



## Six participate in HSU program

Six students from Haskell took part in the Threshold Program at Hardin-Simmons University which took place July 18-29. This special program is designed for gifted students to develop their potentials.

Participants included Matt Blanks, Jessica Bridwell, Aaron Earles, Lyle Fouts, Misty McMeans and James Mickler.

## Lisle is guest at award program

Jimmy Lisle was a guest of honor last Thursday at the 29th annual Texas High School Coaches Association's Balfour Hall of Honor awards luncheon, held in the Grand Ballroom of Astro Village Hotel in Houston.

Lisle was recognized as coach of the 1988 state championship track team, along with other coaches of state championship teams in football, basketball, track, soccer and baseball.

Jerry Larned of Monahans, formerly of Haskell, was master of ceremonies, and introduced Lisle and the other coaches.

Highlight of the program was the induction of five new members into the Texas High School Hall of Honor.

Mrs. Lisle accompanied her husband to the program.

## Teenage dance Saturday night

All teenagers are invited to a teenage dance Saturday night at the American Legion building.

Music will be by Dee-Jay Bill Rollins. The dance begins at 9 and will continue until midnight. Admission is \$3 per person.

The dance is being sponsored by American Legion Post 221 and the Auxiliary.

(An article in last week's Free Press failed to specify that the dance is for teenagers.)

## City water costs should come down

The City of Haskell expects to pay about \$4,000 less for water during the year beginning Oct. 1 than it will pay during the current fiscal year.

During the first nine months of this year (through June) the City used 48.01 percent of the water used by the four member cities of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority. Rates for next year will be based on this year's usage.

During the previous year, Haskell consumed 49.2 percent of the water used by the four cities, so the 1987-88 rate to the City was based on that figure.

## AIDS program to be Saturday

Don't forget the educational program on AIDS to be conducted Saturday by the Haskell County Home Economics Committee during the Summer Sizzler.

The program, consisting of a video presentation and free printed pamphlets, will be presented at 10 a.m. and again at 3 p.m. in the county extension office at 101 S. Ave. D. There is no charge.

The Haskell County Home Economics Committee is a subcommittee of the Haskell County Extension Program Council and serves as an advisory board for Lou Gilly, county extension agent-home economics.

## Bible school begins Monday

Young people are reminded that the vacation Bible school of the Presbyterian, Lutheran and Methodist churches will begin Monday at the First United Methodist Church.

Classes will be from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. each day through Friday. The closing program will be at 7 p.m. Friday (Aug. 12).



## Bike-a-thon winners

Winners in Saturday's American Cancer Society bike-a-thon at the Haskell Elementary School were Nole Hadaway, Cody Josselet and Lee Decker.

## Council members ponder city budget

A preliminary budget presented to the City Council last Thursday by the city administrator calls for expenditures of \$1,044,020 from revenue and another \$121,000 from city reserves.

A tax rate of .2558 would be required to service the budget, city administrator Robert Baker told councilmen at their July 28 meeting. The proposed rate is 3 percent, or about three-fourths of a cent, above the effective tax rate of .2484.

In addition, the proposed budget calls for a \$1-per-month increase in residential garbage service, from \$6 to \$7, and a corresponding increase in commercial rates.

The 3-percent tax rate increase would produce an additional \$4,000, and the garbage rate hike another \$20,000. An anticipated decrease in the cost of water from the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority would provide the city with another \$4,000.

Offsetting the increases in revenue will be a \$26,000 appropriation to a capital improvement and equipment fund, a \$25,000 increase in the street maintenance fund (from \$15,000 to

\$40,000), a \$3,500 increase in the cost of employees' health insurance, a \$500 increase in the cost of a sewer permit and an undetermined increase in gasoline costs due to the elimination of the 9-cent tax exemption.

The budget, as proposed, would provide a 5-percent cost of living increase for all city employees at a cost of \$17,500.

In addition to the expenses budgeted from income, the proposed budget calls for \$86,000 from city reserves to be added to the capital improvement and equipment fund and another \$35,000 from reserves to be used for the city's matching funds in the \$346,000 paving project in the southwest part of the city. (Other matching funds requirements will be met with in-kind labor and equipment.)

The \$26,000 appropriation and the \$86,000 from reserves would give the capital improvement and equipment fund \$112,000. Of this amount, \$56,000 would be used for new equipment, \$24,000 for new pavement, \$15,000 for new water

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## CRP signup period extended to Aug. 31

The seventh Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) signup, which was scheduled July 18 through Aug. 5, has been extended through Aug. 31. Appointments are being scheduled at the ASCS office. Rules for signing up in CRP remain the same as on the previous signup periods.

Haskell County has approximately 176 CRP contracts on 24,000 acres, not including those in the present signup period. Most of the CRP land in Haskell County has a fairly good

stand of grass. Some of the CRP acres in the sandy areas of the county have a temporary cover crop such as forage sorghum, and will be planted to grass next spring.

Maintenance is presently being carried out on most of the CRP acres in the county. Fertilizer and weed control is being applied where needed.

