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Round Robin Revival

The annual Round Robin Revival, sponsored by the Haskell Ministerial Alliance, will begin Sunday evening. Services will be held each evening, beginning at 7, through Friday.

Sunday's service will be at the First Christian Church with the Rev. Paul Cheatham, new pastor of East Side Baptist Church, preaching.

Locations and preachers for the rest of the week will be:

Monday: First United Methodist Church, the Rev. Victor Andersen.

Tuesday: First Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Dusty Garrison.

Wednesday: East Side Baptist Church, the Rev. Kenny Kirk.

Thursday: Trinity Lutheran Church, the Rev. J. C. Amburn.

Friday: First Assembly of God Church, the Rev. Floyd Chenault.

Child care will be provided each evening by the host church.

In addition to the sermon, each service will provide hymn singing, prayer and special music by the host church.

A special offering will be taken each evening for the ministries of the Haskell Ministerial Alliance: the Transient Fund which ministers to out-of-town travelers and their families, and the Crisis Ministry, which ministers to local residents. Both ministries combined assisted more than 100 individuals or families.

"We hope all will join us each evening next week as the people of Haskell gather to worship God in song, sermon, scripture and prayer," said a spokesman for the Ministerial Alliance.

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Champions

Maidens play Coleman in bi-district

The Haskell Maidens will meet Coleman Friday night in a bi-district playoff in Sweetwater. The game begins at 7 o'clock.

Haskell will be the home team and local fans will sit in the north bleachers. Admission will be \$4 for adults and \$2 for students.

Haskell is champion of its district, while Coleman finished as runnerup in its district after being ranked in the state's top 10 nearly all season.

The winner of the bi-district tilt will advance to the area playoffs and will meet the winner of the Reagan County-Presidio bi-district contest. The area playoff will be next Tuesday at a site to be determined.

Meanwhile, the district champion Haskell Indians still don't know who their bi-district opponent will be. Bangs and Jim Ned were tied for the runnerup position in their district and a playoff between those teams

appeared likely. The Indians will play the survivor, probably on Friday of next week (Feb. 26).

To tune up for the playoffs, the Indians will have a couple of practice games. On Saturday night, they will meet Breckenridge and on Monday night they will play Eastland. Both games will be in Clyde, starting at 7 o'clock.

The Maidens and Indians have identical 24-4 records for the season.

100 years

Church of Christ to celebrate Saturday

The Haskell Church of Christ will mark its 100th anniversary with an all-day program Saturday.

Hundreds of members and former members of the church, including a number of former ministers, will participate in the activities.

The observance begins at 7 a.m. with a continental breakfast in the church annex.

There will be a general assembly at 9 a.m. H. V. Woodard will welcome the guests. Prayer will be by former Haskell minister Bob Connel of Abilene, after which the current minister, Dale Huff, will outline activities. Paul Rogers of Odessa will lead congregational singing and Larry Suttle of Wichita Falls will speak on the "Church of Yesterday."

Following a break, there will be prayer by Payne Hattox of DeLeon and a talk on the "Church of Today" by Jim Crain of Rogers, Ark. The Haskell Singing Group, led by Joel Fox, will perform before another talk on the "Church of Tomorrow" by Jim Pennington of Weyburn, Sask., Canada. The morning assembly will end following prayer by Donnie Carroll of Woodward, Okla.

After visiting and fellowship, the group will depart for a noon lunch at the Haskell Civic Center.

The afternoon meeting calls for prayer by Hartsell Johnson of Alva, Okla. and John Greeson of Rule. Connel will lead the congregational

singing. Guests will be recognized before a presentation by ex-singing school students, led by Holland Boring Sr. of Bryan. Paul Epps of Temple will lead congregational singing and the Haskell Singing Group will perform.

Greg Melton will be master of ceremonies for the morning assembly and B. J. Ray will be master of ceremonies for the afternoon program.

The Haskell Church of Christ was organized in 1888 with members worshiping in private homes, the courthouse and the Presbyterian Church.

A one-room white building with a belfry was completed in 1908 at the site of the present church. The building was remodeled in 1934 and enlarged in 1942 when more

classrooms were added, the front of the building rebuilt and new pews were installed in the auditorium.

A fire in February 1954 completely destroyed the building. Until a new church could be built, services were held in the Haskell High School auditorium. But six months after the fire, the new building was ready for occupancy. Built at a cost of \$70,000, it included a main auditorium which seats 475, a junior auditorium with an additional seating capacity of 80, 10 classrooms, a preacher's study and a utility room.

Since completion of the building in 1954, an annex has been built on the east side of the main building. The foyer and auditorium area were remodeled in 1983.

Downtown firms join in beautification

The south and west sides of the square in Haskell are 100 percent in cooperation with the downtown beautification program with other downtown areas following close behind.

First group to sign pledge cards for beautification was the south side of the square with Dorothy Hartsfield captain. The following will have planters in front of their stores:

Haskell Free Press, Western Auto, Rolling Plains Printing Co., West Texas Utilities, The Hayloft, Southside Barber Shop, The Personality Shoppe, The Carousel, Hartsfield Insurance and Heidenheimer's. Park benches will be placed in front of The Hayloft, The Personality Shoppe and Hartsfield's.

Also 100 percent is the west side of the square, Wayne Bradford chairman. To have planters are Jones Cox and Co., Johnson Real Estate, Johnson Kis Photo, Sonshine Gift Shop, Perry's, Frazier's Appliance, White Auto Store and Aladdin House. A park bench is in front of Jones Cox.

With Conrad Roewe as chairman, the following on the north side are participating: Sport About, Potpourri, Royce Adkins law offices, Frances Arend Real Estate, Bassing's Jewelry, Video Vendor, Hassen's, Johnson Pharmacy and A. L. Williams. Benches will be in front of Hassen's and Johnson Pharmacy.

Fran Cass, chairman, reports that

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Teen pregnancy is program topic

A program entitled "Preventing Teen Pregnancy" will be presented to Haskell High School students on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The program will be given by Judith C. Patton, coordinator of education of the Teen and Community Involvement Program of the Aspermont Small Business Development Center.

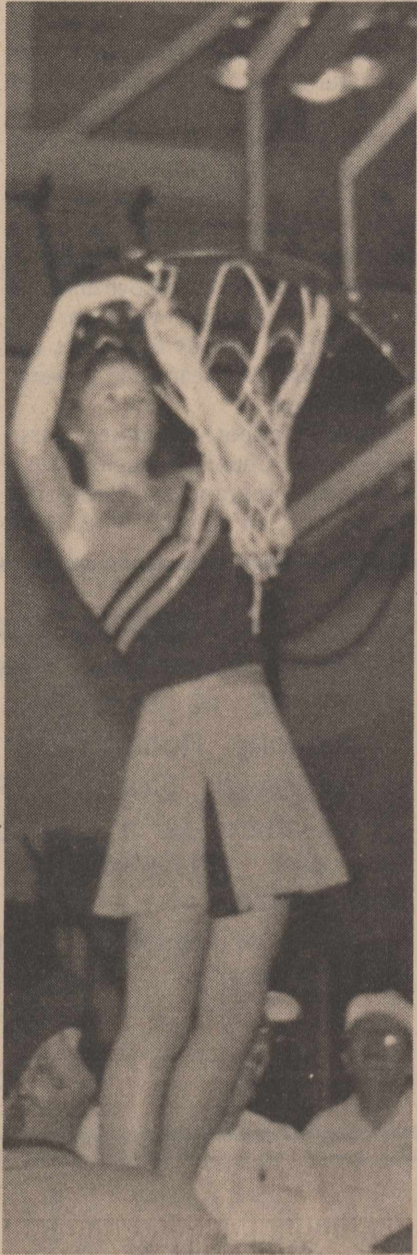
Program topics will include: Tuesday: Introduction to program; A video, "Woman-Child"; Problems of premature sexual activity; "STD Worksheet".

Wednesday: MISconception of

Conception; "Showing Feelings in Physical Ways"; Pressure Lines/Assertive Techniques; Film, "Saying 'No'"; Questions and answers.

Thursday: Video, "How Can I Tell If I'm Really in Love?"; Resources.

Tonight (Thursday) will be "Parent Night" when Mrs. Patton will review with parents the outline of next week's program and will present a video "For Parents of Teenagers". The parents' program will be in the high school library, beginning at 7 o'clock. Parents may enter the building at the south door.



The night we tore...

Weinert students to Munday

Weinert school board members agreed last week to contract with the Munday school for education of its high school students, effective with the 1988-89 school year.

Approximately 19 students in grades 9 through 12 will be affected.

Weinert high school students will have the option of attending school in an adjoining school district.

The Weinert school district will remain intact. Students in the first eight grades will not be affected.

Declining high school enrollment forced Weinert to drop its six-man football program last fall.

Restaurant opens here this week

A new restaurant, Markey's Place, opened in Haskell Tuesday.

It is located in the building formerly occupied by Glenn's Bar-B-Que Express.

Owner of the business is Kirk Markey.

Markey's Place will be open from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday. It will be closed on Monday.

The menu features barbecued beef, ribs, sausage, ham and chicken, as well as steaks, chicken, hamburgers and sandwiches. In addition, Markey's Place features a soup and salad bar.

All items are available for take out.

Annual Kiwanis feed to be Sunday

The annual Kiwanisfest of the Haskell Kiwanis Club will be Sunday at the Civic Center.

Roast beef and all the trimmings, as well as dessert, will be served.

Serving begins at 11:30 a.m. and continues until 1:30 p.m. Tickets, at

Sales tax collections take a dip

A check for \$22,777.37 was received by the City of Haskell this week as its share of the sales taxes collected by the state for the month of December.

This compared to \$23,425.60 received by the City for the same period last year.

So far this year, the City has received \$31,624.97 from its one-percent sales tax. This is an increase of 2.34 percent over the \$30,901.72 received during the first two months of 1987.

The City of Rule received \$3,943.07 to bring its sales tax receipts for the year to \$5,886.72, a healthy 26.11 percent increase over the \$4,668.03 received during the first two months of last year.

Weinert received \$679.76, Rochester got \$923.37, and O'Brien received \$376.91.

For the year to date, the five Haskell County cities have received \$39,491.64.

44 complete driving course

A record 44 students completed the defensive driving course sponsored by the Haskell County Farm Bureau.

In addition to making the roads and highways safer, graduates will enjoy 10-percent discounts on their insurance premiums.

\$5 each, are being sold by club members. They also may be purchased at the door. Take out orders will be prepared.

Proceeds from the event will go to the Kiwanis scholarship fund and to the Junior Livestock Association.

Council to consider water rates

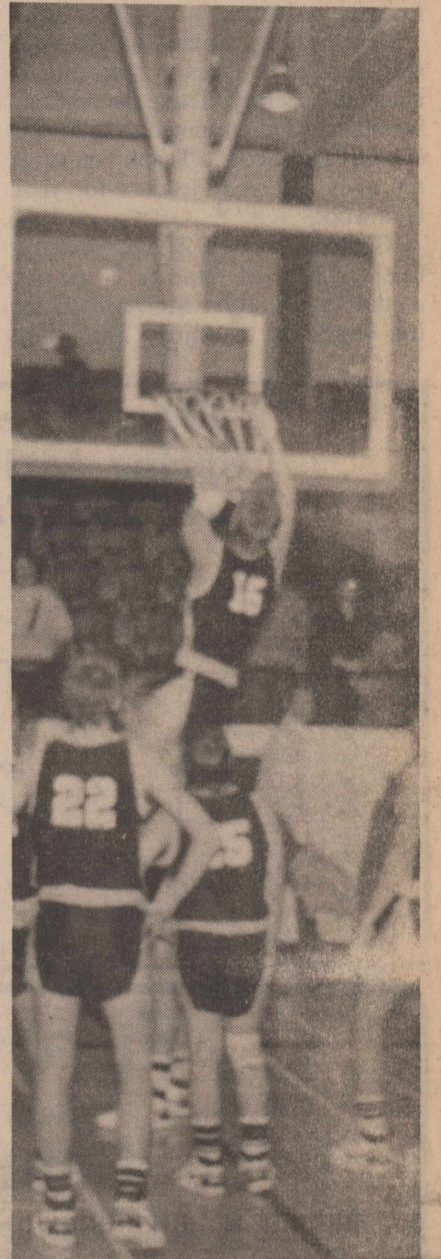
City councilmen will discuss water rates at their next meeting Feb. 25. The matter was discussed briefly at last Thursday's council meeting, at which time it was decided to put it on the agenda for further discussion at the next meeting.

