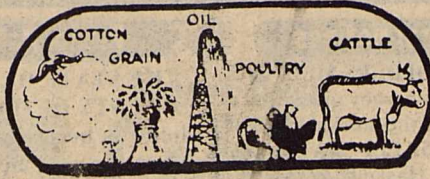


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"Three out of Four, that ain't bad." Haskell County received three first places out of the four in the Senior Division that were awarded at the District III 4-H Food Show at Sikes Center in Wichita Falls, Saturday. In Snacks and Beverages, Kay Campbell (left) took the top honor; Side Dishes was Julie Posey from Fischer County. Breads and Desserts was Sonja Tidrow and Kim Campbell in Main Dishes. The girls competed against other County winners in Extension District III. They will participate in the State Food Show at Texas A&M University next summer. Sonja is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Tidrow of Haskell; Kay and Kim are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Duward Campbell of Haskell. Joanne Cloud, daughter of Mrs. Joe W. Cloud of Rule is first alternate in the Side Dish Division.

4-H'ers Win At Dist. Food Show

Haskell County was well represented in the Junior Division of the District III 4-H Food Show at Sike Senter in Wichita Falls on Saturday, Jan. 21st.

In the Main Dish Division Sheila Moeller was awarded second place. Sheila is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moeller of Haskell.

Mikeana Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wilcox of Rule received second place in the Snacks and Beverage Division.

Holli High, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle High of Haskell received a blue ribbon in the Breads and Desserts.

Donna Gilleland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilleland of Haskell participated in the Side Dish Division also.

Junior Division participants are age 9 to 13 and they can only compete as far as the District Show.

Alcoholism Is Meeting Topic

A Public Meeting will be held in Haskell, 7:30 P.M. Monday, January 30, to provide input into the 1978 Regional Alcoholism Plan for the West Central Texas Region.

The purpose of the meeting which will be held in the National Bank Community Building at 601 N. 1st in Haskell, will be to provide community level input into the 1978 Regional Alcoholism Plan. The meeting will address community needs in combating alcoholism and alcohol abuse. The results of the meeting will be used in formulating goals and objectives for the Plan.

The January 30th meeting is set up to cover Haskell, Kent, Knox, Stonewall, and Throckmorton Counties. The public is encouraged to attend. For more information contact Buddy King, of the West Central Texas Council of Governments in Abilene, by calling 915-672-8544.

EMERGENCY FEED PROGRAM

Applications for disaster feed under the Emergency Feed (EFP) will be accepted by the local office of Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) through January 31, 1978. The cutoff date for applications was announced Friday by the United States Department of Agriculture. EFP is designed to help local farmers and ranchers who have been affected by the drought. Applications should be made in the County of major holdings. All producers who are interested in participating in EFP should contact local ASCS Offices on or before January 31, 1978.

Brazos West

Brazos West Art Association is going to feature "Artist of the Month" Pansy Harris painting will be shown beginning Feb. 1st-Feb. 28, at Iva Lee's Fabric Shop, 416 N. 1st, Haskell. The public is invited to come by to see the exhibit. Pansy will have about 18 pictures on exhibit.

Washington Responsive To Haskell County Farmers

The Haskell delegation of Farmers in Washington D.C. reported that virtually everyone they have contacted has been very responsive with the exception of representatives of the Department of Agriculture.

In a telephone conversation with the Haskell Strike Office Monday afternoon, Ken Lane stated that many Senators, Representatives, Consumer groups, and representatives of organized labor have all pledged to support the American Agriculture Movement. Lane reported that the Haskell group was working hard and had divided into groups and each group scheduled meetings with different people and groups. He said that one group had won the support of a national consumer organization and that another group had been told by representatives of organized labor that labor was not the enemy of the farmer.

Commissioners Hold Meeting

Members of the Haskell County Commissioners Court met Tuesday and acted on several items of business.

The court agreed to give \$1,000 to the Haskell County Soil and Water Conservation District for administrative use, and also agreed to pay \$1,000 for use by the ambulance service. The ambulance service money will be matched with equal amounts from the City of Haskell and Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Members of the court also agreed to take bids on a vehicle for use by the Experienced Citizens Center. Specifications for the vehicle are very broad so that all dealers can submit bids and all bidders are invited to appear in person at 10 a.m. Feb. 13, to answer any questions concerning their bids. They also agree to accept bids on the sale of a 1974 pickup at the same time.

Members also agreed to the purchase of 4 acres located in Prec. 4, to house a permanent barn and equipment yard for the precinct.

Some interesting information sent back comparing the cost of goods now as opposed to the cost of the same goods if the producers received 100% of parity follows:

Item	Cost Now	100% Parity
T-Shirt	1.75	1.79
Ham	1.39	1.42
Sirloin	1.58	1.61
Suit	145.	148.
Butter	.98	1.01
Crisco	1.59	1.63

The Haskell delegation return home Wednesday night and a complete report of their trip will be printed in the Free Press next week.

Farmers at the local strike office have received word that some businesses may have been pressured to give donations to the Washington trip or the strike office. The farmers

Chapman Admitted To Fed. Practice

Haskell County Attorney Charles Chapman was admitted Monday to practice in Federal Court.

Chapman is the son of retired Dist. Judge Ben Charlie Chapman. He was introduced in Federal Court in Abilene by Abilene attorney Stanley Wilson and Haskell attorney Royce Adkins.

To be admitted to practice in Federal Court an attorney must have had three years experience in State Court and be recommended.

Chapman is a graduate of Texas Christian University and Baylor University Law School.

participating in the strike request that any businessman who feels that he has been pressured to call 864-3802 and the matter will be straightened out.

Donating money for the Washington trip was Owens Radio and Electric and donating to the strike office was Jones Cox & Co. These donations were not listed last week. Other donations will be published as they are received.

Chamber Directors Named

New directors to serve on the board of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce by a recent ballot of the membership will be: Dr. Tom Hairgrove, Charles Thornhill, Bob Beauchamp, Mike Jordan and Genelle Overton.

Holdover directors Wayne Lehrer, Larry Gilliam, Joseph Thigpen, John Rike III, Edith Wheatley, Jim Bynum, J. B. Gipson, J. A. Carroll, Francine Johnson and Ted Elliot, along with the five newly elected ones, will comprise the board of fifteen members.

A meeting of the board of directors and the newly elected ones will be held in the Chamber of Commerce office at 6 p.m., Tuesday, January 31st, with president Wayne Lehrer, presiding. A new slate of officers to head the civic organization will be elected at the time, for installation at the annual banquet on February 17th.

DOUGHNUT SALE

The Haskell High FHA members will be selling doughnuts on the square Saturday morning, January 28 beginning at 7:00.

Rep. Heatly Appointed To LBB

Veteran State Rep. W. S. (Bill) Heatly of Paducah has been re-appointed to the important Legislative Budget Board (LBB) by House Speaker Bill Clayton.

The appointment of Heatly to the post gives him 21 years on the board, more than any person in history. The West Texas Democrat has served in the House 24 years.

The 10-member board, which includes the Lt. Governor and Speaker of the House, has responsibility for the preparation of the general appropriations bill for the Legislature.

The board makes its recommendations based on estimates and reports of needed funds from all state agencies and from its own inspections.

Heatly is a member of the Appropriations Committee of the House. In addition to his interim duties with that committee and the LBB, he is a member of the House Select Committee on Drugs and Alcohol Abuse and Control.

In making the LBB appointment Clayton said, "Rep. Heatly throughout his long tenure in the House has been involved in the money management of the state. His expertise and desire to see that Texas is well served by the money it spends were certainly considerations in his re-appointment."

Bookkeeping Course Scheduled

An organizational meeting to form a basic bookkeeping course will be held Monday, January 30, 7 p.m., at the Haskell County Training Center, 10 Avenue 'D', east side of the Square.

The 120-hour course will be sponsored by Texas State Technical Institute, Sweetwater, Texas. Persons interested in attending the class should be present at his most important meeting.

Unemployed individuals and persons wishing to upgrade their present positions in this vocational field are eligible for the class.

For further information, interested individuals should contact Mr. Michael Guess at 864-2237.

WTC Accepting Travel Reservations

Reservations are now being accepted for the third Traveling Seminar at Western Texas College, a 10-day tour of the Hawaiian Islands from June 12-21.

Richard Lancaster, assistant professor of English at WTC, and Dr. James Palmer, chairman of the Division of Social Sciences, will serve as leaders of the Seminar. Lancaster also served as director of WTC's previous Seminars.

Jackson Travel Agency, Inc., is handling travel arrangements.

Seminar participants may select two courses for six hours of college credit to be earned on the trip. Courses in which credit may be received are English 132, English 231 (American Literature), American History 131 or 132, Sociology 232 and Economics 131.

Adults who wish to participate in the Seminar may audit

Heart Ass'n. Plans Fund Drive

The board of directors of the Haskell County Chapter of the American Heart Association and several members of the fund drive committee met Jan. 18, with Joyce Cargile, Regional Director, and Bob Harrison.

Mrs. John S. Rike was introduced as program chairperson and Mrs. Joe Thigpen, campaign chairperson, announced the dates of the fund drive. The drive is scheduled for Feb. 20-27 in Haskell County.

She announced the following committees for the fund drive:

Haskell: Mrs. Jean Elliott and Mrs. William J. Kemp, co-chairpersons, Mrs. Fred Boone, Mrs. Henry Harris, Mrs. Kenneth Lane and Mrs. Mildred Berry; Rule, Mrs. Frank Campbell; Rochester, Mrs. Warren Short; Sagerton, Mrs. C. B. DeBusk; Weinert, Mrs. Bobby Raynes, Jr.; O'Brien, Mrs. Lewis Kay; Paint Creek, Mrs. Twain Mickler; Special Events, Mrs. Robert Free; Business, Mike Jordon, Charles Reed, and Joe Cortez; and special gifts, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holt.

the courses for personal enrichment rather than working for college credit.