For information on CRP, contact the local Soil Conservation Service office.

## Ronald Chapman

## Band director optimistic

By Wendell Faught

"We're going to be doing something different. It may take a year to succeed, but we will be successful."

Speaking was Ronald Chapman, the new Haskell school band director.

Chapman said he is very optimistic about his first teaching assignment.

"This is a big challenge, but it has everything I looked for in my first job," said the 1988 graduate of the University of Texas at El Paso. "I like the size of the town, the nearby lakes and the friendly attitude of the people."

Chapman said his first priorities will be recruitment and changing negative attitudes into positive attitudes. He said he hopes former band students will be interested in coming back.

About the first change people will notice about the 1988 Indian Band will be the marching styles. The military style will be abandoned and "we'll be going into the '80s," said Chapman.

The new band director said he will not settle for mediocrity. "We probably won't be competing in any contests this first year," he said. "We'll be sure we're ready before we compete. We don't want any '3's and

# Sizzler Annual event to be Saturday

Garage sales, sidewalk sales and all kinds of activities, entertainment and concessions highlight the fourth annual Summer Sizzler on Haskell's downtown square Saturday.

Sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce, the Sizzler promises something for everyone.

Activities will include the merchants' garage sale from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in front of WTU, food booths by the Catholic church and Assembly of God, an auction and a performance by the state winning Top of Texas Tumblers.

Many local merchants will have special prices on merchandise in their stores, and some will display sales goods on the sidewalks.

The tumblers will perform at 6 p.m. and their performance will be followed by the auction with proceeds going to the Industrial Foundation.

A farmers' market will be featured again this year with local gardeners bringing their homegrown produce to sell to the public.

Haskell cheerleaders will have a dunking booth and will sell Cokes to help raise money for their trip this fall.

The local chapter of the American Heart Association will emphasize heart disease by "arresting" several prominent citizens. The Noah Project will have a booth and will advise the public of its services.

Cub Scouts will have a bake sale,

Lions will be selling \$1 chances on 100 gallons of gasoline with the drawing coming during the auction. Haskell National Bank will give free popcorn.

The Haskell County Home Economics Committee will sponsor a program on AIDS at 10 a.m. and again at 3 p.m. in the county extension office.

## Flood...

### 10 years ago

Ten years ago this week, Haskell suffered the most severe disaster in its history.

Rainfall, officially measured at 15.65 inches and unofficially up to 18 inches, flooded all areas of the city and brought all normal activities to a standstill.

Many families living near the creek were evacuated from their homes. County prisoners were evacuated from the jail, ferried across the creek in a front-end loader and transferred to jail in Anson.

Property damage ran into the millions.

The rain fell on Thursday night (Aug. 3) and Friday morning (Aug. 4).

By Saturday, Red Cross representatives were in town providing relief and setting up a mobile refreshment center for the many volunteers working in the flooded areas.

## Citizens to be 'arrested' Saturday

Several leading citizens of Haskell will be arrested Saturday and turned over to the custody of the American Heart Association during Haskell's Summer Sizzler.

As part of the AHA cardiac arrest fund-raising event, the prisoners will be held behind bars until they donate a sufficient "bail" to win release.

It has been revealed that these prominent citizens are guilty of various crimes against the heart. They have been convicted of failing to have a heart, overeating, avoiding exercise, smoking and/or causing undue stress on employees.

According to Ann Johnston, event director, the prisoners have admitted to their crimes and knew that someday their deeds would catch up with them. Although the event is all in fun, Ann said, the prisoners won't be released until they raise their required bail.

Donations will be accepted not only as bail, but for extending the

terms served by the prisoners. Donations may be made at the prisoners' places of business or at the cardiac arrest event.

"Some of these people are not just important to their families, but to the entire community," Ann said. "We can't afford to have them in jail too long, so we need lots of people to come to the jail and donate to their bail."

The accused include:

Kirk Markey, Max McMeans, Bobby Hobgood, Clayton Fowler, Eddie Medford, Conrad Roewe, Hess Hartsfield, Dorothy Hartsfield, Dickie Greenwood, Kenny Kirk, Louetta Davis, Bobbie Collins, Frances Macias, Bob Baker.

John Wayne McDermott, Donna Howeth, James Bevel, John Fouts, Jim Bob Mickler, Jerry Don Klouse, Dusty Garison, Larry McDaniel, Sheila McMeans, Cathy Bartley, Sandy Sanford, Ray Boring, Ken Lane, Joel Fox and Cliff Ray.

