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GRAND PRIZE

Lane-Felker's float depicting a wedding received the nod as the grand prize float in the second annual night Christmas parade last Saturday night.

Staff Photo by Don Comedy

Large Crowd Attends 2nd Annual Parade

A large crowd descended upon Haskell Saturday evening and brave the cold to view the second annual night Christmas parade. Although dark grey clouds threatened rain much of the day, the sky cleared shortly before the parade time.

Holidays and special events were the theme of this year's parade and about twenty floats were featured. In addition to the floats, entries from surrounding towns were also featured. Winner of the grand prize was

Lane-Felker with their float depicting a wedding. The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary received three trophies for their float. The judges recognized the First Thanksgiving Float for best entry by an organization, best animation and best lighted. Other parade winners included: Boggs and Johnson, Best Non-Theme Float and Best Commercial Float; Ministerial Alliance, Best Musical Presentation; Abilene, Best Town Unit; Haskell Indian Band, Best Band.



PRIZE WINNER

The Haskell Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary received three trophies for their first Thanksgiving float. The float was judged Best Lighted, Best Animated and Best Entry by an organization.

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Cotton Program Announced

Secretary of Agriculture John R. Block today announced a 25 percent acreage reduction program for the 1984 crop of upland cotton, with a program sign-up period from Jan. 16-Feb. 24, the same as for the wheat and feed grains programs.

Block said an acreage reduction program for upland cotton is needed to prevent ending stocks from rising to excessive levels. "With the payment-in-kind program, we have made excellent progress in bringing cotton supplies into line with demand," Block said. "We urge farmers to cooperate once more in an effort to avoid burdensome production and low prices."

To be eligible for price support benefits, producers must agree to limit upland cotton planted acreage to not more than 75 percent of their cotton acreage base. An acreage of cropland equal to 33.33 percent of the cotton planted acreage must be devoted to approved conservation uses.

Upland cotton price support provisions include a base loan rate for Strict Low Middling 1-1/6 inch cotton, micronaire 3.5-4.9, of 55 cents per pound and the minimum target price allow by law. The current statutory minimum target price for the 1984 crop is 81 cents per pound. Other 1984 upland cotton program provisions include:

*The 1984 acreage base will be the average of the acres planted and considered planted to upland cotton in 1982 and 1983.

*Land designed for conservation use must have been devoted to row crops or small grains in two of the last three years, except for a summer fallow farm. In the case of summer fallow, conservation use acreage must be land that would have been planted to small grains or row crops in 1984 in the absence of the 1984 upland cotton program. The land

must be protected from the wind and water erosion throughout the year.

*Offsetting and cross compliance will not apply to the 1984 program.

*No advance deficiency payments.

*Recourse loans will be available for seed cotton in 1984. The loan rate for seed cotton will be the same as the loan rate applicable to lint

cotton adjusted to a lint basis. Recourse means that the borrower must repay the full dollar amount of the loan plus accrued interest.

*Contracts signed by program participants will be considered as binding and will provide for liquidated damages in cases of failure to comply with program requirements.

Rule Chamber Plans Parade and Drawing

The Rule Chamber of Commerce met at the Bluebonnet Cafe on Nov. 29th. Plans were begun for the Children's Christmas Parade and Drawing to be held on Dec. 17th downtown Rule. The parade will begin at 3:30 p.m. and the drawing will be at 4:00 p.m. downtown.

The merchants are giving tickets for each purchase and you put your name on the tickets for the drawing. Rules for the drawing are posted with each box in every store.

There will be a yard and door contest to be judged the night before the parade & drawing. There will be a 1st place prize of \$25.00, 2nd place of \$15.00 and 3rd place of \$10.00. Also, there will be a Children's

Christmas Poster contest for Pre-school through 2nd grade, 3rd through 5th, and 6th through 8th grades. These posters will be displayed in the merchants windows the week before the parade and drawing. There will be 1, 2, 3rd prizes for each age category. The winners of the yard & door, poster contest and parade will be announced and given at the drawing.

Santa Claus will be at the parade and drawing to find out what all the kids want for Christmas and give them candy. If you need any information call President June Biffle.

Indians Win Tourney; Maidens Preparing For Wylie Invitational

The Haskell Indian boys basketball team won the Seymour Tournament last weekend. Patrick McCoy was named the All-Tournament team.

In the finals, the Indians defeated Archer City 72-46. Patrick McCoy led the scoring with 18. Ricky Rojas followed with 14.

Friday night, the Indians defeated Iowa Park JV. Hadaway led the scoring again with 18. Rojas followed with 14.

On Thursday, the Indians defeated the Throckmorton Greyhounds. Robert Ivey led the scoring with 14.

"We played well for the time that they have spent in the gym. I was very pleased with the team's performance," Coach Jim Dan Raughton said.

The Indians will be competing in the Wylie Tournament beginning Thursday. They open against Sweetwater at 4:30 p.m. The finals will be Saturday night.

Last year the Indians took third in this tournament.

Maidens

The Maidens will be participating in the Wylie Tournament Dec. 8-10.

In last week's action the Maidens defeated Roby 50-38. The Maidens scoring drive was led by freshman Julie Roewe with 12.

"Overall we played a good game. I was pleased with the shooting percentages and rebounding," Coach Jim Bob Mickler said.

The Maidens also participated in the Seymour Tournament defeating Throckmorton 37-30 in the first round of play. The leading scorer was Tamala Randle with 11.

The Maidens were defeated in the second round of play by Iowa Park 61-46. The leading scorer was Roewe with 10. They also lost against Holliday 47-33. High scorer

in this game was Kathy Kemp with 10.

"We didn't play consistent ball and when we don't play consistently we are going to come up short," Coach Mickler said.

The Maidens played Merkel Tuesday here, but scores were unavailable at press time.



Staff Photos by Don Comedy

CHRISTMAS IS HERE

The kindergarten classes of Haskell Elementary School stopped at the Free Press office Tuesday after purchasing Christmas trees for their rooms. The annual walk to buy the trees has become a tradition for the kindergarten students and is a highlight of their year.

THE HASKELL

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Plus Three Inserts

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

VOLUME NINETY-SEVEN HASKELL, TEXAS 79521, DECEMBER 8, 1983 NUMBER FORTY-NINE

Haskell Couple Receives Special TFB State Award

A cotton and grain farmer from Haskell County was named 1983 Texas Farm Bureau "Outstanding Young Farmer and Rancher" at the organization's 50th annual convention here in the Shamrock Hilton Hotel Nov. 28.

Steven and Phoi McGuire of Haskell farm 849 acres in Haskell County including 440 acres of cotton, 120 acres of wheat, 23 acres of oats and 110 acres of milo.

The other finalists in the contest were Barry and Linda Dickerson of Weslaco in Hidalgo County, and Bobby McDonald, a bachelor from Sulphur Springs in Hopkins County.

The Dickersons have a 920-acre farm, including 250 acres of cotton, 400 acres of grain, 229 acres of corn and 55 acres of sugarcane. McDonald has a 329-acre dairy farm operation.

The McGuires will represent TFB at the American Farm Bureau Federation convention in Orlando, Fla., Jan. 8-12, and compete for the AFBF Young Farmer and Rancher Award. They will also receive one year's free use of a 1984 Ford

pickup, courtesy of Bird-Kultgen Ford Co. of Waco.

All three finalists are guests of TFB during their Houston convention stay, and all will represent TFB during the AFBF Leadership Conference next February in Arlington, VA.

McGuire, 27, is in partnership with his brother, Mike, as the

winner stated, "My brother is the president," and he, Steven, the secretary-treasurer. They also have a cow-calf operation.

To survive in today's farming, McGuire said, one must have a "diverse operation...a farmer or rancher must also make the most of his equipment purchase."

Goodfellow Donations

Donations to the 1983 Haskell Goodfellow fund reached \$280.00 this week and Lions Club members are finalizing plans for the program.

Applications for Goodfellow boxes will be accepted at the Haskell Chamber of Commerce Office from 1 to 4 p.m. the next two Saturdays. Following the application process, a screening committee will consider the applications and Goodfellow boxes will be delivered December 24.

Cash donations may be left at the Haskell Free Press or mailed to the Goodfellows at Box 577, Haskell. Persons who wish to donate usable toys may leave them at the Haskell Fire Department.

Donations received this week

Dr. and Mrs. T.W. Williams	\$100.00
Business Men's Bible Class	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Foote	100.00
Anonymous	20.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. Withers	10.00
Total to date	280.00

HISD Christmas Holidays Changed

Members of the Board of Trustees of Haskell Independent School District voted to change the school calendar and also voted to change the dates of two board meetings during their regular meeting Tuesday night.

Board members voted to extend the Christmas holidays one day and return to classes January 3 instead of the scheduled Jan. 2.

