and Rev. Graff was especially appreciated. The family of Margaret Weinert. 27p

### CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to the doctors and nurses for being so nice while I was in the hospital and the visits from the people of Rule, too. Love you all, Ann Ledesma. 27p

### Public Notices

#### CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Washington Alexander, wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to those who helped at the hospital, doctors, nurses and staff. Thanks for the beautiful floral offering, food, words of consolation and the many kindness shown us during the illness and loss of our loved one. Thanks also to the staff of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home. May God's richest blessing rest upon each and everyone of you is our prayer. Family of Washington Alexander. 27c

### OBITUARIES

#### W. Alexander

Washington Alexander, 76, of Weinert, died Thursday, June 24, at 3:55 in the Haskell Memorial Hospital after a short illness.

The Rev. Katherine Byrd of the Foursquare Church in Weinert and Rev. Floyd Bailey, District Superintendent of the Foursquare Churches officiated. Services were held at Weinert at the First Baptist Church on Sat. June 26. Burial followed at the Weinert Cemetery.

Born September 17, 1899, in Dale, Texas, he had been a resident of Weinert for most of his life. On October 10, 1920 he married Bertie Ann Sanders, in the Cottonwood Community. He was a member of the Weinert Foursquare Church.

He was survived by his wife Bertie Alexander of Weinert; five sons, Hershel Elvin of Weinert, George Jackson of Cibola, Thomas Earl of San Antonio, J. C. of Veneta, Oregon, and Roy of Lubbock; four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Lee Fenn, of Clovis, N.M., Mrs. Andra Victoria Schindler of Abilene, Mrs. Harriet Evelyn Ellington of Muleshoe, Mrs. Faye Beatrice Crawford of San Antonio; four sisters, Mrs. Nettie Matthews of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Sallie Sanders of Weinert, Mrs. Lola Tidrow of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Melba Kim of Phoenix, Arizona; two brothers, J. T. of Weinert and Albert of Buckeye, Arizona.

Pallbearers were W. H. Patterson, Donald Griffith, Wayne Stout, Rex Herricks, Melvin Vojkufka and Jr. Horan.

#### Otis Elmore

Otis Elmore, 61, of Haskell, a long time employee of Haskell Memorial Hospital died Saturday after a short illness. Services were held Monday at 3 p.m. at the Eastside Baptist Church. Mr. Elmore's many friends filled the church and even more stood outside during the service. Burial followed at the Willow Cemetery.

The Rev. Jimmy Griffith, pastor of the Eastside Baptist Church and Rev. Gary Elmore, pastor of the Tower Baptist Church in Midland officiated.

Born April 14, 1915, in Haskell County, he was well known in the area, serving as a deacon in the Eastside Baptist Church he had lived in Haskell County all his life. On December 28, 1940 he married Marie Hammer here in Haskell.

Mr. Elmore is survived by his wife, Marie; one son, W. O. Elmore of Snyder; four brothers, J. C. Elmore of Atoka, Oklahoma, J. W. Elmore of Gilmer, L. D. Elmore of Dublin, and E. L. Elmore of Rule.

Pallbearers were Jerry Weatherly, Gerry Covington, Wallace Bird, Melvin Turnbow, Jack Jarred and C. O. Holt. Honorary pallbearers were the Deacons of the Eastside Baptist Church.

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### Mrs. Odell Helweg Named C/F Kiss A Baby Chairman

"Little more than a decade ago the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation was working to keep C/F youngsters alive long enough to start school. Now we are trying to help some of these same patients, who have grown to young adulthood, enter college or find jobs."

These encouraging words came from Mrs. Helweg of Haskell, Texas as she accepted the chairmanship of the 1976 Kiss A Baby Campaign of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Lone Star Chapter.

"Longevity has increased every year because of earlier diagnosis and progress on research and cure" said Mrs. Helweg. "It is efforts such as these that we support by volunteering for and contributing to the Kiss A Baby Campaign." This year's campaign in Haskell begins with a door-to-door march in September.

"When a C/F Kiss A Baby marcher knocks on your door, give as generously as you are able," she said. "Remember that even today, with the improvements research and care have brought, there is no cure for this inherited, genetic disease. It is still destroying lungs, digestion and lives."

Among the programs of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation are support for over 100 Cystic Fibrosis Centers across the nation. "These Centers provide diagnosis, treatment and referral to children who have these lung-damaging diseases as well as those who suffer from gastrointestinal disorders related to cystic fibrosis," the campaign chairman said. In Texas there are clinics at San Antonio, Houston, and Dallas.

The Foundation also funds research to find a cure and control for cystic fibrosis, the most serious of these lung-damaging diseases, and to develop better treatments for children suffering from all lung disorders.

"The treatments that prolong the lives of children with cystic fibrosis also alleviate, and often cure, children with other lung-damaging dis-

eases", she said. Cystic Fibrosis, the number one genetic killer of children affects one out of every 1,500 babies born each year and occurs when a child inherits two genes for the disease, one from each parent.

"The parents don't have cystic fibrosis, but they are among the 10 million carriers of the gene in the United States," she said and added that one goal of Foundation-supported research is a test to detect these carriers.

"We don't need more reasons than these to actively support the Kiss A Baby Campaign."

### LCC Introduces Two New CED Courses

Two courses to help individuals increase their earning potential in the real estate field will get underway in July as a part of the Continuing Education Division at Lubbock Christian College.

Starting July 6 will be Basic Real Estate, which provides initial instruction necessary for the state examination. The Class continues through Aug. 12 and meets each Tuesday and Thursday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

The second course is Brokerage and Marketing. It will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from July 20 through Aug. 26.

New to LCC's list of course offerings is Speedwriting, a nationally known system of alphabetic shorthand. It is scheduled for July 20 through Aug. 26.

Two hobby-oriented courses also start in July. They are Liquid Silver and Macrame.

For further information or pre-registration contact Frankie Faver at 792-3221, extension 222.

### GCA To Hold Public Hearings

Public hearings on the Governor's Committee on Aging (GCA) 1977 State plan will be held July 12, 14 and 15 in Abilene, Dallas and San Antonio.

The GCA administers over \$14 million in federal funds under the Older American's Act. The plan outlines objectives, action steps and resource allocations for fiscal year 1977.

The July 12th hearing in Abilene will be at Rosepark Senior Center, South 7th and Mockingbird, from 1-4 p.m. Chris Kyker, Director of the Area Agency on Aging, West Central Texas Council of Governments is the local coordinator.

Copies of the draft summary may be obtained from Area Agency on Aging Offices, Regional Offices on Aging, or by writing to the Governor's Committee on Aging, P. O. Box 12786, Austin, 78711.

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### Wheat Prod's Have 15 Days

Now that the wheat harvest is over. Producers are reminded that they must file their production with the County Office 15 days after harvest if they believe it will fall into the low yield category. Also, those that are intending to participate in the proven yield program must turn in their production as soon as possible.

Cotton producers are reminded that they must certify their cotton acreage by July 15. All farms with an effective allotment, except those that released or transferred their cotton acreage for the 1976 crop year, will need to certify even if they did not plant any cotton. Those producers that do not certify by the July 15 deadline will have their 1976 yield set at zero (0) pounds.

The farmer is asked to do some preliminary work on his own due to the new certifying procedure this year. Each field will have to be certified separately and it takes a little more time than in the past. Approximately 1000 farmers need to certify on or before July 15.

Due to the importance of certification, the County Office will remain open through the noon hour from July 6 to July 15, to afford producers additional time to certify cotton acreages.

Glenn R. Brzozowski County Executive Director

### Safe Boating Stressed

The July 4 three-day weekend is sure to increase the traffic on Texas roads—and on our waterways. With boat owners numbering almost half a million, Texas Safety Association, in recognition of Safe Boating Week, July 4-10, reminds boaters to keep an eye out for each other.

Each year between 400 and 500 Texans die in drowning accidents, mainly during holiday periods. To assure that your holiday is free from injury, keep in mind these boating safety tips:

\* Check to see that your boat and trailer are in tip-top

shape before leaving home. \* Always have sufficient life preservers accessible to everyone on board.

\* Carry filled fire extinguishers—and use caution when filling fuel tanks.

\* Remember that the rules for safe driving apply on the water, too. Hot rodding and drinking while boating are taboo!

Water safety rules also apply to fishermen, swimmers, waterskiers who will be enjoying the water along with boaters. Waterskiers, in particular, should remember to confine their skiing to areas where there is no swimming or skin diving; to wear approved life jackets; and, to exercise caution. Excessive speed and sudden contact with obstacles in unfamiliar channels can end the holiday in grief.

Texas Safety Association joins with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary in asking Texans to observe Safe Boating Week, July 4-10—and to continue the spirit of safe boating the whole year 'round.

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### Haskell 4-H Attend Teen Leader Lab

The District 3, 4-H Council recently helped a Teen Leader Lab with ninety youth participating from fifteen counties. Attending from Haskell County were: Jill LeFevre of Sagerton, Kris Kupatt of Sagerton, Kerry Kemp of Haskell, Bonnie Woods of Rule, Janette Holmes and Teresa Jenkins of Rochester, Tauniya White of Paint Creek, Kraig Kupatt of Sagerton, Mark and Russ Lewis of Rule. "You and Your Community" was the theme of the leadership lab, according to Nancy Nehring, 4-H and Youth Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. 4-H members under the leadership of Junior Leader Counselors did activities that helped them gain understanding of the organization and operation of the community.