## Art Festival termed 'best ever'

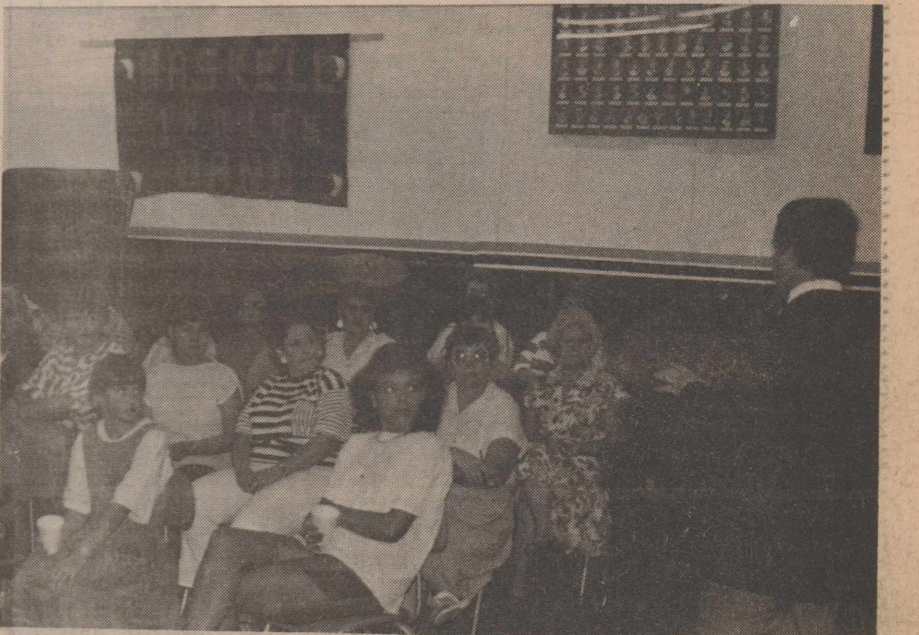
The Brazos West Art Association expressed its thanks this week for all who helped make last weekend's Art Festival the best ever.

More than 400 persons who

attended the show traveled from as far away as Santa Rosa, Calif.

Door prizes were won by Lisa Shaw, Connie B. Liles, Lorene

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## New band director

Ronald Chapman, new Haskell band director, talks to students and parents at a get-acquainted session at the Band Hall last Thursday.



Ron Dragoo

## Ron Dragoo nominated for honorary award

Ron Dragoo of Wichita Falls has been nominated for honorary award recognition and will have his biography published in Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1987-88.

He is the son of Kathie Burson Davis and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Burson Jr.

Recognition in Who's Who represents a significant personal achievement since only five percent of all high school students are honored each year. Who's Who is the largest, most widely respected publication in the nation recognizing students who have demonstrated leadership in academics, athletics and school and community activities.

Ron, a freshman at Wichita Falls High School, is a member of the junior varsity baseball team, varsity golf team and drama club. He was on the high honor roll which indicates he carried a 4-point average throughout the year.

In the future, Ron plans to major in medicine at the University of Texas.

## City budget...

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lines, \$5,000 for another dam at the park, \$5,000 for new playground equipment at the park, \$5,000 for rest rooms at the park and \$2,000 to extend sewer lines.

The transfers of \$125,000 from reserves would approximate the amount the reserve has increased over the past three years and leave the city with about \$300,000 in reserve.

Councilmen took no action on the proposed budget. It will be considered again at the Aug. 11 meeting of the council.

## Art festival...

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Harris, Sheree Dumas, Sue Bingham and Joe Ellison of Haskell. Also winning were Opal Shanz, Marie Bennett and Barbara Billington of Stamford; Mrs. H. D. Gaithar of Aspermont; Wanda Thompson of Paint Creek; Cinda Foerster of Weatherford; Marilyn Griffith and Suzanne Davis of Abilene; and Ray Hunter of Munday.

Country crafts booths represented the towns of Haskell, Stamford, Goree, Seymour, Abilene, Graham, Irving and Lubbock. These talented people put on a good show that was well received by the public.

The fine art and photography was the biggest show ever with 199 entries. Entries from Denton to Sweetwater and Seymour to San Antonio were received.

The following were winners:

### PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

Laverne Barnett of Haskell, best of show; Laverne Barnett, one 1st cash award, one each 2nd and 3rd.

Shirley Counts of Abilene, one 1st; Suzanne Davis of Abilene, one 3rd cash award, one 2nd; Helen Sue Donnell of Graham, one 4th cash award, one each 2nd and 3rd; Anita Herren of Haskell, one 4th; Ruth Jackson of Abilene, one 2nd cash award.

Fern Livengood of Stamford, one each 3rd and 4th cash awards, one 1st; D. S. Mixon of Abilene, one each 2nd and 3rd cash awards, one each 1st

and 2nd; Gladys O'Neal of Haskell, one each 3rd and 4th; Anna Pritchard of Stamford, one 4th.

Robbie Read of Graham, two 1st and one 2nd cash awards; Eva Ripley of Graham, one 4th cash award, one each 1st and 2nd; Faye Schnuriger of San Antonio, one each 2nd and 3rd cash awards; Norma Stidd of Graham, one 4th cash award, one third.

### NON-PROFESSIONAL

Zed Bennett of Stamford, one 2nd cash award, one 1st; Ruth Bell of Abilene, one 4th cash award, one 2nd; Betty Berry of Haskell, one 4th; Sandy Bird of Abilene, one 3rd cash award, one 2nd; Lillian Boland of Jayton, one 2nd; Jackie Burch of Jayton, one 1st cash award, one 2nd; Elna Davis of Haskell, one 3rd cash award, one 2nd.