The additional day will be made up by moving a scheduled workday from Monday, Apr. 9 to Sat. May, 5 and holding regular classes on Apr. 9.

Board members also voted to move the January board meeting to Jan. 10 and the February meeting to Fe. 9.

In other action board members approved the borrowing of funds to meet the December payroll due to the slow collection of taxes.

Land Bank Stockholders To Meet Dec. 13

The Federal Land Bank Association of Haskell will hold its annual stockholders meeting on December 13, 1983, at 2:00 p.m. at the Haskell National Bank Community Building, according to Dale Bullinger, association president.

Mr. Don Rogge, Senior Vice-President of the Federal Land Bank of Texas will be speaker and door prizes will be given.

Two directors from Jones County will also be elected at the meeting. All FLBA of Haskell stockholders are encouraged to attend.

Santa Letters

Letters to Santa Claus will be published in the Christmas Edition of *The Haskell Free Press*.

All letters must be in the office by noon Dec. 19 to allow for preparation for printing and forwarding to the North Pole.

HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT

BY: MAX STAPLETON
County Extension Agent-AG
December 5, 1983

HASKELL	BALES
Farmers Co-op Gin	2452
Haskell Co-op Gin	4594
K&G Gin	706
ROCHESTER	
Paymaster	333
Farmers Co-op Gin	2085
RULE	
Rule Co-op Gin	2775
Denson Gin	2181
O'BRIEN	
O'Brien Gin	1950
WEINERT	
Paymaster Gin	1182
Weinert Gin	3017
Total	21,275

Christmas Dance Set Dec. 10

The Haskell Country Club will hold its annual Christmas dance Saturday, Dec. 10, 1983 at 9:00 p.m.

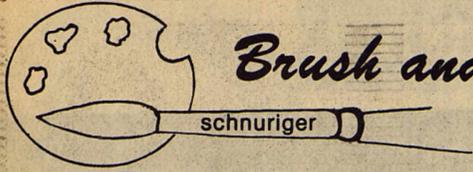
All Country Club members and their out of town guests are invited to attend.

The dance will be semi-formal. Please no blue jeans.

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November Weather
By Sam Herren
TEMPERATURE

Hi	83°	18th
Lo	24°	27th
RAINFALL		
Total	2.56	
Total to Date	22.18	
Normal to Date	23.10	



Brush and Palette

As we continue to rejoice this holiday season and give thanks to God for all of His blessings, it comes to me that we need also to thank those who are more informed and knowledgeable in art than we are. Bud Biggs comes to my mind as one of the top flight artists in Texas. He has proved his master status with his finesse and authoritative technique, yet he does it with a completely relaxed and informal attitude. He explains color from the adobes, which gives him the opportunity to put in those marvelous passages of color, with bit of rich shades and 'Bud's jewels'. He has taught us cast shadows, cloud forms, old buildings and trees. One year he gave to me his small

demonstration of shadows, which I proudly hang in my studio. If you get a chance to see Bud Biggs in action, don't miss it! Thank you Bud, for all of the tricks you have taught to so many interested artists in Texas. I also have an original pen and ink.

Q. Tell us something about drawing and painting little animals and birds.

A. I am glad to see the developing interest in adding life in a painting. However, we need to draw them correctly and in the proper proportion to the rest of the painting. Not many things look worse than a badly drawn—too small or too large figure in a composition. Study books that are available in book stores. Most birds and small animals are basically

oblongs. The commonest error is in making them too stiff, so one has to be careful not to use straight lines, but curves. Eyes, nose and ears should be placed carefully to give expression to the face. Take care to get the right texture along the edges. If you achieve a furry or feathery look, or a sleekness along the edge, it will read this way all across the figure. Look for rich color and accent it. Animals have their own kind of brightness and should not be painted dull or grey.

Q. With so many mediums, fixatives and varnishes on the market, I am confused which to use. Please explain.

A. The many painting mediums on the market today for use in painting, both oil and acrylic, are for the use of painters to blend and push the paint on the canvas. I cannot advise which one for you to use as this is personal decision. The one that works for you might not work for your neighbor. Some are thick, heavy and concentrated. Use the brand that works best for you.

HINT: Our prayer for you is that you may become increasingly aware of the rebirth of the Christ Spirit within you.

Write your questions and hints to me, Faye Schnuriger, P.O. Box 134, Haskell, Texas 79521. I will not use your name but do want you to sign your letters.

Roach, Walton United In Marriage

Terry Lynn Walton and Frank Vincent Roach of Fort Worth, were united in marriage at Ridgela Baptist Church in Fort Worth at 8:00 p.m. on November 19, 1983. Officiating the ceremony was

Rev. Bud Moore of Gainesville.

The parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glen Walton of Paint Creek and the parents of the groom are Mr. Doris W. Roach of Fort Worth

and the late Mr. Frank T. Roach.

The couple exchanged vows under a garland brass archway. On each side of the archway were a brass heart shaped candelabra and a brass pot containing a silk flower arrangement depicting the couple's wedding colors of coral and navy blue.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, designed and made the formal, candlelight gown she wore which was an old fashioned Victorian style gown of organza, veiled over bridal satin. The moulded bodice featured a high Victorian neckline of Chantilly lace ruffling. The full circular skirt fell in panels with lace medallions. The entire hemline and cathedral train was

encircled in a deep flounce of the Chantilly lace edged in natural scallops. The bride's veiling, also designed and made by the bride, was caught to a wreath of baby's breath and tiny ivory roses and was completely encircled in a border of the Chantilly lace, sweeping beyond the length of her train. Her silk bouquet was ivory roses and coral lilies.

Maid of Honor was Miss Toni Bahnsen of Denton, niece of the bride. Bridesmaid was Miss Stephanie Nelson of Hammond, Louisiana, niece of the bride. They wore Victorian style dresses of coral Chiffon veiled over Georgette. They each wore a wreath of baby's breath in their hair and carried a lace covered fan, sprinkled with baby's breath and coral and navy blue silk flowers.

Flower girl was Amy Roach of Fort Worth, niece of the groom. Her candlelight

Victorian style dress featured a sash of coral Georgette.

Charles Roach of Fort Worth, brother of the groom, was Best Man. DuRelle Whitten of Waxahachie, uncle of the groom was groomsman.

The reception was hosted by the bride's parents at The Petroleum Club of Fort Worth. Members of the houseparty were Miss Alice Wade, Miss Darlene Porter, of Fort Worth, and Miss Becky Stubblefield of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach left the reception in a horse drawn, black carriage.

Mrs. Roach is a graduate of North Texas State University and is employed by John L. McLain, Attorney, in Fort Worth. Mr. Roach is a graduate of Texas A&M and is a Sales Engineer for McGraw-Edison in Arlington. The couple honeymooned in New Orleans, Louisiana, and now reside in Fort Worth.

Don't Let Christmas Cause Depression

When you begin reading all the news stories about Christmas depression, don't let them depress you.

An article from the Journal of the American Medical Association says statistics actually show a relatively low level of depression during December compared with other months.

The report says the number of suicides, psychiatric hospitalizations, and even letters to advice columns is relatively low during December. The pattern of major psychiatric illness declines during the days and weeks before Christmas and on Christmas Day itself. But these problems show an increase in January.

Regardless of statistics, many people do become depressed at Christmastime, says the Texas Medical Association. The causes include guilt from eating or drinking too much, absence of a loved one, demands on money, increased contact with certain relatives, and public rejoicing that makes private pain harder to bear.

Symptoms of depression are a sad mood; guilt; indecisiveness and a lack of confidence; feelings of worthlessness, helplessness, and hopelessness; anxiety; suicidal thoughts; irritability; loss of

sex drive, appetite, or sleep; difficulty in concentration; inability to carry out a daily routine; headaches; fatigue and loss of energy; and constipation.

In dealing with Christmas depression, TMA suggests people: Keep in mind that what is good health advice the rest of the year is also good advice during the holidays. In particular, moderation in food and alcohol are always wise; Avoid unrealistic expectations that "the magic of Christmas" will solve personal or family problems. This helps avoid an after-Christmas crash; Take time to appreciate the positive aspects of the season. For example, there is more time to spend with family and friends, as well as an opportunity to do something special for them.

Four Receive CCD Degrees

Four members of St. George Catholic Church graduated at the San Angelo Diocesan Catechist Program on Sunday last. The Most Reverend Joseph A. Fiorenza, Bishop of the San Angelo Diocese, presented Teachers' Certification to Margie Arellano and Rosey Arellano (Haskell), and to Andrea Estrada and Angie Castillo (Weinert).