The Traveling Seminar will leave and return to the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport via Braniff International. The cost of the tour will be \$985.00 per person, based on double accommodations, or \$1,135.00 for single accommodations. A \$100.00 deposit is required at the time of booking, with full payment due six weeks prior to departure.

Persons wishing information about the Traveling Seminar may write Lancaster at Western Texas College, Snyder, TX 79549, or call his office, AC 915-573-8511, extension 289.

Two Awards To Highlight Banquet

A highlight of the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet scheduled for Friday night, February 17th, will be the recognition of Haskell's outstanding man and woman.

Persons desiring to make recommendations for either or both, are cordially requested to turn the names into the Chamber Office or come by in person not later than February 1st.

Advance tickets will go on sale next week by directors of the Chamber or they can be purchased at the office.

Board members anticipate a record attendance for this, the 42nd annual Chamber Banquet meeting.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be the Honorable Bill Clayton, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

AG MEETING

There will be an American Agricultural Movement meeting Jan. 30, at 6 p.m. in the Seymour High School Auditorium. The meeting will begin with a free chili supper and the program will begin at 7 p.m.

WEATHER SUMMARY

By Sam Herren
January 17-24
TEMPERATURE
Hi.....52°.....23rd
Lo.....15°.....20th
PRECIPITATION
Total.....0.1

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Wanted Ads

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NOTICE
Due to the bookkeeping involved and the high postal rates, we ask that you please remember that classified ads are Cash In Advance unless you are a business firm or have an established credit with the Haskell Free Press. Either mail your ad with check or if you need assistance in writing it we will be happy to help you. Rates are 5c per word or a minimum of \$1.50.

NOTICE
Please notify us of your change of address. If you do not, the Post Office charges us 25c for each time the Haskell Free Press is returned to us, this plus the cost of stencils, time and labor can make your move costly to us. In the future, failure to notify us will result in one month being deducted from your subscription.

For Sale
McCULLOCH CHAIN SAW HEADQUARTERS. A saw for every job. See new. Woodard Farm Sale. 7fc

WOODARD FARM SALES
Ford tractors, equipment, long harrows, Lilliston-Heston-Oliver plow parts. 4fc

FOR SALE: Iron at wholesale prices. Rounds, flats, sheets, square tubing, channel etc. Haskell Trailer Builders. 20fc

FOR SALE: One 1969 Plymouth Fury III Four Door Car. Call 864-2681 or 864-2420, or see Jesse Dean at Dean Butane Co. 52fc

PECAN TREES, Fruit Trees, Roses, shrubs, Flowering Shrubs, Evergreens, FRUIT-LESS MULBERRIES now ready at GANSTEAD GARDENS, just West of Rule, 997-2469. 52fc

HAVE three pieces of farm equipment for sale: Roll-A-Cone double tool bar with 13 shanks, Big Ox type plow with 7 shanks and a 3 point lift. Mrs. T. B. McMeans, 3 mi. SW of Rule, 997-2407. 2-4c

FOR SALE: Gates fan belts and hoses. Also, heater hose, Delco Batteries and etc. stuff. Texaco gas and other oil and service. M. C. Wilfong, phone 864-2766. 2fc

FOR SALE: 1972-966 International Tractor, eight John Deere 71 Flex Planter units and other equipment, also. Call Rochester 817-743-3496. 3-4p

FOR SALE: One 1950 1 1/2 ton GMC Truck. Has new motor with very few miles, 14 ft. flat bed and two-speed axle. See at Kennedy Lumber Co. 3-4c

DRY SHORT WOOD. Pickup load \$5, truck load \$20. All kind farm tools, bars, spacers, etc. Trailers, wheels, tires, cutting torch, much more. Six miles west 380. Call 997-2394. 4-5p

FOR SALE: Bob Whisenhunt personal bass boat. 1976 Tidcraft 15' performance boat, 85 Mercury, power, tilt, and trim. Custom trailer, magnum motor guide. Hummingbird depth finder, 2 gas tanks, 3 batteries, \$4,000. 817-864-3451, after 4 p.m. 4fc

RABBITS FOR SALE: Call Craig Buerger, 864-3152. 4p

WE HAVE several good used washers and dryers for sale at Frazier's Appliance. 4-5c

FOR SALE: Good warm clothing for boys. See at Frazier's Appliance 4-5c

For Sale
PRE INVENTORY—FURNITURE SALE: Re-possessed 3 pc. Living room set \$149, Upholstered Platform Rockers, were \$49.50—now \$37.50—\$119, leatherette recliners \$89.50, 36 in & 48 inch lamps 1/2 off—Sofa Beds (2 only) \$97.50 ea. Unpainted Chests \$39.50. BUIE'S (773-3636) Stamford. 4p

FOR SALE: Used Curtis Mathis color T.V., 23 inch. Also, frame for trampoline. Call 864-2527. 4-5p

FOR SALE: 1966 Volkswagen, new engine, \$500.00. Call 817-997-2657 in Rule. 4c

Miscellaneous
INSTANT CASH for any good merchandise, modern or old. Phone 864-3197 anytime. Lacey's, Throckmorton Highway, Haskell, Texas 27fc

WANTED: Good used furniture and appliances. We buy and sell. Lee Used Furniture 120 N. Swenson St. (one block north of red light on hwy 277) Stamford, Texas. Phone 773-5608. 42fc

BRING ARTS, crafts, antiques, new merchandise, garage sales, pecans, candies, collectors items, furniture, hardware, junk or anything of value to Haskell Trade Mart on the Throckmorton Hwy. for 9 a. m. to dusk each Saturday and noon to dusk each Sunday. 51fc

CUSTOM WELDING, lots, fences, etc. Hauling-flat bed goose-neck. Contact David Davis, 864-3114 after 5 p.m. Reasonable rates. 1-6p

MUST FIND someone to take over payments on like new Touch and Sew Singer Console model sewing machine. Original price \$596.85. Balance \$139.75 or \$18.75 monthly. Call 864-2350. 3-5p

REMOVE CARPET paths and spots; fluff beaten down nap with Blue Lustre. Rent an electric shampooer \$1.00. Perry's 22c

ATTENTION ARTISTS: We now have frames for you. Why drive out of town to get your paintings framed? Let Byrd's Studio help you with your framing. 104 N. Av D, Haskell, 864-2204. 4c

FOR HOME deliveries of Wichita Falls Record News call Bill Steele, 864-3770. \$3.75 monthly. 4-5c

Garage Sales
GARAGE SALE: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 1410 N. Av L. 4p

Lost & Found
LOST: Eight week old puppy. All white. Lost around N. 13 St. Contact Paul at 1306 N. Av G. 4p

Bus. Opportunity
INCOME OPPORTUNITY for an agricultural oriented person selling a full line of farm seeds to farmers and ranchers on a commission basis. Send resume to Miller Seed Company, P. O. Box 886, Hereford, Tx 79045. 3-5c

HAVE A highly profitable and beautiful Jean Shop of your own. Featuring the latest in Jeans, Denims and Sportswear. \$14,500.00 includes Beginning Inventory, Fixtures and Training. You may have your store open in as little as 15 days. Call any time for Mr. Wilkerson (501) 847-4050. 4-5p

FOR SALE
Our home at 1007 N. Av. G. Approximately 2000 sq. ft., 4 bedroom, 2 bath, Den and fireplace, recent 4 ton heating and cooling unit, water well, fenced, large pecan trees. See to appreciate. The A.C. Richardsons. Call Bus. phone 864-3474, or res. phone 864-3417. 47fc

Mobile Homes For Sale
MOBILE HOME FOR SALE or Rent: 1974 Fleetwood Mobile Home, 14x70, three bedrooms, central air and heat, partly furnished. Call 864-3436 after 5 p.m. or see Furrh Real Estate. 4-5c

FOR SALE: Double-wide mobile home, three bedrooms, two baths, central heat. Includes two refrigerated air conditioners, stove and refrigerator. Located at 404 N. Av B in Haskell. Call 997-2197. 4-7p

Real Estate
FOR SALE: Three bedroom, living room with fireplace, bath, kitchen and dining area with utility room. Call after 5:00 on weekdays, 997-2433, 600 Sunny Av. Rule, Texas. 1fc

HOUSE FOR SALE at 205 N. Av D. Has 2 bedrooms. Call 864-2681 or 864-2420, or see Jesse Dean at Dean Butane Co. 52fc

FOR SALE: The John McMillin residence, located at 606 N. 4th St. in Haskell. For information call 864-2141. 2fc

FOR SALE OR RENT: Three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Town and Country Mobile home. Central heat and air, carpeted, located on large lot. Call 864-2204. 3fc

HOUSE FOR SALE: at 106 S. Av C, two bedrooms, carpeted, garage, big storage room, good concrete cellar and on corner lot. Call 864-3487. 3-4p

FOR SALE: Two bedroom house on 79'x140' lot. See at 805 N. Av K, Haskell. 4p

Classifieds
Small ads... Big Results

The Haskell Free Press is authorized to make the following announcement for the office in Haskell County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in 1978.

Unless otherwise specified the candidates listed paid for the announcement, and have designated themselves as campaign treasurer.

