

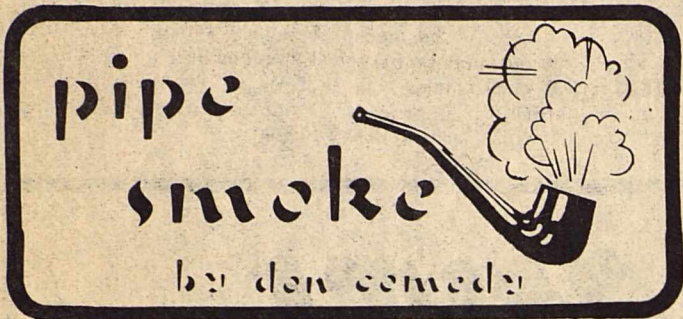
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**WHY ME?**  
This week started out about the same as most and has progressively gotten worse. The worse part of all came when I opened a letter urging me to join a group of retired persons.  
Now on several occasions I have been truthfully accused of not being overly energetic but if my wife finds out that

I've been accused of being retired I'm in real trouble.

Dick Erskine, Lone Star Gas Co., spoke to the members of the Haskell Lions Club Tuesday and presented a 'Fairy Tale' about the nation's energy problem.  
The program was not only enjoyable but put forth some very good information. I hope that it will be possible for Dick to come back to Haskell and present the program to other local groups.

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For two weeks beginning this Saturday, I will be in the employment of the U. S. Navy for an annual summer (in February) camp.

The cooperation of everyone submitting news for the Free Press will be appreciated as I hope they will be short-handed while I'm gone.

## School Board Sets Election

The Board of Trustees of the Haskell Independent School District met in regular session on Thursday, Feb. 10 in the board room of the Haskell Public Schools.

The present board members: Becky Richardson, Kenneth Lane, Abe Turner, Joe Kimbrough, Bobby Whisenhunt, Charles McCauley and Kenneth Sams, Superintendent.

Motion was made by Abe Turner, seconded by Bobby Whisenhunt, to approve the minutes of the previous two meetings. Carried.

Motion was made by Kenneth Lane, seconded by Charles McCauley to call a trustee election for Saturday, April 2, 1977, for the purpose of electing two board members to three-year terms and one un-expired term for one year. Carried.

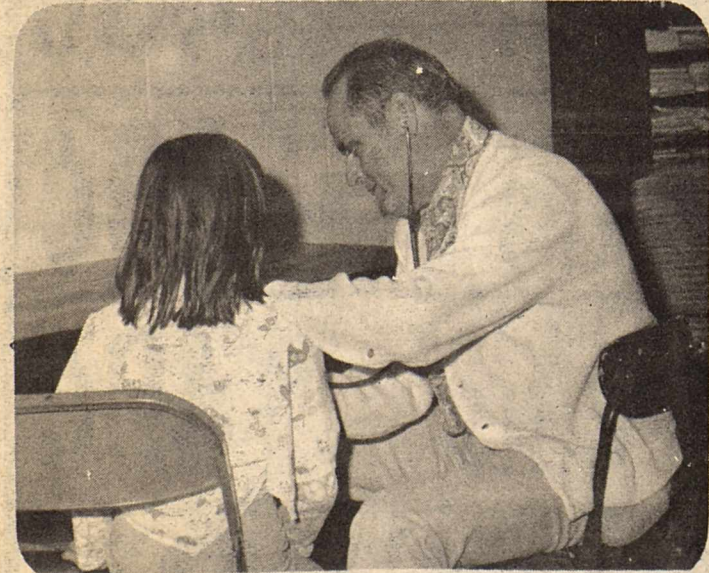
Motion was made by Abe Turner, seconded by Kenneth Lane, that we accept the resignation of Patricia Neill. Carried.

Motion was made by Joe Kimbrough seconded by Kenneth Lane to re-hire coaches David Burson, James Raughton, Jim Baldwin, and Coy Payne. Carried.

Motion was made by Kenneth Lane, seconded by Joe Kimbrough, to grant permission to the Spanish Club to use school vehicles to take trip. Carried.

Motion was made by Charles McCauley, seconded by Abe Turner to approve bills as presented. Carried.

It was announced that Abe Turner will run for a three year term. Bobby Whisenhunt will seek re-election. Charles McCauley will not seek re-election.



**HEART ASSOCIATION** activities in Haskell this week included heart screening of approximately 60 second grade students in Haskell. Dr. Joe Thigpen is shown examining Gloria Ozuna. RN's Judy Covington and Inez Gholson also participated in the screening. Approximately 85 blood pressures were taken during a clinic Monday afternoon and interested persons are asked to contact Covington or Charles Swinson to enroll in a CPR course tonight, Thursday, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. (Staff Photo)

## 8th Graders Win District

The Haskell 8th graders swept to district championship last Thursday. The 8th graders defeated Roscoe 37-32. The 8th graders finished with a 16-0 season record. This was one of the few games in which the girls had been pressured. They responded to the pressure quite well. Trailing through 3 quarters, they tightened their press defense and came through with flying colors. This was the most successful Junior High girl's season in several years. David Burson coaches this team.

The 8th boys defeated Albany 50-49. The boys played their usual "karate" pressing defense and run gun offense in a fast, exciting game. The Warriors were hustling up and down the floor at a furious pace. The boys wound up with an 11-3 season. They were probably the most improved team in the entire program. Tommy McAdams coached this team.

## Clerks To Hold Meeting

County and district clerks from throughout Texas will gather in College Station March 1-3 for the 5th annual County and District Clerks Seminar.

Theme of this year's seminar will be "Accurate Records for Today; Perfecting Our Heritage for Tomorrow."

The seminar will be at the Ramada Inn and will officially get under way March 2 at 10 a.m., announces Charles E. Lawrence, county officials program leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, which is sponsoring the seminar in cooperation with the County and District Clerks Association of Texas.

The first session will feature an address of welcome by Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, Extension Service director; a keynote address by Texas Secretary of State Mark White; and a discussion on communications by Mrs. Dorothy Holland, associate editor with the Extension Service.

The afternoon program will feature separate sessions for county and district clerks. County clerks will hear discussions relating to inventorying county records, collecting inheritance taxes, and procedures in probate. District clerks will hear talks dealing with incompetent and insane persons in criminal proceedings, the Family Code, and the assessment of criminal costs.