Judy Etling of Newcastle, one 3rd cash award, one 1st; Mary Bob Grimes of Abilene, one 3rd; Karen Howeth of Haskell, one 3rd; Joy Kidd of Jayton, one 2nd cash award, one 1st; Kyle Martin of Seymour, one 1st cash award, two 1st's; Jerry Monahan of Abilene, one 1st cash award; Betty Sanders of Weinert, one each 1st and 4th; Sherry Whetten of Hamlin, one 4th cash award.

### Professional Photography

Bobbie Harrison of Knox City, one 3rd cash award, two 1st's; Mary Murphy of Weinert, one each 1st, 3rd and 4th; Josie Smith of Throckmorton, one each 1st and 4th cash awards; Richard Whittenberg of Graham, one 2nd cash award, one 2nd.

### Amateur Photography

Ken Barnett of Denton, one 3rd cash award, one 1st; Zed Bennett of Stamford, one each 2nd and 4th; Sandra J. Chittum of Anson, one 1st cash award; Connie Harris of Stamford, one 4th; Robert Liles of Graham, one 4th cash award, one each 1st and 3rd.

Ben McGee of Haskell, one 2nd; Lane Murphy of Weinert, one 4th; Anita Payne of Haskell, one 2nd cash award, one 4th; Dwight Read of Graham, one first; Frankie Sorrelle of Haskell, one each 2nd and 3rd; Jim Young of Rotan, two 3rd's.

### Children - 6 to 12 years

Bobby Grimes of Buffalo Gap, 1st; Layne Shockley of Hamlin, 2nd; James Whetten of Hamlin, 3rd; Aaron Amonette of Sweetwater, 4th.

### Junior and Senior High

Kyle Martin of Seymour, 1st; Holly Brown of Hamlin, 2nd; Dennise Amonette of Sweetwater,

3rd; Scott Boles of Hamlin, 4th.

Brazos West Art Association plans an even bigger show next year. Anyone interested in receiving information may be put on the mailing list by writing Brazos West Art Assn., c/o Laverne Barnett, Rt. 2, Box 135, Haskell, or c/o Judy Benton, 104 N. 3rd St., Haskell.

## Band practice starts Monday

Haskell band students will report Monday for two weeks of pre-school practices. They will meet at the Band Hall at 6:30 p.m.

Daily practices will continue through Aug. 19, and then will be resumed the last week in August, said band director Ron Chapman.

Tryouts for the flag corps and drum major will be at 10 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 19.

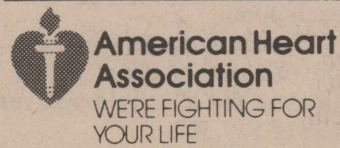
Chapman said all students in grades 8 through 12 are being invited to try out for the flag corps. He is particularly interested in former band students or those with some knowledge of the band, but he said others will be considered too. Those serving in the corps will earn credits in music.

## Liquor tax brings \$97.62

Haskell County's share of the taxes on mixed drinks during the second quarter of 1988 came to \$97.62.

The 12-percent tax on mixed drinks sold in Haskell County during April, May and June came to \$780.97. By law, 12.5 percent of this is returned to the county.

Statewide, \$45 million in mixed drink taxes were collected by the state for the three-month period. About \$10 million of this was rebated to cities and counties and the balance was deposited in the state's general fund.



## Absentee voting now in progress

Absentee voting for the State Senate special election will remain open through Aug. 9.

Bobby Albert, Republican, and Steve Carriker, Democrat, are the candidates for the unexpired term of former State Sen. Ray Farabee.

Albert and Carriker will be candidates again in the general election in November.

## Indian Boosters to meet Aug. 15

Indian Booster Club members and prospective members will meet Aug. 15 to discuss plans for the upcoming football season.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Ag Building.

## McMurry alumni program Aug. 10

The McMurry College Summer Dinner Theatre will offer an Alumni Night performance of "The Man of La Mancha" for area McMurry alumni on Wednesday, Aug. 10.

The special program includes an informal reception from 6 to 7 p.m. in the Ryan Fine Arts building. Dinner will be served at 7 and the play begins at 8.

The menu will include London broil, au gratin potatoes, spinach salad and English peas. Dessert will be Viennese strawberry layer cake. There is a reduced price for alumni of \$12 per person for this performance only.

For reservations, contact the McMurry College Theatre Department at (915) 691-6302.

## Texas ranches

Representatives of twelve of Texas' best-known ranches will meet in Wichita Falls Aug. 19-20 to put their skills to test in a real cowboy showdown--the annual Texas Ranch Roundup.

## Senior seminars this week

Senior citizen seminars will be conducted Thursday and Friday (Aug. 4-5) at the University Inn retirement community in Abilene and all area senior citizens are invited to attend.