Each county developed a plan of a group project their 4-H Club or Junior Leader organization would implement in the county.

Haskell County youth plan to have a community effort to clean up parks by cutting grass, planting flowers, improve playground equipment, improve bathroom facilities and cleaning out a creek.

Community development is an activity that is part of the 4-H program in each county. Youth and adults join together to assist people and organizations to improve various aspects of their community.

The Junior Leader counselors assisted with conducting recreation, assemblies and group activities. The Teen Counselor from Haskell was Rod Townsend of Rochester.

**NOTICE**

Haskell 4-H Club members are reminded the 4-H Award Record Books are due in the County Extension Agent's Office.

Complete record books may be turned in for County

Awards and District Record Book Competition.

A Design For Discovery Form may be turned in for a County Award and it will not advance any further than the County Contest.

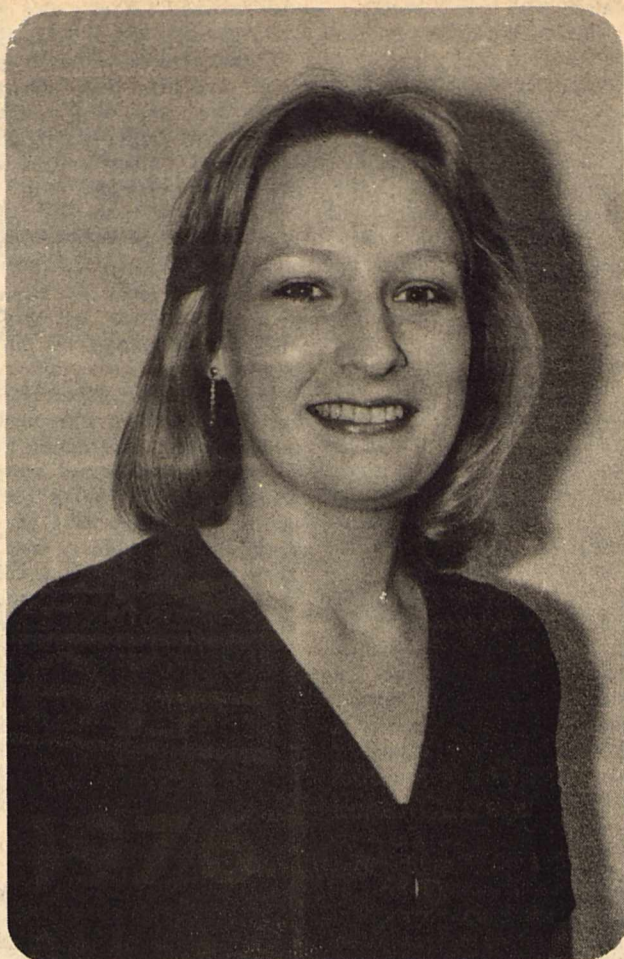
Any 4-H member or parent having questions should call County Extension Agents, Max Stapleton or Barbara Elliott.

### Paint Creek H-D News

The Paint Creek H-D Club met June 25th in the kitchen of the Extension Service at Haskell. Jane Coleman, president, presided over the meeting. The roll was called with five members present. The minutes and treasury reports were given from last meeting.

The program was on Clothing Trends. Slides were shown on new fashions.

Haskell's Market Place The Classified Ad Page



ELLEN ROSS WILLIAMSON

### Engagement Announced

The engagement of Ellen Ross Williamson and John Paul Montgomery was announced recently. The couple plans to wed on July 31, with the ceremony to be held in the First Presbyterian Church in Orange.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Williamson of Orange. The groom is the son of John C. Montgomery of San Angelo, formerly of Haskell, and Mrs. Dave Riley of Henderson.

Both are 1976 graduates of the University of Texas at Austin. They plan on residing in Galveston where Ellen will teach elementary school and John will attend Medical School.

John is the grandson of Mrs. Grace Montgomery and the late J. H. Montgomery of Haskell.

While tornadoes can occur in any month and at all hours of the day, they occur with greatest frequency during the late spring and early summer months, between the hours of 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.

It is estimated that more than 100,000 children are born or will become mentally retarded every year.

### Nanny Reunion Held Here

On Sunday, June 13, 1976, the annual Nanny Reunion was held in the American Legion Hall in Haskell.

After a delicious meal was spread and enjoyed by everyone, a short business meeting was held. Joel Nanny was elected president again for a second year, and a round of applause was given him for a job well done. The group voted to hold next year's reunion at Veda's Camp at Lake Stamford on the second Sunday in June. Everyone was urged to attend.

Those attending were from O'Brien, Baird, Abilene, Tolar, Odessa, Big Spring, Lubbock, Munday, and Haskell.

### Library News

A bicentennial puppet show is scheduled for July 3 (Saturday) featuring the dogs of Ben Franklin, Thomas Jefferson, John Adams, George Washington, and Betsy Ross. With a cast like this you don't want to miss delightful show sponsored by the Haskell County Library.

Show time is 10 a.m. at the Haskell County Library. This is a show for all ages presenting the Revolution from a dogs point of view.

Presenting the puppet show will be Mr. Dan Kardokus, who has had puppet shows in southern California and more recently for the Haskell Rotary Club. Helping him will be his sister Miss Melanie Kardokus.

### Library Science Course Available To Local Citizens

The Region 14 Education Service Center in Abilene announced today that arrangements have been finalized to offer two Library Science courses at the Center in cooperation with Texas Women's University at Denton. According to Dr. Robert E. Maniss, Assistant Director of the Center, the course to be offered this Fall will be L.S. 5613 "Audio-Visual Materials and Library Services." It will be taught at the Service Center on alternate Saturdays beginning in September and the instructor will be Dr. Al Nicosia of TWU. Another course, to be taught the Spring of 1977, probably will be L.S. 5613 "Children's Literature"; however, the definite course and instructor still remains to be determined. Dr. Maniss stated that each

course offered may be counted toward certification or degree plans and that registration costs will be TWU's regular rate. Anyone interested in

taking either of the courses should contact Dr. Maniss at the Education Service Center, P. O. Box 3258, Abilene, 79604 or by telephone at (915) 677-2911.

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MRS. SAMUEL BENNETT WILLIAMS II  
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## Dodson-Williams Wed

Lu Ann Dodson and Samuel Bennett Williams II exchanged wedding vows Saturday morning, June 26, at 11:00 a.m. in the bridegroom's mother's home at Rochester. Jack Hammans, minister of the First Christian Church in Haskell, officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. Dodson of Haskell and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. Herman T. Williams and Mrs. Anna Paul Williams both of Rochester. The ceremony was performed before arches entwined with lemon leaves with baskets on either side filled with greenery. Traditional wedding music was provided by Mrs. Russ Canfield of Stamford, grandmother of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an empire style gown of white eyelet embroidery accented with a wide ruffle and insertion with satin ribbon. Her picture hat was trimmed with an eyelet ruffle and satin ribbon. She carried a bouquet of white daisies and baby's breath centered with a green orchid.

Best man was Bob Penman of Stamford. Ring bearer was Andy Greenwood of Burk Burnett, nephew of the bridegroom.

Debbie Young of Haskell, registered guests in the Brides Book at a table decorated with a white wrought iron candelabra with votive candles set in a base of daisies.

Following the wedding ceremony the brides parents hosted a buffet luncheon.

The serving table was centered with a two-tiered wedding cake topped with the traditional bride and groom and decorated with touches of yellow roses. The brides bouquet and bridesmaids nosegays were used as decorations. Candelabras with tall white tapers also graced the table. Silver and crystal appointments were used. Serving guests were Suzanne Frierson and Debbie Young. Assisting in the houseparty was Mrs. Bob Guess of Haskell.

Father of the groom hosted the rehearsal dinner in the Cliff House at Stamford on the evening preceding the wedding.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School. The groom is a graduate of Rochester High School and is now a senior at the Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science. He is employed by Weiland Merritt Funeral Home of Dallas.

Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will make their home at 5656 Live Oak #206, Dallas.

## Around Town

by Lois and Lisa

Please tell us who—Elopes—Dies—Has an accident—Has a party—Gets married—Has guests—Goes away—Has a fire—Is ill—Has an operation—Wins a prize—Receives an award—Makes a speech—Moves to Haskell—Holds a meeting—Takes part in any unusual event. That's NEWS and we WANT it. Call 864-2686, ask for Lois or Lisa.

**Major and Mrs. James Lundy**, Chad and Jennifer are visiting in Oklahoma and Texas before moving to Panama for three years.

**Kevin Carter** spent last week in Haskell with his father, Free Press editor, Travis Carter.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bill Comedy** attended the Texas Press Association Convention in San Antonio last weekend.

**Recent visitors** in the home of Mrs. Claude Ashley were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris, Gardena, Ca., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blaine, Donnie, Ricky and Jay, Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Heald of Seminole. They all attended the Lawson family reunion in Monday on Sunday.

**Haskell's Senior Citizens** met Wednesday June 23 in the Community Room with O. W. Tooley presiding. The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Dora Klose; vice-president, Clara Holt; secretary, Mrs. Bill Reed; treasurer, Mrs. Oscar Tooley; reporter, Mrs. Dick Andrews. After games of 42 and 84, a covered dish meal was served. The next meeting will be July 14 at 2:30 in the Community Room. All Senior Citizens are invited to attend these meetings.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roland Dendy**, Bruce and Duron and a friend, June of Benson, Az. have been visiting Mr. Dendy's mother, Mrs. Leck Dendy.