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Legal Notices
STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK of Haskell, Texas will be held in the Lobby of the bank building in the City of Haskell, State of Texas on the second Friday in February, A.D. 1978, the same being the 10th day of said month, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said bank and the transaction of such other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Pauline Couch
Asst. Vice-Pres. and Cashier 4-6c

STATE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION
NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS
STATE PROJECT MC-8-Y-10 HASKELL COUNTY, TEXAS
Sealed proposals addressed to the State Engineer-Director for Highways and Public Transportation, for the construction of a Rest Area and Comfort Station located on U. S. Highway 277 ten miles south of Haskell on west side of highway in Haskell County, Texas, will be received at the office of the State Engineer-Director, Room 501, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas until 2:30 P.M. local time, Thursday, February 9, 1978, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by law will be furnished to any Contractor desiring to submit a bid and must be secured from the Chief Engineer, Maintenance Operations, [File D-18, Room 501], State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas, OR from Mr. Roger G. Welsh, District Engineer, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Old Anson Rd. & U. S. 83, Abilene, Texas 79604. 4-5c

Usual rights reserved. 4-5c

FOR SALE: 1974 Ford pickup. For more information, contact C. E. Tidwell, Commissioner Prec. #1. Bids will be received until February 13, 1978, and opened at 10:00 a.m. Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. B. O. Roberson, County Judge, Haskell County Texas. 4-5c

Haskell County Commissioners' Court will accept bids at their regular meeting place in the Courthouse until 10:00 A.M., Monday, February 13, 1978 for

1-six passenger automobile with 4 doors, heater and air conditioner, Power brakes and steering, automatic transmission, tinted glass, radio, cooling system to accommodate air conditioner, spare wheel and tire, steel belted radial black wall tires, adequate horsepower engine for the economical and efficient operation of this unit. No trade in involved. The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of Haskell County Commissioners' Court.
B. O. Roberson
County Judge
Haskell County, Texas 4-5c

Real Estate For Sale
3 bedroom brick with large fenced in yard.
Stucco Duplex near High School, 2 bedroom each unit.
Large 3 bedroom 2 1/2 Bath Brick Located on 1 full acre. Two car garage, all built in kitchen, basement, water well, and orchard. All City utilities but no water or city tanks.
2 bedroom frame very close in. Good Terms available.

Hartsfield Agency
Phone 864-2665 4-5c

Public Notice
THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF HASKELL
Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held on the 3rd day of February, 1978, at 10:00 a.m. in the County Court at the County Courthouse of the above named County in Haskell, Texas on the herein-after named owner for an off-premises beer license and wine only package store. The substance of said application is as follows:

1. Type of license or permit: Beer Retailers Off-Premises License and Wine Only Package Store.
2. Exact location of Business: 220 ft. North of Haskell-Jones Co. Line on West side of Highway 277.
3. Name of Owner or Owners: Sherry Norred.
4. Assumed or trade name: Quick Stop.

Any person shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license or permit upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

WITNESS MY HAND this 17th day of January A.D. 1978.
Mrs. Jenny Brazell
County Clerk, Haskell County, Texas 4-5p

Card of Thanks
CARD OF THANKS
Thank you to those who sent flowers, cards and food and most of all for your prayers in the loss of our loved one, Bessie Russell. May God Bless each and everyone of you. Joe and Lula Massie and Family. 4p

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OBITUARIES
Mabel Baldwin
Funeral services for Mabel Baldwin, 87, of Dallas, were held Friday, Jan. 20 at 2:00 p.m. in the Holden-McCauley Funeral Chapel with Elder Dennis Ratliff of First Christian Church, Haskell, officiating.
She died Jan. 17, 1978 at 4:00 a.m. at her home in Dallas.
Born April 28, 1890 in Haskell, she was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma Society. She was a graduate of Haskell High School, Texas Christian University and did graduate work at the University of Texas. She started her teaching career in Haskell in 1910 and retired in 1959 from North Dallas High School where she taught History. She was a member of the East Dallas Christian Church.
Survivors include: two sisters: Fannie Jack Baldwin, Elizabeth Baldwin, both of Dallas; several nephews and nieces, including Mrs. George Fouts of Haskell. She was preceded in death by one sister, Mrs. Myrtle Collins and two brothers, Franklin "Star" Baldwin and Preston M. Baldwin.
Pallbearers were Bud Herren, Lynn Pace Jr., Bud Pace, Roy Pittman, Jimmy Crawford, Wallace Cox, Jr.

Card of Thanks
CARD OF THANKS
Thank you to those who sent flowers, cards and food and most of all for your prayers in the loss of our loved one, Bessie Russell. May God Bless each and everyone of you. Joe and Lula Massie and Family. 4p

Young children should be frequently reminded that paper clips, pencils, keys and similar items should never be put into the ear, warns the Beltone Crusade for Hearing Conservation.

PHILPOT'S SUPPLY & SERVICE
864-3010
402 N. 1st 41fc

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Haskell, Texas 31fc

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Lewis, Lain Vows Read Saturday

Patti Renea Lain and Danny Gary Lewis exchanged marriage vows Saturday in the First United Methodist Church, of Knox City. The Rev. Bob Cameron of the O'Brien First Baptist Church officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Don Lain. She was given in marriage by her father.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. Sterling Lewis and Mrs. Elaine Lewis.

The maid of honor was Pam Pack of Lubbock, Sandy Stubbs of Odessa and Mrs. Troy Lewis were bridesmaids.

Amy Deering of Olney was the flower girl. Ring bearer was Shane Lewis, brother of the bridegroom.

Molly Grimes of Munday and Todd Lewis, brother of the bridegroom, were candle-lighters.

Payton Tankersley was the best man. Groomsmen were Lowery Deering of Olney and Troy Lewis, brother of the bridegroom.

Serving as ushers were Roland Marion and Bobby Vasquez.

The bride is a graduate of Knox City-O'Brien High School. She is employed by Russell Newman Manufacturing Co. in Seymour.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Knox City High School and is employed by Lewis Paint and Body Shop in Knox City.

Following a wedding trip to Wichita Falls, the couple will reside in Knox City.

The bride is the granddaughter of Ida Pack of Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lane of Munday.

Weinert Matrons Hold Meeting

Members of the Weinert Matrons Club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd McGuire Thursday, January 18. Mrs. Vern Derr, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. McGuire read the minutes of the meeting for January 5. The minutes were approved. The treasurer, Mrs. M. W. Phemister, gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Henry Smith moved that the date for the meeting on February 16 be changed to February 23. The motion was seconded and carried.

The secretary read a thank-you note from Mr. and Mrs. Milton Walker expressing appreciation for a gift they had received after their house burned.

The program for the day was on the home. Roll call was answered with "How My Parents Influenced Our Home".

Mrs. D. L. Moody, director for the day, opened the program with a discussion on "Consumer Concerns at Home". Mrs. W. A. King spoke on "Who Is Responsible for the Health of the Home?" Mrs. Henry Smith spoke on "Entertainment in the Home". Mrs. R. C. Liles read the words of the song "God Give us Christian Homes".

Mrs. McGuire and Mrs. Henry Smith, acting as co-hostesses, served delicious sandwiches, cake, and coffee.

College News

Several Haskell County students were named to honors lists for the fall semester at Western Texas College.

Samuel C. Brothers of O'Brien was one of 17 students named to the President's List. This list is composed of students who carry at least 15 hours of college credit work exclusive of physical education and who have a grade point of 4.0 (A), the highest which can be attained.

Named to the Dean's List were Anthony Haynes, James Michael Johnston and Ruth Ann Klose of Haskell. Students on the Dean's List must be enrolled for at least 12 hours and make a grade point average of 3.5 or more.

On the Merit List were Charles Franklin and Mary Sorrells of Haskell. The Merit List includes students who are enrolled for at least eight but fewer than 12 hours of college credit work and who have a grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.

LIQUID PAPER Correction Fluid in ledger colors including pink, greens, buff, blue and yellows. Haskell Free Press.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES G. SMART, JR. of Haskell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tiny Ann Smart of McCaulley to Clint Wheat, son of Mr. Darrell Wheat of Ranger and Mrs. Brenda Kell of Hamlin. The wedding is planned for March 18 in McCaulley. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of McCaulley High School, and attended Western Texas College and Texas Tech University. She is employed at the McCaulley School in McCaulley. The prospective bridegroom is a 1977 graduate of McCaulley High School and is employed at Norris Construction in Hamlin.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kemletz of Abilene announce the birth of a daughter, Jana Lynn Kemletz, born January 17, 1978, at 8:20 a.m. in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Jana weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz. and was 19 inches long. Mrs. Kemletz is the former Margaret Medford of Haskell. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Medford of Haskell. Mr. W. C. Kemletz of Abilene and Mrs. Isbell Parnell also of Abilene. Great Grandfather is Mr. J. H. Mitchell of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ray Isbell, of Haskell, announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica Lavern Isbell, born January 20, 1978, weighing 7 lbs., 3 1/2 oz. at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gene Wheeler, of Haskell, announce the birth of a son, Brice Timothy Wheeler, born January 18, 1978, weighing 10 lbs., 3oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Ledesma, of Aspermont, announce the birth of a son, John Wesley Ledesma Jr., born January 16, 1978, weighing 7 lbs., 1 oz., at the Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Baptist Conference Set

Dr. Daniel G. Vestal, Pastor of First Baptist Church, Midland, will be the principle speaker for both sessions of the Baptist Double Mountain Area Evangelism Conference to be held Monday, January 30, 1978 in the First Baptist Church, Hamlin.

Vestal was born October 18, 1944. His education consists of Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts Degrees from Baylor University; Master of Divinity of Doctor of Theology from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary; he received the W. T. Conner Memorial Award as the outstanding student in the school of Theology.

Vestal has conducted over 300 revivals in the United States; taught one and a half years at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary as Teaching Fellow and Instructor; served as pastor of Meadow Lane Baptist Church, Arlington and pastor of Southcliff Baptist Church, Ft. Worth; Board Member of Midland Human Relations Council; Board Member of Pastoral Counseling Center; Board Member of Mexican Baptist Bible Institute, San Antonio; Board Member of Texas Baptist Standard. Vestal has been Pastor of First Baptist Church, Midland since May 2, 1976. He and his wife, Earlene have two sons, Philip and Joel.

Special Music for both sessions will be brought by the Dietz Brothers of Amarillo who are full time music evangelists. The Dietz Brothers are both graduates of West Texas State University of Canyon. They are natives of Borger where they began their singing life at the age of eight.

Congregational singing will be under the direction of Phil Sims, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church, Rotan and Music Director for West Central Baptist Association and Frank Hammack, Minister of Music, First Baptist Church, Munday and Music Director for Haskell-Knox Association.