Starting at 2:20 p.m. Thursday, Dr. Jay Sewell and Dr. James Walker will provide free cataract screening for residents and guests through Hendrick Medical Center's "New Vision" program. If further examination is required Hendricks will provide free transportation to and from its offices.

On Friday, Ruth Hardgree with MBank will explain how senior citizens can maximize banking services. Her discussion will start at 2:30 p.m.

Both seminars are free to the public and no reservations are necessary.

## Heat requires plenty of fluids

Soaring summer temperatures mean everyone who works or plays outdoors needs to take precautions.

"Drinking plenty of fluids before, during and after outdoor activity can help you avoid heat exhaustion or even heat stroke," says Dr. Alice Hunt, a nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Inadequate fluid intake can be dangerous," she said. "A decrease of more than 4 percent of body weight through rapid fluid loss from sweating can cause muscle cramping and spasms. It may also affect cardiac function and temperature regulation in some cases."

Four percent of body weight is just 6 pounds in a 150-pound person and 2.4 pounds in a 60-pound child, she points out.

### Who Gets Breast Cancer?

The American Cancer Society reports that one out of every 11 women will develop breast cancer at some time during their lives.

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## Heart memorials are given

Memorial donations to the Haskell County division of the American Heart Association during the months of June and July included:

Mrs. Lowe Stout: Frances Lane, Mr. and Mrs. John English.

Manford Reid: Bill and Lennie Ruth Blankenship.

Tina Huston: Vicki Adams, Leila Hanke, Anita Payne, Norma Richardson.

To make a donation to the American Heart Association, contact Norma Richardson at Olney Savings or Janet Thane at the First National Bank.



Cheerleaders and students at last week's mini camp sponsored by Haskell varsity cheerleaders.

## 80th birthday to be observed

Dora Carruth Holley will celebrate her 80th birthday Monday (Aug. 8).

Mrs. Holley was born in Animas Valley, N.M., to the late William J. and Emma Carruth. She has lived in Haskell most of her life. She was married to the late Walter Holley and has four children.

She is former owner of East Grocery in Haskell.

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

## Cheerleader camp successful

Haskell cheerleaders hailed last week's mini cheerleader camp a great success. Those who attended learned several cheers and chants, partner stunts and pyramids and a routine to music.

Mary Jane Short was winner of the spirit stick for displaying most spirit the first day. Second-day winner was Heather Hobgood and third-day winner

was Brooke McGuire.

On the final day, spirit sticks went to Brittany Bartley, Mandi and Jodi Pope and the junior high cheerleaders from Knox City.

The Haskell cheerleaders expressed their thanks to all girls who participated. Special thanks went to Bobbie Johnson of Kis Photo who took pictures each day, Conrad Roewe of Sport About who ordered T-shirts for the camp, and to Owens TV &

Electric which made a video of the Thursday program.

Money made by the cheerleaders will be used to buy paper, paint, brushes, button parts and other needed supplies, and to help finance their upcoming trip to Nashville.

**AUGUST SHOWERS:** It's been a couple of months since those refreshing April showers, but August promises a good chance to see a different type of shower--the meteor shower. According to *National Wildlife* magazine, you will be able to see over 30 "shooting stars" in one hour during August's Perseid meteor shower. The showers reach their high point on Aug. 12. So start making a list of summertime wishes.

## Water authority has new manager

New manager of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority is Billy Dolan Moore of Goree.

He was employed by a construction company in the southern part of the country and in Saudi Arabia before returning to his native Goree.

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## --Obituaries--

### A. D. Frierson

A. D. (Mont) Frierson died Saturday morning at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Frierson, 69, was a life-long resident of Haskell and was retired supervisor of maintenance at Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were Sunday afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church with the Revs. Jimmy and Katie Hopper officiating. Burial, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home, was in Willow Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Dixie Frierson, Ronnie Frierson, Billie Steele, Ed Jones, Jerry Williams and Ervin Frierson.

Frierson was born in Haskell on April 27, 1919, the son of Felix and Lois McBurnett Frierson. He married Marion Toal in Haskell on Feb. 27, 1944. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Monte Frierson of Houston; a brother, F. E. (Pete) Frierson of Haskell; two sisters, Velma

Campbell and Stella Steele, both of Haskell; a sister-in-law, Ozelle Frierson of Haskell; and two grandchildren, Wes Frierson and Lori Frierson of Houston.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Alice Holloway; and a brother, E. M. (Dick) Frierson.

### Marriage licenses go to six couples

Six couples were issued marriage licenses last month by the office of County Clerk Woodrow Frazier.

They were: James Charles New of Sagerton and Ronnye Gay Herndon of East Bernard; Michael Douglas McGuire and Marcia J. Connell, both of Haskell; Melvin Andrew Hill of Abilene and Lori Ann Darden of Haskell.

Allan Lloyd Heard and Kathy Faye Roberts, both of Weinert; Adam Gacia Jr. of Knox City and Paula Michelle Garza of Haskell; Troy Edward Hanson of Haskell and Clara Marie Hodges of O'Brien.