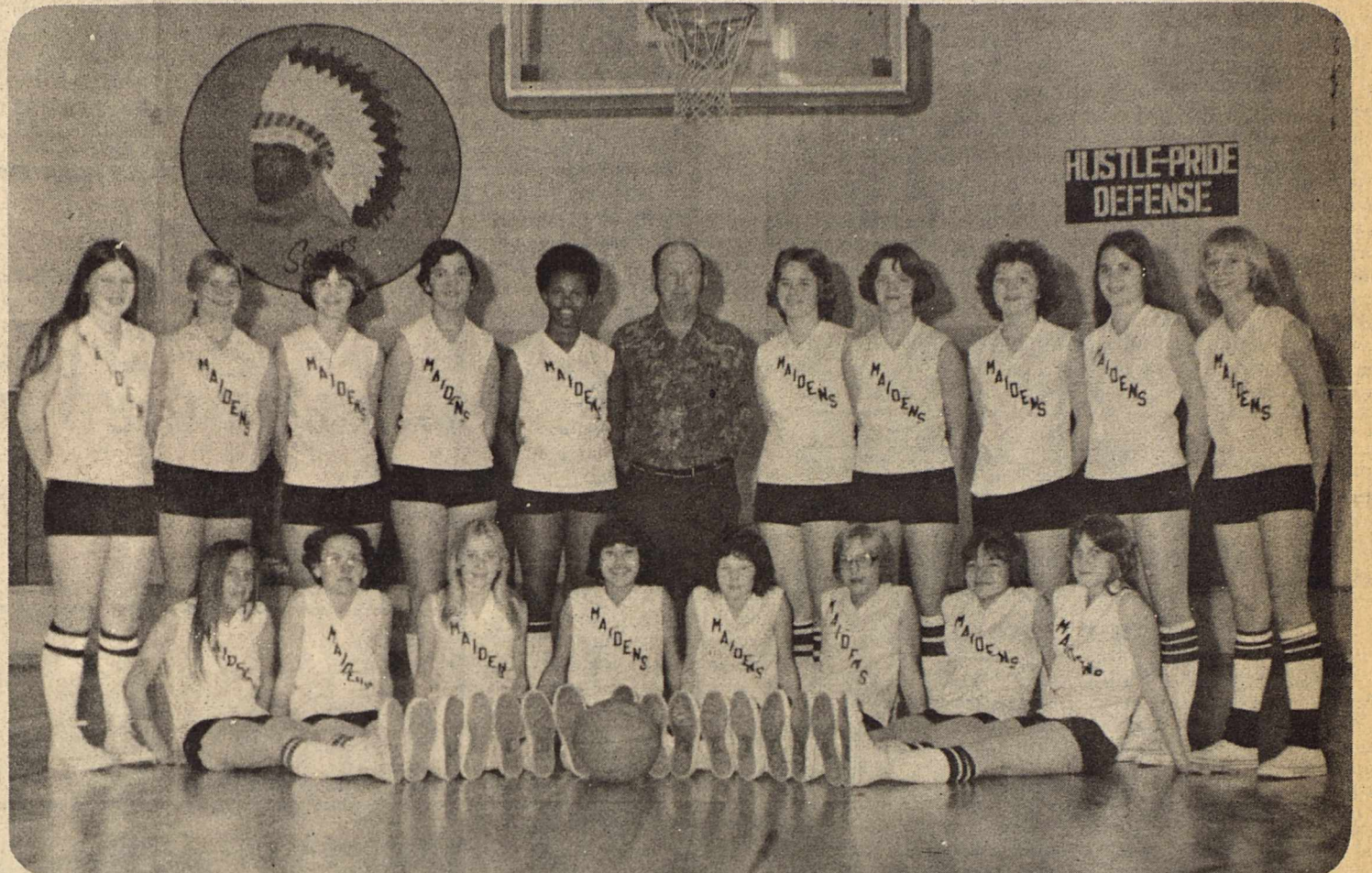
A joint session featuring Sam Clonts, executive director of the Texas Association of Counties, will conclude the afternoon program.

Dr. James Blakely of Wharton will speak at a banquet that evening.

On Thursday, county clerks will hear discussions on holding elections and secured transactions in the Uniform Commercial Code while district clerks will receive information on the effective use of grand juries and petit juries and the process of getting a defendant into court.

A joint session dealing with retirement and the future of county government will conclude the seminar.

President of the County and District Clerks Association of Texas is District Clerk Ray Hardy of Harris County.



**MEMBERS OF THE UNDEFEATED EIGHTH GRADE** Girls Basketball team are: front row left to right, Penny Benton, Johnna Wheatley, Janet Wallace, Dora Arredondo, Becky Van Story, Cathy Campbell, Shelia Bartley, and Cindy Everett. Back row, Lisa Jones, Terry Gideon, Sharon Turner, Tonya Roberts.

Alisha Walker, Coach David Burson, Shelly Long, Kim Lane, Pam Hale, Lorie Johnson, and Gena Brooks. The girls finished the season with a 16-0 record and the District Championship. (Staff Photo)

## All Sports Banquet Held Saturday

The annual All Sports Banquet was held last Saturday night in the Elementary School Cafeteria with approximately 250 persons attending.

Following a meal catered by Jerry Hadaway, banquet Em-

cee Kenneth Young, outgoing president, introduced retiring officers and introduced Dudley Bragg as incoming president of the Booster Club.

Special entertainment was presented by the athletes singing several selections. They were led by Mrs. Jodie Kennedy and Mrs. A. C. Richardson.

Players from the various teams were introduced by their respective coaches and special recognition was given to players named to the All-District and All-Area teams.

Bragg presented the Dick Gaines award to Mike New

and Young presented the Booster Club award to Gary McAdams.

Terry Brueggeman presented the Jaycees awards to: Football, Kelvin Marshall; Boys Basketball, Chris Colbert, and Gary McAdams; Girls Basketball, Sherry Everett. Coach Burson presented the Red Howard Award to Kem Kemp and Coach Jim Baldwin presented the boys track award to Kelvin Marshall.

Kem Kemp presented the Basketball Hero, Gary McAdams, and McAdams intro-

duced Sherry Everett as Basketball Sweetheart.

Sr. Randy Darden gave the invocation and Sr. Gary McAdams gave the benediction.

## Overtime Opens Season

The Haskell Little Dribblers started off with a bang last week and an overtime game on opening night as the Blackhawks defeated the Kiowas 31-29 in overtime. League President, Jimmy Griffith, opened the season with the introduction of the teams and their coaches which is always an impressive event. Then play began.

Last year's 9-10 champions, the Braves got off to a good start by defeating the Chiefs 25-14. The overtime game followed.

On Friday, the Sioux lost to the Redmen by a score of 23-17 while the Mohawks slipped by Apaches 25-22. Both leagues look to be very competitive this year which will insure numerous close games.

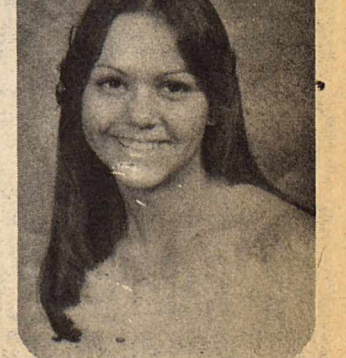
**STATISTICS**  
9-10 year olds

Braves	10	0	4	11	25
Chiefs	4	4	4	2	14

Sioux	4	6	2	5	17
Redmen	4	6	7	6	23

11-12 year olds						
B-Hawks	10	6	3	6	4	31
Kiowas	4	5	10	8	2	29

Mohawks	2	9	6	8	25
Apaches	10	4	6	2	22



LINDA YATES

## Linda Yates Is Winner

Linda Yates has been named Weinert's 1976-77 General Mills Family Leader of Tomorrow. Linda won the honor by competing with other Weinert seniors in a written knowledge and attitude examination on December 7. On Monday, February 14 at the Weinert All-Sport Banquet, Linda was presented a certificate from General Mills, sponsor of the annual educational scholarship program. She now becomes eligible for state and national honors.

The State Family Leader of Tomorrow, to be chosen through judging centered on performance in the December 7 test, will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship, with the second-ranking participant in the state receiving a \$500 grant. The state winner will also earn for his or her school a 20-volume reference work, "The Annals of America," from Encyclopaedia Britannica Educational Corporation.

In April, the 51 winners representing every state and the District of Columbia will be the guests of General Mills on an expense-paid educational tour of Colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Washington, D.C. During the tour, personal observations and interviews will be conducted to select the All-American Family Leader of Tomorrow, whose scholarship will be increased to \$5,000. Second, third and fourth place winners will receive scholarship increases to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 respectively.

## Savings Bond Report

November sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Haskell county were reported today by County Bond Chairman R. W. Herren. Sales for the eleven-month period totaled \$91,165 for 55% of the 1976 sales goal of \$165,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$22,560, 585, while sales for the first eleven months of 1976 totaled \$254,887,405 with 94% of the yearly sales goal of \$272.4 million achieved.