The program will begin at 2:00 p.m. for the afternoon session and 7:00 p.m. for the evening session. Everyone is invited and encouraged to be present for both services.

Shower Honors Mrs. Swofford

Mrs. Jay Swofford of Abilene was honored with a bridal shower at the educational building of Faith Lutheran Church Saturday, January 21.

Mrs. Fred Baitz registered the guests, and they were introduced by the groom's mother, Mrs. Joe Swofford, to the bride, her mother, Mrs. L. D. Hull of Stamford, her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Youngquist of Stamford, and Mrs. Lois Young, of Sagerton, the groom's grandmother.

Miss Kris Kupatt served punch and coffee was served by Mrs. Bill Hertel. Other hostesses were: the Mmes. Melvin Baitz, Garrett Spitzer, Delbert Lefevre, Jack Monse, J. D. Kupatt, David Letz, Fred Kupatt, J. B. Toney and C. P. DeBusk.

The refreshment table was covered with white net over blue, draped with white satin. The centerpiece featured blue candles surrounded by white mums.

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Shower Honors Mrs. Benton

Mrs. James Benton, nee Judy Lehde, of Haskell, was honored with a wedding shower on January 19, from 7:00-8:30 p.m. at the Haskell National Bank Community Room. In the receiving line with the honoree, Judy Benton, was her mother, Mrs. E. H. Lehde and James' mother, Mrs. Jim Benton of Haskell.

From the chosen colors, yellow was used on the serving table with pineapple-sherbert punch, white frosted lemon yellow cake squares, nuts, and mints were served to the guests.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Omitene Ammonett, Margaret Bird, Viola Brueggeman, Betty Dulaney, Marie Elmore, Delores Foster, Maudine Frierson, Connie Harvey, Bernice Hilliard, Ella Howard, Lois Howard, Ruby Isbell, Roberta Jenkins, Eunice Koehler, Dora Kretschmer, Regina Lane, Zella Moeller, Lorene O'Keefe, Vera Schmidt, Faye Sheets, Alma Lou Solomon, Lena Tidwell, Karen Thompson, Nancy Toliver and Nellie Wilson.

HASKELL Lunch Menu

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Tater Tots Catsup
Pork and Beans
Pear Halves
Peanut Butter and Crackers
Milk

TUESDAY

Meat Loaf
Potatoes in Cheese Sauce
Seasoned Green Beans
Hot Rolls Butter
Apple Crisp
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Turkey Tetrazzini
English Peas
Garden Salad
Hot Rolls Butter
Peach Halves
Refrigerator Cookies
Milk

THURSDAY

Fish Portions Catsup/Tartar Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
Blackeyed Peas
Carrot Sticks
Hot Rolls Butter
Applesauce Cake
Milk

FRIDAY

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Pear Halves
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Reg. \$15.00 to \$45.00 Now \$5.00 to \$18.00
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The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—One problem that hits both retail business and the consumer in the pocketbook is the crime of shoplifting.

According to the Texas Crime Prevention Institute, the latest statistics show that businesses lose \$4 billion a year to shoplifters. The Institute also points out that mass merchandising stores are the most frequent victims of shoplifting, and that one out of every 10 customers is a shoplifter. Unfortunately, only one out of every 35 shoplifters is arrested.

As a result of this tremendous loss suffered by businesses, the individual consumer ends up paying three to 15 percent more for many goods. This "crime tax" is the cost that is passed on to

consumers by stores for money lost directly due to shoplifters and money lost indirectly due to expensive security measures that must be instituted to combat them.

Law enforcement experts and attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division say there are seven categories of shoplifters, including:

1. *Amateurs* who steal impulsively, usually taking food, clothes, and cosmetics.
2. *Kleptomaniacs*, compulsive shoplifters who contribute to less than 1 percent of all shoplifting.
3. *Juveniles*—Many experts believe the majority of youths steal to gain status among their friends.

They usually take such things as records, recreational goods, cosmetics, or clothes. 4.

Narcotic addicts, who steal items that can be sold to support a habit, and who are considered by law enforcement officers to be the most dangerous shoplifters if caught in the process of stealing. 5. *Vagrants*—persons who normally shoplift such things as tobacco, food, alcohol, or clothes. 6. *Professionals*—A professional shoplifter steals only expensive items "to order" or for resale by a "fence". While professional shoplifters are responsible for only 20 percent of thefts, 80 percent of store losses are attributed to them.

7. *Store employees*—According to a 1976 survey conducted by the Institute, as much as 40 percent of all store employees may steal from employers. To put a stop to losses from shoplifting, our Consumer Protection Division attorneys and law enforcement officials recommend several ways to guard against shoplifters:

Store employees should be adequately trained in security measures that can prevent or discourage shoplifters. They should be instructed to be alert and observant, since employees constitute business' first line of defense.

Employees should look for customers who wear heavy, out-of-season clothes or who carry numerous large bundles or sacks. They should watch argumentative customers who may use such tactics to divert attention from a partner who is stealing.

They should wait on each customer as promptly as possible to prevent excessive browsing.

Items such as shoes should not be displayed in pairs. Price marking equipment should not be left unattended. Business persons should report incidences of shoplifting to police immediately. Customers who observe persons shoplifting should report them to store personnel, and should remember that any unreported cases may only encourage the shoplifter to continue such actions. Our lawyers point out that shoplifters cost not only a store, but all of its customers, a great deal of money.

For assistance with consumer complaints, contact our Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division in Austin, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Lubbock, El Paso, or McAllen. Outside those areas, call this toll-free number: 1-800-252-9236.

Leisure Lodge News

Things have been fairly quiet around Leisure Lodge this week since the weather has been so bad not many visitors out, but the residents have been busy playing dominoes and 42 with refreshments of pop corn and hot chocolate.

We do welcome one new resident, Mrs. Mary Lou Foshee from Knox City. Among the visitors of Mrs. Foshee were, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Foshee from Buchanan Dam, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Boyd from Knox City.

Visiting Lummie Westmoreland were, Mrs. Newton Westmoreland, Mrs. Warren Doyle, Mrs. Lone Sheid all of Rule, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham and son from Knox City, Elder R. H. Crain of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Hulda Jacks of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Boyd from Knox City.

Mrs. Nellie Stanfield and Nelda Sue from Knox City visited Haney Stanfield.

Mr. Harvey Medford from Munday visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Medford.

Mrs. Eula Booe from Knox City visited Mrs. Lillie Bradley.

Helen Pierce from Rule visited her mother, Mrs. Olga Tribbey.

Visiting Mr. W. O. Lewis were, Mrs. Florene Sorrells, Mrs. Derrell Sorrells and Mrs. A. L. Brothers, all from Rule.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Alice Smith were Mrs. Georgia Turnbow and Twyla, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, also Mr. and Mrs. Lenore Griffis of Weinert, Mrs. Dora Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gray of Munday.

Services this week included the Central Baptist on Sunday, The Four Square on Tuesday and Assembly of God on Thursday night. All services were enjoyed.

Elsie Mitchell had visitors all the way from Spain. They were her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Beador and sons.

STOCK MARKET

The market at Haskell Livestock Auction had a run of 678 cattle and 174 hogs at their sale, according to James Powell, market reporter.

There was not enough moisture reported from any parts of the area here to help. But strong buyer attendance with most cattle and hogs higher. With good buyer demand on all classes.

Hogs: Tops 46
Bulk of Butcher Hogs: 44.50-46.

Sows: 35-38.
Boars: 28-30.
Feeder Pigs and Shoats: 28-40.

Cattle: 1 to 2 higher.
Bulls: Choice; 35-37; Good 33-35; Common and Med. 28-33.

Light Weight Bulls: Choice 35-42; Good 33-35; Common and Med. 30-33.

Butcher Cows: Fat 28-32; Good 27-30; Old Shells 17-25.

Butcher Calves & Yearlings: Choice 35-38; Good 33-35; Common and Med. 30-33.

Feeder Steer Yearlings:

Choice 44-46; Good 41-44; Common and Med. 38-41.

Feeder Heifer Yearlings: Choice 36-40; Good 34-36; Common and Med. 30-34.

Stocker Steer Yearlings: Choice 45-48; Good 41-45; Common and Med. 38-41.

Stocker Heifer Yearlings: Choice 35-40; Good 33-35; Common and Med. 30-33.

Stocker Steer Calves: Choice 45-50; Good 43-45; Common and Med. 40-43.

Stocker Heifer Calves: Choice 40-42; Good 36-40; Common and Med. 30-36.

Cows and Calves, Pairs: Choice 275-340; Good 250-275; Common and Med. 225-250.

Stocker Cows by Head: Choice 225-250; Good 175-225; Common and Med. 150-175.

Stocker Cows by Weight: Choice 30-35; Good 28-30; Common and Med. 25-28.

College News

West Texas State University has announced the students on the President's and the Dean's Honor Rolls for the fall semester 1977.

Students named to the President's Honor Roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 (4.0=A) or higher for a completed minimum semester load in residence of 12 semester hours.

The Dean's List represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a completed semester load of 12 semester hours or more.

Named to the President's Honor Roll from Haskell was John W. Cox, a freshman management major, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cox, Jr.

Named to the Dean's List from Haskell was Mona C. Bledsoe, a freshman music education major, who resides at Star Rt; and Linda K. Hartsfield, a senior nursing major, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hartsfield.

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Attracting Birds

In spite of cats, pesticides, neatly trimmed lawns and few trees, it would be hard to find an area of the South Plains or Panhandle that doesn't have birds of some type during the winter months, but all neighborhoods can have more birds of a wider variety with just a little planning and work.

Duplicate nature as closely as possible having both open areas and densely planted areas to provide cover which birds need to protect them from enemies. Since foliage attracts different birds, vary your plantings and include such trees that fruit, shrubs, vines, and flowers that provide natural fruits and seeds.