**Visiting with Mrs. Gary Druessedow** on Sunday were four of her former photography students from Wichita Falls. They were Carol Horany, Rick Gregory, Dean Thomas, and Jan Swayden.

**Mr. and Mrs. Vance Abeldt** visited last weekend in Bonham with Mr. Abeldt's sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. E. Hancock and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Abeldt, Jeff and Ford and Monica in Lufkin.

**Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hemphill** of Simi Valley, Ca. have been visiting their mother, Mrs. M. R. Hemphill and other relatives.

**Angela and Holly Herren**, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Herren of Arlington are spending two weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Herren.

**Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stocks**, Julie, Chris, and Amy were visitors in the home of Mrs. Lydia Stocks.

**Mary Kay Place** of Los Angeles recently visited with Mrs. Mary Place of Rule. Also

visiting was Ed Bagley also of Los Angeles.

**Recent visitors** in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bob Colbert were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Colbert and boys, Matt and Eddy. Mrs. Colbert and boys had a weeks extended visit.

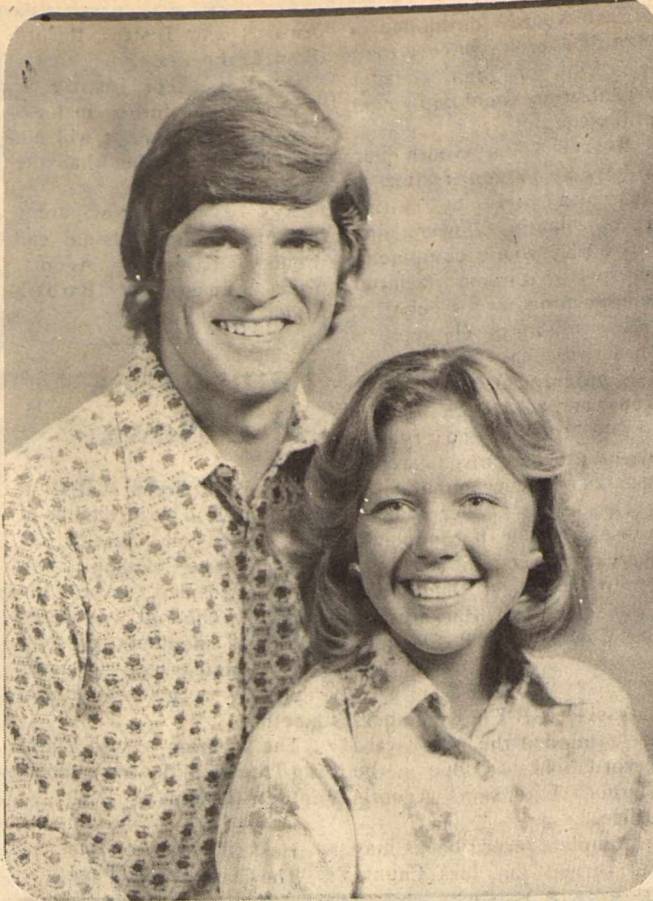
**Mrs. Velma Mallatt** of Whitesboro visited in Haskell on her way to Tuscola to visit with her new great grandson, Chance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pueschel and his big brother, Chris.

**Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts** and children have just returned from vacationing in Oklahoma and Arkansas. They visited the Will Rogers Memorial and Longs Wax Museum in Claremore, Okla. Then on to Arkansas where they spent a few days in the mountains at Bella Vista then visited Eureka Springs and saw the seven story statue of "Christ of the Ozarks" and went to the amusement park "Dogpatch USA". Then for a few days before returning home visited relatives in Paris, Ark.

## Cancer Center

The volunteer ladies of the Cancer Center for the month of June were Ethel Thomas, Laura Overton, Wilma Wallace, Grace Montgomery, Era Davis, May Brock, Lucille McCurley, Maye Bledsoe, Dora Klose, Laura Parker, and Beth Russell who met on the third floor of the Court House. These ladies meet each week on Thursday at 2 p.m.

They wish to express their thanks to everyone who donated old sheets and money to the project.



TERRY BATES—SHIRLEY ABBOTT

## Engagement Announced

Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Abbott Jr. of Spearman are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shirley Mae to Mr. Terry Guinn Bates of Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bates of Baird and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Guinn Medford of Haskell. Vows will be exchanged August 7, in ceremony at the First United Methodist Church in Haskell at 7:30 p.m.

The bride elect is a 1975 graduate of Spearman High School and is a student at McMurry College in Abilene. The future groom is a 1974 graduate of Baird High School and also a student at McMurry College.

The couple will make their home in Abilene where they will continue their studies at McMurry. Shirley is majoring in business, and Terry is majoring in Physical Education with plans to go into the coaching field.

## Hospital Notes

### Admissions

**MEDICAL:** Sandra S. Bradley, Knox City; E. A. Baty, Weinert; Jean Hollingsworth, O'Brien; Leta Stubblefield, Munday; Nathaniel Bedford, Ft. Worth; Eva Dell Hester, Haskell; Mertie E. Klutts, Rochester; Homer B. Jenkins, Haskell; Esker New, O'Brien; Raymond Brewer, Haskell; Virgie Tankersley, Knox City; Leonard E. Jones, Rochester; Betty Sue Woodall, Knox City; Alwilda Reese, Haskell; Lola Medford, Munday; Linnie Hickman, Haskell; Jack Walker, Haskell; Myrtle Townsend, Rochester; Truett Standefer, Seagraves.

**SURGICAL:** Molly Friske, Old Glory; Scarlett Brazell, Weinert.

### Dismissed

Sandra S. Bradley, E. A. Baty, Jean Hollingsworth, Leta Stubblefield, George Hunt, Pauline Bush, Stanley Martin, Connie Swearingen.

## Neidig's Honored With Fish Fry

On Friday, June 25, a farewell supper was held at the J. W. Howard home honoring the Don Neidig's who will soon be moving to Houston. A fish fry and freezers of ice cream were served to Mr. and Mrs. Don Neidig and children Belinda and Matthew. Also in attendance were the families of Roger Moeller, Robert Weaver, Glenn Brzosowski, and co-host families Ronnie Reynolds and J. W. Howard.

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WHEN: Thursday, July 1, 11:30 a.m.

WHERE: Haskell Steak House, Haskell

WHY: To discuss upcoming farmers union activities and to hear from you about what we need to be doing.

I HOPE YOU WILL TAKE A FEW MINUTES OUT OF YOUR BUSY SCHEDULE TO DROP BY AND VISIT WITH US. REMEMBER, WE'LL BE IN HASKELL AT THE HASKELL STEAK HOUSE ON THURSDAY, JULY 1, AT NOON. I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THEN.

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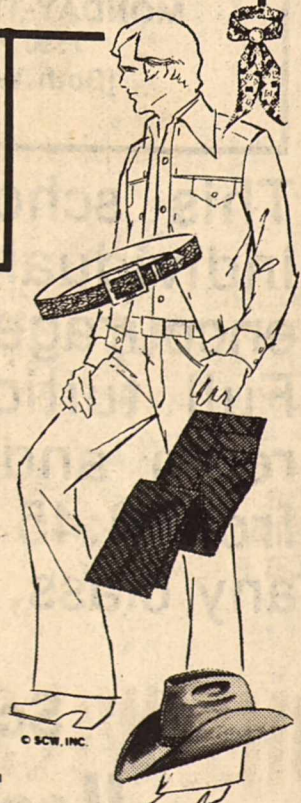
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MAJOR JAMES I. LUNDY

### Assigned To Canal Zone

Major and Mrs. James I. Lundy residents of Haskell are home on thirty day leave prior to assignment in the Canal Zone.

Having just completed training in Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Major Lundy has been re-assigned to Forces Development at Fort Amador, Canal Zone. He and his family will be at this duty station for thirty-nine months.

Major Lundy entered the Army in 1962 in the infantry, during this time he served two tours of duty in Vietnam, instructed ROTC at West Texas State University at Canyon for four years. He received his masters degree in Business Administration (MBS) in 1973.

A decorated soldier Major Lundy has to his credit, 3 Bronze stars, 2 meritorious service medals, an air medal, 3 Army commendations, Vietnamese service ribbon with six campaign stars, a Vietnamese staff service honor medal, senior Parachutist badge and a combat Infantrymans badge.

Major Lundy is married to the former Suzy Redwine of Haskell and they have two children, Chad, 9, and Jennifer, 5. They are visiting Mrs. Lundy's mother, Mrs. Lois Redwine, her father, T. C. Redwine in Haskell, and many of their friends in Texas and Oklahoma before leaving for the Panama Canal Zone.

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### Honor Grad's Recognized At M.S.U.

Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls conferred degrees on 641 candidates at the Spring Commencement ceremonies in the D. L. Ligow Coliseum.

Recognition was given to honor graduates, Pam Colbert McDonald and Barry Keith McDonald, by Dr. K. E. Hendrickson Jr., interim Vice President for the academic affairs. Pamela graduated Suma Cum Laude, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education. She majored in elementary education and minored in math. She completed her degree plan in the fall of 1975 with a 4.0 grade point average for the semester. Her graduating grade point average was 3.87. She received the Travis A. and Evalyn White scholarship award for the outstanding elementary education student. Dr. White served as president of MSU for 18 years.

Barry Keith McDonald, graduated Magna Cum Laude, with a Bachelor of Arts degree, with a major in political science and a minor in history. McDonald also completed his degree plan in the fall of 1975 with a 4.0 grade point average. Graduating with a total grade point average of 3.67.