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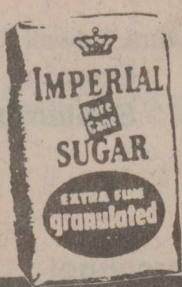
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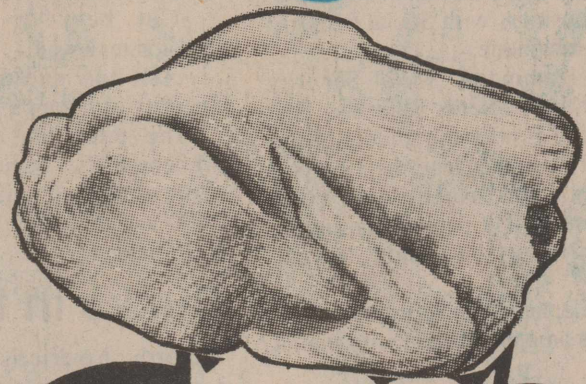


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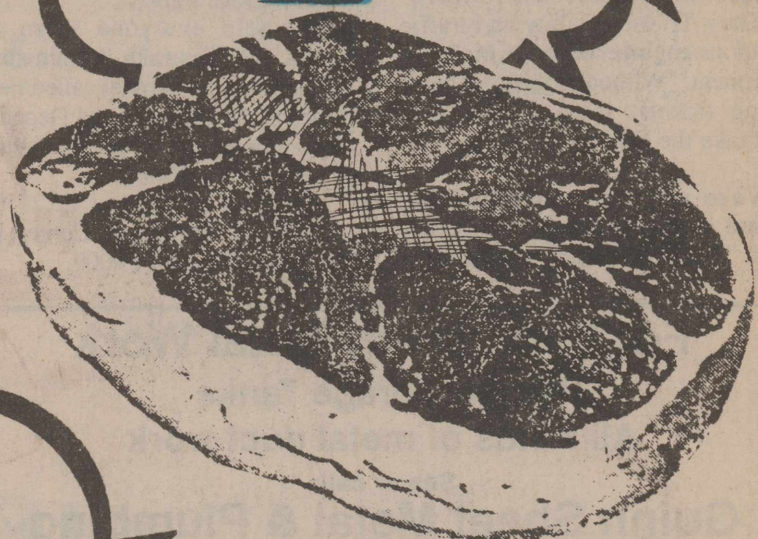
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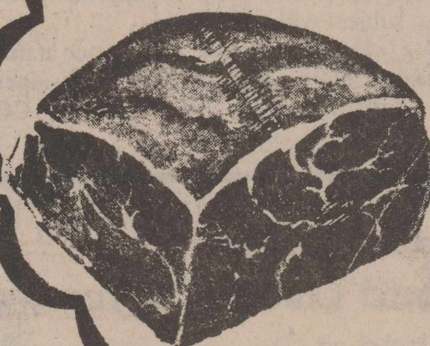
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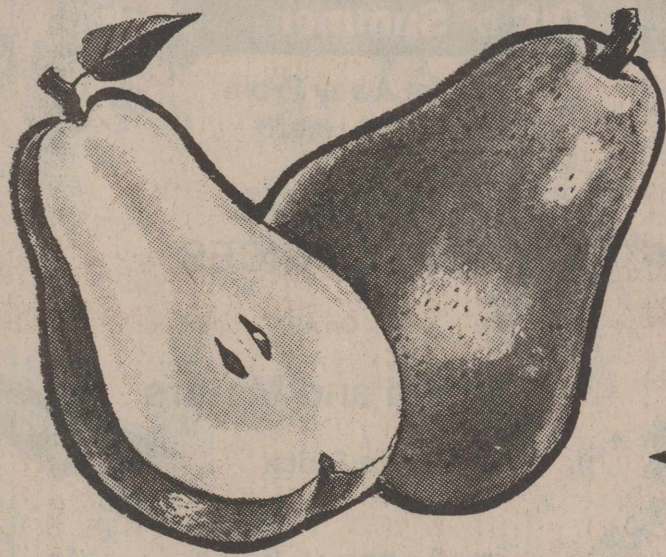
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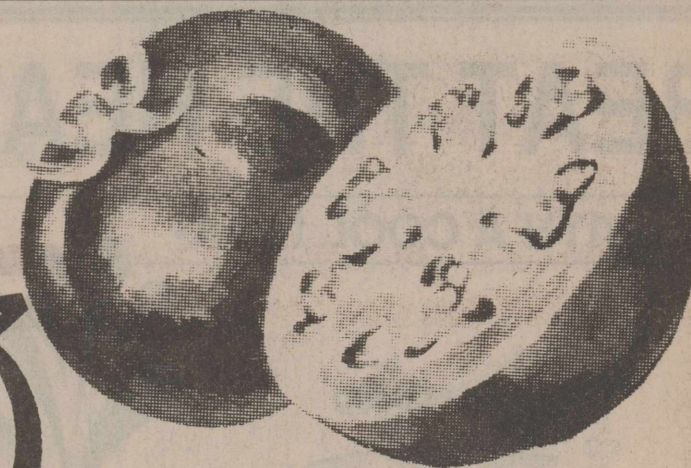
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# Six of 10 Texans now buckling up

Six out of 10 Texans now buckle up when they get behind a steering wheel. According to a survey conducted in June for the highway department, safety-belt usage has increased since January, and is less than six points from the peak rate reported in 1986.