Bishop Fiorenza congratulated the teachers and thanked them for their voluntary contribution to the Confraternity of Catholic Doctrine (CCD). The four graduates are part of the larger team of CCD teachers at St. George in Haskell. There are 106 children registered in the CCD Program.

The Conferring took place during a consecrated Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral in San Angelo.

Library To Present Christmas Films

Lisa Jefferson, Assistant Coordinator for the Big Country Library System, Abilene, will be at the Haskell County Library December 12th, Monday afternoon at 3:30.

Ms. Jefferson will show film strips about Christmas to preschool children through 3rd and 4th grades.

All children are invited, and Mrs. Elsie McGee, Librarian, hopes many of you will come to the showing.

Anesthesia Fund

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Haskell FHA Chapter Holds Christmas Party

BY VICKIE JUDD

The Haskell Chapter of Future Homemakers of America hosted their annual Christmas party for the elementary students on Dec. 5.

Around Town

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Overton Jr. of Irving visited their mothers Mrs. George Free and Mrs. Ray Overton Sr. during the weekend.

Santa Claus made his appearance in the home-making cottage where each boy and girl talked to him and received a present.

Christmas carols were sung and refreshments were served.

On Dec. 4, Carolyn Schur presented a West Texas Utilities program. Miss Schur showed the members and their mothers ideas for Christmas.

Yard Of The Month

When winter comes and the cold, gray days are with us the beauty outside fades but indoors the brightest days of the year begin. Our thoughts turn to all the festivities and excitement of Christmas and the new year and after that the nursery catalogues come and we feel the challenge of beginning again and dream and plan for spring and summer beauty and the magic of seeds.

God's Fire To Sing At Porthole

God's Fire, a twenty-five member choir representing the Church of God will present an hour of Christmas and religious music this Saturday from 3 to 4 p.m. at Mitchell's Porthole.

The event is free and the public is invited.

The yard of the month goes to Mrs. Clara Gary, 1703 N. Ave. F. It was a delight to see such a brilliant display of colorful chrysanthemums after the frost we have had. Though the chrysanthemums are past their peak there is still beauty and color to enjoy for a short while.

First runner-up yard goes to Mrs. Ed Fouts, 604 N. Ave. G. Mrs. Fouts is a charter member of the Haskell Garden Club and is an avid gardener. The front yard has good landscape design with color, texture, balance and contrast. The two photina with red berries are rare plants that are very difficult to find now. Some who have tried to find them have found only the non-berry photina.

The back yard is beautiful as viewed from the den through glass doors. Table and chairs for spring and summer enjoyment; bird bath and feeders and trees for

shade and bird nesting.

Second runner-up yard goes to Mr. & Mrs. R.C. Couch Jr., 1508 N. Ave. F. This is a most attractive, neat, well kept yard. One outstanding feature is the beautifully pruned shrubs that surround the house. A row of trees across the front for summer shade and coolness. Pine and live oak trees add color and beauty in winter.

Mr. & Mrs. O. Bray, 106 S. Ave. H., another runner-up yard has real eye appeal. The spot of vivid yellow chrysanthemums add a touch of sunshine and cheer.

This will be the last "yard of the month" article for the time being. We may resume this project next spring and summer. We have judged the yards as we saw them. Sometimes wind, hot sun or freezing blizzard has changed the view. But we really appreciate and wish to express our thanks to all who have done so much to make our community more beautiful.

HASKELL Lunch Menu

Dec. 12-16

Monday

Grilled Cheese Sandwich
Beef & Veg. Stew
Pears
Milk

Tuesday

Meat Loaf
English Peas
Pineapple
Rolls & Butter
Milk

Wednesday

Chicken Fried Steak-Gravy
Buttered Potatoes
Blackeyed Peas
Rolls & Butter
Milk

Thursday

BBQ on a Bun
Tater Tots
Salad
Milk

Friday

Turkey & Dressing
Creamed Potatoes
Green Beans
Cranberry Sauce
Rolls & Butter
Milk

BREAKFAST

Monday

Pineapple Juice
Toast
Milk

Tuesday

Apple Juice
Cereal
Milk

Wednesday

Juice
Scrambled Eggs
Toasted Roll
Milk

Thursday

Orange Juice
Cereal
Milk

Friday

Juice
Toasted Roll
Milk

Hospital Notes

Visiting hours at Haskell Memorial Hospital are 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8:30 in the evening. No visiting hours in the morning. No children under 14.

ADMISSIONS
MEDICAL: W.H. Simmons, Truscott; Amelia Ozuna, Haskell; Charles O'Dell, Haskell; Ollie Holland, Haskell.

SURGICAL: Imelda Gonzales, Munday.

DISMISSALS
Hob Smith, Robert Bruton, Boyd Baird, O.T. Johnson, Ella Moseley, Ernest Saffel, Shirley Smith, Velma Voss, Hilah Swinson, Mary Mendoza, Larry Ramos, R.W. Herren, Vernell Gillispie, Gloria Rodriguez.

Martha's Beauty Center

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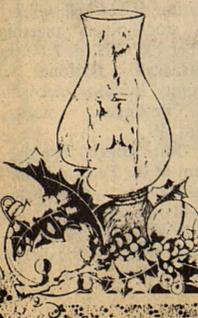
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Love Your three kids,
Vickie, Kim, & Johnny

Daddy, Mama, Marilu

A safe trip to Europe is what I wish for you.
Time is nearing, I can hardly wait.
I'll be waiting with a kiss at the airport gate.
Be careful, I Love You, and I'll see you soon.

Love,
Melisa

We are happy to announce our gift certificate winners for the \$25.00

Betsy Bellah
Lueders, Texas
and
Barbara Patterson
Stamford, Texas

We thank everyone for helping us celebrate our 1st Anniversary.

Student Discounts
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Jean Country

Northside Square
Haskell



Staff Photo by Don Comedy

PECAN SHOW WINNERS

Judges recently selected winners from over 100 entries in the First Annual Haskell County Pecan Show. Winners included; (l to r) Charles Swinson, Champion Native; Wallace Allison, Rule, Grand Champion and Champion Shelling; and S.A. Ezzell, Rule, Reserve Champion and Champion in Shell. They are pictured with County Agent Max Stapleton.

Haskell County Pecan Show Winners Listed

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| Sioux
1st Place Bud Turnbow,
2nd Place S.A. Ezzell.
Mohawk
1st Place Wallace Allison,
2nd Place Erwin Frierson, 3rd
Place Bud Turnbow, 4th Place
Cliff Dunnam. | Cadenhead.
Success
1st Place James Cloud, 2nd
Place W.O. Holden.
Burkett
1st Place S.L. Griffith, 2nd
Place Kenny Thompson, 3rd
Place R.V. Earles, 4th Place
W.O. Holden, 5th Place Frank
Cadenhead.
Cheyenne
1st Place Wallace Allison,
2nd Place Bud Turnbow. | Tejas
1st Place Wallace Allison,
2nd Place Duane Gilly, 3rd
Place Bud Turnbow.
Shoshoni
1st Place Albert Barnett,
2nd Place Wallace Allison.
Western Schley
1st Place Binnie Flores, 2nd
Place H.H. Segó, 3rd Place
S.L. Griffith, 4th Place Anna
Lou Shaver, 5th Place Michael
Hester. |
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Santa Clause Is Coming To Town

Have Santa come to your home the week of Dec. 12-16.

For an appointment call
Celinda Allison—997-2202

Sponsored by the Rule Young Homemakers

School Special

11-1:30

Hamburger, small fries &
med. drink

\$2.25

Monday thru Friday

Any Soft Drink
Buy one get one FREE
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Dairy Queen
Haskell

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| Native
1st Place Charles Swinson,
2nd Place Albert Barnett, 3rd
Place H.H. Hartsfield.
Comanche
1st Place S.A. Ezzell, 2nd
Place Binnie Flores, 3rd Place
Frank Cadenhead, 4th Place
Jerry Cannon, 5th Place H.H.
Hartsfield.
Mahan
1st Place R.V. Earles, 2nd
Place Glenn Merchant, 3rd
Place Charles Swinson, 4th
Place S.L. Griffith, 5th Place
Albert Barnett.
Wichita
1st Place Binnie Flores, 2nd
Place Wallace Allison, 3rd
Place Anna Lou Shaver, 4th
Place S.A. Ezzell, 5th Place
Albert Barnett.
Choctaw
1st Place Erwin Frierson,
2nd Place S.L. Griffith, 3rd
Place S.A. Ezzell, 4th Place
Joe Davis, 5th Place H.V.
Woodard.
Squirrel's Delight
Cliff Dunnam.
Seedling
1st Place Albert Barnett,
2nd Place Belton Duncan, 3rd
Place W.O. Holden, 4th Place
Glenn Merchant, 5th Place
Charles McBeth.
Apache
1st Place Wallace Allison,
2nd Place Anna Lou Shaver,
3rd Place Frank Cadenhead.
San Saba
1st Place S.A. Ezzell.
Chickashaw
1st Place Wallace Allison.
Cherokee
1st Place Wallace Allison.
John Garner
1st Place S.L. Griffith, 2nd
Place J.C. Yearly.
Shawnee
1st Place S.A. Ezzell, 2nd
Place Erwin Frierson. |
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Stenholm Accepting Summer Internship Applications

Congressman Charles W. Stenholm announced today that applications are now available for his fifth summer internship program, planned for the months of June and July, 1984, in his Washington office.