For example, the ornamental flowering dogwood attracts over 90 species of birds to its branches and of these, at least 28 species are known to eat its red berries.

In addition to trees, your bird area should contain some of the fruit producing shrubs and vines. Members of the honeysuckle family - elders, snowberries, honeysuckles and viburnums - are a good choice. They all produce berries which can be eaten and the foliage provides good cover and nesting habitat.

If you have difficulty in deciding which plant to put in your bird area, contact your local nurserman who will know which species will grow best in your area.

In addition to natural food, supplemental bird feeding might be necessary for survival of your bird friends.

If you plan to put out food

for birds, be sure it is done twice a day as the birds will become accustomed to the food and depend upon you for their dinner.

Eating habits of birds can generally be divided into two groups: a diet primarily of insects and other small organisms, and a diet mainly of seeds.

The various sparrows are the most familiar seed eaters and a display of commercial bird seed, grain crops, sunflowers, or a mixture of these ingredients will draw the birds along with aggressive blue-jays. For troublesome birds, place a separate feeder some distance away allowing the smaller birds a chance at the food.

The insect eaters such as swallows and chickadees prefer suet (all-fat trimmings from meat) or table scraps placed in an aerial feeder.

Another part of the bird's diet that is overlooked is grit. Sand particles and crushed shells help grind the food in the bird's crop and provide useful minerals. A cupful of grit on the bird food platter would be welcomed by your feathered friends.

As spring nears, ease off slowly on the bird feed but do not stop suddenly. A transition period between the winter and spring feeding habits will occur but even April and May could be critical as long, rainy days and low temperatures keep the birds from finding natural foods.

With a variety of foods to utilize, the only remaining

requirement is water. You may wish to include a pool or birdbath in your bird area and it should be flushed clean every two or three days and refilled with clean water.

When you have provided food, water and shelter, it is time to set back and enjoy the fruits of your labor -- the joy of watching the different species of birds use and enjoy your little sanctuary.

Trapping Season Nears End

The Texas trapping season will continue through January 31 and Panhandle and South Plains trappers have had plenty of cold weather, but only an average year collecting pelts.

The prices for raccoon have topped out at \$16 in the Panhandle. Coyote carcasses are bringing from \$20 to \$22 in most areas with more finished pelts being handled according to one dealer.

"We have bought over 1500 coyotes this winter and most of the trappers are reporting just as many coyotes as last year although the animals are harder to spot or find due to the trapping and hunting pressure," the fur buyer continued.

The biggest decline in number of pelts and prices is the bobcat which is bringing an average of \$50-\$55 in January. The export ban by the Endangered Species Scientific Authority (ESSA) on Texas bobcat pelts has caused less interest in bobcat hunting and trapping by comparing the \$55 per-pelt-price this winter with a \$100 price tag last winter.

Licensed trappers are reminded that they must dispose of their season inventory of fur-bearing pelts by Feb. 5 since it is unlawful to possess green or undried pelts after that date.



Congressman Bob Krueger of Texas became the first Democrat to officially file as a candidate for the U.S. Senate seat presently held by John Tower.

Krueger paid the required filing fee, Wednesday, to Calvin Guest, chairman of the Democratic Party of Texas, to guarantee his name will appear on every ballot in Texas in the May 6th Democratic primary.

Krueger was the first candidate to announce for the U.S. Senate when he made his intentions known to a large group of friends and supporters last July 4th at his home in New Braunfels. For the past seven months, Krueger has campaigned heavily throughout the state to gather support for his campaign effort. He has visited a total of 150 counties in the state in his bid to unseat Tower.

Krueger was also the first U.S. Senate candidate to release his complete financial statement, including his personal income tax statements for the past seven years, to the public and members of the news media.

Krueger, a second-term Congressman from the 21st District of Texas, is expected to continue his heavy campaign travels in his effort to visit with citizens in all 254 Texas counties.

Letters To The Editor

(EDITORS NOTE: The Haskell Free Press will publish letters to the Editor dealing with any subject. All letters must be signed but names will be withheld by request. All letters are subject to editing for length and liability.)

Dear Bill:

Let's reopen the doors to the Governor's Office! For almost five long years the most powerful office in the state has had its doors closed to the people of Texas. I want to change that policy.

During my administration I took great care to stay in close contact with the people, the every day people of the this state. I even answered my own telephone most of the time. I listened to the problems and concerns of the citizens and did my best to help them with their needs. Together we tried

and succeeded in making Texas a better place to live.

Again I would like the opportunity to serve with the people as Governor. I know I can do a better job than any other candidate -- I can also do an even better job than I did before. Time has served me well. It's a simple truth that power belongs to the people. If the doors of the Governor's Office are open, then each citizen can have a fair share of the power that is rightfully his.

Please let me hear from you.

Sincerely,
Preston Smith

Mrs. Hise Announces For J P

Geraldine (Petrich) Hise, authorized the Haskell Free Press to announce her candidacy for Justice of Peace Precinct 1.

Mrs. Hise stated that she would make a formal statement to the voters at a later date.

Around Town

By Lisa and Mary

Mrs. R. L. Edwards of Weinert has returned home from the hospital in Dallas and is doing fine.

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A furniture manufacturer writes: "My wife has tried three times without success to stop smoking cigarettes, and instead, she finally decided to switch to a low tar, low nicotine brand. Will this keep her safe from cigarette-related diseases?"

ANSWERline: There is no such thing as a "safe" cigarette. A major recent study by the American Cancer Society showed that smoking low tar and nicotine cigarettes results in lower total death rates, including lower death rates from both lung cancer and coronary heart disease.

However, among people who smoked low tar and nicotine cigarettes, deaths were still 30 to 75 percent higher than among those who never smoked regularly. This means that while it may be a step in the right direction for your wife to reduce her tar and nicotine intake, quitting would be the best of all. Why not contact your local American Cancer Society Unit -- your wife may be surprised and encouraged by the practical help in smoking withdrawal that the ACS can give.

A school dietician asks: "Is it true that the plastic film wrap we use in the kitchen is made of the same material that has been linked with cancer?"

ANSWERline: The material you have in mind is vinyl chloride, a gas, that is commercially converted to solid form for use in plastic bottles and wraps. The Food and Drug Administration investigated the material because there is a link between the gaseous form of vinyl chlor-

ide and cancer. There was a possibility that some of the gas remains trapped in the solid form of the plastic and could migrate to food. However, after investigation, the FDA could find no vinyl chloride "migration" problem with the plastic wraps we so commonly use.

A high school coach explains: "I recently saw the very moving story of Babe Didrikson Zaharias, the famous "Babe" on TV, and I would like to know something about the kind of cancer she had. Is it common?"

ANSWERline: This outstanding athlete and courageous human being had colon-rectal cancer, one of the most common forms of cancer which occurs almost equally in men and women. "Babe" went on to win major sports

victories and to live several years after being treated for cancer. Although she did die of the disease, thousands of colon-rectal patients are now saved each year because colon-rectal cancer is one of the most curable forms of cancer if it is detected in an early stage and treated promptly. To accomplish that, the American Cancer Society advises the public (1) to have regular checkups, certain laboratory tests (and special "procto" examinations after the age of 40) and (2) to see a physician right away upon noticing a change in bowel habits.

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800-392-2040 toll-free in Texas, 792-3245 in the Houston area.

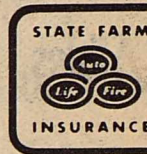
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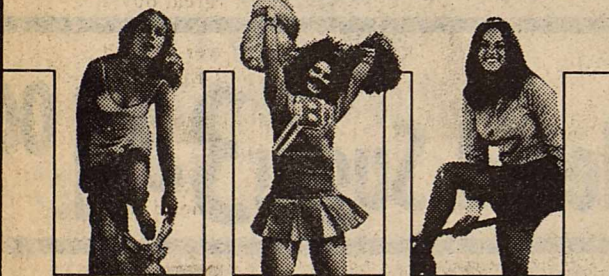
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WASHINGTON "As It Looks From Here" Omar Burleson Congressman — 17th District

WASHINGTON, D.C.—**THE VOLUME OF LEGISLATION** produced in a particular Session of the Congress is not necessarily a measure of success or failure. The First Session of the 95th Congress which closed last December was one of the longest in history, having been in session 346 days. A record was set with 706 roll call votes; 15,346 bills introduced and Federal spending hitting a new record.

ON THE OTHER HAND, THE SESSION WAS RATHER NOTABLE for legislation not enacted. For instance, the so-called situs picketing proposal was turned down, "instant" voter registration failed passage as did funding for Congressional elections. The creation of an agency for consumer protection was withdrawn for lack of support and a proposal to grant subsidies to the shipping industry, known as the Cargo Preferen-

ce Act, was voted down. **IN THE 1977 SESSION MORE THAN 200 NEW LAWS WERE ENACTED**—some good—some not so good—depending on one's viewpoint.

THE SECOND SESSION OF THE 95TH CONGRESS which opened last week will have some of the same legislation but probably in modified form. It's like the old saying of being the same old coon with another ring around its tail. This will likely include a revival of the Consumer Advocacy Agency, a bill known as the Full Employment and Balanced Growth Act, and a few others of a similar nature.

THE SO-CALLED ENERGY BILL passed in different versions by the House of Representatives and the Senate is in conference between the two bodies, still having a considerable way to go before final action. Decon-

trol and incentives for more production of oil and gas are the big issues.

THE SOCIAL SECURITY BILL WAS PASSED and signed by the President, which over the next ten years will increase the tax-take by approximately \$200 billion. Incidentally, some of the supporters of this legislation are having second thoughts and already thinking of changes before it becomes effective in 1979. Many Members of Congress are hearing from a large number of the 45 million Americans whose Social Security taxes are more than their Federal income taxes.