Statistics are based on a semiannual survey by the Texas Transportation Institute. In a 1986 TTI study, observers recorded driver restraint use in 14 cities to determine average compliance. Four additional cities were surveyed in the two 1988 studies.

The 14-city average in 1986, shortly after the law mandating seat-belt use took effect, was 66.1 percent. That average dropped to 55.7 percent by January of this year, but climbed to 60.6 percent in June. The 18-city figure rose even more, from 54.1 percent in January to 59.2 percent in June.

"We attribute much of the rise to stronger law enforcement efforts," said Gary Trietsch, safety and traffic operations engineer with the highway department. "Without police out there writing tickets, some people just won't take the time to buckle up," he said.

"We're very encouraged by the increase in safety-belt use," Trietsch added. "Public education is important

in getting people to understand why they should use seat belts, but it seems some people have to believe they really might get a ticket before they'll change their behavior," he said.

Laredo showed the most startling change, increasing compliance by 17.7 percentage points to 50.1 between January and June, followed by El Paso with a 17-point rise to 72.2 and Tyler with a 14.3-point increase to 72.4. All three cities recently have made substantial increases in enforcement.

Corpus Christi has the greatest compliance, 83.3 percent.

## Vereran rights

Most people who have served in the armed forces know that they have certain rights as veterans. But if you are or were married to a veteran or are the child of a veteran, you may also have veterans rights.

To help everyone learn these rights, the Veterans Administration has published a booklet called Federal Benefits for Veterans and Dependents that summarizes the benefits available as of Jan. 1, 1988.

For your copy, send \$2.25 to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 118T, Pueblo, CO 81009.

# --Sagerton--

by Alice Bredthauer

A bridal shower honoring Miss Debbie Quade, bride elect of Michael Cox of Austin, was held Saturday, July 30 at Faith Lutheran Fellowship Hall.

Honored guests were Mrs. Dean Quade, mother of the bride to be, and Mrs. Frieda Quade, grandmother of the bride to be.

Mrs. Mary Neinst and Mrs. Odene Dudensing greeted the guests. Mrs. Jerry Manske registered the guests. Mrs. Lynn Dudensing served punch and cookies from the table covered with a blue cloth and a white lace overlay. The centerpiece was a spring flower arrangement and the appointments were crystal.

Other hostesses were Mrs. John Glenwinkel, Mrs. Arthur Knipling, Mrs. Robert Turner, Mrs. Glyn Quade, and Mrs. J.B. Toney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Guess of Bishop and Miss Sarah Toney of Boling were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney. Mrs. Guess and Miss Toney are sisters of J.B. Also visiting with the Tonys were Miss Rene Toney of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Toney and Tarah of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peel and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perkins all of West Columbia visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipling and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Toney last week. They came to celebrate the 62nd Wedding Anniversary of their parents, the Kniplings, on Wednesday, July 27. The family enjoyed a dinner at the Royal Inn Wednesday evening. They were joined by Bruce and Tarah Toney of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Monse of Ballinger visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse and DeWayne on Wednesday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monse spent

several days last week in the home of their daughter and family, Donny, Diane, Eric and Mitzi Barbee in Sundown. Mitzi and Eric came home with their grandparents to visit and help their uncle DeWayne celebrate his birthday on Monday.

There was a small group of people at the Friendship Club last Thursday because people are having family reunions. Those who attended were Mrs. Minnie Monse, Isabell Mrazek, Fred Brown, Anton and Evelyn Teichelman, Dorothy and J.B. Toney, Mrs. Frances Clark, Chelsea Tonnon, G.W. and Ophelia LeFevre, DeWayne Monse, Pastor Mel Swoyer, Stacy, Marcia Swoyer Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Norma and Buster Trede Meyer, Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gellner and Mrs. John L. Brooks went to Abilene last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Mrs. Adela Neidieck went to Caldwell to a school reunion last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman and Chad and Greg had lunch in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Teichelman, Sunday.

## Free booklet on AIDS available

To help your children understand AIDS and its causes, the U.S. Department of Education has a free booklet called *AIDS and the Education of Our Children: A Guide for Parents and Teachers*.

The booklet explains how the AIDS virus is transmitted, discusses methods of protection and gives tips on the best way to approach the subject with your child.

For your copy, send your name and address to Dept. 587T, Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, CO 81009.

# Social Security business by phone

Many Haskell people may not be aware that they can take care of most of their business with Social Security over the telephone.

Glyn Hammons, Social Security manager in Abilene, said the best time to call is after the middle of the month. That is because the first part of the month is usually very busy. But, he said, if a person has urgent business, he or she should call any time.