## CowBelles Set Meeting

Haskell CowBelles will meet Monday, Feb. 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room. Guests will be Jerry Weatherly, Haskell Memorial Hospital Administrator, Mrs. Inez Gholson, and Mrs. Gerry Covington. They will demonstrate the use of the Resusibaby, donated to the Hospital by the CowBelles.

Everyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

**ELECTION DEADLINE**  
The deadline to file for a position on the ballot in the April 2, city and school elections is March 2.



**WEATHER SUMMARY**  
By Sam Herren  
February 8-15  
**TEMPERATURE**  
Hi ..... 73° ..... 13th  
Lo ..... 34° ..... 9th  
**PRECIPITATION**  
Total ..... 0.48  
Total to Date ..... 1.70  
Normal to Date ..... 1.58

## Pleads Guilty To Forgery

Manuel Pryor pled guilty to forgery Feb. 10, before District Judge William P. Ratliff and was sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary. Pryor pled guilty to forging a \$12.00 check at the Oasis.

He was represented by Attorney Joe Williams and prosecuted by District Attorney Joseph Thigpen. Thigpen was assisted by Stamford Police Chief Dwane Medford, Larry Beauchamp, and G. T. Garrett.

## NOTICE

The Rummage Sale scheduled Feb. 18 and 19 by the Haskell Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary has been postponed. Dates for the event will be announced later.

## Conservation Viewpoints

USDA Soil Conservation Service  
Assisting  
California Creek and Wichita-Brazos  
Soil and Water Conservation Districts

Each year about this time, most farmers begin to consider herbicides—what type to use, which brand to buy, what weeds need to be controlled.

Any herbicide considered should be purchased from a reliable dealer as it is unlawful for any person to distribute, sell, or offer for sale any pesticide or herbicide that has not been registered. In addition, all claims made by salesmen, manufacturer, or distributors, must not contradict the registered claims of the herbicide or pesticide as stated on the container label.

In considering the type of herbicide, a farmer must look ahead to the next crop that he expects to produce on the same land. If you are expecting to practice minimum tillage by sowing small grains into cotton stalks or sorghum stubble, the herbicide used for cotton or sorghum must be a short life herbicide—one that ceases to have effect on the land after harvest of either crop, or the next crop will suffer.

There are so many brands on the market now, and we read often of new brands being put on the market, that you, the farmer, must choose wisely. Consider what you want from the herbicide or pesticide, how much investment is to be made on a per acre basis, the expected returns from using a herbicide versus conventional tillage methods of weed control.

Remember that a good herbicide that has worked for you in previous years is still the best bet. However, even a proven chemical may fail due to weather conditions, or other factors beyond your control.

With the cost of energy and fuel these days, it is most important that all costs be considered. Labor is high, but so is tractor fuel and upkeep. It is a proven fact that minimum tillage does pay handsome dividends. Try it. I can truthfully say that it will work, if given half a chance.

J. C. Yeary, Jr.  
District Conservationist



### The Kitchen Almanac

WE SALUTE RUSSELL JECKEL of Delavan, Illinois—recipient of the farm magazine editors' annual award for outstanding service to agriculture. This farm leader was honored as an innovator, educator and a production specialist in hog raising. It's due to the hard work of farm folks like this that we are able to enjoy the food on our table. Congratulations, Russ!

The Question Box—What is a "Sani Cycle"? (See answer further down.)

If you've ever had difficulty separating bacon slices when you are ready to cook them, you'll appreciate this tip from Mrs. Norah Marvin of Lake Odessa, Michigan:

Remove the meat from the package before you plan to use it, and place the slices side by side on sheets of wax paper. Next, stack the pieces of wax paper on top of each other and wrap them for storage in your freezer.

When ready to cook the bacon, remove the package and separate layers carefully with a knife. (Layers should separate easily.) Use only what you need and replace the remainder for future use.

(One further note from the

National Live Stock and Meat Board: to retain its quality, bacon should not be stored in the freezer longer than 30 days.)

Then there's this from the USDA: Iodized salt and seafoods are reliable sources of iodine. Regular use of iodized salt is the most practical way to assure that there is enough iodine in your diet.

The Answer Box—No, a "Sani Cycle" is not a new toy. Rather, say KitchenAid appliance researchers, it's a special health protective washing and drying cycle found on the company's automatic dishwashers. For extra sanitation—and to kill more germs—the final rinse water is preheated to approximately 180°F. (No wonder people say these units are the best.)

Toss cabbage slaw with fruit cocktail for a colorful and flavorful contrast.

And, to make something new and elegant—add roasted diced or slivered almonds to your favorite sour cream and onion soup mix party dip.

Just as Mrs. Marvin did, send your kitchen tip to: Harry G. Clark, 2 N. Riverside Plaza, Chicago, IL 60606.

## Medicare Insurance Enrollment

People who didn't sign up for Medicare medical insurance when they first became eligible or who have cancelled the protection once can enroll now through March 31 at any social security office, according to Glyn Hammons, social security district manager in Abilene.

Medicare medical insurance is offered automatically to people who reach 65 and are eligible for social security benefits—and to disabled people under 65 who have been entitled to monthly social security disability benefits for 24 consecutive months or more. Nine out of 10 people eligible are enrolled in the program, according to Hammons.

Medical insurance helps pay doctor bills and other medical expenses and is the voluntary part of Medicare, funded by individual premiums and Federal general revenues. The basic premium is \$7.20 a month through June 1977. It will be \$7.70 a month for the 12-month period starting in July 1977.

"People who decline Medicare medical insurance and delay signing up for more than a year pay a higher premium," Hammons noted. "People who sign up and cancel later can re-enroll only once."

Medical insurance supplements Medicare hospital insurance, which is funded by social security contributions from workers, employers, and self-employed people.

"People 65 and over who are not eligible for social security or railroad retirement benefits can apply at any social security office and get Medicare hospital insurance by paying a premium," Hammons said. "The basic premium is \$45 a month through June 1977. It will be \$54 a month for the 12-month period starting in July 1977. People who buy hospital insurance must also sign up for the medical insurance," he said.

People who have worked long enough under social security or the railroad retirement system can get Medicare if they have permanent kidney failure. Their wives or husbands or children may also be eligible for Medicare if they have permanent kidney failure.

Medicare is administered by the Social Security Administration. The Abilene social security office is at 142 S. Pioneer. The phone number is 698-1360.

## Cancer Center

The Cancer Center is badly in need of old sheets, soft blankets and bedspreads. If you have any, please bring them to the third floor of the courthouse or contact one of our workers and someone will pick them up. We appreciate all the help we receive and so do all the cancer patients and their families.

## agri-facts

Pat Hale

Taking a punch at public opinion, Nobel prize winner Dr. Norman Borlaug speaking recently in Houston, said the basic attitude toward farmers has been a hindrance to greater food production. Borlaug, now associated with the Rockefeller Foundation in Mexico City, said the public does not understand the necessity of the profit motive to increase production. The Houston Chronicle quoted the scientist as saying, "If a farmer can't improve his standard of living, he will not adopt the new technologies". He said the hope of feeding a growing world depends on technological advances. Pointing to last year's uproar over foreign grain sales, Borlaug said the public talked about "our grain" as though it was public property. This in effect was making a decision which affected the income of the producer without consulting the producer himself.

## Washington

"As It Looks"

From Here  
OMAR BURLESON  
Congressman—17th District

WASHINGTON, D.C.—ANYONE WHO HAS EVER SHOT a wild turkey may have had a different experience than the one described here, for it is understood that the behavior of a flock out of which a gobbler is killed may vary.