A NEW AGRICULTURAL BILL SHARPLY INCREASED FEDERAL AID to producers from a present cost of about \$6 billion to about as much as \$9 billion by 1979. The bill pleases no one and, as everyone is aware, the farmer protests are loud and clear. A revision in the food stamp program is a part of the new farm bill and will add about \$1 billion to its cost. Attempts will be made to reduce this program by an amendment to allow only the purchase of nutritional food.

THE DEBATE ON NATIONAL DEFENSE was one of the most prolonged and hotly debated bills coming before the 1977 Session. Funds for the B-1 Bomber were eliminated but the issue is not dead and efforts will be made to restore money for the production of the B-1, as well as some of the other weapons not funded. Total funds for defense comprise about 24% of the total Federal budget, down from 29% just five years ago in spite of inflation and in spite of the fact that we live in a dangerous world militarily.

LEGISLATION DEALING WITH THE ENVIRONMENT and with health and education will be prominent in the upcoming Session, as will many other issues considered by some to be of high priority.

HOPEFULLY, THE ADMINISTRATION AND THE CONGRESS will take seriously President Carter's reference in his State of the Union message last week that not everything can be done by Washington.

Contributions To IRA Due Soon

Qualified workers have until Tuesday, February 14, to make 1977 contributions to their Individual Retirement Savings Arrangements. Previously, contributions were deductible only if made within the year for which the deduction was being taken, the Internal Revenue Service said.

Individual Retirement Savings Arrangements are taxpayer-initiated retirement plans that can be set up by workers not covered by qualified pension or retirement plans where they are employed. IRA's are also available to nonworking spouses of qualified workers.

The February 14 date is for those people whose plans are set up on a calendar year and represents a 45-day extension beyond the close of the plan year. Taxpayers with tax years other than the calendar year also have an additional 45 days in which to make contributions that will affect the 1977 tax year.

Since there are penalties for making excess contributions, this extension allows the taxpayer to correctly calculate and contribute the percentage of income he or she wishes to contribute and still be able to deduct it from the 1977 taxable income.

Many banks, insurance companies, and credit unions have additional information on setting up and maintaining IRA's. In addition, IRS Publication 590, "Tax Information on Individual Retirement Savings Programs," can be obtained free of charge by filling out the coupon in the tax package.

Conservation Viewpoints

USDA Soil Conservation Service
Assisting
Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District

The Board of Directors of the Haskell Soil and Water Conservation District met last Wednesday at their regular monthly meeting. Guests at the Board meeting included Joe J. McEntire, Area Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service, Abilene and W. T. Crumley, Graham, Field Representative of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Several items of business transpired including the approval of new conservation plans for Roy Day, Jr. of Knox City for 160 acres, and Joe Kimbrough of Haskell for 771 acres. Kimbrough's plan was developed into a Great Plains Conservation Program Contract which the Board reviewed.

Other items of business

transacted were the letting of a contract to Wedeco Equipment Company of Stamford for the rebuilding and strengthening of the grass-seed drill. It is hoped that the drill will be operational in time for use this spring.

Duane Gilly, Vocational Agriculture Teachers, Haskell High School and the Haskell FFA Chapter will again be custodians of the drill. Anyone wishing to rent the drill should contact Mr. Gilly.

R. V. Earles of Haskell, Board Chairman; W. L. Ballard of Rochester, Vice-Chairman; and M. W. Phemister of Weintert, Board member along with your District Conservationist attended the BIG COUNTRY Resources Conservation and Development Project annual

meeting in Aspermont last Tuesday. Haskell SWCD was elected as an additional sponsor of the BIG COUNTRY RC & D Project.

James Abbott, Assistant State Conservationist for Programs, Soil Conservation Service, Temple, presented a very interesting program on RC & D in Texas.

"One of the strong points of RC & D is that local people can come together, determine needs, develop data, and arrive at solutions to problems commonly beneficial to all", Mr. Abbott stated.

"RC & D is the most popular program going in the United States. It has the best support across departmental lines of government of any program in the U.S. Department of Agriculture, but it lacks support in the Executive Branch", Abbott continued. "If RD & D is eliminated", Abbott concluded, "it could be 20 years before anything else comes along that would equal it."

Acting RC & D Project Coordinator Joe J. McEntire gave a brief history of the BIG COUNTRY RC & D Project.

College News

Honor roll students for the fall quarter on the Rolling Plains Campus of Texas State Technical Institute (TSTI) have been announced.

Students on the President's Honor Roll attained a perfect 4.0 grade point average. Those on the Vice President's Honor Roll achieved a grade point average of 3.5 or above.

Honor roll students from Haskell include Bobby Simpson.

Go classified for the Action you want.

N. C. CROUCH, D.O.

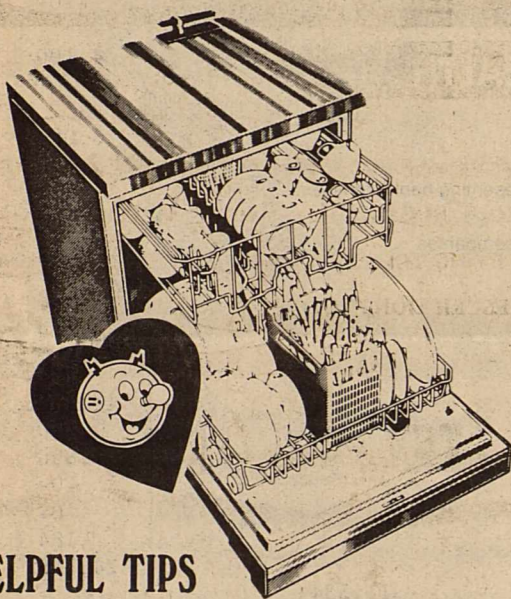
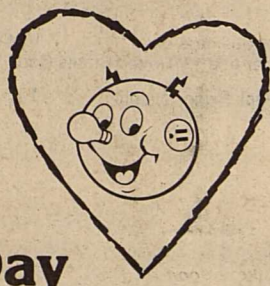
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Some people don't like smoke. Others don't like to talk about it. But many who ignore the issues are unaware of the insidious trends in smoking-related diseases.

Dr. C. R. Allen, Jr., director of the Chronic Disease Division, Texas Department of Health, speaks highly of the educational work done by the Smoking and Health Program at the Department.

When asked how serious a health risk smoking is, Dr. Allen quoted a World Health Organization report stating that "smoking-related diseases are such important causes of disability and premature death in developed countries that the control of cigarette smoking could do more to improve health and prolong life in these countries than any single action in the whole field of preventive medicine."

January 8-14, 1977 marks the fourteenth anniversary of the first report of the Surgeon General on the health consequences of smoking. National Education Week on Smoking has been noted in a proclamation by Governor Dolph Briscoe, who encourages all Texans "by example, encouragement, and self-assertion, to make your feelings known about smoking and support those close to you who want to kick the habit."

Though we have long known smoking was harmful to men,

recent studies indicate smoking may be just as dangerous to women. In the last decade, the proportion of men smokers has declined, while the proportion of women smokers has increased. This dramatic escalation in female smokers only reinforces the advertising point, "You've come a long way, baby." But the way is tragic. For the first time ever, there were more lung cancers among women age 35-44 than among men in one of our states. Those data, from the American Cancer Society's Blue Ribbon Commission on Tobacco and Cancer, are thought to be only the beginning of an unfortunate reversal.

Women over 40 years of age who smoke heavily and use oral contraceptives seem to run a greater risk of death from heart attack and stroke than women who use the pill and do not smoke, or women who smoke but do not use the pill. In fact, reports the National Cancer Institute, the use of oral contraceptives by smokers over 40 is now considered more hazardous than the risks associated with pregnancy and childbirth for women of that age.

Pregnant women who smoke face increased risks, too. Studies show that infants of smoking mothers are smaller on the average, particularly in head size and overall length. Other studies

show significantly lower birth weight among infants of smoking mothers, and the heavier the smoking, the greater the deviation from the norm. The abortion rate and stillbirth rate increase with the amount of smoking by the pregnant mother, according to a Columbia University study.

The reproductive system is not the only area affected by smoking. Smokers require more vitamin C, larger doses of pain-killing drugs and anxiety-reducing drugs. Mix smoking with alcohol consumption and the synergistic effects dramatically increase the risk of cancer of the lung, esophagus, and larynx.

And what of the right of nonsmokers? People are continuing to speak up when bothered by tobacco smoke in public places, their homes, and their cars. More city ordinances have been passed restricting smoking in various public settings. The Civil Aeronautics Board, after a series of hearings, has banned cigar and pipe smoking on U. S. airlines. Airlines must now provide seats in the non-smoking section to any passengers requesting them, even if it means enlarging the nonsmoking section.

What are the answers to these problems? Many of the precise components in tobacco smoke which do the damage are still unknown, so developing a less hazardous cigarette remains very difficult. Quitting is also difficult for most smokers, but it is possible. Since 1974, the Smoking and Health Program has provided materials or conducted smoking cessation clinics for hospitals, local health departments, student health centers, and other interested groups throughout Texas. It is possible to become a nonsmoker; more than thirty million Americans have done it.

It all comes down to responsibility. Kicking the habit, or not taking it up in the first place can prevent serious problems later, said Dr. Allen. But it won't happen until each of us decides to give ourselves the best health possible. Until individuals are willing to assume primary responsibility for their own needs and wants, little change can be expected in our current health status, or in the escalating costs of health care. We can choose better health, if we want it, he said.

College News

The University of Texas awarded 66 Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy degrees at the close of the 1977 Fall semester.

The list of degree recipients, announced by Dean James T. Doluisio of the College of Pharmacy, included the following student from Haskell, Robert Lee Pippin.

Sagerton News

A community meeting was held at the Sagerton Community Center Monday, January 16. A. H. Tichelman, chairman, presided. The condition of the roof of the Community Center was discussed and it was decided to look into the cost of repairing it.

The date for our annual Sagerton "Hee-Haw" was set for February 25, and committees were elected as follows: "Hee-Haw" production, Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Don Bivins, and Mrs. Leland Thane. Chairman for the carnival will be Mrs. Delbert LeFevre and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer.