City revenue from the one-percent sales tax decreased nearly \$20,000 last year. An eight-percent hike in the property tax rate should make up for about half of the lost revenue.

Protestors at a public hearing on the tax increase last summer attempted to get a City Council commitment that there would be no water rate increase, but councilmen refused to give any such assurance.

To sell donuts

Members of the Haskell High School track team will sell donuts on the square in Haskell Saturday morning. They will start at 7 o'clock. Proceeds from the sale will be used for the benefit of the track program.



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Finnell to seek senate

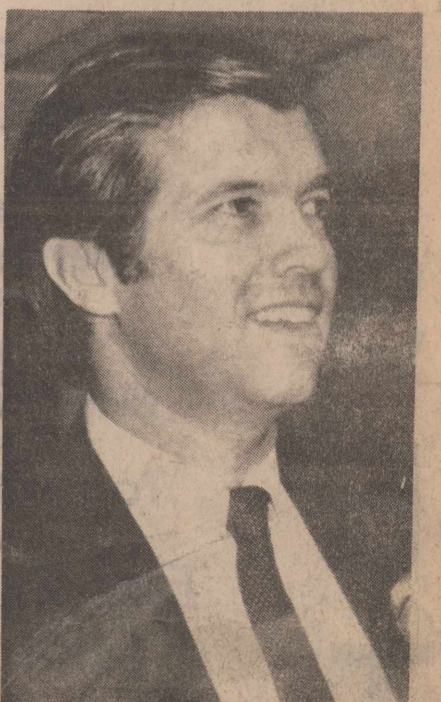
State Rep. Charles Finnell, D-Holliday, announced Monday for State Senate, 30th district, in light of Sen. Ray Farabee's resignation last week.

"The opportunity for meaningful public service is greater today than ever before, especially in light of the current state of our Texas economy," said Finnell in stating his intention to seek the office of the 29-county district which includes Haskell County.

Finnell, an Archer County businessman and veteran member of the Texas House of Representatives, stressed his legislative experience and his strong stand in support of local school district funding and essential services for older Texans.

"It is vital that we provide adequate funding for our 114 independent school districts so that local programs of excellence will be maintained," said Finnell, fourth in seniority of the Texas House. "And we must continue to oppose judicial attempts to overturn our present method of

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State Rep. Charles Finnell

--Haskell Nursing Center--

By Jo Fischer
Activity Director

We have all heard the famous quote from Pliny, "Home is where the heart is." All of our employees try to make our nursing home truly a home where the heart is.

At noon on Friday, Feb. 12, Ruby Clemmer was crowned Valentine queen and C. V. Langford Valentine king. They were treated as royalty all day and reigned over a Valentine party given by the First Christian Church in the afternoon.

We appreciate the refreshments and music brought by the ladies. Pauline Williams, Coleen Moody and Kathryn Mitchell presented our nurses and other staff with balloon corsages from the residents.

Our nursing home looked very festive with the heart trees placed about our facility. These decorations were made and presented to us by the Haskell Girl Scouts. Thank you to all the girls and your leaders for your hard work.

Girl Scout troop 277 presented a book, "Joy of Nature," to our administrator, John McDermett, for the residents to enjoy. The troop

received the book by selling magazine subscriptions. Troop members are Wendi Cadenhead, Marci McSmith, Creora Tatum, Ebony McCulloch, Shannon Sanford, Jessica Comedy and their leader, Sandy Sanford. Thank you girls.

We welcome these residents and their families to our home: Joe Aldaco, Hollis Davis and Jan and Isla Corley. Our good wishes go to Nettie McCollum who went home this week.

Visitors with residents have been Johnny and Derinda Lamed of Wichita Falls, Sue Wolfe of Abilene with Maebell Turnbow; Karen Johnson with Fannie Wilson, Clyde and Maurine Newberry of Lubbock with Eunice Newberry; Tommy and Barbara Michaels of Winters, Evelyn O'Neill of Clyde with Bessie Davidson and Ruby Clemmer; Lucille Collins of Fort Worth, Marie Crabb of Arlington, Ruth Underwood of O'Brien, Lois Corley of Fort Worth, Anne Underwood of O'Brien, Sharon Morrow of Knox City, Jerry Ann Harris, J. D. Harris of Hamlin, Foster and Faye Corley of Mineola with Isla and Jan Corley.

-Green Thumb-

By Gladys O'Neal
Haskell Garden Club

It is now that time of the year when we are in the house looking at the beautiful seed and plant catalogues and wishing we could grow "this and that" in our gardens and yards. I always think of perennials because they will come back to greet us every year if we give them the proper care.

Since Haskell has entered the Beautification Project to win \$25,000, we all want to help by cleaning our premises and growing attractive shrubs and plants.

When planning our yards, we need to think where we spend most of the time outdoors. What areas can we see from the windows of the house? Plan to put flowers where we can see them as we go about our summer routines. Naturally, we have to think about our climate. Some perennials can't survive cold winters and hot summers. Consider the sites. Does the sun shine all day or is there partial shade or no sun?

We must think about color, too. Blues recede into the background; yellows and reds command attention; whites are visible until after dusk. I think about maintenance also. We want long-blooming plants, strong stems that will not fall over, and thick foliage to cut down on weeding.

When I have a general sense of how perennials might fit into my garden, I begin to browse through nursery catalogues to see the pictures and names.

These are good catalogues you may want to write for at no cost: Gurney's Seed and Nursery Co., Yankton, S. Dak. 57079; Henry Field Seed and Nursery Co., Shenandoah, Iowa 51602.

These have a lot of information about growing and fertilizing besides beautiful pictures. I am so tempted to order lots and lots, but it is wiser to start small and learn the habits and

preferences of a few flowers, and then expand. One approach is to find out what your neighbors are growing, and since perennials grow best if they are divided every three years or so, most people will be delighted to find someone to take the extra plants.

Spade your beds loosely, then work in compost, or peat moss. To cut down on weeds, cover the bed with mulch.

Plant your seeds in egg cartons or paper cups and as they grow remove to pots. When all danger of frost is over, set them out in your beds and gently bring the mulch up and around the crown of the plant. As spring days turn warm, see that they get light and warmth.

For every investment you make in perennials, remember they will yield dividends for years to come.

Perennials suited to our area (these are only a few): Shasta Daisies, Pansies, Daylilies, Bleeding Heart, Perennial Sweet Peas, Creeping Phlox, Mums, Irises, Holly Hocks, Delphiniums, Crepe Mynth bushes or trees, cannas, roses, many vines.

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-HOSPITAL-

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MEDICAL: Michael Huckabee, Munday; Everett Medley, Haskell; A. D. Frierson, Haskell; Loyd Allen, Rule.

SURGICAL: Gilly Gregory, Haskell; Lloyd King, Goree.

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Study Club names officers

The Progressive Study Club met in regular session Feb. 11 in the Community Room. Mrs. Retha Mullins greeted members and guests.

A short business meeting was held. Elbert Johnson won the slogan contest with "Beautify Haskell Together."

The nominating committee presented the new officers for the coming year:

Retha Mullins, president; Mary Kaigler, first vice president; Margaret Jones, second vice president; Donna Cole, recording secretary; Thelma Thomas, corresponding secretary; Jane Coston, treasurer; Leesa Toliver, historian; Pat Quattlebaum, board member; Anita Herren, federation counselor.

Mrs. Mullins discussed the Mesquite District Spring Convention which will be in Abilene March 18. The Haskell club will host the dinner on Friday night.

Mrs. Mullins turned the meeting over to Mary Martin, program director. The theme of tonight's program, "The Need for Love and Self Esteem." Tonight we will wear our hearts on our sleeves for "what the world needs now," hearts and flowers, laces and love.

Katie Hopper, minister First Presbyterian Church, brought a very interesting program on "Being the Woman I Can Love." The Four

Friends, Pam Gibson, Patsy Blakley, Roberta High and Susan Pope, sang several love songs.

Refreshments of heart shaped sandwiches, heart cookies, candy, cheese crackers, cherry tarts and coffee were served by Nedra McCauley, Margaret Jones, Mildred Berry and Gladys O'Neal.

-BIRTHS-

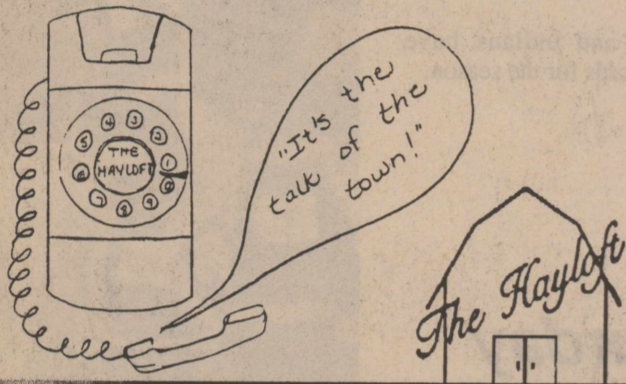
Rob and Rebecca Russell are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Kourtney LeAnn, at 9:25 a.m. on Valentine's Day at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

She weighed 8 pounds and 4 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Holt of Whitesboro, Texas. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford of Haskell and great-great-grandmother is Mrs. J. M. Glass of Haskell.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Chambers of Clyde. Great-grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. K. R. Blair of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chambers of Lueders. Great-great-grandmothers are Mrs. A. L. Blair and Mrs. Dora Holley, both of Haskell.

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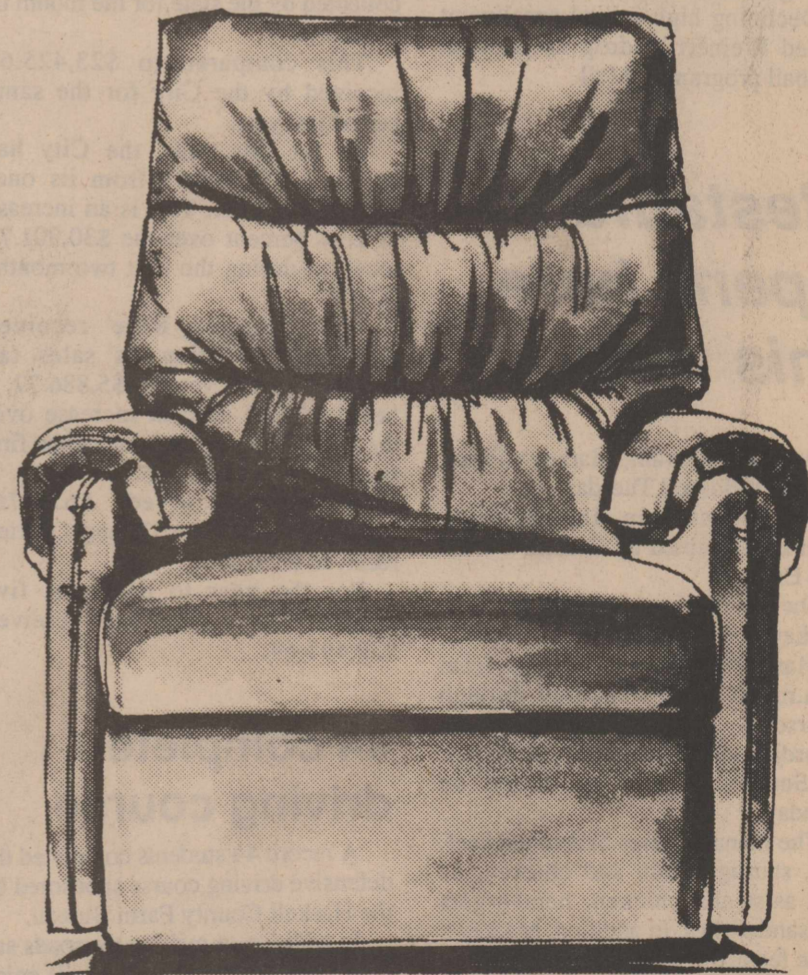
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--Weinert--

By Myrtle Phemister

We are looking ahead to only 4 more weeks of this terrible winter! We do have a day or so between each front, to re-stock the pantry, put out hay for the cows, check the fence, and ready ourselves for the next onslaught of wintry weather. The beautiful sunny days are so nice, when we have one.