SEVERAL YEARS AGO WE SHOT THIS GOBBLER out of a flock of fourteen. Ordinarily, we are told, the others will fly. In this instance they went into sort of a dance ritual, chattering while circling the fallen one. A few shots from a deer-blind could have killed a half dozen more and maybe all of them but the limit was one. Finally they strolled away as if they had performed some duty.

A STORY FROM AUSTRALIA

LIA TELLS ABOUT THE TYPICAL BEHAVIOR of a kangaroo that has won them a reputation for stupidity. They would not be expected to remember whether Ford or Carter carried Delaware but one would think they would bounce away when freed from capture after being tagged.

Not so says this article. Instead of fleeing when released they usually hang around to watch the next one wrestled into submission to have an identification put on him.

WELL, JUST MAYBE, IN THE MYSTERIOUS EBB AND FLOW of the gene pool in us we people may have acquired some trace of the characteristics of the turkey and kangaroo. At least that was a passing thought that hopped out at us one day not long ago during rush-hour traffic. Along with the rest of the herd we moved ten feet or so at a time. Progress was slower than usual and that is very slow. With powerful deduction and perspective

abilities we assumed there had been a big pile-up accident ahead—something like three semi-trailers, a bus and half dozen passenger cars.

AN HOUR OR SO LATER, IT WAS DISCOVERED that sure enough there was a wreck, involving only two cars, a smashed taillight, a yard of stripped chrome and apparently no one injured. But it was on the other side of the divided highway, going in the opposite direction from our traffic tie-up. There was no reason at all for that little fender-bender to impede movement on our side. But there we were—and sad-eyed kangaroos, the bewildered turkeys—hunched over the wheel, making short starts and stops, gawking at the non-event across the median—stalking the bumper of the guy in front and expecting the guy in back to smack us, lingering to watch the critter on the other side wrestled down. Probably we would have circled the wreck if we

could have crossed the island. ANALOGIES MAY BE DRAWN HERE IN THE CONGRESS. We linger to see the other fellow mentally wrestled down or circle a foe to see if he is flopping.

FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY FIVE MEMBERS of the House of Representatives each have a Constituency of approximately 466,000 people. Each Congressional District across the Nation has varied interest, different from the next one. The Member represents that interest and attitude to the best of his ability and judgment. This is our system and the remarkable thing about it is how anything ever comes out at the end of the horn.

MEMBERS THEMSELVES ARE, OF COURSE, DIFFERENT. About every walk of life is present in the make-up of Congress—lawyers, doctors, farmers, business, labor—rich and poor—baker and candle-stick maker. No one is particularly impressed by another's past accomplish-

ments or what he is going to do in the future—it is what he can do now.

MAYBE WE SHOULD NOT BE OVERLY CONCERNED about the behavior of turkeys and kangaroos.

## College News

Lisa McBroom and Tim Pringle of Haskell have been initiated into the Psi Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at Western Texas College.

Phi Theta Kappa is the only nationally recognized honor society for students in two-year colleges. Qualification for membership is based on the student's overall grade point average and is by invitation.

Miss McBroom, a freshman at WTC, is the daughter of W. H. McBroom and a graduate of Haskell High School. Pringle, a sophomore Law Enforcement major, is the son of W. O. Pringle and also a graduate of Haskell High School.

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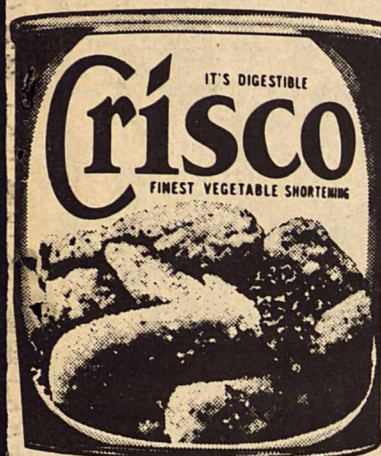
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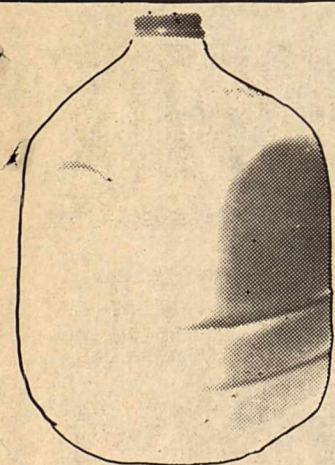
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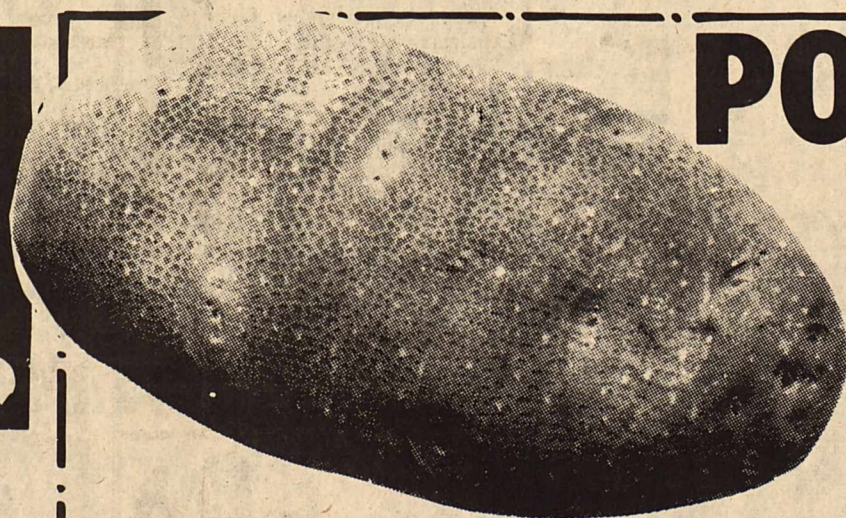


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## Lee-Ward Vows Read

The marriage of Miss Karen Jan Ward and William Arthur Lee II was solemnized February 12 in Perkins Chapel of First United Methodist Church. Dr. Bruce Weaver, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ward of Levelland. The groom is the son of Mrs. William A. Lee, 3218 Seymour Road, and the late Mr. Lee.

The bride is a graduate of South Plains College and the groom of Midwestern State University. They are employed by Underwriters Adjusting Co., Lubbock, where they will live following a wedding trip to San Antonio.

For her wedding the bride chose a floor-length candlelight poplin gown, designed by her grandmother, which featured a sweetheart neckline, Juliet sleeves and a lace bodice trimmed in blue ribbon and candlelight lace. She carried daisies, greenery and baby's breath.

Mrs. Robin Fisher, San Antonio, sister of the groom, was matron of honor and wore a floor-length blue dress with a daisy headpiece.

Jeffrey Fisher was candlelighter and Robin Fisher was best man.

A reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spoons in their home. Assistants were Misses Brenda and Bobbie Ward, sisters of the bride. The rehearsal dinner was given by the Spoons at Wichita Falls Country Club.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Renfro of Levelland, grandparents of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fouts of Haskell, grandparents of the groom; and Mr. and Mrs. Randy O'Neal of Abilene.

## Josselet HD Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Mozelle Riley and Mrs. Margaret Wall gave the program on Casseroles.

At the Feb. 8 meeting of the Josselet HDC it was given with the advantages of casseroles and the guidelines to remember in freezing casseroles. Members were reminded to cook enough stew meat for several stews. Freeze and add different vegetables later. Also to cook a large turkey because it costs less per pound than small ones. The white and dark meat can be frozen separately for casseroles.

Roll call was answered by "A quick dish I make". Mildred Robertson, secretary read the minutes. Mrs. Hazel Thomas gave the treasurers report. Edna Anderson gave the Council report.

The next meeting will be in the home of Eloise Perrin on March 8, at 2 p.m.