Each year the program involves two Omar Burleson Congressional Interns and two Lyndon Baines Johnson Congressional Interns, with each spending one month in Washington. This year, applications must be postmarked by midnight, February 6, 1984, and mailed to the Abilene office.

The interns selected will receive full Congressional experience in Stenholm's office, participating in the functioning of the office,

attending committee meetings, observing debate and votes in the House Chamber, watching Supreme Court decisions being handed down, and taking advantage of the many other learning possibilities in Washington.

"We feel that we have an excellent program for the interns, and that we have had excellent interns for the program," Stenholm said. He added that with greater awareness of the program around the District, competition continues to grow more keen each year. "It would encourage anyone interested in an internship to request an application and return it as soon as possible," Stenholm concluded.

Selection for the internships is made by a District-wide selection committee, chaired by former Congressman Burleson.

Both students and teachers are eligible for the internships. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age when in Washington, must teach or study in a college or high school in the 17th District of Texas, or have permanent residency in the 17th District while attending any college in the school year prior to the internship.

A stipend is provided for the month of work in Washington.

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Farabee Announces Candidacy For Re-election To Texas Senate

State Senator Ray Farabee announced his candidacy today for re-election to the Texas Senate representing the 30th District. The 30th Senatorial District covers a twenty-nine county area and a part of Denton County in North Central and Northwest Texas.

"Haskell County is an important part of the 30th Senatorial District. It has been a privilege to represent this county in Austin. I would like to continue my public service for an additional four year term," Farabee said.

Farabee, a Democrat, was elected to the State Senate in 1974. The 51 year old native of Wichita Falls is married to Helen Farabee and has two

sons in college.

Senator Farabee is Chairman of the State Affairs Committee and a member of the Legislative Budget Board, which has primary responsibility for preparation of the state budget. He also serves on the Finance and Jurisprudence Committees. He was recently appointed to chair the Select Committee on Judiciary, and to served with Governor White, Lt. Governor Hobby and Speaker Lewis on the Fiscal Policy Committee.

During his eight years in the Senate, Senator Farabee has sponsored significant legislation which has benefited the 30th District and the State of Texas, including: Drug Trafficking Act, providing stiffer penalties for large-scale drug dealers; Teachers competency testing for improved public education; Laws to help agriculture and rural communities; Bills to strengthen child support enforcement and cut welfare

costs; A law limiting the insanity defense.

Farabee was cited for the third time by "Texas Monthly" as one of the ten best legislators in Texas. In its assessment of Texas legislators, "Texas Business" recently accorded him "Great Honors", stating, in part, "Overall, Ray Farabee is the most effective member of the Texas Senate."

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DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Dec. 8, 9, 10	McCaulley	Tourney	
Dec. 13	Old Glory*	Here	7:00
Dec. 16	Knox City*	There	7:00
Jan. 3	Aspermont*	Here	7:00
Jan. 6	Woodson	There	6:30
Jan. 10	Rule*	There	7:00
Jan. 13	Rochester*	Here	7:00
Jan. 17	Weinert*	There	7:00
Jan. 20	Old Glory*	There	7:00
Jan. 24	Knox City*	Here	7:00
Jan. 27	Aspermont*	There	7:00
Feb. 3	Rule*	Here	7:00
Feb. 7	Rochester*	There	7:00
Feb. 10	Weinert*	Here	7:00

*Denotes District Games
Boys Coach: John Trice

Girls Coach: Randy Stone
Phone: 817-864-2471

1983-84 Paint Creek Pirate Junior High Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
Dec. 8, 9, 10	Weinert	Tourney	
Dec. 12	Rochester*	There	6:00
Dec. 15, 16, 17	Paint Creek	Tourney	
Jan. 2	Old Glory*	Here	6:00
Jan. 9	Rule*	Here	6:00
Jan. 16	Weinert*	Here	6:00
Jan. 23	Aspermont*	There	6:00
Jan. 30	Rochester*	Here	6:00
Feb. 6	Old Glory*	There	6:00

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Paint Creek Varsity Girls

The Paint Creek Varsity Girls won 3rd place at the Trent Tournament recently. The girls defeated Lueders-Avooca 45-34 in the first game. Roscoe soundly thumped P.C. in the second game. But P.C. came back in the 3rd place game on a last second shot by Luann Cockerell at the buzzer to win 39-37.

Scoring in the tournament for the Pirates were Luann Cockerell 6,0,8; Missy Briscoe 16,13,12; Kay Fischer 15,11,12; Doretha Moore 4,2,2; Jettone Bivins 4,0,2; and Lisa Bennett 3 points.

P.C. also won its two opening games of the season by outscoring McCaulley 43-20 and Woodson in overtime 41-39. Kay Fischer made one field goal and two free throws in the overtime period to ice the game. Scoring for

the Pirates were Luann Cockerell 11,4; Missy Briscoe 2,7; Kay Fischer 28,28; Doretha Moore 3; Jettone Bivins 2,2; and Sondra Patterson 2 points.

P.C. now owns a 4-1 season record. Tuesday night P.C. will host McCaulley at 7:00 p.m. Before entering the McCaulley Tourney Dec. 8, 9, 10, P.C. will battle Ira at 1:00 p.m. Thursday.

7th Grade Defeats Seymour

BY JIMMY BURSON
The 7th grade Warriors opened their basketball season with a victory over the Seymour Panthers.

The Warriors won their opener very convincingly with a 46-24 win. Chan Guess and Paul Hawey lead the Warrior offensive attack with 14 points each and Brad Bevel also had a good game cleaning the boards. Bobby Medford, Eric Mullen, and Salvador Rodriguez had a fairly good game also with Mullen and Medford adding six points between them.

Haskell had a size advantage over the Panthers. The Warriors had an excellent defensive game. On offense they struggled at first because of a tough Panther press but came out and gave the Panthers a thrashing.

The seventh graders will be participating in the Weinert Tournament Dec. 8-11.

7th Grade Maidens

BY JAN McKEEVER
The Haskell seventh grade Maidens will compete in the Weinert Junior High Tournament Dec. 8, 9, 10.

They will meet their first opponent Paint Creek, Thursday, Dec. 8, at 12:30 p.m. The Maidens played at Aspermont last Monday and won 24-4.

Nicole Anderson was high scorer with 6 points followed by Dala Harris, Joy McKeever and Priscilla Turner with 4 each.

Dalyn Gilly, Kayce Nemir and Teresa Unger scored 2 each.

The Maidens record is now 1-1.

"The seventh grade improved considerably in three major areas: team defense, shot selection and court awareness," Coach Jim Bob Mickler said.

P.C. Jr. High Girls

The Paint Creek Junior High Girls recently won the Lueders Tourney.

P.C. opened by beating Roby 51-26, then Rochester 32-13, and in the Championship game defeating Albany 41-17. Scoring for the Pirates were Rhonda Coleman 13,11,22; Gina Calk 12,2,10; Sophie Gonzales 8,8,2; Mary Martinez 7,3,1; Sharlene Grisham 6,4,2; Tammy Parsons 1; Shelley Briscoe 2; and Kim Short 2, 4.

P.C. also won its first two games of the year by beating Rule 38-16 and Weinert 37-20. P.C. now owns a 5-0 season record. P.C. will be in the Weinert tourney, Dec. 8, 9, 10. They will open up with Haskell on Thursday at 12:30 p.m.

9th Grade Warriors

BY STEVEN BOYD

The ninth grade Warriors opened their season with a loss to Seymour, 30-24. Chris Lopez was high point with 11. "Three of our five starters were still playing football," Coach Jim Dan Raughton said. "Our offense looked good, but our defense needs improvement."

Monday, the Warriors hosted Aspermont and defeated them 22-19. Ponciano Lopez led the scoring with 10 points.

"They got after it fairly well considering we had a lot of new kids in the gym," Coach Raughton said.

"We made a lot of mental mistakes and had too many unnecessary fouls. We missed some easy shots that, with experience, the players should make as the season progresses", he said.

The team will host O'Brien Dec. 12.

8th Grade Maidens

BY TODD JENNINGS

The eighth grade girls will be playing their third game of the season against O'Brien here at 5 p.m. next Monday.