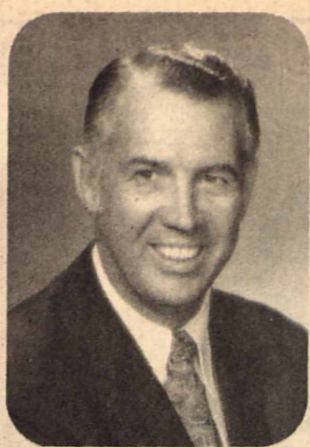
Pamela is a graduate of Haskell High School and the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Colbert of Haskell. Barry is a graduate of Hamlin High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McDonald of Hamlin.



### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wayne Hodgin of Haskell announce the birth of a son Lonnie Wayne, Jr. born June 23, 1976 in the Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 15 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Glendinning of Guymon, Okla. announce the birth of twin sons, John Casey weighing 4 lbs. 3 ozs. and Brent Michael weighing 5 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs. They were born Saturday, June 26,



E. KENNETH TOOLEY

### Kenneth Tooley Honored By TLRT

Galveston, Texas—The Outstanding Achievement Award, the highest honor to be bestowed by the Texas Leaders Round Table, was presented to Mr. E. Kenneth Tooley, Executive Vice President of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters, of Austin. Mr. Tooley is the son of O. W. Tooley of Haskell.

Tooley was given the award Friday, June 18, at the TLRT luncheon in connection with the 51st annual meeting of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters being held at the Moody Civic Center in Galveston.

Nominations for this award are submitted by TLRT members and the recipient is chosen on the basis of outstanding and meritorious service to the insurance industry, service that is above and beyond the call of duty. Nominees may be connected with an industry other than life insurance and may live out side the state of Texas.

As Executive Vice President of the 7,800 member Texas Association of Life Underwriters, Tooley has the responsibility of coordinating the activities of the organization and 39 local affiliate associations, along with special committees and 25 standing committees.

1976 at Guymon Hospital. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dick Watson of Guymon and Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Casey of Haskell.

### STOCK MARKET

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction was lower on a run of 1117 head of cattle, 271 hogs, and 1 goat at its sale Sat. June 26 according to James Powell reporter.

There will be no sale this Sat. July 3rd. Next sale will be July 10.

Butcher calves: choice, 32-34; good, 30-32; standard, 26-30; rannies, 23-26.

Cows: fat, 27-29; cutters, 23-27; canners 16-23; stockers, 23-26.

Bulls: bologna, 30-33; stockers, 28-36; utility 26-30.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice, 38-42.50; good, 34-38; medium, 30-34; common, 25-30.

Stocker Heifer Calves: choice, 30-33; good, 28-30; medium, 25-28; common, 23-25.

Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice, 38-41; good, 35-38; medium, 33-35; common, 25-33.

Feeder Heifer Yearlings:

### Troy Schwartz Appointed NSO Trainee

National Service Director John J. Keller, with the approval of National Commander Lyle C. Pearson has appointed Troy K. Schwartz a National Service Officer trainee.

Schwartz was born November 18, 1948, in Haskell and attended school here. He entered the U. S. Army on May 8, 1969 and was discharged on April 29, 1970, when disability retirement was necessary due to wounds received in combat in South Vietnam.

Schwartz worked for 3 1/2 years for the Haskell National Bank and 1 1/2 years as a radio operator for the Texas Department of Public Safety in Mineral Wells before joining the DAV's NSO staff as a trainee.

Schwartz and his wife, Amy, have one daughter, Nikki, and one son, Cory. He is a member of the Mineral Wells Chapter 85, and is training in Waco under the supervision of NSO Ken C. Smith.

Cows & Calves: good, 265-340; plain, 200-265. Top on hogs, 49-50; bulk of butcher hogs 48-49; sows, 38-41; boars, 33-36.



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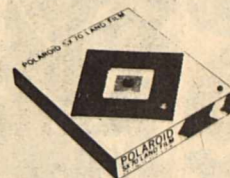
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# RULE ROUND-UP

BY OLETA CORNELIUS

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## BUSY BEE CLUB NEWS

Hostess to the members of the Rule Busy Bee Club in her home on Thursday, June 24, at 3 p.m. was Mrs. Ollis Macon.

The club was called to order by the club president, Mrs. H. Hines. Mrs. A. B. Arnett led the opening exercises with the reading of "Joy and Sorrow". In the absence of the club secretary Mrs. J. J. Wheeler, Mrs. W. V. Almond read the minutes which were approved and led the roll call of members. Happy Birthday was sung to Mrs. Macon in honor of that occasion.

A total of twenty seven visits were made to the sick and shut-ins and eleven dishes of food were carried to the ill

and shut-ins. Mrs. W. R. Mason read a reading entitled "The Good Old Days."

Needlework shown was Bicentennial pillow tops. A round table discussion on how to maintain a balanced diet was held by the members. Following the discussion, refreshments of punch and cake were served to the seven members attending.

The club will meet next in the home of Mrs. Lucy Williams on Thursday, July 8, at 3 p.m.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Miss Susan Lewis on earning a "Distinguished Student" ranking at Texas A&M University.

This ranking is limited to 10 percent of Texas A&M's undergraduate enrollment and recipients must have a 3.25 grade point ratio out of a possible 4.0.

Miss Lewis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lewis.

## PRE-REVIVAL SERVICES

The Prayer Committee of the City Wide Revival will be holding Wednesday night prayer services preceding the revival on Wednesday nights beginning July 7th, when the first service will be held at the First United Methodist Church with a sing song and prayer service. Other services will be held at the different churches participating in the revival. All in the community are cordially invited to attend and participate.

Serving on the Prayer Committee is Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stuller, Mrs. Nell Ashbrook, Rev. J. R. Williams and chairman, Ronnie Landes.

## FHA NEWS

The Rule Summer Home-making Program held a play school for pre-schoolers and painted the homemaking department kitchen cabinets.

Students participating were Lisa Burkuhl, Maria Lehmann, Tami Letz, Cheryl Marquis, Lesa Peel, Bonnie Woods, Lisa Smith, Linda

Rhoads, and they were assisted by Lynn Fouts, Tina Laughlin and Cindy Thompson.

Pre-schoolers who attended play school were Kyle and Kody Wilson, Deborah Sedberry, Tracie Landes, Kevin Saffel, Kathleen Kutch, Callan Benevides, Jason Tanner, and Jimmy Tanner.

The FHA girls had a swimming party at the Rule Recreation Club on Wednesday, June 23. Attending were: Kris Kupatt, Kelli Alexander, Emily Moore, Susan Swofford, Maria Lehmann, Lisa Burkuhl, Lisa Smith, Lesa Peel, Bonnie Woods, Tami Letz, Joanne Cloud and Cindy Thompson.

Touring the Abilene Mobile Homes and the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene last Wednesday June 23, were Bonnie Woods, Lesa Peel, Lisa Smith, Tami Letz and Mrs. Becky Baker. Following the tour they enjoyed lunch and a movie that afternoon.

## AARP

The Rule Chapter of American Association of Retired Persons met Monday night, June 21, at 6 p.m. in the Rule Philadelphian Clubhouse for a dinner meal and meeting. A total of thirty seven persons were present for the meeting.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Barbara Elliott, Home Demonstration Agent for Haskell County. The topic of Mrs. Elliott's talk was nutrition and the importance it can play in one's health and well being.

In the business meeting which followed, members voted to meet at the Rule Recreation Club for their next meeting which will be Monday, July 19, at 6 p.m. Hostesses for this meeting will be Faye Dunnam, Faye Gibson, and Letha Flippo. In other matters, discussion was held on another Drivers Education School to be held at a later date if enough interested persons could be found.

Hostesses for the evening meeting were Ruth Eaton, Margaret Davis and Mary Sue Henry.

## BABY SHOWER

Mrs. Vance Saffel was honored with a Come and Go Baby Shower on Thursday, June 24th, in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church between the hours of 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Guests registered in the baby's book at a small round table covered with a yellow gingham floor length cloth. Registering guests were Mrs. Sherry Beard and Mrs. Brenda Sedberry.

The serving table was laid with a cloth with Raggedy Ann and Andy designs on it and Raggedy Ann and Andy stand up figures were in the center of the table. A three tiered dish held red calico print diapers with mints in them. A large white cake decorated with large figures of Raggedy Ann and Andy was served to the guests with punch and mints and nuts. Serving guests was Mrs. Carol Kinney.

Gifts presented to the honoree were opened and then displayed on a large table covered with a white cloth.

Hostesses were Lou Landes, Sherry Beard, Joyce Saffel, Joy Bowles, Carol Kinney, Sue Stewart, Debbie Tanner, Marsha Simpson, Brenda Sed-

berry, Sheila McMeans, Betty Sue McDermott, Wanda Madina, Linda Burson and Diana Owens.

## LOCALS

Mrs. Bill Gann has returned home after visiting with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gann and Mary of Lubbock last week. Her granddaughter Mrs. Claud Stout of Haskell accompanied her and brought her niece Christie, and nephew David Yates of Lubbock, home to spend two weeks with her.

Mrs. Earlene Horton of Stamford Lake, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wheeler last Friday.

Mrs. Faye Simpson is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris and her new granddaughter, Elizabeth Jane, in Sweetwater this week.