**MR. AND MRS. W. H. McBROOM** announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, De Lisanne, to Tommy Burnell Watson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Watson, Sr. of Haskell. Lisa and Tommy are both graduates of Haskell High School and freshmen at Western Texas College in Snyder. An evening wedding is planned for May 28 in the First Presbyterian Church in Haskell.

## Jones Is Supervisor In Denver

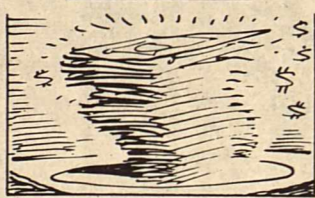
Jerry R. Jones has been named division engineering supervisor in the Denver Division office of Amoco Production Company.

Jones will be responsible for a reservoir studies group in the Producing Department and will report to David G. Wright.

Born in Brownfield, Jones is a graduate of Plains High School and Texas Tech University. He earned a B.S. degree in agricultural engineering in 1966 and a M.S. degree in civil engineering in 1968 from Texas Tech.

He joined Amoco in 1968 in West Texas and served in various engineering assignments in Fort Worth and Denver before he was named area engineer at Powell, Wyo., in 1974. In 1975 he moved to the company's headquarters in Chicago, worked there until his recent promotion and assignment to Denver.

Jones is married to the former Paulette LaVerne Fischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Fischer of Haskell.



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## Librarian Attends Workshop

Mrs. Erwin Hamilton, Haskell County Librarian, attended a librarian's workshop at the Abilene Public Library Friday, Jan. 21. Dr. Billie Grace Herring of the University of Texas was the principal speaker. Her Topic was "Criteria for the Evaluation of Media." The purpose of the workshop was to aid library personnel in becoming familiar with tools for the selection and evaluation of different types of media for the library.

During the morning session Dr. Herring pointed out there was relatively few selection tools available for non-print media i.e. records, films, filmstrips. But those tools that are available and useful were suggested and purchase information supplied. Much progress is being made in this area.

In the afternoon session the group divided into groups of 6. Dr. Herring presented 8 common problems that face librarians frequently. Each group discussed the problem and presented the solutions that had been formulated. Group discussion followed.

The afternoon session ended with a new film on understanding the elderly with emphasis on how to communicate.

"Whoever gossips to you will gossip of you." Spanish Proverb

## Birthday Party Set Sunday

Mrs. Alice Mayes, 405 North 3rd will be celebrating her 90th birthday at a reception Sunday, Feb. 20, 1977 in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church from 10:15-11:00 a.m. Long time friends of Mrs. Mayes' Philathea Sunday School Class will be hosting the event.

Born Feb. 21, 1887 in Waco, Mrs. Mayes moved with her family to Cross Plains in 1897. She married Charlie Mayes Jan. 5, 1908. They moved to Haskell County in 1939 and operated a stock farm until they moved to town in 1957. Mr. Mayes passed away in 1960.

Mrs. Mayes is the third of ten children born to the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thorn. Six of the children are still living. Her mother lived to be 83 and her father 94.

Mrs. Mayes relates that she was reared by Christian parents, brought up in the church and joined the Methodist Church when she was thirteen years old.

Daughters, Mrs. Jim Strain, Haskell and Mrs. Clyde Bishop, Lake Stamford will join in the celebration of their mother's 90th birthday. Mrs. Mayes has seven grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren.

## Shaws Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Oval Shaw observed their 50th wedding anniversary February 15. Their children, Mr. and Mrs. Denzal Owens of Rockdale and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw of Haskell honored their parents with a reception Sunday, February 13. The reception was held from 2 until 4 p.m. at the Home Demonstration Clubhouse in Fair Park in Rockdale.



## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Leroy Campbell of Rule announce the birth of a son, Timothy Dean Campbell, born February 13, 1977 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 5 lbs. 11 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Dan Stoddard of Stamford announce the birth of a daughter, Brandi LaGail Stoddard, born at the Haskell Memorial Hospital February 12, 1977 weighing 7 lbs. 10 3/4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Casillas, Jr., of O'Brien announce the birth of a daughter, Mellisa Ann Casillas born February 7, 1977 at Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 13 1/4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Josselet of Dalhart announce the birth of a daughter, Kari Vanessa, born Sunday, February 13, 1977 in Dalhart Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 13 oz. She has a big brother, Chris. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al Altmiller of Dalhart and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Josselet of Weinert. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rinehart of Rule.

## 4-H Projects Start Soon

4-H Clothing Project work will be starting soon in the County and those who are not already enrolled in 4-H may do so by calling the County Extension Office at 864-2546.

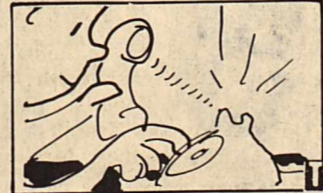
The 4-H Clothing Project helps a 4-H member build self confidence as well as developing new skills.

The 4-H Clothing project work will begin in March and be completed by June.

The County 4-H Dress Revue will be held in June where each 4-H member will receive an award for their Achievement.

4-H Clothing Project Work is open to the public without regard to race, religion, national origin, color, or sex.

## Safety By The Numbers



According to experts at The Hartford Insurance Group, children should be taught to leave the house immediately in case of fire, and call for help from a neighbor's house.

## College News

Craig Childress of 700 N. 16th St., has been elected Special Project (Boys Ranch) chairman of the Hardin-Simmons University Baptist Student Union.

Childress, a freshman music major, is a 1976 graduate of Haskell High School.

## Garden Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Leon Pearse presided over the regular business meeting of the Haskell Garden Club on Feb. 10. The club voted to plant trees in the city park. Discussion was held concerning the Garden Club Flower Show to be held in the Community Room on April 23. Mrs. Cliff Dunnam handed out catalogues of information to members for the show, which is entitled "Come into our Garden".

Theme for the meeting was Flowers, God's Living Gift of Beauty. Mrs. K. H. Thornton intro-

duced Mrs. Bob Herren, Haskell artist and teacher, whose topic was "Flowers in Painting, as Artists See Them." Mrs. Herren painted a lovely picture explaining each step in development from outline to a finished picture which was interesting and informative to many of the members who have never painted. Refreshments were served by hostesses.

## HASKELL Lunch Menu

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 Sweet Potatoes  
 Green Beans  
 Cranberry Sauce  
 Hot Rolls Butter  
 Cinnamon Crisps  
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**FRIDAY**  
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Hereeee' Bob! With a loud burst of Bicentennial fanfare, Haskell National Bank would like to present its Chairman of the Board, "big, bashful Bob." Bob's "Roots" go way back in Haskell County history. He is the third Robert W. Herren to call Haskell County home. The first one arrived in 1900, and purchased 5000 acres of land five miles northwest of Haskell. The second Mr. Herren, (Bob's father), carried on the family farming and ranching tradition, before his death in 1934, and the third Mr. Herren has done likewise, besides adding many more activities and interests to his operations. The distaff side of Bob's ancestry is also true pioneer. Grandfather Vernon came to Haskell County in 1885, and Bob's mother, Mrs. Angie Vernon Herren Mullino was born in 1890, and still resides in Haskell at 1207 North Avenue E. Bob's childhood years were spent on the Herren Ranch, and he was graduated from Haskell High School in 1932. That same year, Bob was married to the former Anita Collier, also a H.H.S. graduate, and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jess Collier, who were in the grocery business in Haskell for over fifty years. Bob and Anita became the proud parents of three lovely daughters. Bobbie Ann Corzine lives in Fort Worth, and is an Executive Secretary in Fort Worth National Bank, and also serves as a Director in Haskell National Bank. Her husband, Edward is an Executive Vice President with Fort Worth Bank and Trust. Betty Jo Howard lives in Tulsa, Okla. and her husband, Dan, is employed by Kendavis Industries, there, Jan Gannaway lives in El Paso, where her husband, John, is doing research work with cotton in the El Paso Valley. John received his doctorate from Texas A&M University and Jan is also an A&M graduate. Bob and Anita keep young and active trying to "ride herd" on six grandchildren.