They played Seymour Nov. 28 here and lost in a close game 25-23.

"We and Seymour have always been rivals, and I think that the only reason we lost was because of missing free throws at the end of the game," Coach Mickler said.

Dana Hale, although fouling out late in the fourth quarter, was high point with six; followed by Robyne Weaver and Tami Miller with five.

"I was proud of all 18 players, and I feel with the talent we have we will have a successful year," Mickler said.

The eighth graders will be competing in the Paint Creek Tournament December 15-17.

JV Maidens

BY DAVID ADAMS

The JV opened their regular season with a victory over Albany. Albany was weak offensively and Haskell took advantage.

The final score was 27-9 with Lori McGee putting in 11, followed by Pam Weise with 6 points.

A week later Roby was stunted by a 37-13 defeat.

The Maidens had an easy second win with McGee and Kim Lanier leading the scoring with 12 points each. Weise ended the game with 9 points followed by Shawna Welch with 6 points.

The JV Maidens now are 2-0. They will meet Stamford Dec. 13 here. Scores were unavailable at press time for the Dec. 6 game with Merkel.

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DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	BOYS	GIRLS
Dec. 1, 2, 3	Seymour	Tourney		A	A
Dec. 6	Merkel	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Dec. 8, 9, 10	Wylie	Tourney		A	A
Dec. 13	Stamford	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Dec. 16	Throckmorton	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Dec. 29, 30, 31	Haskell	Tourney		A	A
Jan. 3	Stamford	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 6	Seymour	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 10	Rotan	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 13	Munday	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 17	Hamlin	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 20	Paducah	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 24	Seymour	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 27	Rotan	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 31	Munday	There	4:00	A & B	A & B
Feb. 3	Hamlin	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B
Feb. 7	Paducah	Here	4:00	A & B	A & B

GRADES 9, 8, 7

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	BOYS	GIRLS
Dec. 1, 2, 3	Weinert	Tourney		7	7
Dec. 5	Aspermont	Here	5:00	7, 8, 9	
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Dec. 12	O'Brien	Here	4:00	7, 8	7, 8
Dec. 15, 16, 17	Paint Creek	Tourney		8	8
Jan. 2	Hamlin	Here	4:00	7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 5, 6, 7	O'Brien	Tourney		7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 9	O'Brien	There	4:00	7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 13, 14, 15	Haskell	Tourney		7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 16	Stamford	Here	5:00	7, 8, 9	
Jan. 16	Stamford	There	5:00		7, 8, 9
Jan. 23	Hamlin	There	4:00	7, 8	7, 8
Jan. 26, 27, 28	Knox City 9th & J.V.	Tourney		9, J.V.	9, J.V.
Jan. 30	Stamford	There	5:00	7, 8, 9	
Jan. 30	Stamford	Here	5:00		7, 8, 9
Feb. 2, 3, 4	Haskell 9th & J.V.	Tourney		9, J.V.	9, J.V.
Feb. 6	Seymour	Here	5:30	7, 8, 9	
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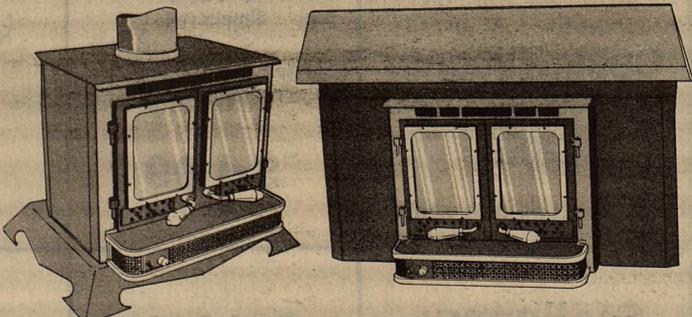
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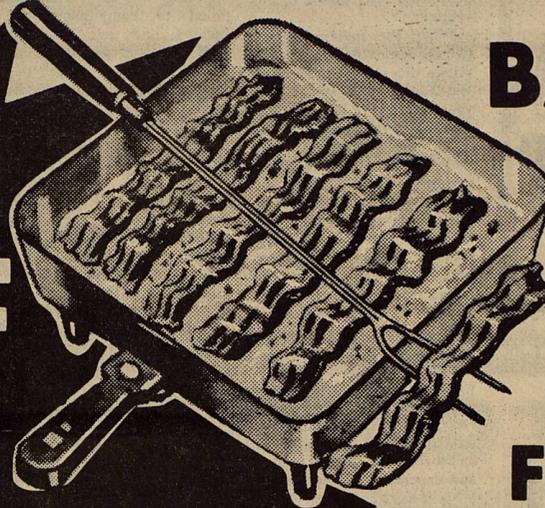
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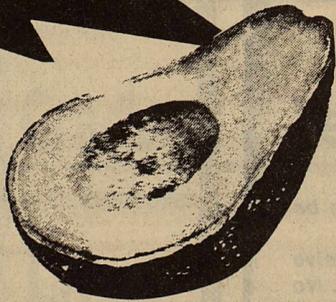


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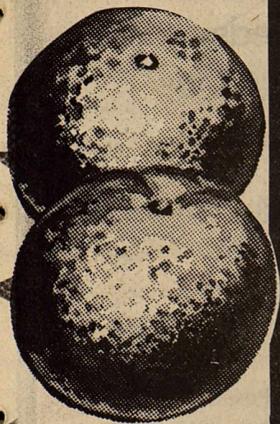
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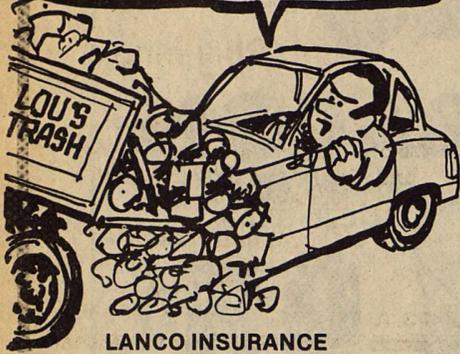




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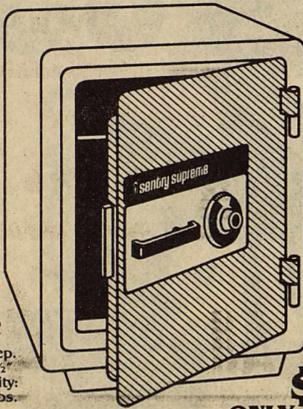
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BY JAMES LANIER
Superintendent, Haskell ISD

Friday night, November 25, saw our football season come to an abrupt halt with the demise of the Indians to the tune of 13 to 3 to McCamey. I would like to reflect on the successful 1983 season in this column.

When the Indians started two-a-day workouts in August, things did not look too rosy. We had lost 18 seniors the year before. We had only one returning two way starter and 5 one way starters. One of these chose to take early enrollment in college and did not participate. Two injuries during pre-season took two athletes (who were heavily counted on) for the season. Many of us who had followed Indian football fortunes for several years questioned whether we could maintain our high level of success.

The 1983 Indians proved what hard work and dedication can achieve. They took these two ingredients, stirred in fair size and excellent toughness and overcame lack of speed and experience to register an 8-4-1 record and an Area Championship. These kids

and their coaching staff are to be commended. As a courtesy, superintendents of opposing teams usually visit for a few minutes after each game. Not once this season has the opposing superintendent failed to compliment our Indians and our coaching staff. Without fail, the comment has been that the Indians were the most dedicated, best organized team they had faced all year. To me, this is the best compliment one could put on the Indian football team, the coaching staff, the school, and the Indian fans. I know the support of our many fans is an important ingredient in the success of this past season. The parents of the Indians are to be commended for raising such fine young men.

Another group who contributed mightily to this past season was a group of cheerleaders. Not only are they a cute group of girls but they also have more energy and workability than a human is supposed to have. They put in long hours painting signs and planning pep rallies and doing different things to lift the spirit and motivate the Indians to their success. We are all proud of this group.

The band practiced long hours and rode the "yellow dogs" many miles to help build this spirit of the Indians. It is a thrill to all Indians and Indian fans to hear them crank up the fight song.

I would like to make one personal comment. After working in Haskell for 10 years, I have grown to love our fans. They are Indian fans to the bitter end and yet they exhibit the sportsmanship mandated by scholastic sports. They handle victory with pride and defeat with class.

Our teaching staff is vital in their support. They support the Indians with fervor yet they keep their perspective in the classroom. They remember the real goal of the school is to teach youngsters the skills necessary to succeed in life and not upon the playing field. This is very important and a great contribution.

What does the future hold? Well at least we only lose 8 Indians to graduation this year. We had an excellent JV team. I would bet the Indians will be back to spread their warbonnet on the victory trail many times in coming seasons if all of us will continue to contribute our part of the success pattern.