Our congratulations are in order for a few this week. We sing "Happy Birthday" to Johnny Castillo, Jr., Brian Bredthauer, Erlinda Mayfield, Bill Briscoe, and to Florence Alexander this week.

We congratulate Shanna Murphy and Lane Murphy for the ribbons they received in the tumbling events at Haskell. Their team, the Lone Star's, won the District trophy.

Lane and Shanna will be in the state competition on March 12-13, and it will be held in Lubbock. We are proud of you, and wish you the best! And we hope for better weather for the state meet than we had for the District meet.

Our sick remain on the "improving" list. T. E. Reeves continues with his three trips to Abilene each week for a dialysis treatment, but is able to be out to play dominoes occasionally.

Ima Stewart reports receiving word that her sister-in-law, Ida Stewart Henderson, is in the Eastland hospital recovering from a heart attack. Ima's daughter, Bobby Pickering, is also hospitalized, following surgery, and is improving.

John and Laverne Mayfield were in Plainview on Friday, where their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Arch Mayfield, underwent surgery. She is doing well at last report.

Greg Turnbow was home from Wichita Falls for a visit with his parents, Georgia and Woody Turnbow. Greg is a senior student at Midwestern, and is looking forward to graduation in May.

Kregg Sanders was home from North Texas State for a weekend with his family, Kenneth and Brenda Sanders, Kent and Kole. A classmate, Clint Holden, of Olney was a weekend guest of the Sanders!

Bob and Crystella Raynes had a houseful of relatives, who were in town to help them celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. All their children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, in-laws, cousins, brothers, sisters came to wish them well. It was a great occasion!

Eddie and Myrmie Sanders spent a

few days in Waco with Myrmie's sister, Leatha and Luke Hollaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Turnbow were in Weatherford for the first birthday of their youngest grandson, Levi Sorrells. Levi has an older brother, Luke. His parents are Twyla and Tommy Sorrells.

We were saddened by the message of the death of a long time friend, Ted Boykin, who suffered a fatal heart attack at his home in Nashville, Arkansas on Saturday. Services were held on Monday with Roy Phemister, minister of the Weinert Church of Christ officiating. Ted and Edna moved to Arkansas last year, because of his failing health. They lived next door to their daughter, Betty and Bobby Carroll. Our sincere sympathy to Edna and her family.

Our flag is flying at half-mast for another reason, also. Our school-board has made the decision to contract our high school to the Munday Independent School District.

The decision was made after many long, agonizing hours spent in meetings with parents, other school boards, and patrons, and it is their thinking this will be the best for our children. The children's welfare is our foremost thought, and we truly appreciate and support our school board.

There will continue to be school here in Weinert for kindergarten

through 8th grade children, with quality, qualified teachers and P.E. coaches.

We will continue to be "Bulldog" country, but we'll bear the "Mogul" flag with our usual enthusiasm and loyalty for "our" school.

School board members for Weinert school include Elmer Adams, Jerry Hester, Julian Estrada, Jerry Don Huggins, Bob Wood, Ronnie Alexander and Jimmy White.

This has not been an "overnight" condition. You knew we were in serious trouble when we could not maintain our football team, and so few on our basketball team. Our girls often played with only three players on the court, with 2 "fouled-off" on the bench. Our young people have spirit, and will be an asset to the Mogul field.

We accept your sympathy!

Good bless you, have a nice day.

-BIRTHS-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Angel Zarate, Jr., of Haskell announce the birth of their daughter, Tasha Nicole Zarate, born February 14, 1988 in Haskell Memorial Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 10 oz.

Name omitted from Scout list

The name of Anthony Gonzales was inadvertently omitted from the list of Cub Scouts in Den 3 in the Scout page of last week's Free Press.

Garden Club has program about flowers

The Haskell Garden Club met Feb. 11 at Molly Carlisle's home.

After a short business meeting with Juanita Rhea presiding in the absence of Linda King, a film was shown on beautification of Texas cities. Franciene Johnson discussed beautifying Haskell with different approaches. Pledge cards were handed out.

Mrs. Rhea introduced a new plant, Lisianthus (Texas Bluebells) to the members. Something old, something new, dreaming with the seed catalogues was discussed.

Lorene Dewey gave an interesting part about perennials. She brought an arrangement depicting the theme "When You and I Were Young, Maggie". It was so attractively made from baked boroark tree apples and foliage.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to members and two guests, Mildred Rossier and Franciene Johnson.

The club welcomes new members who love flowers.

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Betsy Nanny inducted into honor fraternity

Betsy Nanny of Haskell has been inducted into the Psi Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at Western Texas College.

Induction ceremonies were held Feb. 7 in the Fine Arts Theatre on the Snyder campus.

Phi Theta Kappa is the only nationally recognized honor fraternity for students in junior/community colleges and was founded in 1929.

To be eligible for membership, a student must have at least 12 hours of college credit with a grade point average of at least 3.2 and be pursuing either the associate in arts or the associate in applied science degree.

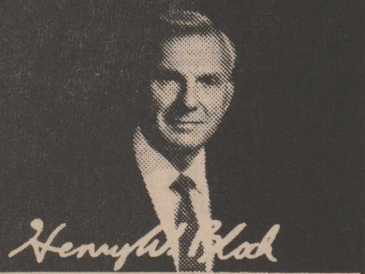
Quite a load

According to *International Wildlife* magazine, an ant weighing .0086 grams can carry a caterpillar five times its weight and 15 times its length.

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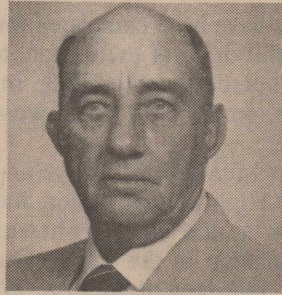
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Commentary

Complaints against judges increasing

AUSTIN—Texas registered a sizeable increase in the number of complaints against state judges in 1987, according to figures compiled by the State Commission on Judicial Conduct.

Those figures, released last week, show a 28 percent increase in complaints, jumping from 440 in fiscal 1986 to 565 in fiscal 1987.

Among the most notable cases

fraudulent signatures on the petitions to qualify some Republican presidential candidates for the March 8 Texas primary ballot finally has led to criminal charges.

Sylvester Neely, a notary public from Missouri City was named in a Class A misdemeanor charge of official misconduct for allegedly failing to properly notarize petitions for Kansas Sen. Bob Dole and former Secretary of State Al Haig.

Harris county prosecutors contend that Neely failed to take sworn oaths from campaign workers that the signatures were valid. Thousands of signatures on the petitions of the two candidates were improperly notarized, prosecutors said.

Neely faces up to a year in jail and a \$2,000 fine if convicted of the charge.

Republican party officials have certified both Dole and Haig as eligible to be on the March 8 ballot despite problems encountered in attempting to verify the signatures on their petitions.

State party rules require candidates to submit signatures of 5,000 voters in order to qualify for a spot on the ballot.

Texas Sues Oil Co.

The State of Texas filed suit last week in federal bankruptcy court, asking that North American Oil Co. be ordered to fire its management.

The troubled Austin-based company raised more than \$13.5 million from several hundred investors before filing for a Chapter 11 reorganization. The firm earlier suspended regular payments to investors, citing business complications and inadequate records.

The State Attorney General's office asked the bankruptcy court to appoint a trustee to run North American.

The state action claims that North American and its owner, Jerry Pettit, have caused investors to lose hundreds of thousands of dollars through fraud and misapplication of funds.

Race Chief Underpaid

Texas racing commissioners, meeting for the first time last week, said it will be difficult to recruit a top executive director for only \$60,000 a year as set by law.

James Clement, who was elected temporary chairman, described the selection of an executive director as the most important task facing the commission.

"I do not think that \$60,000 will get the type of man that I think is necessary to successfully run racing in Texas," said Clement, chairman of the King Ranch in Kingsville.

Despite the complaints, racing administrators in three major racing states—California, Florida and New York—make comparable salaries to that set in Texas, officials in those states said.

The California director makes \$80,000 a year, the counterpart in Florida is paid \$54,400, and the director in New York makes \$77,852 yearly.

STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

were two filed against Texas Supreme Court Justices C. L. Ray and William Kilgarlin.

Both justices were disciplined for improper contacts with lawyers who had cases pending before the court and various other ethical offenses. Those cases marked the first time the commission had ever disciplined a member of the Supreme Court, the state's highest civil court.

Bob Flowers, director of the commission, attributed the increase in complaints to greater public awareness of the commission and some of the "high-profile" cases it handled in 1987.

State Bar Poll

Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Tom Phillips also garnered some headlines by winning a State Bar of Texas preference poll in his race for election to that post.

Phillips, who recently was appointed to the chief justice's spot by Gov. Bill Clements, outpolled two Democratic opponents in the poll that was sent to 44,255 Texas lawyers.

Phillips, a Republican, received 9,298 votes to 5,762 votes for Democrat Ted Z. Robertson. A second Democrat in the race, John E. Humphreys of Dallas, garnered only 775 votes.

Incumbent Justice Raul Gonzalez also did well in the lawyer poll, but fellow incumbents Kilgarlin and Barbara Culver ran second to opposing party candidates.

Gonzalez received 11,853 votes to 1,562 for San Antonio attorney Art Vega, his Democratic opponent in the primary race for the Supreme Court, Place 3.

Kilgarlin, a Democrat, was outpolled in the Place 2 race by Republican Nathan Hecht, who received 5,965 votes to 5,900 votes for Kilgarlin. Culver, a recent Republican appointee to the court, received 6,441 votes to 8,050 for Democratic Place 4 opponent Jack Hightower, a former congressman from Vernon.