Mrs. Odessa Hatfield and son Jerry of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Denny Hatfield and Jennifer, also of Abilene, visited with Mrs. Hatfield's mother, Mrs. W. C. Camp last Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Arnett visited with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Arnett and family of Breckenridge last Friday and was met there by Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rose of Fort Worth and also visited with them. On Friday night the group attended the Albany Fandango and on Saturday, attended a fish fry at Pottsum Kingdom Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kuntz of Abilene visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Gann last Monday and Tuesday.

Melissa Cornelius returned home to Wichita Falls last Monday after visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mahler and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cornelius.

Mrs. W. C. Camp visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Camp of Colorado City last week.

Mrs. Clara Hines and Mrs. Lucy Williams visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Faye Hill of Breckenridge and Mrs. Sandridge, formerly of Eastland, now of Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mahler visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Mahler of Olney and Mrs. W. P. Manuel of Elbert, last Sunday.

## BULLETIN BOARD

Tues. July 6, City Council  
Thurs. July 8—Busy Bees, 3 p.m.  
Mon. July 12, Lions Club  
Tues. July 13, Book Exchange 2 p.m. Frances Campbell; U.M.W. 2 p.m.

## NOTICE

The Haskell Foursquare Church will climax its Bicentennial activities Sunday, July 4th with the presentation of the musical, "If My People" at 6:00 p.m.

Earlier in the day, during the Sunday School Hour, Miss Star-Spangled Banner Girl, and Mrs. Yankee Doodle Dandy will be crowned.

Besides the honor of winning the contest, they each will receive free registration to the church sponsored Youth Camp.



**THE HASKELL COWBELLES** in promoting beef appointed Mrs. Dwanna Klose, Beef for Father's Day chairwoman. Mrs. Klose is shown here presenting a seven pound, fifteen ounce Pikes Peak roast to Mr. Lonnie Wayne Hodgkin the father of the Father's Day Baby. The star of the show, Lonnie Wayne Hodgkin Jr. born June 23 at 10:33 was not available for comment but he weighed in at seven pounds fifteen ounces. The CowBelles are wives of area cattle raisers who are helping their husbands by promoting beef where they can. (Staff Photo)

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## Right Around Home

By BEN MOFFETT

### CARLSBAD CAVERNS—A "COOL" PLACE TO VISIT, SUMMER OR WINTER

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The Cavern is naturally air conditioned at 56 degrees, which might make for a cool day on the beach, but it's perfect for walking if you're wearing a light sweater.

The complete walk-in trip begins at the Cavern's natural entrance near the visitor center and usually takes two and a half to three hours. But if you'd like, you can linger there, admiring the delicate formations, until the departure time of the last elevator. Everyone must depart by elevator.

The visitor center is located seven miles west of Highway 62-180 at the end of State Route 7, 27 miles southwest of Carlsbad N.M. and 150 miles east of El Paso, Texas.

The park is a Designated Fee Area and the visitor center is the place to pay the daily entrance fee of \$3 for private non-commercial ve-

mind-boggling formations with such names as Hall of Giants, Queen's Chamber, King's Palace, Frozen Waterfall, and Bashful Elephant, that you will enjoy.

As you enter, you'll be given a radio receiver and along the way, you can pick up messages that tell you about the features you are near.

You may set the receiver on any of three channels—one in English, one in Spanish and one especially designed for children.

There are rangers stationed strategically along the trail to answer questions or to help you in any way.

While the main cavern is the principal attraction of this national park, it is not the only one. There's plenty more, including a spectacular bat flight out of the Cavern mouth at dusk in summers and backcountry beauty.

## 42 Texas HiWay Deaths Predicted

AUSTIN—The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety said today indications are that some 42 persons will be killed in Texas traffic accidents during the Fourth of July weekend, and called upon Texas drivers to "prove our estimate is too high."

Colonel Wilson E. Speir said his department expects "unusually heavy traffic" throughout the state, especial-

ly around recreational areas and where Bicentennial celebrations are scheduled.

He said the estimate covers a 78-hour period which starts at 6 p.m. Friday and continues until midnight, Monday, July 5th.

During a comparable period last year, the department estimated that 54 persons would be killed during the holiday period. At the conclusion of the July 4th holiday last year, statewide statistics indicated 44 lives lost and rose to 49 with late reports.

In a concerted effort to keep deaths down, the DPS and local law enforcement agencies will be cooperating in an all-out effort to make the streets and highways as safe as possible. All available DPS troopers will be on duty, Speir indicated, and they will be especially watchful for drinking drivers, speeders and persons driving in a reckless manner.

In addition, the DPS will be working with the news media in a special public education program termed "Operation Motorcade" which focuses public attention on where and why fatal accidents are occurring during the holiday period.

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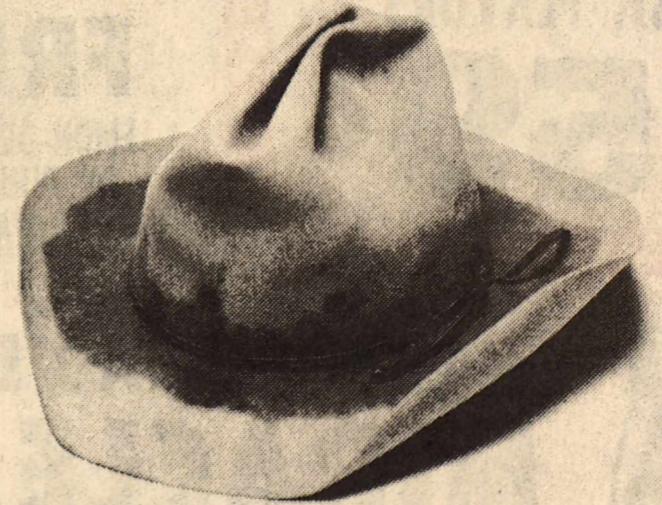
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Pat Hale



American farmers have long been making things better for fellow countrymen. As the bicentennial fever starts to build, it is appropriate to take a look at the contributions of our farmers. For instance, thirty-two of the fifty-six men signing the Declaration of Independence were farmers. Some of those same men later worked to frame the Constitution. As for the American Revolution, some historians are now giving a major share of the credit for American victory to the farmer. Not only as a fighter, but also as a critical food supplier. American fighting strategy never needed to be changed because of short food supplies. Conversely, the British were constantly having to make major changes in planning because of food shortages. Strategically, the food supply advantage created by the patriotic American farmer, was probably as important as any other single factor in the British defeat.

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**Haskell Bicentennial Happenings**

By Roxie Parker

It's hard to believe that this is my last column on Haskell's Bicentennial Happenings.

A year of telling our plans, presenting our opportunities, and demonstrating our accomplishments is ending. Hopefully the implementation of projects will continue past this weekend's climax to the year's celebration.

What a joy it has been and how much I have learned! The interviews with individuals creating heirlooms for coming generations; the projects by groups at our schools and others in our area communities; the Tour of Homes; the bits of history I've learned about Haskell County; all contributed to my appreciation of my good fortune at living here and writing about it.

I remember interviewing Mrs. Blanche Wilson for the story on her work on her flags, not for a minute suspecting that before too many months she would no longer be with us. Though saddened at her death I am thankful to have had an opportunity that I would not have had otherwise to be inspired by that lovely lady. It is certainly true that as our lives touch we become a part of each other.

I am grateful to Jane McAdoo for asking me to do the column, to Bill Comedy for putting me in print, to people like Kenneth Parker and our children who cheered me on! This was my contribution to the Bicentennial and I've had a ball!

As we go into the activities planned for this weekend we

may have had enough patriotic quotes and Bicentennial Bits to last for a lifetime. But Henry Van Dyke's poem, "America For Me", is especially appealing to me as it presents such a picture of the world traveler who has seen it all from "famous palaces and cities of renown" to such places as "the gardens of Versailles", but who turns to go home to America with excited anticipation.

I'd love the whole poem reprinted here but Lisa might fall over in a dead faint at the prospect of all those uneven lines! So find a copy and read it. Ours is not a perfect country but I don't want to live anywhere else—the second stanza of the poem says it all for me.

So it's home again, and home again, America for me!

My heart is turning home again, and there I long to be.

In the land of youth and freedom beyond the ocean bars,

Where the air is full of sunlight and the flag is full of stars.

**Correction!!**

Now let's get it straight! In the cutline for the photo of the new ambulance appearing in the June 24 issue of the Haskell Free Press, we did not go quite far enough. The ambulance was actually purchased by the Haskell City Council, Haskell County and the Hospital district each paying one third.

**Operation Motorcade July Fourth**

unnecessary holiday deaths." Major C. W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety announced today. "Texans will join other Americans in an all out salute to this great country of ours over the holiday period. Last year over the Fourth of July period 49 persons lost their lives on Texas roads and highways in the holiday slaughter." Major Bell added, "It is up to each one of us to do his part to avoid such a high death toll by driving defensively and remaining alert to the driving hazard."

The Texas Department of Public Safety will be on full alert on all roads and highways of the area to control traffic, lower speeds and get the drinking driver from behind the wheel. All of the services including the Highway Patrol, License and Weight, Drivers License, Motor Vehicle Inspection, and Safety Education will be on conspicuous patrol to become a deterrent to traffic violators by both their presence and actions.

"We in this region hope to have the safest Fourth of July holiday on record to add as our part of the tribute to a great country's Bicentennial Celebration," Major Bell summed up, "our people are the ones the celebration is for and what better way to celebrate than by keeping them alive."