Delbert LeFevre was elected as chairman for 1978 and Charles Clark will be vice-chairman and J. B. Toney, secretary-treasurer.

It was stressed that the "Hee-Haw" and carnival is the only money-making project during the year, and since funds are needed to pay monthly bills as well as keep up our Community Center, it is everyone's project. Anyone who would like to help, is asked to contact one of the above chairmen.

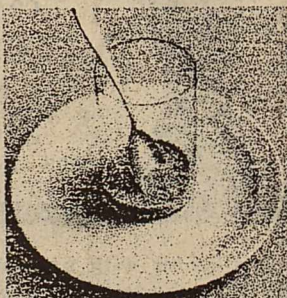
Our residents are asked to forget the annual meeting of the Sagerton Water Corpor-

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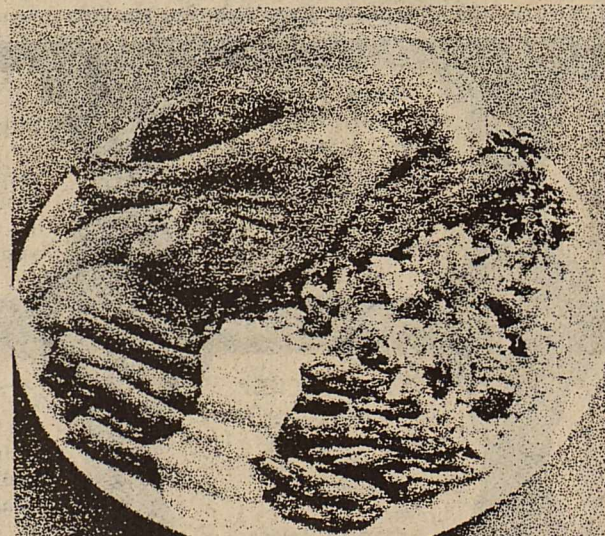
Pat Hale

Help may be on the way for lowering the costs of feeding cattle. Initial research on a new compound called monensin has had positive results at several agricultural colleges and test stations. Classified as an antibiotic, the chemical has produced an increase in feed efficiency as high as 13 percent. Average improvement in tests at the University of Nebraska was 11 percent. On that basis a dollars and cents evaluation means a savings of about twenty dollars a head in the average feeding cost for feedlot beef. Food and Drug Administration officials are expected to react more favorably toward the new compound than toward the still controversial DES since monensin acts only in the rumen of the animal and reportedly leaves no residues in tissue. Researchers say the compound *nhz* gains efficiency when used in amounts small enough to be comparable to adding one pint to 5,000 gallons of water.

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Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knipling and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schaae, and the honorees and Mrs. Marvin Stegemoeller.

Fred Baitz was honored with a birthday party by his wife, Tami, at their home on Tuesday night, January 17.

The Golden Age Group met at the Sagerton Community Center Monday, with Mrs. Harvie Jordan, Mrs. C. P. DeBusk, and Mrs. F. A. Ulmer as hostesses. The ladies enjoyed visiting and cutting out and piecing lap throws to be given to Rest Home residents.

Refreshments were enjoyed by: Mrs. Maude Kitley, Mrs. Marie Kohout of Stamford, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. G. A. Leach, Mrs. M. Y. Benton, and Mrs. Lorene Huggins of Sagerton and Mrs. Clara Hines of Rule.

The cold weather and illness kept some of the regular members at home.

Although we did not get any

snow at all here in Sagerton, the pastor that had been filling in at Faith Lutheran Church from Brownwood, was unable to come last Sunday, and their former pastor, Gary Kleypas, who recently retired to farming, brought the message for the morning service.

Arthur Knipling celebrated his birthday Saturday night at his home. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kieke, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney, Bruce and Rene, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Schaae, Erna and Walter Schaae, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tichelmann, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lammert, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck, Roy Nierdieck of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stegemoeller, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Corzine.

There have been several people in our community sick with colds and flu. We hope that they will all be over it soon, and that it will not spread.

Word was received Monday

of the death of a former resident Mrs. Olga Stegemoeller, at Slaton Hospital. She and her husband Martin, and son, Roland and daughter, Helen, moved to Slaton from here in the 1930's. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1944.

Another one of our former residents, Velda Carter, is very ill in the Rice Springs Care Home in Haskell.

Report your COMINGS & GOINGS by calling 864-2686.

NOTICE

If interested in getting the Fundamentals of Chemistry 142 started at Haskell Extension Center through Western Texas College in February, please call 817-743-3202 after 4 p.m. Classes start February 2 for two nights a week if we can enroll enough for the class.

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

Haskell National Bank of Haskell, Okla.
Name of Bank Haskell, Okla.
In the state of Texas at the close of business on December 31, 1977
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency under title 12, United States Code, Section 161
Charter number 14149 National Bank Region Number 11

Statement of Resources and Liabilities		Thousands of dollars
		THOUSANDS
ASSETS	Cash and due from banks	2,934
	U.S. Treasury securities	704
	Obligations of other U.S. Gov't. agencies and corps	3,726
	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	5,359
	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	1,145
	Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	18
	Trading account securities	-0-
	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	4,100
	Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	8,162
	Less: Reserve for possible loan losses	106
	Loans, Net	8,056
	Direct lease financing	-0-
	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	221
	Real estate owned other than bank premises	-0-
	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	-0-
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	-0-	
Other assets	422	
TOTAL ASSETS	26,685	
LIABILITIES	Demand deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps.	10,093
	Time and savings deposits of individuals, prtshps., and corps	12,108
	Deposits of United States Government	70
	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	1,890
	Deposits of foreign govts. and official institutions	-0-
	Deposits of commercial banks	-0-
	Certified and officers' checks	184
	TOTAL DOMESTIC DEPOSITS	24,345
	Total demand deposits	11,334
	Total time and savings deposits	13,010
	Total deposits in foreign offices	-0-
	TOTAL DEPOSITS IN DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN OFFICES	-0-
	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
	Liabilities for borrowed money	-0-
	Mortgage indebtedness	-0-
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	-0-	
Other liabilities	325	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	24,670	
EQUITY CAPITAL	Subordinated notes and debentures	-0-
	Preferred stock No. shares outstanding -0- (par value)	-0-
	Common stock a. No. shares authorized 60,000	300
	b. No. shares outstanding 60,000 (par value) \$5.00	300
	Surplus	1,115
Undivided profits	300	
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	2,015	
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	2,015	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	26,685	
MEMORANDA	Average for 30 calendar days ending with report date:	
	Cash and due from banks	2,916
	Fed. funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	3,328
	Total loans	8,539
	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more in domestic offices	255
	Total deposits	23,929
	Fed. funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	-0-
	Liabilities for borrowed money	-0-
	TOTAL ASSETS	26,361
	Standby letters of credit (outstanding as of report date)	-0-
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	-0-	
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more (outstanding as of report date)	255	

Pauline Couch
Name
Asst. Vice Pres. & Cashier
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Pauline Couch
Signature

1-24-78
Date

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By BOB BULLOCK, State Comptroller

AUSTIN — With utility costs continuing to climb, more and more small businesses are taking advantage of a provision which exempts from the sales tax gas and electricity used in the manufacture and processing of goods.

And that's just fine with us because we want the businessmen and women of this state to take advantage of every tax break which they are legitimately entitled.

To avoid potentially costly problems, however, it's very important that the business operator understand the law fully before rushing down to the gas and power companies with his tax exemption certificates.

Since many restaurants have recently begun applying for exemptions, we can use that type of business to explain how the law works.

That portion of gas and electricity used by a restaurant to process food — that is, the gas used to fire the grill and the electricity to heat the toasters — is exempt from the state and city sales tax.

But the electricity used to light the neon sign in front and the gas to warm the place is not tax exempt.

If a business is unable to install meters to separate the energy used for tax-exempt purposes and more than one-half of all the energy used is for exempt purposes, then the entire energy bill is

exempt from the tax.

The operator is required to conduct an on-site study of his energy use to determine whether he actually qualifies for the full exemption. He may do the study himself or hire a qualified expert to do it for him.

In either case, it's essential that the study be made — for the protection of the taxpayer.

We've been informed that some businesses are being told erroneously they can obtain exemptions and sales tax refunds on their utilities simply by signing an exemption certificate. Unfortunately, it's not that simple.

If a refund is obtained and it is determined later that it was not justified, the owner will be stuck with the taxes, plus 10 percent penalty and interest.

If you think you may qualify for an exemption, contact the Comptroller's Field Office nearest you or call our toll-free Tax Information number listed at the end of this column.

We'll be happy to help in any way we can.

IF YOU HAVE ANY STATE TAX PROBLEMS OR QUESTIONS, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COMPTROLLER'S FIELD OFFICE OR CALL TOLL FREE 1-800-252-5555.

Rice Springs News

Rev. Rinehart and the Central Baptist Church brought the Sunday morning services. These services are being enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee May of Abilene, Velma Wallace of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Morgan of Rule, and Claudia Keller of O'Brien visited with Ora McCollough.

Visiting with Charity Bradley were, Ruth Eaton, Mrs. Cash Lewis, and Clara Hines of Rule, Peggy Rose of Abilene, and Chaplin and Mrs. Robert Barnett of San Antonio.

Visitors of Herbert Klump included: Mrs. Cliff LeFevre, Mrs. Will Stegemoeller of Sagerton, Hazel Letz, Shawna Valenkamp, Carmella Letz and Terry of Old Glory, Cliff Good of Australia, and Zo Encke of Anson.

Everyone would like to welcome our new resident, Lizzie Letz.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reeves of Knox City visited with Joe Teague.

Jack Guynes of El Paso visited with Mattie Peavy.

The ladies of Haskell First Baptist Church brought the singing and devotion Tuesday morning. Brian Burgess brought the lesson.

Mrs. Festus Hunt of Rule and Mrs. E. E. Simpson of Levelland were visitors of Ada Williamson.