Petition Forgeries

The controversy over allegedly

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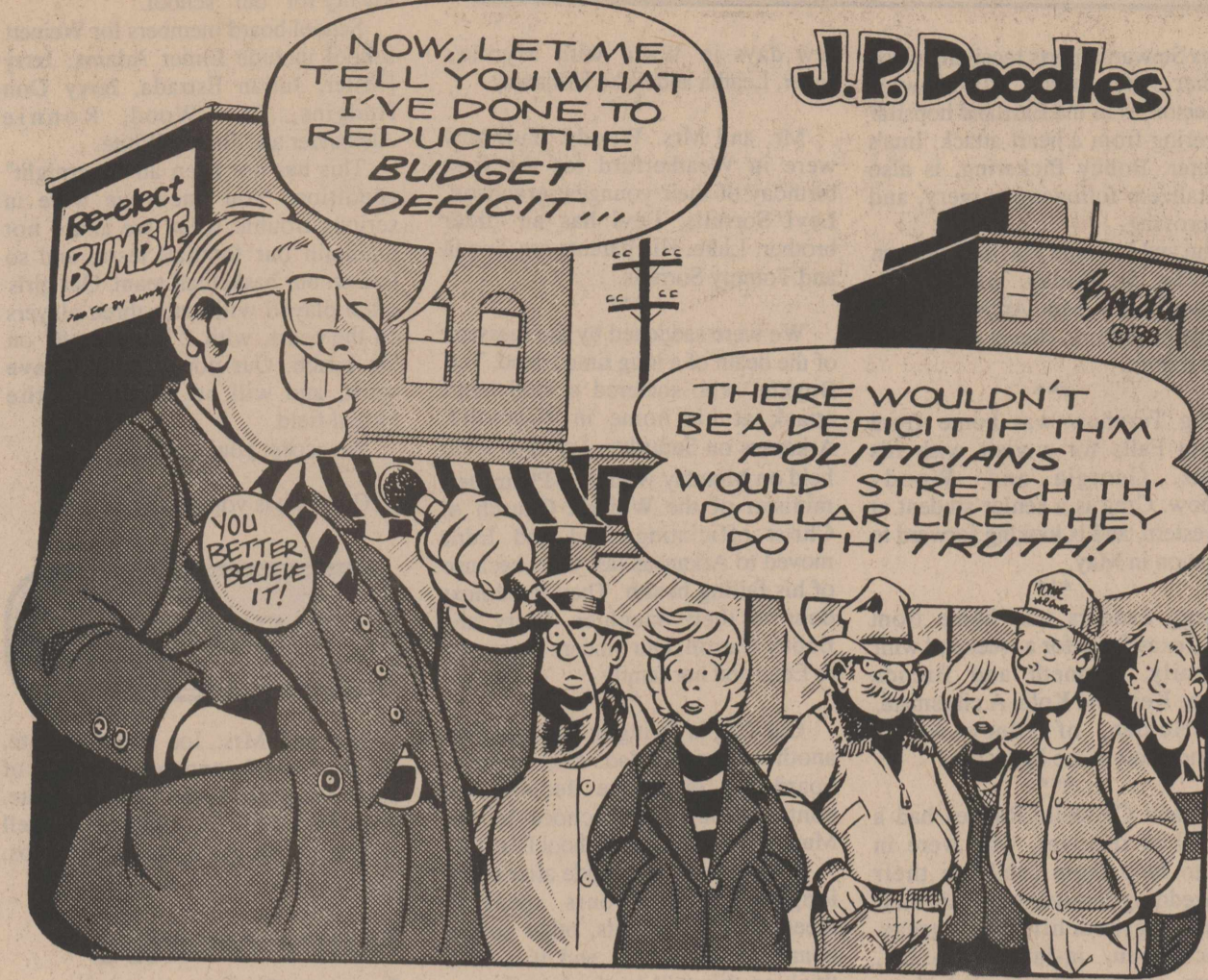
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--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

30 Years Ago Feb. 20, 1958

Purchase of the Piggly-Wiggly food store by owners of the "M" System Supermarket in this city has been announced, with the change becoming effective Feb. 17.

Jean Elliott, x-ray and laboratory technician at the Haskell Clinic and Haskell County Hospital, was guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday.

Carolyn Cook, Paint Creek, and Sarah Lee Williams of Rule, accompanied by Mrs. Lillian Brown, director of special education in Haskell County schools, attended a conference on special education at Texas Woman's University in Denton Feb. 7-8.

A special meeting of the executive board of the Chamber of Commerce was held Monday morning to consider the proposal for staging a Haskell County centennial along the lines which had been submitted at a previous meeting.

The Haskell Indians defeated the Stamford Bulldogs 51-44 in the opening tilt of a best two-out-of-three series to determine the district 4-AA crown.

Gene Frierson of College Station spent the weekend here with relatives and friends.

"We intend to get out the county's best spellers March 29 and we want one of them to wind up in Washington at the National Spelling Bee," stated Wallace Wooten, chairman of the County Spelling Bee, sponsored by the Jaycees.

Abe Turner, who has been in business in Canyon for the past year or longer, has returned to Haskell and accepted a position as teller with the Haskell National Bank.

An informal dinner, served buffet style in the home of Postmaster and Mrs. Harold Spain Thursday evening honored Mrs. Ella Cox, I. N. Simmons and P. G. Kendrick, retired postal employees of the Haskell office.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson was hostess for her annual Valentine party in her home Feb. 14.

Planning to attend the annual meeting of the State Bankers Association in Fort Worth Saturday are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinson and Miss Nettie McCollum.

50 Years Ago Feb. 22, 1938

Order for all equipment necessary for the manufacturing plant of the Brazos Valley Cooperative Cheese Plant Inc. was placed Monday following a meeting of directors of the corporation. Machinery and equipment is expected to arrive within two weeks and the plant can be in operation within a month.

Weather conditions permitting, contractors expect to begin construction of the new Paint Creek High School building next week. Sanders & West of Memphis, Texas, have the contract on the building.

Bids for construction of the new Haskell County Hospital will be opened by the Commissioners Court Monday.

Services at the First Baptist Church Feb. 27 will be dedicated to Miss Maybelle Taylor, an active

member and Sunday School worker for years, who is to leave within a few days for a missionary post in Brazil.

Plans have been completed for the first rabbit drive of the season, to be held Thursday, March 3, in the Gilliam community northwest of Haskell.

Lon McMillin, 17-year-old Haskell High School junior, battled his way to the state lightweight championship in the Texas Golden Gloves tournament in Fort Worth Monday night.

Mrs. Tom French and Floyd Taylor accompanied their sister, Miss Maybelle Taylor, home Monday night from Dallas.

70 Years Ago Feb. 23, 1918

Thomas L. Ballard of Camp Travis is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Ballard. Thomas was in the group of seven young men who were the first called from Haskell County.

John Couch, manager of Spencer Lumber Co., suffered a painful injury to his right foot Wednesday when it was crushed under the wheel of a heavily loaded wagon.

Luke Darnell, young farmer of the Post community, enlisted in the Army last week and has been sent to

Camp Travis for training.

King Perdue of Camp Cody, N.M., is visiting his parent's in the Foster community on a 30-day furlough.

J. C. (Cliff) Chamberlain of Camp Bowie is here visiting his parents while on a furlough.

There is a movement on foot to organize a poultry association for Haskell County.

Wayne Perry, R. Overton, Dave Terrell, E. M. Bishop and Ira Davis of the Post community composed a fishing party at the mouth of Paint and California Creeks Thursday. They report fair success.

80 Years Ago Feb. 15, 1908

Lennis Jones of Rule was over Tuesday. He recently returned from A&M College for a several weeks stay to recover from a recent illness.

We understand that the Haskell Ice & Light Company will begin installation of machinery in a few days to double the plant's capacity, and they will also install an ice making machine.

County commissioners have authorized the overseer on the Stamford and Gardner road to build a bridge on said road not to cost in excess of \$275.

Senator Lloyd Benisen

Watching Washington



Japanese consumers have proven eager to buy high-quality U.S. beef, and Texas ranchers are most eager to sell it to them.

However, things aren't as simple as they sound.

To reach Japanese shoppers, our beef must fight its way through a thicket of trade barriers and quota restrictions that result in a \$22-a-pound price-tag on sirloin steak that sells for \$4.66 a pound in the U.S.

Compare that to another Asian trading partner, Hong Kong, which hasn't erected these unfair barriers to our products. Shoppers in Hong Kong can buy that piece of sirloin for about \$6.50 a pound.

I have long been working to get Japan—and other nations with unfair barriers to our products—to open its markets to our farm goods and other exports.

Allowing these barriers to remain needlessly penalizes Texas ranchers and Texans who work in the meat-processing business. And it also penalizes the Japanese consumers who must pay through the nose for beef.

They ought to take the supermarket ads out of the U.S. newspapers, translate them into Japanese, and publish them in Tokyo newspapers every day for six months. It might do more than anything else to reduce those trade barriers when Japanese housewives see the bargains they're missing.

Consumer penalties are not limited to beef, though, as Japan has barriers against our citrus products, our electronics equipment, appliances such as kitchen disposals, even our baseball bats.

It is in the best interest of each nation to expand trade between our countries.

That's the message I delivered in January to Noboru Takeshita, the new Prime Minister of Japan. Our meeting was the first he held with an American elected official since he became Prime Minister. Our discussion, which included such topics as Japanese barriers to our beef, citrus and other products, was encouraging, and I hope we can build on it.

There is no question that we have differences with Japan. But the unity we have on other objectives far outweighs our differences, and we need to keep it that way.

We can help do that by enacting a trade policy for this country, expanding trade between our nations, and working to reduce our staggering international trade deficit of \$170 billion.

That's the point of the Bentsen-Danforth trade bill, which passed the Senate last year on a solid, bipartisan vote of 71 to 27.

We are in a conference committee on that bill now, ironing out differences between the House and Senate versions of the legislation. Ever since I became Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee last year, I have worked with the Administration to make sure we can get a bill that the President will sign—and I'm hopeful we can put one on his desk soon.

Jobs for Texas workers are at stake here, and we need to move effectively on their behalf.

plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

Sometimes the best reading in a newspaper is found in the classified ads.

Like this one in the Andrews County News: FOR RENT: 12x63 mobile home. \$200 month. Water, sewer and trash furnished.

Daffynitions:

Spinal column: A long bunch of bones. The head sits on top and you sit on the bottom.

I knew this fellow who owned a motel in a tourist town on a busy interstate highway.

He complained about his help, primarily of the the maids who cleaned the rooms. He said he inspected each room cleaned every day and almost every time he would find something which was not done properly.

"What difference does it make?" I asked. "The people who stay in your motel probably will never be staying there again."

"You're wrong," he replied. "I would say 65 to 70 percent of the people who stay at my motel are regular customers who keep coming back time and again."

It seemed strange to me, but when I mentioned our conversation to another motel operator, he verified the statistics.

In other businesses, in other locales, the percentage is undoubtedly higher—maybe 100 percent in some places. This underscores the importance of treating the customer right.

I got to thinking of my own experiences with unsatisfactory services and immediately three came to mind: Ramada Inn, Taco Bell and Firestone tires.

I once stayed in a Ramada Inn in El Paso which was without question the dirtiest place I have ever stayed. I should have gotten a cue when I walked in. Mud had been tracked on the floor of the lobby. The floor in the room also was muddy.

I went into the coffee shop and while there was not one customer in the place, at least two thirds of the tables were piled with dirty dishes. Other Ramada Inns may be spic and span, but that one did it. No more Ramada Inns for me.

My first visit to a Taco Bell, also in El Paso, was my last. The meat in my tacos was not only cold, but it tasted as if it had been left over from the previous week. Years have passed, but I've spent not another dime in a Taco Bell.

Then there was the time I thought I got a good deal on a set of Firestone 500s while visiting in Bryan. They were "blems" but I was assured that they carried the same 40,000-mile guarantee as first-line tires.

Fourteen thousand miles later, traveling between El Paso and Las Cruces, N.M., I heard a terrible noise. After stopping and inspecting, I saw a knot as big as a softball on one of the tires.

After changing the tire, I drove to a Firestone store in Las Cruces. The manager/owner said he couldn't adjust it since I didn't have my sales receipt showing when and where I bought the tires. This was an assumption on his part, an assumption I over-ruled by promptly presenting the document.

He reluctantly replaced the tire and then presented me with a bill in an amount more than twice the amount of the cost of the original tire. He attempted to justify it by saying that he did not have any "blems" so he adjusted the price against the cost of a first-line tire. I understood this, but I couldn't make the numbers jive.

I'm still protesting. I've never bought another Firestone tire. Nor will I ever.

Computer course for farmers set

A three-day short course to assist farmers and ranchers to use their computers for record keeping and accounting will be held Feb. 24-26 at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Enrollment in the course will be limited to 20 to insure the opportunity for hands-on computer use.

Persons interested in enrolling should contact their county extension agent or phone Dr. Jackie Smith in Lubbock, (806) 746-6101.

--Letters to the Editor--

Editor: As a former Haskell resident, I know Haskell County residents would prefer to vote for a candidate they know, or at least know about, rather than cast a ballot for some unknown. And the race for presiding judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals is one every voter should know more about.

"Victim's rights" is a major concern of all law-abiding citizens of Texas, and if we are to keep emphasis on that issue we must elect appellate judges who are qualified and maintain a high profile of justice for all.

Judge Mike McCormick is the only candidate for presiding judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals who is a recognized leader in the fight for "victim's rights". His court decisions are based on facts of the law, not interpretations that give way to possibilities of "ifs".