**Notice!**

The Court House will be closed on July 5th. The Post Office will be closed July 5th.

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**CROP REPORTS FROM FARMERS NEEDED**

In early July, about 24,000 Texas farmers will receive an acreage and production questionnaire from W. H. Walther, Agricultural Statistician for the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, Austin.

"Information from this survey will be used to determine harvested acreage and production of early harvested crops for Texas and for each county," Walther stated.

The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service has asked the cooperation of the Soil Conservation Service to

assist and encourage farmers to complete reporting forms.

If you should receive one of the questionnaires, please complete and return it to Walther. The reported information will be held in strict confidence, and will only be used for state and county totals.

This information, after compiled, helps all of us in planning and coordinating the total agricultural program for Haskell County.

**QUOTABLE QUOTE**  
"Soil and water conservation programs have proven

highly effective for pollution abatement and conservation. Each farmer and rancher should have conveniently available competent federally financed technical assistance and adequate cost-sharing programs needed to develop and put into operation technically sound conservation plans so that each acre of farmland may be used within its capabilities and treated in accordance with its needs for protection and improvement, including all soil, water, and timber resources upon which the livelihood of families and the nation's long-term security depend.

"Farmers working with soil and water conservation districts have been the leading force since the 1930's in the protection and improvement of our resources and environment. Soil Conservation and Resource Conservation and Development Boards should retain all their powers and not surrender their decision-making rights to councils of

government or other special interest groups. Therefore, these and other related leadership efforts should be continued with sufficient funds made available."  
—National Farmers Union as quoted in the National Association of Conservation Districts Tuesday Letter of

June 8, 1976.  
J. C. Yearly, Jr.  
District Conservationist  
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Betty Sue is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steele, former Haskell residents, who now live in Abilene. She is a Haskell High School graduate, and attended Abilene Commercial College, before starting work at Haskell National Bank. She is married to John Wayne McDermott, who is Haskell County Treasurer. They are active in civic affairs. Betty Sue being a member of Haskell Young Homemakers and John Wayne a member of Lions Club, and Chamber of Commerce They live at 605 N. 16th St., and are members of First Presbyterian Church, where he is Church Treasurer, and Betty Sue does the weekly church news bulletin.

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## Ranching Heritage Center To Be Dedicated

LUBBOCK—Dedication ceremonies for the Ranching Heritage Center and its David M. DeVitt and Mallet Ranch Building will highlight the July 2 formal opening events of Texas Tech University's outdoor exhibit of ranching history.

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson will dedicate the center in the ceremonies which begin at 6 p.m. at the center on the grounds of The Museum of Texas Tech University.

U. S. Rep. George Mahon also will participate by leading the audience in singing "America the Beautiful" to the accompaniment of the Texas Tech Bicentennial Band.

Dale Robertson of film and television fame will be master of ceremonies.

The ceremonies will be preceded by the Texas Tech Bicentennial Longhorn Trail Drive, winding up a journey of almost 500 miles from San Antonio to the center. The Longhorn parade through Lubbock will begin at 3 p.m., Friday, from the South Plains Fairgrounds and move down Broadway, north on University, and west on 4th Street to the Ranching Heritage Center.

Before and as the trail herd arrives at the Ranching Heritage Center, the band, under the direction of Dean Killion, will be playing, and Bob Nash of KFYO in Lubbock will be master of ceremonies.

Following dedication ceremonies there will be a chuckwagon supper for visitors and a country dance from 8 p.m. to midnight on The Museum plaza.

All events except meals and a tent show are free to the public during the July 2-5 formal opening of the Ranching Heritage Center.

The interpretive program for the center was made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, Washington, D. C.

## Ranching Heritage Center Opens

—History will echo at the July 2-5 formal opening of the Ranching Heritage Center at The Museum of Texas Tech University when visitors will hear a multitude of sounds, from the beating hoots of a trail drive to German lullabies and gospel singing.

There will be the cannon-like sound of anvil shoots, black powder weapons being fired, guitar and fiddle playing, the Singing Plainsmen, bluegrass and country music, dancing feet, the bleating of sheep, the lowing of cattle, a snorting buffalo, children at play, the sound of croquet mallet striking the ball, and the sound of households and ranch workers pursuing daily chores.

The center, a 12-acre exhibit of historic buildings authentically restored to depict the history of ranching in America, will be open Friday, July 2, from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., with hosts in the various buildings to interpret for visitors. On-site activity-demonstrations start Saturday, July 3. On that day they will take place from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., on Sunday from 1 to 6 p.m. and on Monday, July 5, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

In a bicentennial year one of the most important sounds for visitors will be a 4th of July oration by Lubbock Mayor Roy Bass at 2:30 p.m., Sunday, at the Bairfield school house on the site. The mayor's address will illustrate the role played by one-room schoolhouses as political meeting places for frontier families.

Mrs. Bob Long and Mrs. Charles Bassett have been in charge of a training program for more than 400 volunteers who have spent thousands of hours preparing for their roles in demonstrating pioneer activities. They have learned open hearth cooking, tanning, school-marming, dyeing and spinning and scores of other frontier activities.

Elocution lessons in the Bairfield schoolhouse, the

click of dominoes, the sounds of hammering at the Renderbrook-Spade blacksmith shop, and hundreds of other sounds familiar in early America will blend in a bicentennial sound of celebration throughout the formal opening.

Committee of '76 activities chairman Larry Lowe said the sound of music will begin with dedication ceremonies the afternoon to midnight, with a free country dance on The Museum plaza.

Tommy Hancock's Super Natural Family Band will play for the dance.

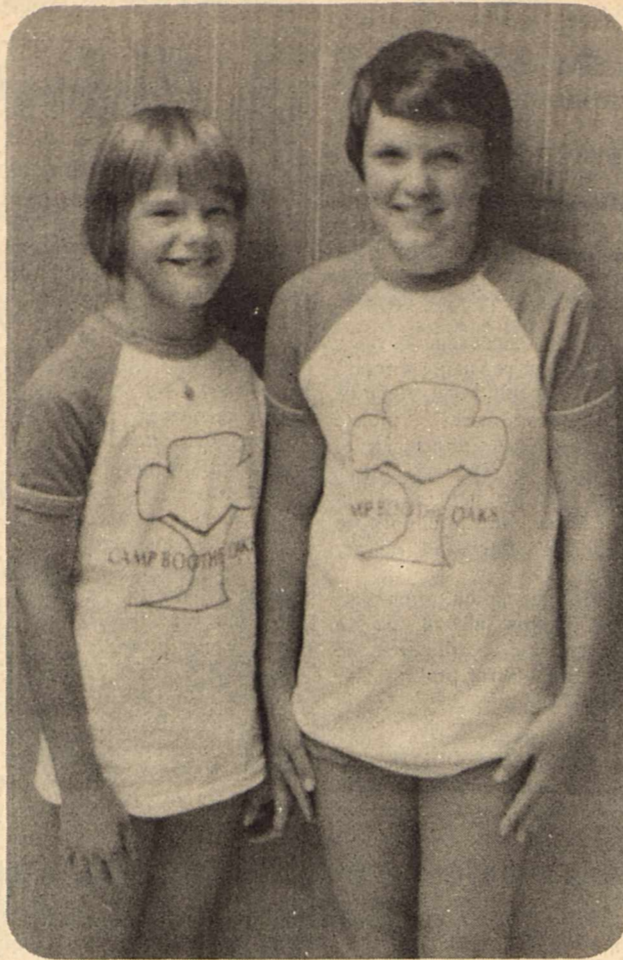
Early on Sunday morning, July 4, there will be gospel singing as a part of a 6:30 a.m. sunrise worship service. Dr. Dudley Strain, pastor emeritus of the First Christian Church, will be the circuit rider for the service, and the Second Baptist Church choir will lead the congregation in gospel singing. A chuckwagon breakfast will follow the service.

Highlights of other sounds visitors will hear include Spanish music and dancing by the Guadalupe Dancers of Guadalupe Center in Lubbock from 5 to 6 p.m., Saturday, July 3, square dancing by the Kuntry Kuzzins that afternoon, an outdoor concert by the Singing Plainsmen from 3 to 4:15 p.m., July 4, and on that afternoon bluegrass and country music performed by students enrolled in South Plains College courses taught by guitarist John H. Hartin.

Other music will include German lullabies sung in Hedwigs Hill double log cabin, strolling guitars and fiddlers and cowboy music played on pocket instruments.

## Late Breaking News

Congressman Omar Burleson announced the approval of \$66,980.00 Environmental Protection Agency grant to the City of Rochester, for waste water treatment works construction. The grant will provide funds for step three of the construction, the current eligible cost if \$89,307.00.



SHANNON LANE—APRIL TURNER

## Haskell Girls Attend Scout Camp

Six Haskell Girl Scouts attended the first session at Camp Boothe Oaks, Sweetwater, June 13-18. Representing Troop 464 were Shannon Lane and April Turner and those from Troop 465 were Sharla Drinnon, D'Anne Burris, Emily Cox, and Kiersta Lane.

The girls enjoyed some of the coolest weather ever among the beautiful Live Oak trees where summer is usually hot and humid.

A new attraction this session was Tajar's Country Store. It is a separate, western-style building complete with rail-in porches. Campers are checked in on one side and the entrance to the store is on the opposite side. One of the best selling items was the new camp t-shirt. The shirts are white with green raglan style sleeves with a bold stylized oak tree incorporating the trefoil emblem emblazoned across the chest. Cokes, a large selection of Girl Scout items and sundries were available daily at the country store. The store was the inspiration of Newt Newberry, Abilene architect and Chairman of the Camp Committee.