Along with Bob's farming and ranching interests, which has been in continuous operation since he began in 1932, he developed a fine strain of Registered Hereford Cattle, which he raised until two years ago, when all the Herren Ranch grass land was put into cultivation. In addition, Bob was in the cotton ginning business here for twenty five years, operating the Harrison-Herren Gin. He also operated a gin in Weinert until 1949. During World War II he served as Haskell County Chairman of the Office of Price Administration. Bob began his association with H.N.B., when he became a stockholder in 1947, and was elected to the Board of Directors in 1954 becoming Chairman of the Board in 1972.

Bob has achieved outstanding recognition among the various National and State Banking Organizations. He has attended work conferences and seminars around the nation, serving on both the agricultural and Investment Committees of I.B.A.A. He is also a charter member of I.B.A.T. (Independent Bankers of Texas), and served as Director one year.

In 1971, Bob and R. C. Couch, Jr. purchased controlling interest of Haskell National Bank, which had some \$10,000,000 in resources at that time, and at year's end 1976, resources had risen to \$25,000,000. Much of the credit for this escalation, must go to super management by those "at the top". Bob is very much concerned with the bank's investment portfolio, and is an avid student of the Wall Street Journal. Much of his day is spent on the telephone with bond salesmen, and he is quicker with his instant calculations, than most people are with a calculator. There are some who would say that Bob's office is located in The Drug Store, but that's not entirely true. He rules his little corner of the world, from one of the big offices in the "Executive Suite" located in the south portion of the bank building. Bob's office along with the rest of the building, is decorated with some of Anita's very fine paintings. H.N.B. is indebted to Anita for these works of art, and would encourage its customers to enjoy them while in the bank.

Bob is a "life time" booster of Haskell, and all the surrounding communities, having served, and helped to organize, many worthy and far reaching civic causes. He wishes to express his deep appreciation for the help and friendship of all the fine people of this area, and states that "all I am, or ever plan to be, is because of you, and I hope that if you have a financial problem of any kind, you will please come by and see me, because, as all the people closest to me, know, I've been there many times, myself."

The Herrens reside at 706 North Avenue L, and are dedicated members of Haskell's Church of Christ.

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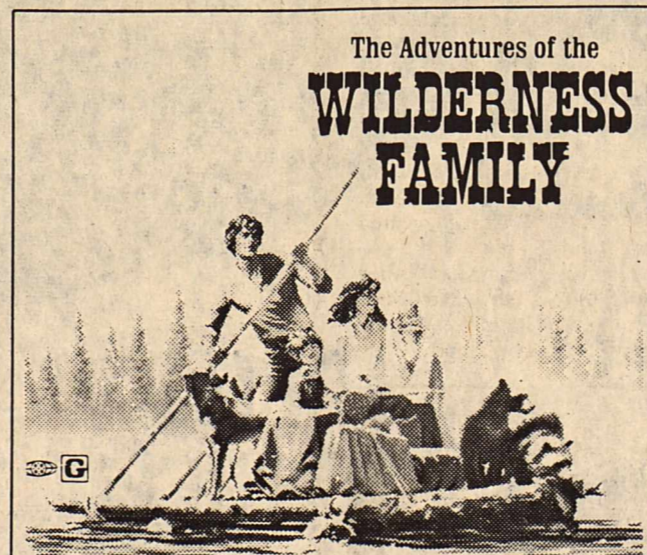
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## Around Town

by Lois and Lisa

Mrs. Vern Foreman, Flint and Monica Nanny of Odessa spent last weekend in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dunnam Emily and Matt of San Angelo spent the weekend in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Shaw of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Shaw and Duann of Abilene went to Rockdale last weekend to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Oval Shaw. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Shaw were met by Danny and Harlan Miller of Houston and went to Austin Saturday night to visit with friends. On Sunday, Danny and Harlan went to Temple to meet their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Miller of Haskell visit with relatives.

Nettie McCollum returned last Wednesday, from an extended stay with her sister, Marguerite Jordan in an Antonio.

The Darold Robersons spent weekend in Amarillo visiting with daughter Denise.

Mrs. Thelma Strickland and Mrs. Lillie Green visited their sister, Mrs. Lydia Green at Padre Island last week.

Mrs. Lacey Barry and Casey Bowie spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rea and family.

Haskell's Senior Citizens met Wed. Jan. 9th in the Community Room with Bonnie

Mason presiding and Mrs. Dave Persons bringing the devotional. After games of 42 and 84 refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Herren were in Amarillo last weekend. Mrs. Herren's mother, Claudie Marshall had a Cornea transplant Saturday afternoon and is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hiebert spent the weekend in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hiebert.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Landess of Brownwood spent the weekend with Mr. Landess' parents Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Landess and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Green.

### Subcommittee Holds Meeting

The Family Living Subcommittee of the Haskell County Program Building Committee met on Thursday, Feb. 3rd at 1:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Haskell County Extension Office.

The purpose of the meeting was to study the Health needs of Haskell County Families. Miss Carla Shearer, Health Specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service assisted the Committee in making program recommendations based on county needs.

Mrs. Delbert LeFevre, Chairman of the Committee presided during the meeting. Each member of the committee was introduced along with three visitors from Knox County, Mrs. June Navratil, Mrs. Kathy Carroll and Mrs. Carolyn Schur, Knox County Extension Agent.

Prior to the meeting, the committee member conducted a health survey of the County. Basic information in regard to the total county population, age levels, marriages, divorce employment rate and income levels in the County was presented by County Extension Agent, Barbara Elliott.

Mrs. J. P. Perrin presented information on the ten leading causes of illness in the county and Mrs. Marvin Plemister gave the ten leading causes of death. The ten leading communicable diseases was discussed by Mrs. Mildred Robertson.

The Health Services and facilities that are available in the County was discussed by Mrs. Tom Yates. Information on rehabilitation services, home health care agencies, ambulance service, state and federal health services, health manpower, transportation, and health care payment sources was presented by Mrs. Eldon Anderson, Mrs. Ollie Lewis, Mrs. Hazel Smith, Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Mrs. Adel Thomas.

After the survey information was presented, Miss Shearer suggested program ideas to the committee.

The Family Living Committee will meet again on Feb. 28th, at 9:30 a.m. to complete plans for the 1977-78 Indepth Program in Family Health.

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## Daughter Of Haskell Woman Receives Award

Mrs. Charles F. Hunter of River Ridge, La., was presented the third annual River Ridge Award for extraordinary service to her church, community, parish and state, on Jan. 30 in the Little Farms Playground Gym.

Mrs. Hunter is the daughter of Mrs. Beulah Persons and the late D. H. Persons of Haskell.

Sue Persons Hunter is a native of Texas, but since moving to River Ridge in 1952 she has been as submerged in the community life and its growth and problems as any native daughter.

A former air route control supervisor in Houston and San Antonio (and the only woman to hold that position in the entire Southwest at the time), she married an air lines captain (now retired) and exchanged the demanding and tension-filled post for the roles of homemaker, mother, church and civic leader.

Even while raising three daughters, Mrs. Hunter managed to serve the Kenner Presbyterian Church in every capacity...from Sunday School teacher to ruling elder. Before the days of Women's Lib, she had the distinction of being the first woman to deliver a sermon from the pulpit!