Judge McCormick is the only candidate with experience on the court, having served for seven years. His tenure has been in service to the people of Texas and not in favor of any individual, group or special interest. He also has a strong background in administrative and legislative duties required of the position.

Add to his experience his honesty, integrity, leadership and independence and the bottom line shows only Judge McCormick as the right choice for presiding judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals.

By having personal knowledge of Judge McCormick's judicial service, I feel every law-abiding citizen should be aware of his distinguished record.

We cannot afford to let this important position fall into inexperienced hands.
Kenneth Tooley
Austin

Girl Scouts

Editor: I had the pleasure of attending the father-daughter Girl Scout banquet here last Thursday night. I was asked by a friend to go to the banquet with his daughter. My family is involved with the Cub Scout and Boy Scout programs.

I was surprised and proud to see how many Girl Scouts we have here in Haskell. I was impressed with the girls and the adult leaders in presenting their programs.

I do not have a daughter, but if I did I would be proud to let her be a part of this Girl Scout organization.

Marvin McFadden

Know him?

Editor: I was in the Army Air Corps during World War II and a member of the 17th Bomb Group, 95th squadron. The airplane we used was a medium bomber, a Martin B-26 Marauder. For the past 11 years we have been holding reunions and are still searching for our lost members. I have been helping in this matter.

One of our missing members is Willie C. Cooper, and his wartime address was Haskell, Texas. He was a member of the 95th squadron but I do not remember him.

According to his serial number, 0-

741401, he was an officer and could have been a pilot, a bombardier or a navigator. As part of a combat crew he probably flew overseas with his airplane and crew.

The 17th Bomb Group went overseas at different stages. I went over by boat and left the U.S. in December 1942 and we were stationed at air bases in North Africa, Sardinia, Corsica and Dijon, France, in that order. We were in Dijon when the war in Europe ended and we received orders to go back to the U.S. and re-group so we might be sent to help in the effort against Japan. We went to Austria by truck convoy and luckily the war in Japan ended while we were still in Austria.

I hope someone who knows Willie Cooper, and knows of his whereabouts, reads this and gets in touch with me and I will then contact Willie to bring him up to date on our activities.

Joe Carciotto
321 N. Main St.
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Coyt Hix issues statement

To the people of Haskell County:
My name is Coyt Hix. I am 73 years old and in good health.

I farmed northwest of Weinert for 27 years. I was married to Lottie Threet. She died in 1977. We had three children, Leroy of Odessa, Letha Newton of Haskell and Louise Thompson of Snyder.

I am presently married to Sophia Counts Hix. She has two daughters, Margie Counts of Haskell and Sherry Counts Wilhelm of Washington, D.C.

I have worked for the past 10 years for Haskell County Warehouse.

I live at 309 Addison Drive, am a taxpayer and property owner. My wife and I are active members of the Church of Christ.

I feel that I am capable and qualified to serve as constable of Haskell County. I have no other interests and if elected, I will put the job of constable as my top priority and see to the needs of the people I serve.

-School Menu-

Feb. 22-26
LUNCH

Monday: Beef and vegetable stew, grilled cheese sandwiches, applesauce, peanut butter and crackers, milk or tea.

Tuesday: Corn dogs, french fries with catsup, pickle spears, cherry cobbler, milk or tea.

Wednesday: Enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad with dressing, sliced pears, milk or tea.

Thursday: Fish nuggets with catsup or tartar sauce, cole slaw, buttered corn, hot rolls, fruit Jello, milk or tea.

Friday: Cheeseburgers, tater tots with catsup, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, apple halves, milk or tea.

BREAKFAST

Monday: Grape juice, cereal, milk.
Tuesday: Pineapple juice, buttered toast with jelly, sausage, milk.

Wednesday: Grape juice, pancakes with syrup, milk.

Thursday: Apple juice, muffins, milk.

Friday: Fruit juice, cereal, milk.

BAND PERFORMANCE

The Cisco Junior College Stage Band will present the "15th Annual Nostalgia Night" at the Corral Room of the Laguna Hotel on Friday, Feb. 26, and Saturday, Feb. 27.

Commodities to be given here Thursday

Surplus food commodities will be given out at the Experienced Citizens Center in Haskell next Thursday (Feb. 25).

Recipients 60 years old and older will receive their commodities between 8 and 9 a.m. and those 59 and under between 9 and 10 a.m.

Rule citizens will be serviced between 9 and 10 a.m. Thursday at the Church of Christ. Distributions in Sagerton will be made Wednesday (Feb. 24) between 10 and 11 a.m. at Faith Lutheran Church.

Each person coming for commodities is asked to bring a large grocery sack.

Cotton seminar slated next week

A cotton variety seminar is scheduled for 7 p.m. Feb. 25 in the Haskell National Bank Community Room.

Dr. John Gannaway will conduct the seminar.

Door prizes, donated by seed companies and local merchants, will be given.

The seminar is being sponsored by the Haskell County Farm Bureau, but membership is not required for admittance.

--Market Report--

Haskell Livestock Auction

Prices of packer cows and bulls were \$2 to \$4 higher at Saturday's sale at Haskell Livestock Auction.

Area students on ASU honor roll

Four Haskell area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo are listed on the dean's honor roll for the fall semester at the university.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Dianah Kay Fischer, an undecided major from Haskell, and Shannon Wayne Forehand, a pre-pharmacy major from Weinert.

On the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll were Jerry Shane Hadaway, a finance major from Haskell, and Kelly Lauren Earp, an elementary education major from Weinert.

Stocker and feeder cattle were \$1 to \$2 higher and pairs were steady to higher in an active market.

The sale was on a run of 915 head of cattle, 15 hogs and one sheep.

Cows: fat 54-56; cutters 54-58.50; canners 46-52; stockers by head 450-650.

Bulls: bologna 62-69; stockers 66-72; utility 54-61.

Stocker steer calves: choice 94-116; good 84-94; medium 74-84; common 64-74.

Stocker heifer calves: choice 84-94; good 74-84; medium 64-74; common 54-64.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 78-88; good 71-78; medium 62-71; common 52-62.

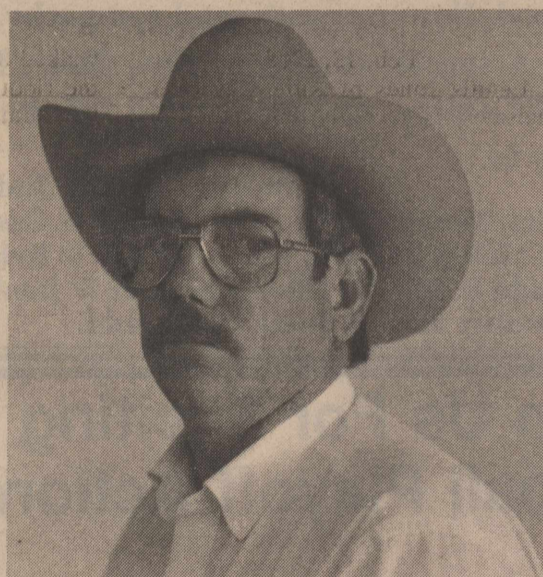
Feeder heifer yearlings: choice 76-84; good 66-76; medium 59-66; common 52-62.

Cows and calves: good 550-725; plain 400-550.

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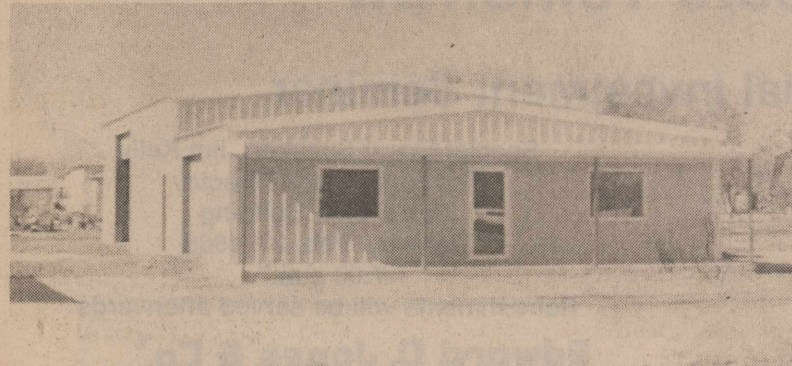
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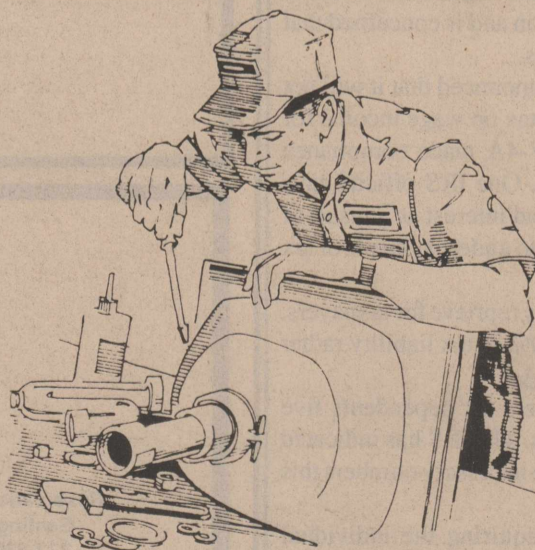


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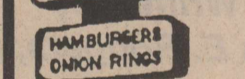
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--Obituaries--

James M. Judd

Funeral services were Wednesday afternoon (Feb. 10) at Trinity Baptist Church for James M. Judd, 48. He died Sunday (Feb. 7).

The Revs. Kenneth Blair and Paris Barton officiated. Burial was in Roberts Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Melvin Hill, Tommy Isbell, Bobby Howard Sr., James Davis, Johnny Beker and Gene Huckabee. Honorary pallbearers were Billy Hise, Garth Garrett and Jesse Seets.

Born March 14, 1939, in Kimberly, Va., Judd had been a resident of Haskell since 1958. He was a Baptist and a U.S. Army veteran. He was married to Maxine Cunningham in Haskell on Dec. 15, 1962.

He is survived by his wife of Haskell; two daughters, Vicki Bullard of Brownfield and Cathy Isbell of Haskell; a son, Tim Judd of Haskell; a brother, Ronnie Judd of Edinburg, Va.; four sisters, Alice Brill of Woodstock, Va., Hilda Strickland of Luray, Va., Patty Judd of Edinburg, Va., and Sharon Judd of Bosye, Va.; and two grandsons, Kris Isbell and Casey Judd.

Mable Alexander

Mable McNeill Alexander of Austin died Feb. 11. Graveside services were held Feb. 13 at Austin Memorial Park in Austin with the Rev. Harold Sassman officiating. Arrangements were by Weed-Corley Funeral Home of Austin.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Maxine Linn Powell, and son-in-law, Daniel T. Powell. She also is survived by a granddaughter, Suzanne Cecil Walrath.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Matthew C. Alexander, a son, Henry R. Alexander, and a daughter, Mrs. Florence Cecil.

Deffie Josselet

Deffie Ann Townsend Josselet, 97, died Sunday at a Comanche nursing home. She was a former Haskell resident.

Services were held Tuesday at the

Comanche Funeral Home Chapel with Tommy Johnson officiating. Graveside services were at the Trinity Memorial Cemetery in Big Spring.

Born in Seminole, Okla., she lived in Big Spring and Odessa and later moved to Comanche. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include four sons, Buck Townsend of Rochester, Snooks Townsend of Rule, Shake Townsend of Big Spring and O. G. Townsend of San Angelo; five daughters, Leone "Sis" Bain of Big Spring, Cleo Merworth of Comanche, Johnnie Holland of Odessa, Bobbie Rogers of Simms and Fannie Mae Berry of McCamey; two sisters, Ruby Smith of Tow and Beulah Smith of Eastland; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Thousands competing in Domino's game

The "Count on Domino's" math program will once again be challenging thousands of students across the nation to use their ingenuity and at the same time develop math skills. Domino's Pizza, Inc., together with the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM), developed the "Count on Domino's" program for K-12 classrooms in 1985.