D'Anne Burris reported her favorite activities were swimming, an overnight and cook-out at Lake Trammel, a canoe trip on Lake Sweetwater and the archery range. D'Anne said this was the best camp session she had attended due to a wonderful staff.

Sharla Drinnon enjoyed the obstacle course which was also new this year except when she ran over a tree. The course

was created by camp staffer, Lynn Wimmer's father. Sharla enjoyed the craft house where ozalid prints were made plus dipping candles colonial style and making clay candle holders.

April and Shannon's unit, Sherwood made a rope of binder twine using the rope machines. Each rope was "broken in", whipped on each end, whiskers burned off over candle flame and then stomped in the dirt. This makes a valuable camping article for belts, bed rolls, jump ropes, games, etc.

Registered from the West Texas Scout Council were 76 campers divided into four units. One unit was from the Abilene State School.

Each unit chose an outstanding camper. Two of the four chosen were from Haskell. Shannon Lane was selected from Sherwood and Emily Cox from Gypsy Glen. Shannon, Emily and Kiersta Lane also served as Camp Council Representatives from their units.

Camp ended Friday night with a beautiful campfire, skits from each of the units and the camp staff plus the presentation of the outstanding camper awards. This took place in the Shadows area of Camp Boothe Oaks.

This year's camp was directed by Sandy Sibilsky, Field Director from Big Spring, Assistant Camp Director, Rhonda Sands, Field Director, Abilene, Business Manager, Field Director, Mrs. Lynn McKinney, Abilene, and Craft Director, Field Director, Mrs. Louise Ward, Abilene.

When a tornado causes property damage, and there is an insurance policy to cover it one of the first steps is to call the agent or company representative as soon as possible.

## Fireworks May Cause Holiday Blues

Many people are going to give the Bicentennial a sizzling salute. They don't know it yet but they will contribute a burned hand or eye to the Bicentennial by being careless with fireworks.

Fireworks of some type are an American tradition enjoyed by thousands who either watch or use them. New laws and increased public concern may make fireworks safer although the new laws do not go into effect until early December.

The Texas Medical Association points out people can get the Bicentennial blues with almost any type of fireworks. Caution and using only small fireworks increases safety but there is still some risk involved.

Even relatively harmless sparklers reach about 1,800 degrees Fahrenheit when burning. A recently extinguished sparkler is still hot enough to cause injuries and fires. Case studies show sparklers have ignited clothing curtains or wood, causing serious burns, death or loss of property. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) statistics show sparklers are responsible for about 6 percent of all fireworks injuries.

During the 1975 fireworks season (June 23-July 20), an estimated 2,600 fireworks-related injuries were treated in hospital emergency rooms nationwide, according to a Consumer Products Safety Commission (CPSC) spokesman in Washington, D. C. He said they did not have figures for injuries treated in other facilities. A 1970 U. S. Public Health Service study estimates fireworks injure 10,000 to 15,000 people yearly.

CPSC says more than half of all those injured are under age 15. Males outnumber females three to one in injuries. NFPA figures show about 30 percent of those injured are age 21 and over.

Federal and state laws have helped a little to protect people from fireworks dangers. In 1909 there were 215 deaths and more than 5,000

were hospitalized due to fireworks. Today's Health magazine reports, NFPA began pushing for laws restricting fireworks in 1910 and statistics have continued to drop dramatically as laws became stricter.

Federal regulations will cut firecracker size by almost two-thirds beginning December 6. Common firecrackers now legally can be up to about 1 1/2 inches long (130 milligrams of powder). The new regulations will permit only what often are called "lady fingers," a maximum size of about 7/8 inch (50 milligrams of powder). Fuses also are strictly regulated. Cherry bombs, M-80s and similar large firecrackers, often ostentatiously manufactured to

scare crows out of cornfields, have been illegal or restricted in most places for several years.

However, these deadly firecrackers sometimes can be obtained illegally. A New Jersey youth died in 1975 using an M-80, CPSC said. The dangers from large firecrackers are obvious but the wide variety of smaller fireworks are responsible for most problems.

## Justice Grant Approved

AUSTIN—Governor Dolph Briscoe has approved a criminal justice grant of \$33,755 to update the law enforcement tele-type network

in the West Central Texas region.

The West Central Texas Council of Governments will provide 21 teletype terminals to area law enforcement agencies for high speed communication with the Department of Public Safety in Austin.

The grant is among 130 approved statewide by Governor Briscoe from Law Enforcement Assistance Administration (LEAA) funds under the Crime Control Act of 1973.

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## Mona Bledsoe On European Concert Tour

COLUMBIA, S.C.—Mona Bledsoe, daughter of Pat Smith, and granddaughter of Mrs. C. G. Burson, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bledsoe of Haskell, has been selected to participate in the "America's Youth in Concert" 1976 program sponsored by the Universal Academy For Music, Princeton, New Jersey. The purpose of the program is to demonstrate

internationally the high quality and fine character of American youth while enriching and expanding the musical and cultural horizons of the young musician. Students are selected for "America's Youth in Concert" after participating in a nation-wide audition. The 1976 program promises to be an exceptional one with a Philadelphia Bicentennial Committee Invitation to perform on the 200th Birthday of the Nation's founding and then a New York city performance at Carnegie Hall prior to European tour depart-



MONA BLEDSOE

ure. The students will concertize in London, England, Paris, France, Geneva Switzerland, Innsbruck Austria, Venice, Florence, and Rome, Italy.

The "America's Youth in Concert" 1976 program will consist of two groups: each group will have a Concert Choir, Concert Band and a Symphony of Chamber Orchestra. The departure date is June 30th for the month's tour.

Mona is a senior at Spring Valley High School, Columbia, S.C. She is a member of the Viking Band and has been a member of the South Carolina All State Bands for the past four years.

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## Trap Shooters Break 100

Three trap shooters broke a perfect 100 straight in the singles event—Larry Harding of Snyder, Rodger Blackard of Snyder, and Larry Rush of Guthrie. Other winners: class A were Jack Smallwood of Rotan, after a four-way tie with 97x100 John Richardson of Abilene, Paul Melton of Abilene, and Johnny Wilde of Munday. Smallwood won on a carry over on the handicap. Class C were Leroy Hay of Gainesville with 96x100 and Jim Staples. Graham took Class D with 91x100.

The "Franklin-Grant" handicap event was dominated by Neal Crausbay, a 27 yd. shooter from Sweetwater with a near perfect score of 99x100. Runner-up—Larry Rush, Guthrie with 95x100.

Doubles winners: Class A, Crausbay 97x100; Class B, Douglas Musgrove of Childress 84x100; Class C, Jimmy Adams of Vernon 90x100; Class D, Randy Hay of Gainesville 78x100.

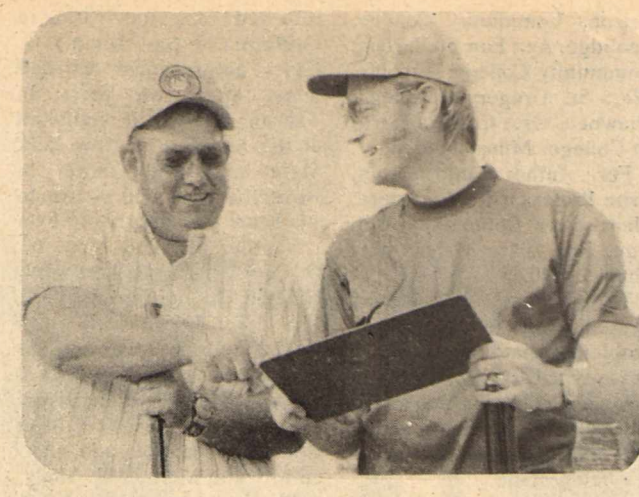
## VA News

Requests for GI home loan appraisals and loan applications continued to reflect increases in April, the Veterans Administration reported today.

Jack Coker, VA Regional Office Director in Waco, said regional offices across the country processed 64,473 appraisal requests, the highest monthly total since March 1972. The requests were 17 percent above the previous month's total.

Appraisal requests during the first 10 months of fiscal year 1976 totaled 504,175, Coker said. This is 13 percent higher than for the same period in FY 1975.

GI home loan applications in April totaled 35,818, the highest monthly total since May 1974. The 303,423 applications received during the first 10 months of FY 1976 were 12 percent higher than the corresponding period in FY 1975.



SO YOU DID...left Larry Rush, runner up checks Neal Crausbay's handicap score after Crausbay broke 99x100 from the 27 yard line in the Franklin-Grant Handicap here in Haskell. (Photo by Wooten)

## Rice Springs News

Miss Bonnie Woods of Rule came last Tuesday afternoon and played the piano for us and helped us in singing. We enjoyed her playing very much and asked that she come back.

Mrs. Otto Lehrmann of Sagerton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schwartz of Snyder visited last Saturday with Alvena Holle.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradford and Brenda of Peacock and Mrs. Faye Cox of Clairemont visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradford last Sunday. Visiting the Bradfords last Saturday was Mrs. Kate Doyle of Rule.

Ida Roberts became a great grandmother this week when her granddaughter, Lelia Ann Will of McCamey had a baby girl last Thursday, June 22. Congratulations Ida.