American Justice Series Continues

The following article is a public service by the Haskell Free Press through the cooperation of Joseph Thigpen, District Attorney and the Prosecutor Council. Its purpose is to make you aware of a prosecutor's role, of your responsibility as a resident of Haskell County and how we can work together to alleviate some of society's problems. This is the third in a series of three articles examining the justice system in America.

AMERICAN JUSTICE (Part III)

The Workings of the System

Here is the last part of a short quiz to test your knowledge of the operation and effect of the American justice system.

1. The right to remain silent and to have a lawyer present is a fact which a policeman must tell a person before the policeman: A. arrests the person, B. asks the person for identification, C. questions the person as a criminal suspect. C. the purpose here is to insure a person of his constitutional right against self-incrimination.

2. A defendant can plead guilty at any time: A. before the beginning of the trial, B. before the jury leaves to deliberate, C. before the verdict is in, C. This system encourages the defendant's plea at any point prior to his conviction or acquittal.

3. The job of a grand jury is to: A. weigh the defendant's guilt or innocence, B. determine whether inmates get parole, C. decide whether there is sufficient evidence for a trial, C. If there is sufficient evidence to sustain the charges, the grand jury delivers an indictment formally charging the defendant. Whether there is enough evidence to sustain a conviction is up to the trial jury.

4. The standard used by juries to decide a criminal case is: A. the preponderance of the evidence, B. guilt beyond a reasonable doubt, C. the reasonable—man standard, B. Our system seeks at all costs to avoid condemning an innocent person. Juries should

be very sure of a defendant's guilt before they convict. By comparison, the standard in a civil case is the preponderance of the evidence. Here the jury simply determines which side—plaintiff or defendant—has the weight of the evidence behind him. Imagine a balance scale, with the evidence for one party on one side and for the other party on the opposite side. In a civil case the scale need only tip slightly in the direction of either side to decide the case for that party. However, in a criminal case, to convict the defendant, the state's side of the scale must be fully weighed down with evidence.

5. How many appeals are filed with the Supreme Court each year? A. 850, B. 5,300, C. 1,600, B. The Court is actually able to review in detail only about 200 cases per year.

6. About how many civil suits are brought annually in the U.S.? A. 2.5 million, B. 37

million, C. 12 million, C. Only 10 percent of these will actually be tried.

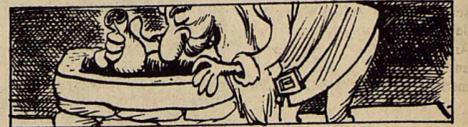
7. Which side wins most often when a civil suit is tried? A. The plaintiff (the person suing) wins 80 percent of the time, B. The defendant wins about 70 percent of the time, C. Each side wins about half the time.

C. When you think about it, this is as it should be. It indicates a balance in the way parties perceive the value of their cases, the way jurors and judges decide them, and the way the courts administrate them.

Each citizen bears a responsibility to the system of justice in America. Only through information, awareness, and concern can the system be improved.

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Anderson To Be Guest Speaker at Assembly of God

The Reverend James Anderson, an Assemblies of God missionary to the Far East, will be guest speaker Sunday-Wed., Dec. 11-14 Sunday 6:30 p.m., weeknights 7:30 p.m. at the First Assembly of God, Haskell, the Reverend J.C. Amburn, pastor, has announced.

Mr. Anderson and his wife Mardria have recently completed a term of missionary service in Japan, where they pastored the Neighborhood Assembly of God Church in Okinawa City. Their outreach served the English-speaking Japanese community and American military personnel and employees of the Department of Defense. Mr.

Anderson served as director of the local Teen Challenge ministry, and also as director of the day school sponsored by the Neighborhood Assembly of God Church. In addition to those ministries, Mr. Anderson was chaplain of the Hilton Hotel in Okinawa City. In this capacity Mr. Anderson had the opportunity to serve the spiritual needs of the hotel's staff.

Missionaries since 1960, the Andersons ministered first in South India and then in Indonesia. Their missionary experience is multifaceted. In South India their involvement included evangelism, church planting, and Bible school work. Mr. Anderson was superintendent of the Jannar Boys Orphanage in Bombay State.

While serving in Indonesia, from 1971 until 1978, the Andersons' ministry included conducting seminars and evangelistic crusades, teaching Bible school classes, directing International Correspondence Institute programs, and overseeing literature distribution. Mr. Anderson also led a charismatic worship service for international and local business and professional people in Jakarta. He further served in the capacities of chairman of the field fellow-

ship (the local organization of the Assemblies of God missionaries in Indonesia) and as the fellowship's director of evangelism for Indonesia.

Prior to missionary service, the Andersons attended Southwestern Assemblies of God College in Waxahachie. They have pastored churches in Texas and North Carolina. During this special missions service, Mr. Anderson will share his missionary experiences and future plans for foreign ministry.

Hanna Named Texas State Legislator

State Representative Joe Hanna of Breckenridge has been named the "Texas State Legislator of the Year" by the National Association of Royalty Owners.

Rep. Hanna, who has represented his district since 1970, has been chairman of the Energy Committee of the Texas legislature since it was formed five years ago.

At NARO's annual meeting in Oklahoma City, Hanna was recognized for his "outstanding work" in the Texas Legislature.

"Rep. Hanna was an outspoken and effective advocate of two important pieces of legislation to insure timely oil and gas royalty payments, and oil theft prevention," said Tom Lucas, NARO Chairman.

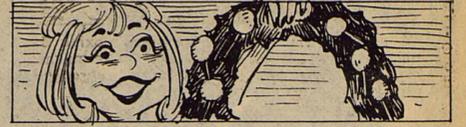
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Rep. Hanna represents eight counties, including Stephens, Throckmorton, Young, Callahan, Shackelford, Hood, Haskell and Palo Pinto. He has served as chairman of the Southwest States Energy board and National Conference of State Legislators.

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Mr. Kit Horne of West Texas Utilities presents a District Gold Star Certificate to Richard Shaver. Richard, Haskell County's 1983 Gold Star Recipient, was presented this certificate at the District Gold Star Luncheon in Vernon on November 15. Richard is the son of Mr. & Mrs. R.A. Shaver III in Rochester.



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With 1983 winding down, farmers and ranchers need to look at their income tax situations and to consider certain strategies for reducing tax dollars.

"In a year which brought the government's PIK (payment-in-kind) program and severe drought conditions in some areas, farmers and ranchers have much to ponder from an income tax viewpoint," says Dr. James Ahrenholz, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"A general recommendation for tax planning is to try to level out taxable income from year to year to avoid jumping through several tax brackets from one year to the next," says Ahrenholz. "Leveling your income from year to year will almost always save tax dollars over the long run."

For finding out where one stands on 1983 taxable income, tax tables and schedules reflect a 10 percent reduction from the 1982 tax rate. Subtract investment credits and other credits after making the calculations. For planning purposes, 1984 tax rates will be only 5 percent less than '83 rates.

Producers who took part in PIK must decide when to receive their entitlements, if they haven't already done so. Those who have received their entitlements may have to report them as 1983 income even though they don't plan to sell their commodities until after the first of next year. It all depends on whether the PIK a producer receives is from his own loan or reserve commodity and whether he has assigned his PIK entitlement to someone else, Ahrenholz explains.

Many PIK participants are facing prospects of higher than usual income and lower than usual expenses. Producers in this situation can take certain steps to reduce their 1983 tax burden: delay additional sales of commodities until 1984 or sell now and take payment next year on a deferred payment contract, and buy supplies ahead before the end of the year.

In addition, income averaging might be a means for lowering the 1983 tax burden, especially if income this year is considerable higher than the past few years.

"Producers should also realize that crop insurance proceeds need not be included in income until 1984 if the lost crop would normally have been sold then," the economist points out. "This also holds true for profits from forced livestock sales (except breeding and dairy animals) if in an area designated eligible for federal assistance. Proceeds from forced sales of breeding and dairy animals due to drought are not counted as income if they are reinvested in like animals within a two-year period."

Some farmers who received advance deficiency payments on crops in the acreage reduction program will have to repay those before the end of the year or they will count as income, notes Ahrenholz. A farmer can also reduce his 1983 taxable income by contributing to an Individual Retirement Account or Keogh plan.

"To increase deductible expenses for 1983, a cash basis producer might buy supplies for next year's needs and buy capital items that qualify for a full year's depreciation and investment credit," Ahrenholz says. However, if a producer is faced with a low profit or loss situation, he needs to take measures to boost income just

to take advantage of personal exemptions and deductions. A single taxpayer under 65 with no dependents pays no tax on the first \$3,300 of income while a married couple with two dependent children can earn up to \$7,400 without owing tax.