"Count on Domino's" is a supplemental mathematics program designed to encourage students to create, demonstrate and solve mathematics and math-related activities, such as games and problems, by using sets of double-six dominoes.

NCTM President John A. Dossey said the program is unique because it promotes private-public sector partnerships. "Last year, more than 5,700 teachers and thousands of students participated," Dossey said.

The program is available to all elementary and secondary school math teachers until March 15. Teachers who want to participate should mail their name, the school's name, address and phone number to: "Count on Domino's", P.O. Box 1990, Ann Arbor, Mich. 48106-1990.

Antique tractors

Classic antique tractors, so much a part of many Texans' early life, will be featured at the 17th Southwest Farm & Ranch Expo in Fort Worth March 5-7.

Grand issues statement

I am Dennis "Eddie" Grand seeking the position of Commissioner of Precinct 3, Haskell County.

I have lived in Haskell County all my life and graduated from Paint Creek High School. My employment consists of farming in the Paint Creek area for 14 years, hay baling with my father (Alfred Grand) for 12 years and was an agent for Farm Bureau two years.

I am married to the former Lana Beaty of Comanche, Texas. She is employed by Perry Brothers as store manager. We are expecting our first child in August. We have made our home in the Paint Creek community.

As Commissioner of Precinct 3 I will work hard to serve all the people of this precinct. I have worked with the public all my life and I understand my job will not end at 5:00 p.m. I realize the importance of maintaining county equipment and county roads as cost efficiently as possible.

As a Commissioner of Haskell County I feel the Commissioner needs to take an active role in developing new jobs. I will do my best to bring industry to Haskell County. We have always been too dependent on oil and agriculture. If we can diversify the county economy, we can increase our potential to keep our schools and build a tax base that will help us overcome some of our financial burdens.

In closing, I am seeking the job of Commissioner of Precinct 3. I am asking for your vote and support on March 8 in the Democratic Primary.

Dennis "Eddie" Grand
Candidate for Commissioner
Precinct 3

Law enforcement course offered

A course for law enforcement personnel, "Surviving Family Violence Calls," has been scheduled by the division of continuing education at Vernon Regional Junior College.

It will explore the magnitude of family violence and the guidelines for appropriate police response. The course will qualify for TCLEOSE credits.

The course will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Thursday, March 1, at the Region IX Education Service Center in Wichita Falls.

Pre-registration is necessary. Call the VRIC continuing education office, 552-6291, for additional information.

Ink still flows in veins

(Ella Mae Edwards (nee Free) formerly worked for The Haskell Free Press. Her father, W. M. Free was employed by The Free Press for many years. The following article is taken from the Plano Star Courier of Jan. 24.)

"Watch, listen and think," is the motto in the newspaper profession which Ella Mae Edwards says has helped her make the transition from an active woman involved, with life life to the place she now occupies.

Her mind is sharp at age 86, and her involvement with life has not changed, although the "active" side of her has a different outlook, says Edwards, who formerly worked in the newspaper business.

"I can't see a lot, can't hear much, and can't walk at all, but I'm not handicapped," says Edwards, a resident at the Collin Care Center in Plano.

She takes care of her sight problem by using a receiver used by visually impaired people that "reads" the newspaper--"including Ann Landers," she says. She handles her hearing difficulty by using a volume control aid and/or lip reading. And she moves through the hallways faster than most people walk with the use of an electric wheelchair.

"People are awfully good to us seniors," she said. "It's just a matter of perspective. If you want to believe you're in a home because no one wants you, you'll be sad a lot. If you understand this is the best place to be when you can't take care of yourself, you'll be happy there are so many good people to take care of you."

Edwards was born into a newspaper family. Her father managed newspapers around half of Texas, and she started working afternoons and weekends at the Henrietta Star in Henrietta, Texas, when she was 9. She said she was paid with movie tickets.

She continued to help her father in his newspaper business, and, at age 27, she and her sister took over the paper in Haskell, Texas. The sisters did all the reporting, advertising copy and everything else except deliveries, she said, laughing.

Edwards married her first husband in 1935. Five years later they had a son. "He was born with ink in his blood and was a genius. He could read easily at age 4," she said.

Her son's pictures decorate the walls in her room, along with memorabilia from the past prominently displayed.

Her voice lowers as she recalls her son's death, 11 years ago from a brain tumor. She quickly changes the painful subject to last week's Bingo game in the dining room. Edwards discusses the past and the present with an equal enthusiasm.

Her first husband died in 1962, and seven years later she married the high school sweetheart to whom she had been engaged at 18. She did not marry him then because her parents thought she was too young.

"So I waited 50 years and married him when I grew up--at age 68," she said.

Edwards says she considers her life full and worthwhile. She says she is a deeply religious person who taught Sunday school for 30 years and sang in the church choirs of many denominations.

Edwards says she believes keeping busy is the secret to a good life. In her younger days she sang, played the violin and piano and painted portraits.

She learned to knit and crochet, and through the years maintained an undiminished interest in the printed word, she said.

"Maybe that comes from the days when I set print for the newspaper by hand, and had to be able to read it upside down," she said.

When asked what she considers the most important thing she has learned in her lifetime, she said, "To love; that's it."

Edwards has four sisters. Her youngest sister is 68 and lives in Garland; the next youngest is 80 and lives in Graham; the middle one is 83 and lives in Duncanville; and the oldest will be 94 in February and resides in Oklahoma City.

Credit officials applaud legislation

Texas farmers and ranchers should begin immediately to feel the positive effects of new legislation now in place for the Farm Credit System.

The most immediate result would be up to \$4 billion in assistance from the federal government to aid weaker Farm Credit districts, said Donald R. Rogge, chairman of the Farm Credit Banks of Texas Presidents Committee.

Rogge explained that since the Texas Farm Credit District remains one of the strongest of the 12 Farm Credit districts nationwide, it would not need financial aid from the government. However, it would benefit indirectly, he said.

"When weaker Farm Credit districts are in need of help the \$4 billion provided for in the legislation will be the source," Rogge said. "The stronger districts will not be assessed to the point of nonviability as before."

For the past two years many

borrowers feared that further drain on Texas reserves would impair the safety of their stock investments in the Farm Credit System. The legislation guarantees that when a borrower pays off a loan, his stock can be retired at par value.

The legislation also ends a two-year legal battle over \$138 million in assessments against the Texas district. The act calls for immediate reversal of \$72 million assessed the Texas Land Bank in the third quarter of 1986 and an additional \$66 million assessed by the FCS Capital Corporation.

As of Dec. 31, the Farm Credit Banks of Texas, 44 Federal Land Bank associations and 23 Production Credit associations had \$3.3 billion in loans outstanding to some 100,000 Texas farmers and ranchers and 200 agricultural cooperatives and rural utilities.

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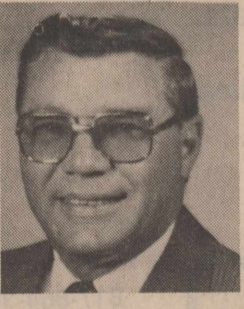
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NOTES FROM THE IRS

The IRS has, of late, been very concerned about its image. The Service is opposed to pending Taxpayer Bill of Rights legislation and is concerned that the bill might pass if the IRS doesn't change its ways.

In its efforts to be more reasonable, the IRS has announced that it will not penalize taxpayers for underwithholding of income tax on wage income for 1987. The confusion over Form W-4 and Form W-4A made compliance difficult for even the most conscientious taxpayers. One IRS official says taxpayers will save about \$86 million in penalties and interest as a result of this IRS leniency. The penalty waiver does not apply to underpayments of tax from non-wage income.

The Revenue Act of 1987 also contains a temporary reprieve for taxpayers. The required 1987 tax prepayments must only hit 80% of tax liability rather than the 90% required under the 1986 Tax Reform Act.

The 1986 law requires that social security numbers for dependents five years and older must be included on 1987 tax returns. The IRS has indicated it will not levy the \$5 penalty for failure to include the necessary numbers this year; warning letters will be sent instead.

The IRS has also relaxed its audit policy of requiring the individual taxpayer to be present at the initial audit interview. Instead, a representative with first-hand knowledge of the areas of interest to the IRS can attend the interview on the taxpayer's behalf.

IRS interest rates have gone up for the first quarter of 1988. The interest rate the IRS will pay on tax overpayments increases from 9% to 10%, and the rate charged on underpayments increases from 10% to 11%.

Effective February 1, 1988, the IRS will be charging fees ranging from \$50 to \$1,000 for letter rulings, opinion letters, determination letters and similar requests made by taxpayers. These fees must be paid in advance. The fees do not apply to normal requests for tax assistance.

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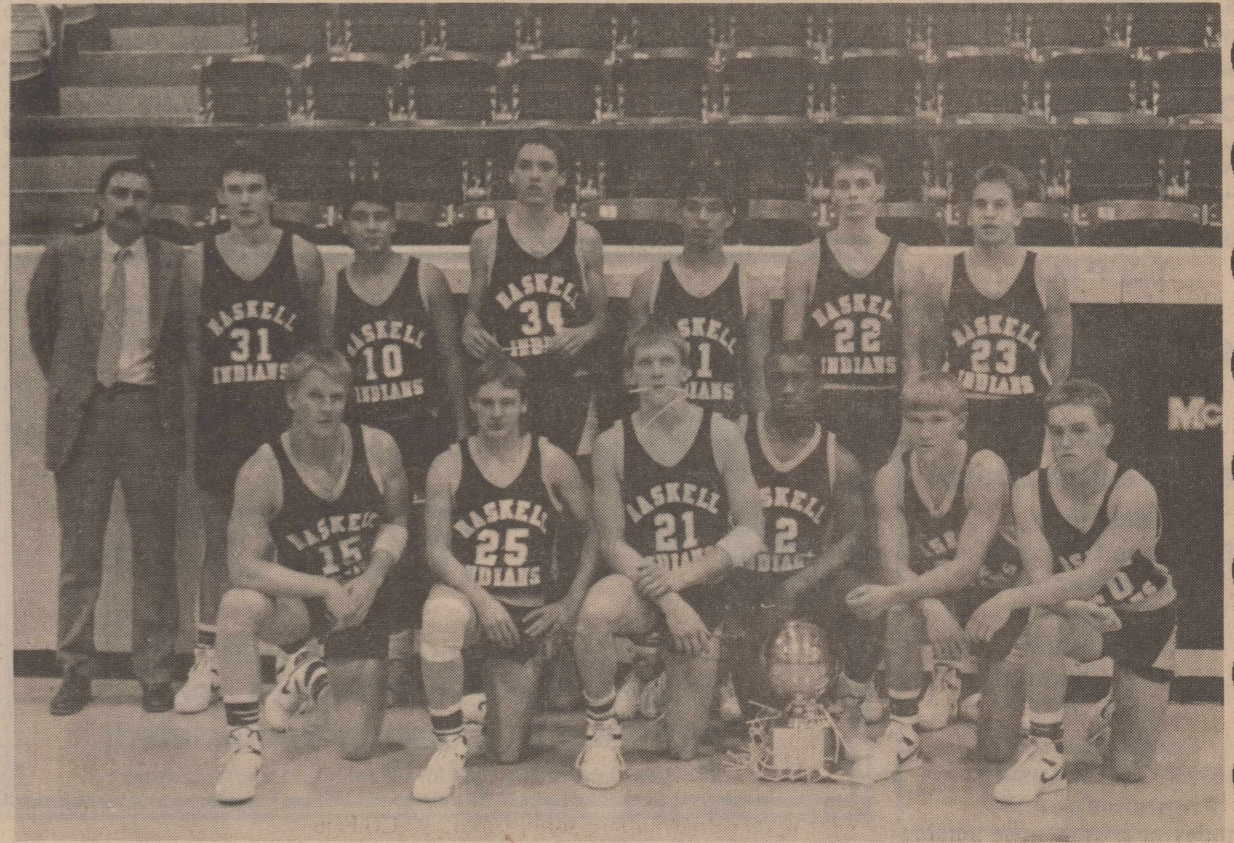
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Little Dribblers schedule announced

Little Dribbler basketball teams will be introduced before the first games tonight (Thursday).