Perhaps she is best known for her work with the League of Women Voters, purpose of



MRS. CHARLES HUNTER

which is to provide non-partisan information on voter registration and elections. Mrs. Hunter served as president of the Jefferson Parish LWV from 1961-64 and established, in her home, a telephone service to answer questions about polling places, candidates and proposals appearing on the ballot. League now has a telephone listing to answer such queries. Mrs. Hunter also served as State President.

Other organizations and committees for which she has worked include the Jefferson, Orleans, St. Bernard and St. Tammany Health Planning Council; United Church Women; Community Services Council of Jefferson; Goals to Grow; Goals for Louisiana;

## Leisure Lodge News

The Assembly of God Church held their first service Sunday, and will continue through the month of Feb. at 10:30 in the morning. After the singing of hymns, Mr. Whitfield, teacher of the Adult S.S. class taught the lesson from Acts.

The ladies from the First Baptist Church in Rule came over and sang beautiful hymns for us and had prayer. We enjoyed and appreciated their coming and are looking forward to their visit on the first Monday in March. The ladies from the First United Methodist Church, Haskell, held their monthly service on Tuesday. After beautiful singing, Mrs. Wallace Cox, Jr. brought the devotion on "The Promises of God," taken from First John and First Corinthians.

On Thursday, Rev. Shipman brought a very impressive service taken from the 16-23 verses of St. Luke.

Mrs. W. L. Davis returned home after visiting her mother, Mrs. Beulah Lackey. Mrs. Davis is from Morton, and has been ill since returning home.

Mrs. Treva Wells L.V.N. is going to be back at work after being out for several weeks. We missed Mrs. Wells and welcome her back.

We have Frances Draper back as an aide, also Mrs. Christine Watts working in the kitchen, Jerry Jackson, aide, is in the Abilene Hospital for tests. We hope she will soon be able to be back with us.

Buddy and Mary Stover former employees of L.L. were back visiting with us this week. We were happy to have them and learn they are enjoying their home in Montague.

We welcome a new resident Mrs. W. O. Westmoreland from Rule.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shaw were Mr. and

Jefferson Parish Rural Development Committee; LWV Liason Committee for School Board Bill; Louisiana State Health Planning Advisory Council; and numerous other concerning education, consumer protection, and the status of women.

In addition she has served as Heart Fund block captain, worked as a volunteer for a number of agencies, entertained foreign visitors, sponsored by the Department of State in her home, and remained active in her college sorority, Alpha Xi Delta.

"One of the things I enjoy most," she said, "is researching and writing in-depth articles about various phases of government in Jefferson Parish."

That should mesh nicely with her current position. She is communications co-ordinator in the office of the Jefferson Parish District Attorney.

Prior to taking this post, she developed several manuals as guides for local League leaders and directed publication of the first and second editions of "A Citizen's Guide to Louisiana Government."

When asked about her future goals and activities, Mrs. Hunter replied, "In the past things have just happened and I've responded. I didn't realize that I do have future goals. There are a few areas where I see our community can be improved. One is a community center in River Ridge, which was mentioned recently by George Ackel (former Jefferson Parish Councilman for the district). We should have a place for meetings and art exhibits. But it will take a lot of effort."

"The other," she continued, "largely because of the League involvement, is a facility in Jefferson Parish for neglected and abused children. I'd like to help in any way I can to see that the public is made aware of this need."

The statement that follows pretty well sums up the very reason that the third annual River Ridge Award was presented Mrs. Hunter.

"It has been my fate to be associated with many activities which are future oriented, designed with long range dreams and plans. Ultimately, these community planning projects will make our community and state a better place to live."

## Cotton Prices Advancing

Local cotton prices advanced by 3 cents per pound during the week ending February 10; according to B. B. Manly, in charge of the USDA Cotton Classing Office in Abilene. Prices were at the highest levels since mid-December, at 30 cents over CCC loan rates. Demand was good for all qualities of cotton, and trading increased to active levels. Grade 42, staple 32 cotton that miked from 3.5 to 4.9 brought about 64 cents per pound. Below-grade cotton brought from 40 to 42 cents per pound. Cotton prices have ranged from 18 to 36 cents over CCC loan rates during the 1976-77 season.

The quality of late season ginnings declined slightly. Grade 42 continued as the predominant grade at 26%. Grades 31 and 32 followed at 12% each. Spotted and Tinged cotton comprised 20% of the total classings. Staple length was 37% staple 32, 31% staple 31, and 17% staple 33. Micronaire readings were 66% within the 3.5 to 4.9 range, 33% below 3.5, and 1% above 4.9 during the week.

Cotton quality was relatively high during the 1976-77 season. Grades were about 31% White, 60% Light-Spotted, and 9% Spotted or Tinged. Staple length was longer than usual, with 50% being staple 32 or longer. Micronaire readings were much higher as compared to the previous season, with 77% miking within the 3.5 to 4.9 range.

As of February 10, samples from 500,300 bales had been classed at the USDA Cotton Classing Office in Abilene. An additional 68,000 cotton samples were classed at the temporary office at Munday. Mr. Manly estimated that an additional 4,500 samples would be classed in Abilene this season.

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## Hero To Be Recognized

An individual who performed a life saving act on a Texas farm or ranch will receive the Rural Heroism Award on March 28, 1977, at the Texas Safety Conference in Houston, announced Joe Smetana, Farm and Ranch Vice President of the Texas Safety Association.

The award is presented annually to some person for an act of exceptional bravery during a time of crisis, and must have occurred in Texas during 1976 and be related to farming or ranching operations, said Smetana.

Nominations will be accepted until Feb. 25, 1977 and should be submitted to the Rural Heroism Award Committee, Texas Safety Association, Box 9345, Austin, Texas 78766 or the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, Box 489, Waco, Texas 76703. All entries must include a written account of the incident, dates, names of all persons involved, and should be accompanied by pictures and newspaper clippings if they are available.

The Texas Farm and Ranch

Safety Council sponsors the award and the Texas Safety Association annual meeting provides a forum for presentation to help focus attention on safety in rural Texas, according to Smetana.

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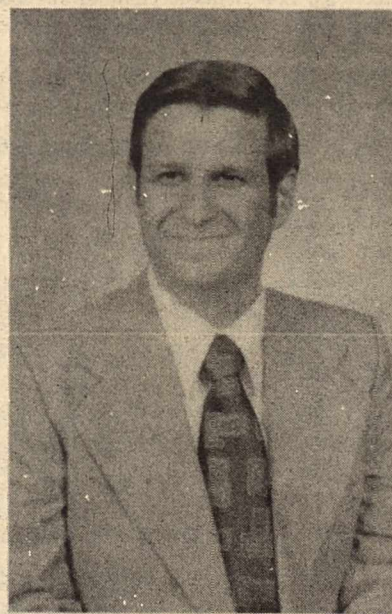
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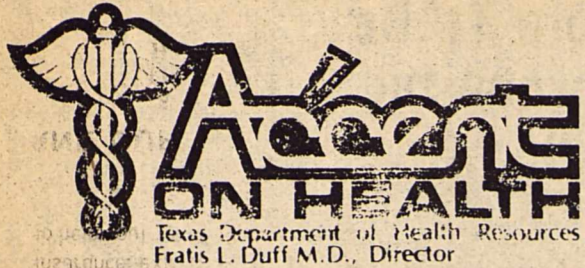
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A nationwide emergency telephone number—the 911 system—is in the planning stage, and some areas of Texas already have it.

Dave Porterfield, field supervisor with the Emergency Medical Services Division, says 13 cities in Texas have the 911 emergency number now and other cities and counties are moving toward the system.

The 911 telephone system is a three-digit telephone number which has been designated as the "Universal Emergency Number", for use by the public throughout the United States, said Porterfield.

It is intended as a nationwide telephone number giving the public direct access to a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) from which appropriate action can be taken.