"The best way to boost income before the year's end is to sell crops and livestock, even if delivery is delayed into 1984," the economist points

out. "Keeping advance diversion payments, taking PIK entitlements and selling machinery that has been depreciated out can all generate immediate income."

To keep expenses down, defer payments until after the first of next year if possible. Buy on an installment contract where practical. Also, shifting assets bought before 1981 from a rapid method of depreciation to the straight line

method will reduce deductions.

The "Farmer's Tax Guide" from the IRS is the best reference for farmers and ranchers who may want to check on tax points relating to their particular situations.

Ahrenholz also advises producers to check with their tax advisors or consultants now for further information on year-end tax planning strategies.



Voting delegates representing Haskell County Farm Bureau at the 50th annual Texas Farm Bureau convention in Houston, Nov. 27-30 included (front row) Myrtle Phemister, Susan Turner, Pam Aycock, & Linda Burson. (Second row) Marvin Phemister, Cole Turner, Bob Aycock, Tim Burson, and Steve McGuire.

Nine Farm Bureau Delegates Attend Convention

Nine voting delegates representing Haskell County Farm Bureau recently participated in the 50th annual Texas Farm Bureau convention held Nov. 27-30 in Houston.

They were Marvin & Myrtle Phemister of Weinert, Cole & Susan Turner of Rochester, Bob & Pam Aycock, Tim and

Linda Burson and Steve McGuire of Haskell.

Policies directing the state's largest farm organization were adopted by more than 1,200 delegates from 216 organized county Farm Bureaus during this meeting. Recommendations on national policies were also approved. These policies

will advance to the American Farm Bureau Federation annual meeting to be held Jan. 8-12 in Orlando, Fla.

Speakers featured at the convention included Dr. Richard L. Leshner, president of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, S.M. True Jr. of Plainview, TFB president; Warren Newberry of Waco, TFB executive director; and George O. White of Harwood, TFB secretary-treasurer.

The business session covered the final two days of the meeting. The last order of business was the election of the president, S.M. True of Plainview.

County leaders also attended several special conferences during the convention. Conference topics included field crops, livestock, natural resources and education, taxes, and transportation and farm labor. Commodity conferences included: beef and sheep and goats; cotton and peanuts; dairy and poultry; wheat and feed grains; rice and soybeans, and citrus and pecans.

This year's youth winners were Tawn Dulin of New Hope, 1984 Queen; and Raynee Davis of Plains, Talent Find winner. Names "Outstanding Young Farmer/Rancher of 1983" was Steve McGuire of Haskell. The Free Enterprise Speech winner was Holly Hague of Sulphur Springs and runner-up was Jay Yeakley of Iowa Park.



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Obituaries

Mrs. Shelby Harris Mrs. John Tinkle

Funeral services for Mrs. Shelby (Vera) Harris, 87 of Haskell, were held Dec. 5 in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Mike Struve, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Harris died Dec. 3 in Haskell Memorial Hospital. Born Nov. 9, 1896 in Hill County, she has been a resident of Haskell County since 1906, living in the Sayles Community before moving into the city of Haskell.

She married Shelby Harris Jan. 1, 1916 in Stamford. He preceded her in death Oct. 31, 1983.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one son, Col. Shelby J. Harris, Ret. of Universal City; one daughter, Mrs. T.C. (Christine) Griffin of Seymour; two brothers, Ed Melton of Abilene and Thurman Melton of Corpus Christi; and 6 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons.

Pallbearers were: John Kimbrough, Jimmy Hannsz, Alvis Bird, Lynn Pace Jr., Robert Gray and Drey Lowe.

Mrs. John Tinkle, (Lida) of 1300 Rustic Drive, Irving, died Saturday morning, November 19, 1983 at Irving Community Hospital. Services were Monday, November 21, at 1:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Irving, with her Pastor of seventeen years, Dr. Henry H. Kinkeade officiating. Burial was in the Pattison Cemetery at Emhouse.

She was born, July 19, 1898 in Navarro County to William J. and Nicie Turner. She married John Tinkle, December 17, 1916, he preceded her in death in February 1978. They moved to Haskell in the late 1930's and farmed north of Haskell, they later moved to Abilene and then to Irving.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J.M. (Fern) Lackey of Irving, three sons, John G. Tinkle of Albuquerque, William G. Tinkle of Euless, and Nathan Tinkle of Clyde. Nine grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Serving as pall bearers were her nephews Doyle Collins, W.W. Wooten, Jack Turner, Turner Williams, Jack W. Tinkle and Roy and Bennie Parrish.

J.D. Sherley Biddy Dacus

J.D. Sherley, 69, of Hico died at 9:35 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 27, at Hico City Hospital after a long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hico Church of Christ. Ed Johnson minister officiated.

Burial was in the Duffau Cemetery. Born Sept. 16, 1914 in Stonewall County, he was retired.

He married Marie Corley July 21, 1936 in Haskell.

He had lived 9 years in Hico and was a member of Hico Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, four daughters, Jerry Ann Harris of Haskell, Beverly Epley and Cinda Partain both of Hico, and Jimmie Sue Blackwell of Abilene; a son Mickey J. of Ft. Worth; four sisters, 13 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Grandsons served as honorary pallbearers: J. Loyd Epley, Jim Harris, Michael Epley, Todd Harris, Tom Blackwell and Wayne Partain.

Funeral services for Biddy Ruth Smith Dacus, were held at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Nov. 28 at Greenwood Funeral Home Chapel in Ft. Worth with Reverend Gosby officiating.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery in Haskell at 3:00 p.m. Reverend Mike Struve, of the First United Methodist of Haskell, conducted the service.

She died in a Ft. Worth Hospital, after a lengthy illness.

She had worked at U.S. Post Office in Ft. Worth for seventeen years. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her daughters, Mrs. Karon Sharp of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Shirley Reed of Reno, and one son Roy Dacus Jr. of Agnes, one sister Mrs. Maple Watson of Haskell and one brother Weldon Smith of Coldsprings. 7 grandchildren and nieces and nephews.



Officers of the Southwestern Oklahoma State University Pharmaceutical Association include (front left to right): Craig Stone, Guthrie and Joy Gilliland, Abilene. (Back left to right) David Tate, Wichita Falls; Sandy Conklin, Pampa; Bonnie Woods, Haskell, and Dr. Benny French, Southwestern faculty sponsor. The Southwestern State University Pharmaceutical Association is a 200-plus member organization who recently gave hypertension tests at the Southwestern booth at the Oklahoma State Fair.

Nellie Sutton

Funeral services for Nellie Rodriguez Sutton, 45 of Abilene, were held December 3 in St. George Catholic Church with the Rev. Sean Moran officiating. Rosary was held December 2.

Interment was in Willow Cemetery directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Born August 28, 1938 in Sagerton, she was an LVN at Abilene State School. She had been a resident of Abilene since 1968.

Survivors include: husband, Ray Sutton of Abilene, three sons, Joe M. Ozona, Rudolph Ozona and Salvador Ozona all of Abilene; one daughter, Diana Kilpatrick of Abilene; mother, Mrs. Rita Rivera of Haskell; four brothers, Wiley Rodriguez, Santos Rodriguez and Ernest Rodriguez all of Abilene and Justo G. Rodriguez Jr. of Temple; two sisters, Josephine Rodriguez of New York City and Mary Palacios of Abilene and one grandchild.

Eula Stephens

Funeral services for Eula Stephens, 86, of Rule will be at 2 p.m. today, December 8 in Sweet Home Baptist Church in Rule with Rev. Johnny Funderburg, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

She died December 6 at 4:30 a.m. in Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Born November 9, 1897 in Carlton, she had been a resident of Haskell County since 1913. She married Daniel Otley Stephens December 14, 1913 in Cliff. He preceded her death December 12, 1970. She was a housewife and a member of Pinkerton Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Zelta Foster of Ft. Worth, one son, Don Stephens of Rule; 7 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Cooter Boles, J.C. Halliburton, E.L. Elmore, John Hisey, Howard Brass and Harvey Simmons.

Consumer discontent could cause more government rules

COLLEGE STATION — If today's frustrations are tomorrow's legislation, business is in for more, not less, regulation, says a Texas A&M University marketing professor.

"If business wants to keep consumers and government off its back, then it's simply going to have to keep its own front yard clean," said Dr. Steve McDaniel of Texas A&M's College of Business Administration. McDaniel has just completed a survey of more than 200 consumers in the Bryan-College Station Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

"Consumer discontent appears to be rather widespread," McDaniel said, "and in some areas, particularly advertising, discontent appears to be growing."

McDaniel's study looked at marketing malpractices, such as deceptive advertising, misleading warranties, deceitful credit practices and unsupported product claims, which are already heavily regulated.