Mrs. Dessie Marion welcomed visits from Mrs. Jack Sanders and Mrs. H. E. Freedy of Weinert.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Luker of Proctor, Helen Turnbow, Sally Sanders, and Mrs. H. E. Freedy of Weinert visited with Mary Chandler.

Visitors of Alma Cole included: Eunice Hunt, Mary Sue Henry, Hazel Lewis, and Ruth Eaton of Rule, Mrs. August Balzer and Etta Stegemoeller of Sagerton, and Opal Simpson of Levelland.

Rev. Harvey Friedel brought the Bible Study Tuesday afternoon. Everyone was glad to have Bro. Friedel back after the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradford and Brenda of Peacock, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Williams of Rule, and Faye Cox of Clairmont, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradford.

Mrs. Cliff LeFevre and Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller of Sagerton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hines.

John McQuinn of Rule visited with his mother Fanny McQuinn.

Visitors of Alvena Holle included: Mrs. J. C. Schwartz and Cindy Woods of Snyder, Gayle Lehmann of Omaha, Neb., Reb. John Striepe of Brownwood, Mrs. Otto Lehmann, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. August Balzer, Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, and Mrs. Lillian Neinst, all of Sagerton, Steven Lehmann, and Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Lehmann of Old Glory, Mrs. Emma Lammert of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rueffer of Weinert.

The Country and Western band from Stamford entertained all the residents Thursday night. Some very good singing and playing was reported by all the residents.

Visitors of Trudie Bush included: Lois Nunn, Earlene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rucker, and Gracie Mae Briscoe all of Rule, Barbara Garwood of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Copeland of Abilene, and her great-grandson Billy Clay who just returned from a year in Okinawa, Japan, serving the the Marine Corps.

Two Million Tour Texas

For the first year since the state opened its highway tourist bureaus in 1936, more than two million real, live travelers got the "Texas treatment" during 1977.

The "Texas treatment" is a caliber of hospitality that set standards for the nation. When the first, rustic log or abode huts opened in 1936, nobody knew they were to become the nation's first permanent highway tourist bureaus...the first organized effort by any state to make hospitality a state service.

At times, it seems like today's travel counselors may be overwhelmed by success. At the busiest tourist bureau on I.H. 10 near Orange, counselors served a tourist every 36 seconds during 1977. On the average at all 11 bureaus, each travel counselor served a visitor every 2.3 minutes...nine hours a day, seven days a week, 361 days a year (they were closed 4 days for Christmas).

But actually, it's not really quite so hectic. Counselors talk mainly to the head of a travel party, although, there's always a friendly word for others in the group. Travel parties these days average about 2.4 people, so during 1977, the average state travel counselor spent about 5 1/2 minutes with each travel party.

That's time enough for the hospitality pros. From any given bureau, chances are the counselors already know how far it is from there to wherever. (They've answered the same question a few thousand times before.) But whether it's a familiar or obscure locality, the counselor will mark a map with expertise (she can read maps upside down), name points of interest along the way and compute mileage in her head at the same time.

Then she'll hand the tourist his personally marked map, lay on Texas' prize-winning

160-page travel guide, add a few colorful folders from cities and attractions along his route, add a litter bag for good measure, and tell him we're glad he came to Texas.

Many's the overwhelmed traveler who leaves a Texas tourist bureau with a sort of glassy-eyed grin. What a way to start a visit!

That's the "Texas treatment" employed by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. It is exercised with calculated pleasure aforethought. Greet them, serve them, and make them glad they came! The

payoff is when they tell others about Texas, and when they come back.

The technique has been honed to near perfection during four decades of experience. Throughout the nation, other states have studied and emulated the Texas formula. Throughout Texas, the visitor industry has never been better, thanks largely to the pleasant ambassadors of the state tourist bureaus.

Next time you see a Texas tourist bureau near the state line, drop in for a look at the way the state's front doors are handled. It'll do you proud!



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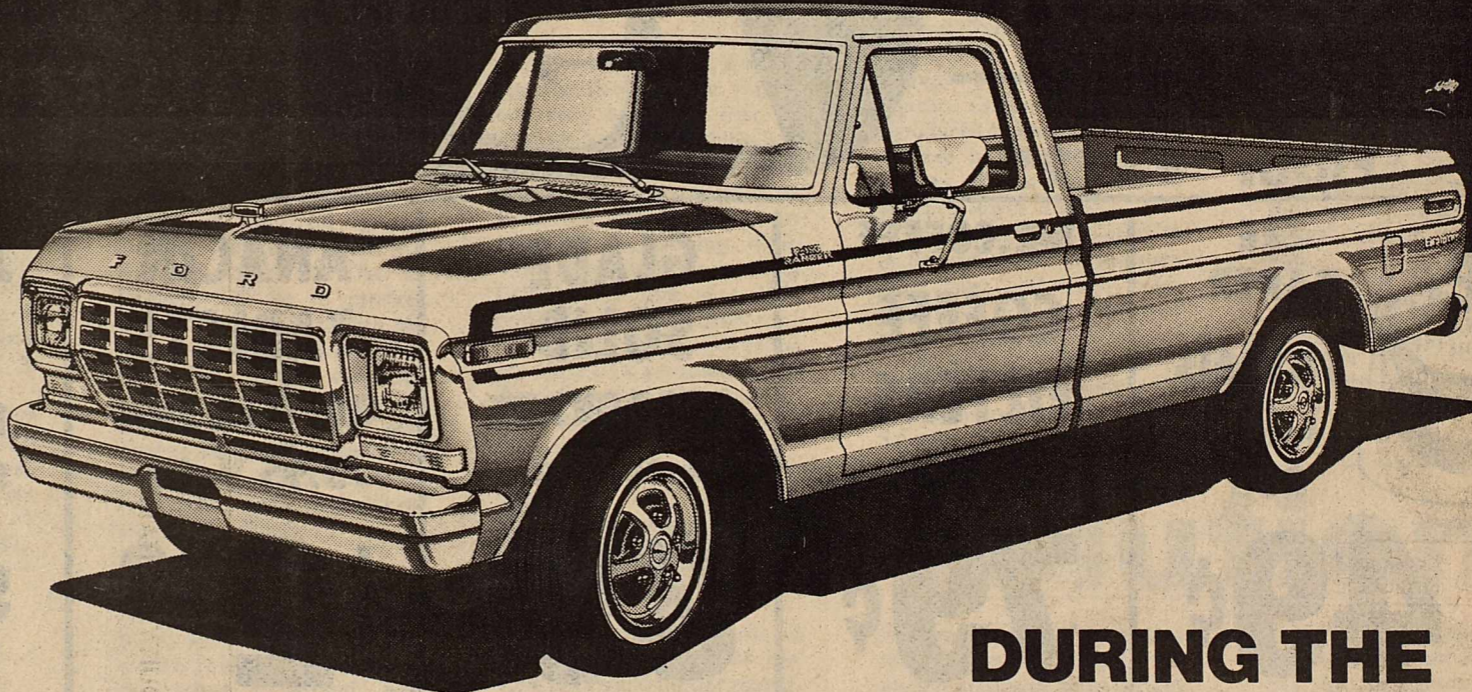
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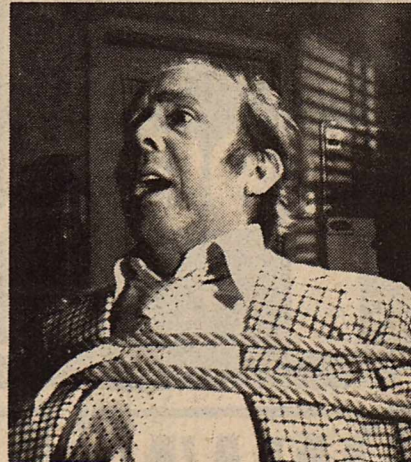
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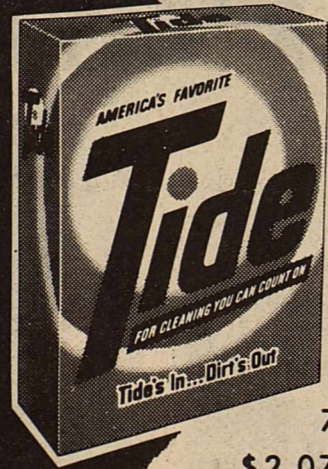
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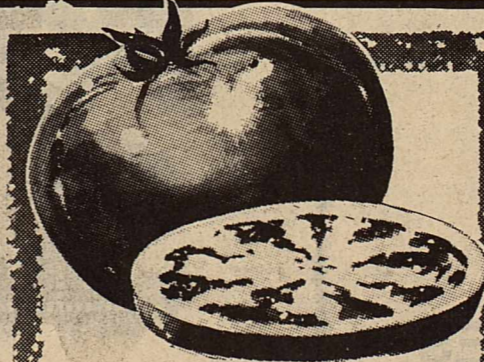


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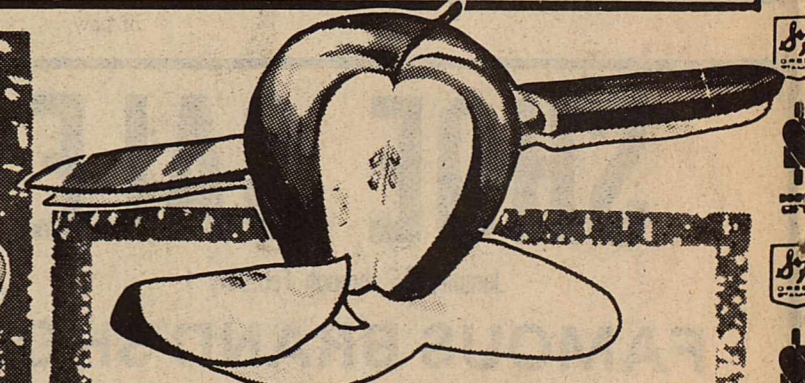
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