All players are requested to be at the gym in uniform before 6 o'clock.

The season begins with games between the Maidens and Jokers and the Apaches and Mohawks.

Game times will be 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30 for Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday games. Saturday games will be at 6:30, 7:30 and 8:30.

The complete schedule for the season:

Feb. 18: Maidens vs. Jokers, Apaches vs. Mohawks.

Feb. 20: Runts vs. Ghosts, Tadpoles vs. Yo Yos, Comanches vs. Tomahawks.

Feb. 22: Sioux vs. Chiefs, Blackhawks vs. Spurs, Kiowas vs. Apaches.

Feb. 23: Red Hots vs. Runts, Tadpoles vs. Ghosts, Roadrunners vs. Robins.

Feb. 25: Warhoops vs. Comanches, Blackhawks vs. Mohawks, Kiowas vs. Spurs.

Feb. 27: Sioux vs. Tomahawks, Warhoops vs. Chiefs, Maidens vs. Roadrunners.

Feb. 29: Red Hots vs. Yo Yos, Sioux vs. Comanches, Warhoops vs. Tomahawks.

March 1: Jokers vs. Robins, Blackhawks vs. Apaches, Kiowas vs. Mohawks.

March 3: Tadpoles vs. Runts, Red Hots vs. Ghosts, Comanches vs. Chiefs.

March 5: Maidens vs. Robins, Apaches vs. Spurs, Blackhawks vs. Kiowas.

March 7: Tadpoles vs. Red Hots, Runts vs. Yo Yos, Sioux vs. Warhoops.

March 8: Tomahawks vs. Chiefs, Jokers vs. Roadrunners, Mohawks vs. Spurs.

March 10: Ghosts vs. Yo Yos, Maidens vs. Jokers, Apaches vs. Mohawks.

March 11: Runts vs. Ghosts, Tadpoles vs. Yo Yos, Roadrunners vs. Robins.

March 12: Comanches vs. Tomahawks, Blackhawks vs. Spurs, Kiowas vs. Apaches.

March 14: Red Hots vs. Runts, Sioux vs. Chiefs, Warhoops vs. Comanches.

March 15: Maidens vs. Roadrunners, Blackhawks vs. Mohawks, Kiowas vs. Spurs.

March 17: Tadpoles vs. Ghosts, Sioux vs. Tomahawks, Warhoops vs. Chiefs.

March 18: Jokers vs. Robins, Blackhawks vs. Apaches, Kiowas vs. Mohawks.

March 19: Red Hots vs. Yo Yos, Sioux vs. Comanches, Warhoops vs. Tomahawks.

March 21: Tadpoles vs. Runts,

Red Hots vs. Ghosts, Comanches vs. Chiefs.

March 22: Apaches vs. Spurs, Maidens vs. Robins, Blackhawks vs. Kiowas.

March 24: Runts vs. Yo Yos, Tadpoles vs. Red Hots, Sioux vs. Warhoops.

March 25: Tomahawks vs. Chiefs, Jokers vs. Roadrunners, Mohawks vs. Spurs.

March 26: Ghosts vs. Yo Yos.

Merchants...

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the following will have planters on the east side of the square: Winn's, C and B Store, Slipper Shoppe, The New Image Beauty Shop, Lyles Jewelry, Boggs and Johnson, Merle Norman, Sears, Clothes Closet, H&R Block and Sue's Flowers/Gifts/Photography. A park bench will also be in front of Sue's.

Joining the beautification off the square southwest in downtown Haskell with Pat Sammons, chairman, are The Drug Store, Federal Land Bank, Dr. Cliff Ray, Jones Cox Warehouse, Markey's Restaurant, Olney Savings, Fieldan Inn, First National Bank, Letz Builders, Bill Wilson Motor Co., Anderson Tire Co., Sherman's and Old Church Antiques.

Lois Richardson, chairman for the northeast section of the square, reports the following have pledged to enter the downtown beautification program: Dulaney Abstract, Kids' Duds, Pat Walker's, City Hall, Joseph Thigpen, Rick Perry, Doris Reeves Jordan, Music Box, Art Williams, Bill Lane, M System,

Holden-McCauley, Smitty's, Dairy Queen, Lone Star Gas Co., McGee Lumber Yard, Bird's Exxon and B&B Automotive.

Charlene Dumas is chairman of the northwest off the square in downtown Haskell and reports the following are entering the program: Sherman's Antiques, Lane Felker, Pogue Grocery, Cook Heating and Cooling, Image Enhancement, Chamber of Commerce, Pat's Northside Fina, Northside Gulf, Medford Buick and Pontiac, Nemir Antiques, Kay's Cleaners, Owens TV and Electric, Bailey Toliver Chevrolet/Olds, Lanco Insurance, Kountry Kookin', Farm Bureau, Haskell National Bank, Haskell County Appraisal District, Mike Harrell and Buster's Drive In.

Finnell...

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funding public education in Texas."

"Other leading issues concern the economic revitalization of our state through the new Texas Department of Commerce, as well as the needs of the elderly and their families. But it is important that a conservative approach be taken to contain the cost of state government, given the difficult economic times affecting the hard-working people of our region," added Finnell, who is chairman of the House General Investigating Committee and founding chairman of the Committee on Retirement and Aging.

In addition to his longtime support for senior citizen centers and independent school districts, Finnell is the recognized leader in the field of rail-crossing safety and has championed the 4-H programs of the Texas A&M Agricultural Extension Service.



Cans for Safety City

Third graders Matthew McCord, Lyle Fouts, Tenille Mathis, Ember Josselet, Michelle Green and Casey Burgess collect and crush cans for donation to Safety City. (War Whoop photo by Corey Mills).

Student gets scholarship

John Vance Roberts of Haskell has been named to receive a Presidential

scholarship at McMurry College for the coming school years, according to Dr. Thomas Kim, McMurry president.

CPR course

A cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) course will be held Feb. 22-23 in the First National Bank Community Room. Classes will start at 6:30.

Sponsored by the Haskell County Farm Bureau, the course is offered free to Farm Bureau members. Interested persons should call 864-2647 for reservations and information.

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Farabee to resign from senate

State Sen. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls announced last week that he has accepted the position of vice chancellor and general counsel of the University of Texas System.

The appointment, which becomes effective March 14, was made Thursday by the UT System Board of Regents during a board meeting in San Antonio.

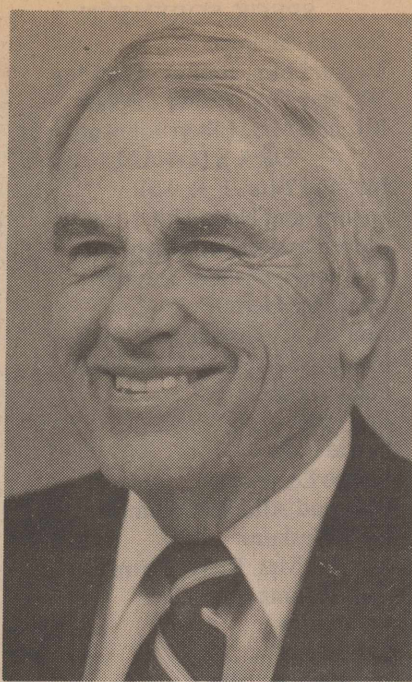
Farabee said he plans to submit the resignation of his senate position to Gov. Bill Clements prior to March 14.

"It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the people of Haskell County and the 30th senatorial district," said Farabee who was first elected to the senate in 1975. He was re-elected to his fourth consecutive term in 1984.

"I look forward to devoting all of my time to the public sector through this position and to focusing on higher education and the legal work of the University of Texas System," he said.

Farabee has served as chairman of the Senate State Affairs Committee, Finance Committee, Senate Criminal Justice Committee, Senate Administration Committee, Legislative Budget Board and Legislative Audit Committee. While serving in the legislature, he authored 265 senate bills and sponsored 138 house bills which became law.

Farabee had maintained a law practice in Wichita Falls as a senior partner of Sherrill and Pace.



William L. Hudson

Native of Rochester is candidate

A Rochester native is a candidate for the State Board of Education from the 14th district.

William L. (Bill) Hudson of Wichita Falls, who was born and reared in Rochester and graduated from Rochester High School, pointed out that he is the only educator among the candidates for the position. The 14th district covers 49 counties, including Haskell.

Campaigning in Haskell Friday, Hudson said his professional

background and business experience give him first-hand knowledge of the prerequisites of the office he seeks.

Hudson has 34 years experience in education, including 14 years as a classroom teacher, athletic coach, elementary principal and high school principal, and 20 years as superintendent of schools in Electra.

He has a bachelor's degree in economics from North Texas State University and a master's in government from East Texas State University, where he specialized in administrative law, public school administration and school finance.

Hudson said his philosophy on the State Board of Education would be to create an atmosphere conducive to learning. "The legislature cannot legislate desire, creativity, initiative and innovations in school personnel," he said. "These innate, desirable traits must come from within the breasts of those dealing directly with the students. This is accomplished by relieving the school board, administrators and teachers of intimidating tactics and pressures. When this is done the atmosphere for creative learning is established so the school board can adopt policies, the administrators can execute policy and teachers can teach."

Beautification group to meet

All service club presidents, church representatives and members of the steering committee are urged to attend the Haskell Beautification meeting next Wednesday (Feb. 24). The meeting will begin at 5:30 p.m. at the fire station.

Chairman Bobby Hobgood said plans will be finalized and deadlines established in the competition for Haskell to win the award as the most beautiful city of its size in Texas.

You are reading The Haskell Free Press and we thank you.

The Greater Independent Baptist Church trustees will sponsor a Barbeque Sat. Feb. 20 Ribs, Brisket & Chicken 300 N 3rd

City election scheduled May 7

Filing period will open Feb. 22 for the city election, scheduled for May 7. The filing period will remain open through March 23.

A mayor and two councilmen will be elected in this year's election. These positions are now held by Mayor Greg Melton and councilmen Kenny Watson and Claude Payne.

Melton was appointed last year to serve out the unexpired mayoral term of Abe Turner. Watson is completing his second two-year term on the council and Payne is winding up his first term.

Water tower to be repaired

Breckenridge contractor Jim Allen will repair the leak in the base of the old water tower and install an overflow drainpipe. The City Council last Thursday authorized Allen to do the work.

City administrator Robert Baker said the job will be done in about two weeks. He said the water tower will be out of service at least 48 hours, but he anticipates no water shortage during this period.

Absentee voting for primary open

Absentee voting for the March 8 primary opened Wednesday and will remain open until March 4.

Registered voters may vote absentee by personal appearance at the county clerk's office.

To vote by mail, an application must state one of five reasons: over age 65, religious beliefs, confinement in jail, disability or expected absence from the county on election day.