Texas A&M pioneers new developments in fire ant research

COLLEGE STATION—Texas A&M University fire ant researchers say they have perfected techniques for artificially inseminating female ants and tagging worker ants—two developments that could lead to more effective control of the insect that plagues much of the South and Southwest.

The ability to artificially inseminate female fire ants is the starting point for research to produce a sterile male ant, said Dr. Brad Vinson, head of the fire and project and professor of entomology.

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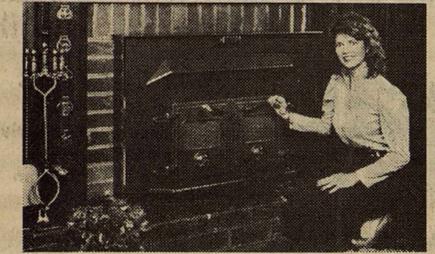
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TAX PLANNING

Written by
Gerald Rodgers, CPA

YEAR END DEADLINES

Year end tax planning may require that decisions be made before December 31st.

In no particular order here is a potpourri of year end planning considerations to interest to many taxpayers.

1. Cash basis taxpayers should review the possibility of deferring receipt of income until 1984 when the tax rates will be lower.
2. Accelerate your 1983 tax deductions where possible. Examples of this are making year end charitable contributions, paying interest on outstanding loans up to December 31st, and paying year end payables before December 31st.
3. Keogh plans must be set up by December 31st even though you have until April 15th to make your annual contribution.
4. Individual Retirement Accounts (IRA) need to be set up nor the contribution made until the due date (including extensions) of your tax return. You can contribute 100% of your compensation up to \$2,000. All employees and self-employed persons can have an IRA even if they are under some other qualified retirement plan.
5. Gifts from one individual to another now have an annual \$10,000 exclusion as opposed to the old \$3,000. If your spouse joins in making the gift you can transfer \$20,000 per year to any one recipient. 1983 gifts must be made by December 31st.
6. For 1983, the deduction for married couples when both work has been increased to 10% of the first \$30,000 of "qualified earned income" of the lower-earning spouse.
7. A year end equipment purchase for business purposes, such as a farm pickup or tractor in the case of a farmer, entitles you to a depreciation deduction plus investment credit. As an alternative, you can expense up to \$5,000 in 1983, however, you would not be eligible for the investment credit.

Year end tax planning with your accountant is an important step in minimizing your taxes.

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Mrs. Ruby Coggins

Funeral services for Mrs. W.I. (Ruby) Coggins, 81 of Haskell, were held Dec. 3 in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Mike McKinney, Pastor, officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Coggins died Nov. 30 in Haskell Nursing Center. Born Dec. 5, 1901 in Collin county, she was a long time resident of Weinert before moving to Haskell in the early 1940's. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

She married W.I. Coggins in 1933 in Weinert.

Survivors include: husband, W.I. Coggins of Haskell; and two nephews, Curtis Cross of Cibalo and Frank Snelling of Haskell.

Pallbearers were: Charles Swinson, Royce Adkins, J.E. Walling, M.D. Berry, Hess Hartsfield and Slover Bledsoe.

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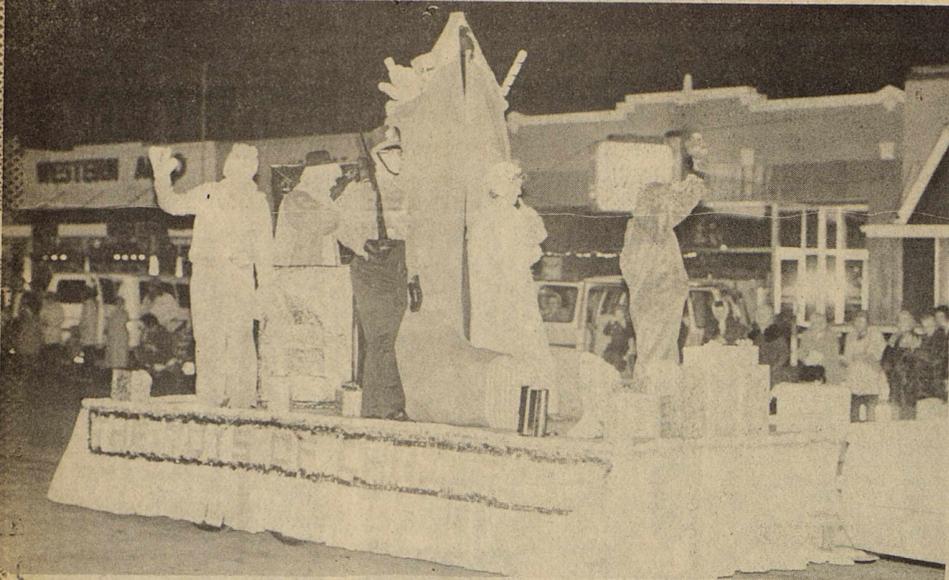
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Pennington Receives Service Award

Dr. H. Dale Pennington of Lubbock, Extension soil chemist, received the prestigious Texas Superior Service Award Nov. 10 in ceremonies at Texas A&M University.

The award was presented during the Headquarters Staff Conference of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Director Zerle L. Carpenter made the presentation.

Pennington was cited for "outstanding dedication and tireless efforts in providing analytical services and developing educational programs in soil fertility to meet the needs of agricultural producers in West Texas."

In his six years as Extension soil chemist in West Texas, Pennington has provided information, resources and leadership for the soil testing laboratory at Lubbock that is recognized and respected by producers, agribusiness and co-workers throughout the area.

He has developed a computerized system for

generating soil test recommendation reports for clientele serviced by the laboratory. This innovation has reduced the turnaround time for each soil sample and has contributed to the efficiency of the entire laboratory.

Recently, his efforts with design and construction have brought on stream a completely automated system for the analysis of nitrates, pH, conductivity and chlorides in soil, water and plants for the laboratory. This equipment is to be linked to the computer already in service and will result in even faster and more economical service. The labor savings to the lab will amount to about \$4,000 annually.

Pennington also maintains an active field demonstration program in cooperation with county agents in the 100

counties he serves in Extension districts 1,2, and part of 3,6,7.

He also provided the leadership for the development of a Rio Grande Valley Soil Fertility Handbook for the Texas Plant Food Institute, while assigned to serve in South Texas with Extension. This publication is a landmark contribution to food and fiber production throughout South Texas.

Pennington was the first Extension specialist to use infrared photography as a tool for recognizing nutrient deficient areas in crops. His use of this remote sensing technique led to an educational program that increased the use of foliar iron applications to grain sorghum in two of his districts resulting in significant yield increases.

In his 19 years with the Extension Service, Pennington has served in many capacities, including assistant county Extension agent, assistant in soil chemistry and as area agronomist. He began in his current position in 1978.

Pennington received his Bachelor's degree in agricultural education in 1962, his Master's in soil chemistry in 1971 and his Doctorate in soil chemistry in 1976—all from Texas A&M University.

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Warts Caused By Viruses Not By Toads or Frogs

For almost as long as people have been getting warts, rumor has placed the blame on the lowly frog.

Mark Twain no doubt had fun spreading this misconception in "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer", not to mention wart "cures" involving a spunk-water stump, burned beans, and dead cats.

The truth is that warts are not caused by frogs or toads but by viruses, says the Texas Medical Association. And though Twain's home remedies are far more interesting, modern-day cures are far more effective, to put it mildly.

A wart is a lump on the skin produced when a virus invades skin cells and causes them to multiply quickly. Because they are caused by viruses, warts are contagious and can be spread by direct contact with another person or

indirectly. They may appear at any age but are most common in teenagers and uncommon in the elderly. No serious health risks are associated with warts, but their appearance can be unsightly.

There are several kinds of warts, each caused by a separate virus. The common wart is a small, hard, white or pink lump with a cauliflower-like surface. Though it can appear anywhere on the body, the common wart usually grows on the hands and often is pushed in level with the skin's surface, if on the palm. Plantar warts are found only on the soles of the feet.

Other kinds are flat warts, usually occurring on children's faces, and venereal warts, found on or near the genitals and anus.

Most warts will disappear naturally, possibly in a few

months, but sometimes this takes several years. If you not wish to wait, one non-prescription treatment often effective against common and plantar warts is salicylic acid. Do not treat warts on delicate skin such as the face and genitals. People with these should see a physician. So should people over age 45 who develop any sort of wart, which could instead be skin cancer.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks and sincere wishes to all that did to many things during the illness and death of our loved one. For the prayers that offered, the food that was brought, for the loving care of our doctors, for Holden McCauley's service, for Bro. Payne Hattox and Bro. Bob Connel's words of comfort, the beautiful service rendered in songs. We thank you all. The family of W.A. Fowler. 49p

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