The concept dates back more than 30 years to a 999 number in Great Britain. Other countries in Europe and around the world have since provided their citizens with similar uniform emergency telephone numbers.

Impetus in such a number in the United States, said Porterfield, stemmed from a 1967 recommendation of the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice. In 1968, American Telephone and Telegraph Company announced that it would make the digits 911 available for national use.

In 1973 provision was made for the establishment of a Federal Information Center to assist units of government in planning and implementation. "You can see the beauty of such a system," said Porterfield. Now, in an emergency situation, more than one

number may have to be called to reach the proper emergency agency. But with the 911 system, a simple, easy-to-remember telephone number could be in reach of any citizen at any time. Just one call would make available such agencies as the police, fire department or an ambulance service."

Porterfield also noted that calls from pay telephones could be made without the necessity of using a coin to make the emergency call.

The 911 numbers in Texas are in service in Alice, Commerce, College Station, Dallas-Fort Worth Airport, Galveston, Hearne, Huntsville, Irving, Lamesa, Odessa, Quanah, Sherman and Victoria.

The Alamo Area Council of Government is attempting to get the number set up and around the San Antonio area, said Porterfield.

Porterfield said there is a problem of implementation in Texas because of the large number of telephone companies in the state. And, he said, some of the telephone company boundaries don't correspond with the political and governmental jurisdictions.

"The ultimate goal," he said, "is to cut down the total response time to emergency situations." Lessening the time between the detection of an accident and notification of the proper emergency service figures into this response time, he said.

Through its work with local areas Council of Governments and Public Health Regions the EMS division is seeking to upgrade EMS systems throughout the state, and the implementation of the 911 system is one facet of this

upgrading process. We are currently working with COGs on grant applications to obtain funds made available under the 1973 EMSS Act. These applications are required to address a central communications center which includes the 911 System, said Porterfield.

Several states have passed legislation requiring the 911 system. These include California, Florida, Louisiana and Illinois. Other states introduced legislation during the past legislative years and will do it again this year, said Porterfield.

**STOCK MARKET**

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction had a run of 513 head of cattle, 100 head hogs, and 6 sheep and goats at its sale according to James Powell reporter.

Light run due to rain. Stocker steers higher. Breeding Bulls top at 41.50. Springer cows top 300 head.

Butcher calves: choice, 32-34; good, 30-32; standard, 28-30; rannies, 25-28.

Cows: fat, 25-27; cutters, 23-26; canners, 20-23; stockers, 25-30-250-350 by head.

Bulls: bologna, 30-35; stockers, 35-45; utility, 27-30.

Stocker Steer Calves: choice, 45-47; good, 43-45; medium, 38-43; common, 30-38.

Stocker Heifer Calves: choice, 34-47; good, 31-34; medium, 29-31; common, 25-29.

Feeder Steer Yearlings: choice, 38-40; good, 35-38; medium, 32-35; common, 28-32.

Feeder Heifers Yearlings: choice, 32-34; good, 30-32; medium, 28-30; common, 25-28.

Cows & Calves: good, 275-350, plain, 200-275. Top on Hogs 39.75. Bulk of Tops 37.75 to 39.75. Sows 30.00 to 35.25. Boars 19.50 to 25.75.

Feeder Shoats 32.50 to 37.25. Pigs 14.00 to 20.00.

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**Ben Moffett's Right Around Home**

The Bicentennial is over but it should be a Super 77 in The National Parks.

The Bicentennial year is over and it was a big one in the nearly 300 National Park Service areas across America.

Because the parks were set aside by Congress to preserve the finest examples of our country's natural and historical heritage, each park participated in the Bicentennial celebration in a way that reflected that park's heritage.

The programs told the story of America's first 200 years in myriad ways. At Arkansas Post National Memorial, for example, the local citizenry dedicated a permanent exhibit to an American Revolution-related stockade.

At Lyndon B. Johnson National Historic Site, Texas

there were exhibits featuring the presidents of the United States and flag-raising ceremonies that included former first lady, Lady Bird Johnson. At Gran Quivira National Monument in New Mexico, there were pageants depicting the Spanish-Indian history of the area.

And the big natural and recreational areas such as Chickasaw National Recreation Area, Okla., Padre Island National Seashore, Texas and Big Bend National Park, Texas joined in the festivities with community projects.

People turned out to the parks in record numbers, particularly in the month of July when the Bicentennial fever hit its peak. And while many Americans took long vacations, far from where they lived, others stayed right around home and participated in their community park celebrations.

Many discovered for the first time, the great historical and natural values of their

nearby parks. Although the Bicentennial has run its course, the National Park Service will once again have many programs and activities in 1977. In the next several weeks this column will introduce you to many of the National Park Service areas not too far from

where you live. One key to having an enjoyable park experience is planning ahead. And if you'd like to learn more about the National Park Service areas right around your home, write for the SUPER 77 vacation planner. The address is National Park Service, P. O.

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The Yearbook and many shaped pans are available in the housewares departments at most chain/departments stores, cake decorating shops, or it may be ordered directly from Wilton, Dept. JB, 833 West 115th Street, Chicago, IL 60643.

**Yogurt Cake**  
Serves: 12  
1 box white cake mix  
1 teaspoon baking soda  
2 eggs, separated  
1 cup water  
1 carton (8 oz.) lemon, raspberry, strawberry, etc. yogurt

**Buttercream Decorating Icing**  
1/2 cup butter  
1/2 cup solid/vegetable shortening  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1/8 teaspoon salt  
1 pound (about 4 cups) confectioner's sugar  
3 tablespoons cool milk or cream  
Cream butter and shortening together with an electric mixer. Add vanilla and salt. Beat in sugar, 1 cup at a time, blending well after each addition. Scrape sides and bottom of bowl often with a spatula. Add milk and beat at high speed until light and fluffy. Keep icing covered with lid or damp cloth and store in refrigerator when not in use. Yield: 3 cups

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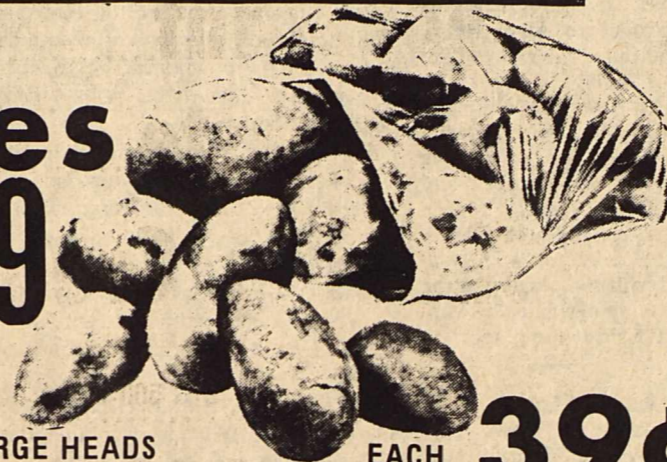
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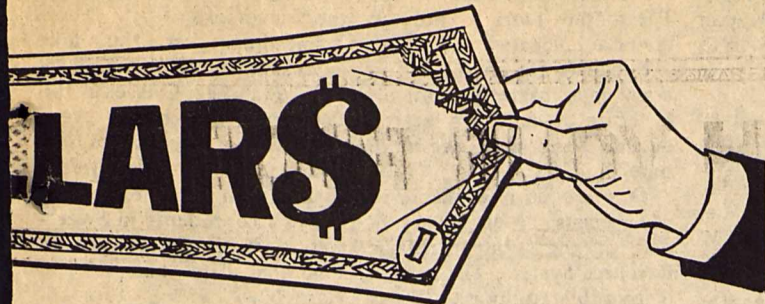
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