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Ribs	\$ 3.69	Ribeye	T Bones
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Fried Okra	75¢	Chicken Fried Steak	\$ 4.99
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Onion Rings	95¢	Fried Chicken	
French Fries	75¢	3 pc. with Fries & Salad	\$ 3.99
Corn	59¢	2 pc. with Fries & Salad	\$ 3.49
Green Beans	59¢	Child's Plate	
Baked Potato	89¢	2 pc. with Fries & Veg.	\$ 2.95
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Soup & Salad Bar Only\$3.50

Drinks

Soft Drinks					
Small	Medium	Large	Tea	Coffee	Milk
45¢	55¢	65¢	50¢	50¢	45¢

All Items Available For Take Out

Ribs	\$ 5.00 lb	BBQ Sauce	
Sliced Beef	\$ 5.50 lb	Pt.	\$ 1.25
Chopped Beef	\$ 5.50 lb	Qt.	\$ 2.25
Sausage	\$ 5.50 lb	Gal.	\$ 9.00
Ham	\$ 6.00 lb		

Potato Salad	Beans	Cole Slaw
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pint \$ 1.45	pint \$ 1.15	pint \$ 1.45
	quart \$ 2.25	

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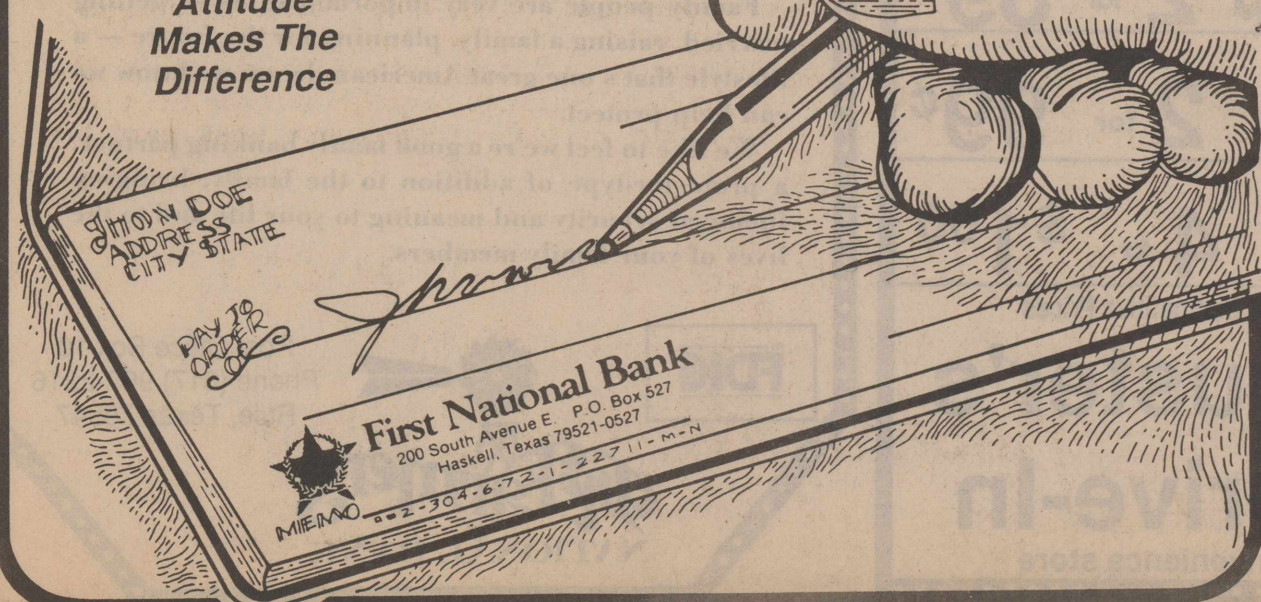
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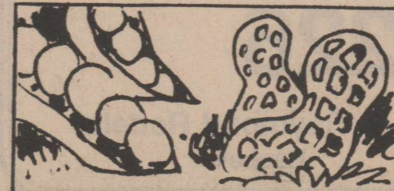
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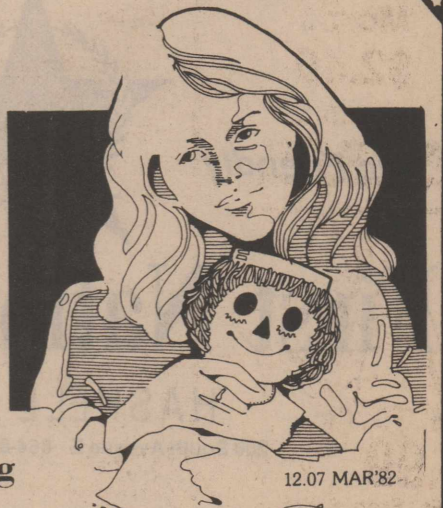
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Indians, Maidens district champions

The Haskell Indians and Maidens each defeated Stamford in Abilene Friday night to claim the district 7-2A basketball championships.

The Maidens took a 59-57 overtime decision over the Lady Bulldogs, after which the Indians clobbered the Bulldogs 75-63.

Haskell and Stamford teams had finished the season tied for first place in the district. Stamford won the first half title, while the Indians took the second half. Both the Indians and Maidens were unbeaten in the second half, and each lost only to Stamford in the first half.

The Maidens led throughout most of the first half, only to see Stamford tie the score at 32-all as the second period ended. The Lady Bulldogs pulled away, 48-45, by the time the third quarter ended, but Haskell opened the final period by scoring 7 unanswered points to regain the lead at 52-48. Stamford then crept up to tie the score at 54-54 at the end of regulation. The Maidens scored 5 points in overtime to ice the victory.

Missy Davis was the leading scorer with 19 points, followed by Robyne Weaver with 15, Joy McKeever with 13 and Tiffany Moeller with 10.

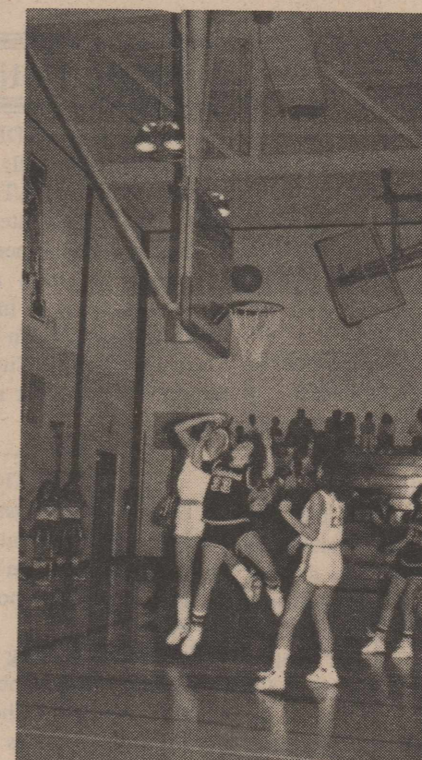
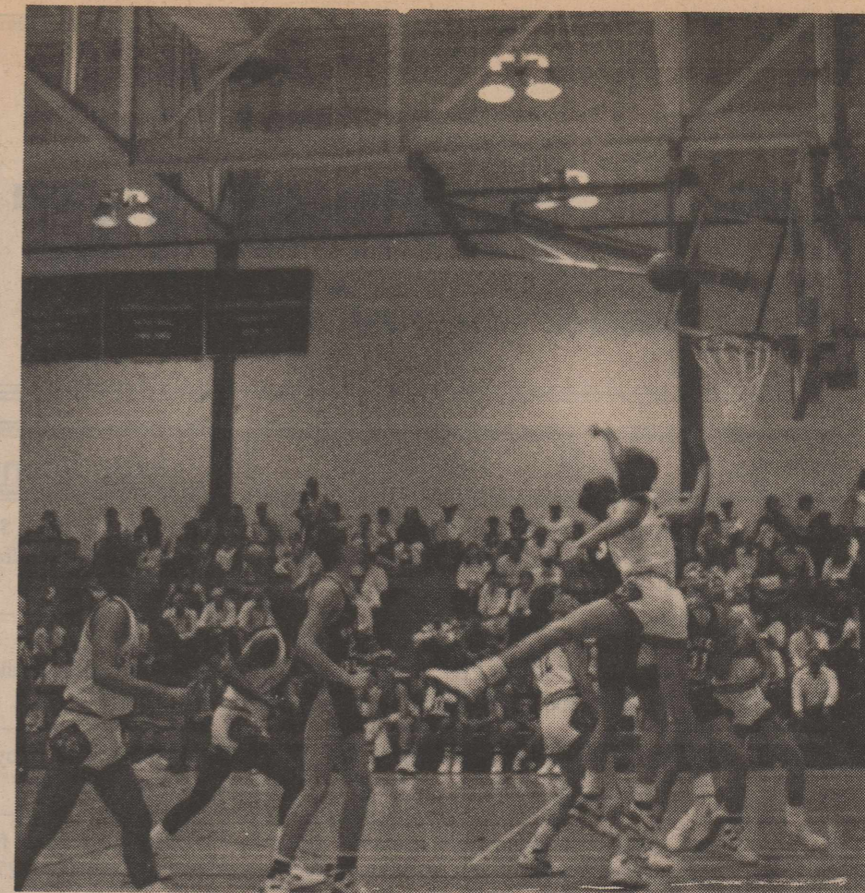
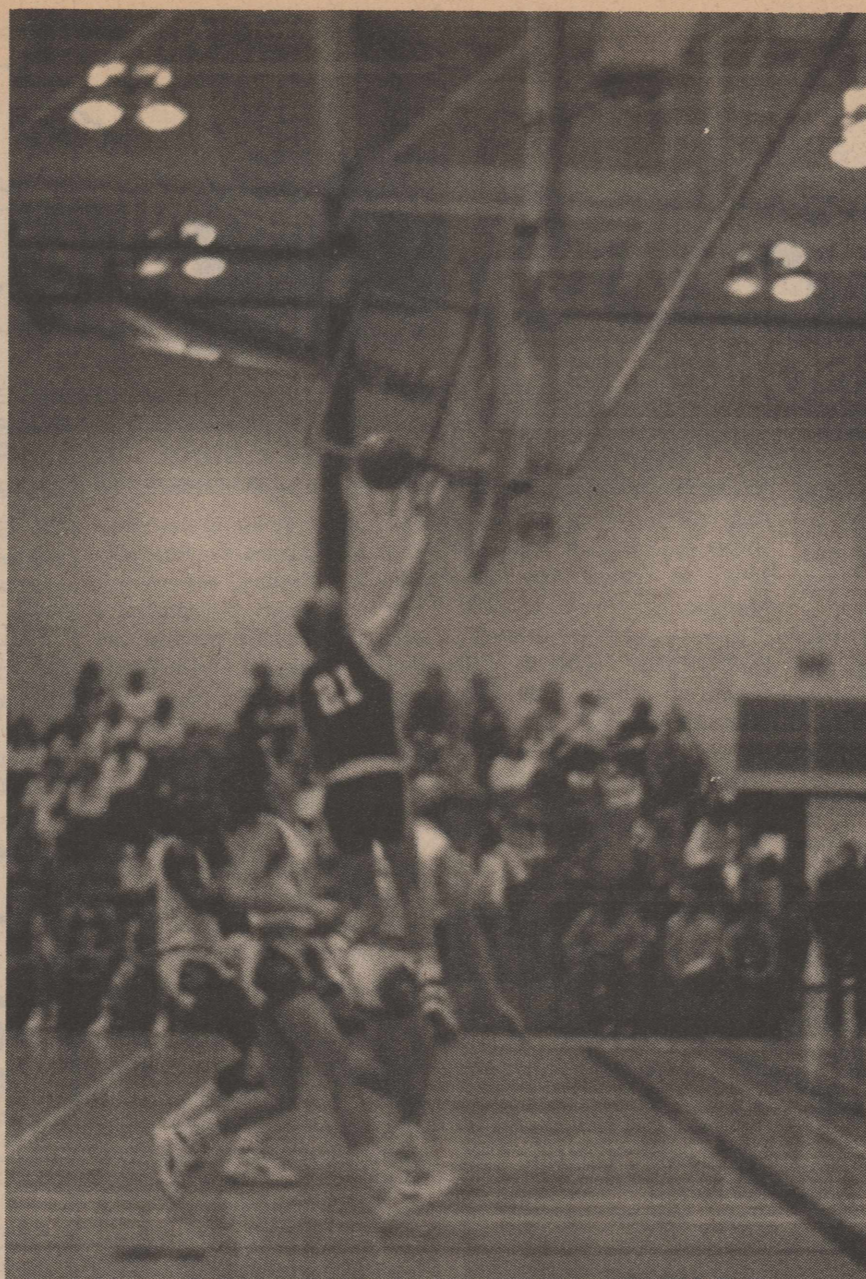
In the boys' game, Stamford scored the first 4 points of the game, but after that it was all Indians. They led 18-8 at the end of the first quarter and pulled away by 19 points at one point in the second period. The halftime score was 40-26.

Brad Bevel led the scoring with 18 points. James Rike scored 15, Mark Young had 12 and Chan Guess added 11.

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