Visiting with Mrs. Irene Stuart last week were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Stuart of Rising Star, Mrs. Carolyn Stuart, Chad and Kathryn of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. James Stuart of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Wright and Ernest Wright of Rule, visited Sam Wright last Monday.

Russ Schonested of Eules visited with Oscar Vanderworth last week.

Charles Alberathy visited his mother, Mollie Alberathy last Sunday.

Lloyd King and Eddie of Goree, visited Mrs. O. King last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arnold of Austin, visited with relatives in the care home last week.

Mrs. Joe Mathis of Rule visited with Mrs. Oswald Cole last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stark of Snyder visited Susie Stark last Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Moeller of Alma, Oklahoma and Kathy Stargel of California, visited with Mrs. Annie Moeller last Wednesday.

Mrs. Bryon Daniel and baby Angela Ray of Lubbock, and Wanda Dulaney of Dallas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jousan last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mamie Toliver has returned home after being in the hospital. We are glad to have her back with us.

Visiting with the Tolivers last Tuesday were their son Cecil Toliver and son from Breckenridge.

Visiting with Mrs. Elizabeth Yakey last week was her daughter, Mrs. Bess Murphree of Houston and her nephew, Johnny Duncan Henderson of Dallas.

Visiting Mrs. Eva McMillin last week were her granddaughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Clark of Singapore, Singapore, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Frintz of Dallas and Sandra Stafford of Singapore.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Rose of Rule visited with Mrs. Ethel Rose last Wednesday.

Bill Liles of Weinert, visited his mother, Mary Liles last Wednesday.

Hazel Letz of Old Glory visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klump last Wednesday.

Pinkie Robertson is a patient in the hospital. We wish her well and a speedy recovery.

Brother Friedel came last Wednesday night and we studied Psalm 51. Next week we will study Psalm 24. We always enjoy our Bible studies.

The ladies of the Church of Christ came last Wednesday and had our monthly Birthday Party. Having birthdays this month were Mary Turpen on June 9th and Pinkie Robertson on June 30. Happy Birthday ladies.

Visiting with Flossie Rogers and Stella Josselet last Wednesday was Nova Gilbreath of Wichita Falls.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs.

and Friday, July 2nd and 3rd. We have been working on them and hope to have them completed to be exhibited and also to be sold. We will have a booth on display at the Haskell County Fair Grounds.

When a tornado hits, temporary repairs should be made to prevent further loss. Expenses for such repairs are covered by most insurance policies, so receipts for any expenditures should be kept.

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## Mental Retardation

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

### Community and Junior Colleges Train M.R. Paraprofessionals

With the current trend towards "mainstreaming", "normalization" and the development of community resources, there also has been a concurrent, widespread demand for persons with skills in the wide variety of professions necessary to make a successful adjustment for the retarded person into the community. Day care centers, group homes, nursing homes, developmental centers, schools—these are just a few of the areas clamoring for professionals to staff their facilities. It has not been possible for colleges to turn out a sufficient number of competent professionals to handle this demand, so a number of community and junior colleges have been training paraprofessionals who can fill this gap.

Manchester Community College, Connecticut, is typical of schools offering this type of education, and was authorized last year to prepare an associate degree program in mental retardation to equip students to work with moderately, severely and profoundly, as well as multiply handicapped, retarded persons. The course was designed in conjunction with the Department of Mental Retardation of Connecticut and will utilize the staff and facilities of the Mansfield Training School in providing clinical field experience. In addition, staff and volunteers of the Connecticut Association for Retarded Citizens are providing extensive consultative assistance in the development of the pro-

gram. This is the first such program in New England. Completely funded within the present Community College budget, it is designed to meet the obvious demand for trained aide personnel by public and private human service programs.

The college's program provides up to 400 hours of clinical experience in three separate courses. Students will receive the regular aide training course given to all new state employees at Mansfield Training School, and then will be placed in specific on-site positions with courses lasting for 15 weeks with the student also being present eight hours one day a week at the clinical experience site. Various state sites and private agencies also will be used and a student who has completed the two year course will be considered competent to work with retarded persons in any therapeutic situation.

The college, which calls these students, preprofessionals, states that they are trained to be trainers and "generalists." They will be acquainted with various theories and therapies, see them in practice, and will achieve competency levels set by Connecticut State Institutions, along with exposure to a variety of college courses of their choosing. If the student wishes, he can, at a later date, transfer to a four year college and even enter into graduate work.

Other schools offering similar courses include Chipola, Fl., St. Petersburg, Fl., and Santa Fe, N.M., community and junior colleges; Central

Arizona Community College, Coolidge, Az.; Fort Steilacoom Community College, Tacoma, Wa.; St. Gregory's College, Shawnee, Ok.; Cardinal Stritch College, Milwaukee, Wi.

For further information, write Professor R. W. Steere, Manchester Community College, Box 1046, Manchester, Conn. 06040.

This approach could be one of the answers to the very real problems that the state of Texas is now trying to solve in the area of "qualified manpower" as the mainstreaming and normalization attempts are being made.

## Leisure Lodge News

Sister Linda Lernard from Dubuque, Iowa, Sister Margaret Duddy, Boston, Ma., Sue Webber, Waterloo, La., and Sue Welter from Dubuque, Iowa along with Father White from Stamford were visiting Mrs. Mary Albus and girls as well as other residents. These were visiting Catholics who will be conducting schools during the year along with Father White. Other visitors of the Albus' were Charlie Albus from Pampa, and Sophia Albus from Munday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Russel and children, Tommy and Harla Bess from Abilene visited with Mrs. Ivy Massie on Sunday, Claude Massie from Abilene visited also. Wiley Williams from Albany visited his sister, Maude Jones.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Hester Rowland, in the loss of their loved one.

Visiting Carrie Edwards were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carr and granddaughter, Carrie from Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. Don Morris and children from Seminole, Mrs. Bob McClain from Irving.

Mr. Joe Patterson from Clyde visited Mrs. Norma Baker and Nannie Cobb. Mrs. Bessie Piland celebrated her birthday on June the 19th in Abilene at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Melton. She received gifts and another daughter and three sons were on hand to help her celebrate.

Mrs. Della Cox has returned home after visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cox and Kyle in Odessa. Mrs. Cox had a medical check-up while there.

Dewie Wester, N.H.A., Kathryn Mitchell, Mrs. Woodrow Jones, and Marie Ivy attended the funeral for Mrs. Hester Rowland in Throckmorton, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Cooke from Irving, Mrs. Bobbie Jenkins, from Gordon has been visiting, Mr. Homer Jenkins and Mrs. Beulah Lackey.

Visiting Mrs. Ella Moseley were Mrs. Manford Reid, Edna Adkins, Neva Epley, and Eunice Michael from Rochester.

Tom Casey, husband of L.V.N., Fern Casey, has

returned home after visiting in California. T/Sgt. Tommy G. Casey accompanied his dad home after two years in Taiwan. He will be stationed at the Air Base in New York State and will retire in November and will return to his home in California to live.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lewis this week were Mrs. H. H. Grimes from Weinert, Mrs. Nellie Stanfield, and Nelda Sue from Rochester and Mrs. Lloyd Cooke from Irving.

Mrs. Edith K. Ballard and granddaughter, Susan Ellison from Alamosa, Colorado, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kime visited his grandmother, Mrs. Alwilda Reese. The Kimes are from Kansas.

Vernay Howard of Paint Creek and grandson, Toby Howard visited his mother Mrs. Nancy Howard.

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## Baptist Intr'd Curriculum For Deaf Children

GLORIETA, N.M.—To help meet the needs of approximately 50,000 deaf children in the United States, Southern Baptists have introduced a curriculum line especially for them.

The new material, entitled "Teaching Deaf Children: Resource Kit" was introduced at the recent Sunday School Leadership Conference at Glorieta Baptist Conference Center. Mrs. Muriel Blackwell and Ginny Davis, both of the children's section of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board's Sunday School department, made the presentation of materials which will be available Oct. 1.

These materials are the result of long-felt needs and an intense study for over a year by a Sunday School Board-appointed task force. To date, Sunday School

teachers have had to adapt regular children's literature to the deaf child. Now workers will have access to new materials each quarter including 13 class sessions for each quarter. Resources are written by parents of deaf children or by experts in the field. The 13 sessions are designed for one teacher and seven students.

The new literature designed by Southern Baptists is an attempt to communicate with the deaf child in ways he can understand.

## College News

The Registrar of Texas Tech University notified Robert Gates Colbert that he has qualified for the Dean's Honor List for Scholastic Achievement. This recognition is accorded to only those students, who have attained a grade point average of 3.0 or better during the post semester. Colbert maintained a grade point average of 4.0 for the spring semester.

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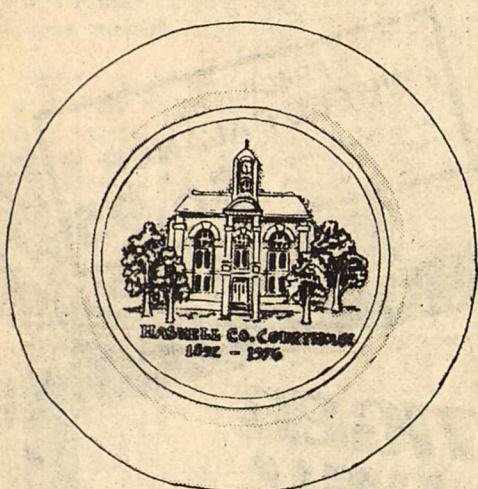
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