The telephone can be used to:

- Make an appointment with Social Security.
- Apply for Social Security or supplemental security income payments.
- Apply for Medicare.
- Find out how to change a name or address in Social Security records.
- Report change in marital status.
- Report starting or stopping work.
- Report a lost or stolen check, or delayed payment.
- Find out how to replace a lost Social Security or Medicare card.
- Get information about direct deposit of checks.

•Request a statement of Social Security earnings record.

•Get help in having claims decision reviewed.

•Ask any question about social Security or obtain a free publication.

The telephone number of the Abilene Social Security office which services Haskell citizens is (915) 698-1360 and the office is located at 142 S. Pioneer.

## Ducks in trouble

North America's ducks are in trouble, with drought plaguing them at both ends of their flyway.

Dr. Jack Payne, wildlife specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said that years of drought in the prairie potholes of Canada and continuous permanent loss of both nesting and wintering areas have brought duck numbers to an all-time low.

"Unless it rains soon in the coastal wetlands areas, ducks that migrate to Texas this fall will find scant improvement in their wintering sites," Payne said.

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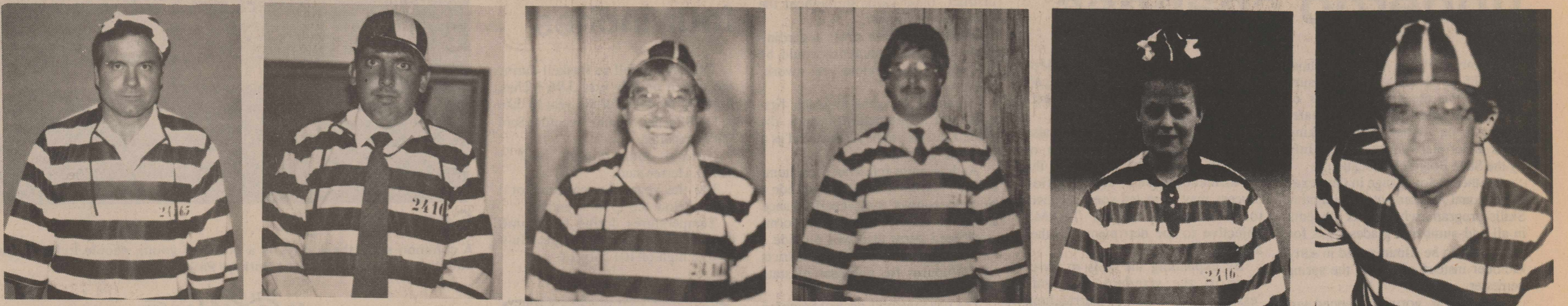
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## Beef industry cutting out the fat in meat products

The American consumer has spoken and the beef industry has responded by putting 1.2 million pounds less fat in the meat case each day.

"The beef industry has gotten out of the business of producing and selling fat," said Dr. Russell Cross, a meat scientist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, in an address to the National Beef Industry Conference held at Texas A&M University.

As a result of a 1983 national meat market basket survey showing consumer preferences for lean meat,

packers and retailers started trimming beef from 1/2 inch to 1/4 inch external fat. Cross said the 1987 market basket study shows the average outside fat is now 1/8 inch and 42 percent of beef cuts had no measurable external fat.

"When consumers walk into a store they have taste on their minds, if they walk out without buying beef, they have waste on their minds," he said.

The researcher said retailers are unlikely to stop at 1/8 inch trim, knowing that consumers don't want plate waste. This should result in

even more boneless cuts with seam fat and all external fat removed.

Dr. Dan Hale, meat specialist with the extension service, told conference participants that the public attention focused on lean beef has created some misconceptions among consumers.

"Many shoppers believe that in order to get lean cuts you have to buy a particular branded product or look on the package label for the word 'lean,'" he said.

"Actually, the lean from all beef animals could fit into the USDA-defined lean category," said Hale. "What counts is what is actually eaten by the consumer."

By cutting off all visible fat, consumers can have lean beef, regardless of the label or how it's trimmed in the supermarket, he said.

The specialist said that cuts from the loin, round or flank are the leanest cuts because they are whole muscle cuts and it's easiest to remove the external and seam fat.

These cuts include the eye of round, top round, bottom round, sirloin tip, sirloin, porterhouse, T-

bone, strip tenderloin and flank steak.

Retail cuts from the chuck, rib and brisket often contain seam fat, which is more difficult to remove and still maintain the appearance of the cut, Hale said.

"The fat found inside the lean meat, called marbling, is important for taste appeal. For acceptable taste, a minimum of 3 percent fat inside the meat is required," said the specialist.

"From a nutritional standpoint, the national health organizations recommend that beef should not have more than 7.5 percent fat inside the meat. The majority of beef lean found

in grocery stores falls into this range of between 3 to 7.5 percent fat," he said.

"When retailers trim beef of extra

fat, as the market basket studies show they are doing, they're helping to make lean meat a more convenient product for consumers," Hale said.

### Tryouts set for pro cagers

The Wichita Falls Texans, CBA professional basketball team, will conduct a free agent try-out camp Sept. 3 in Dallas.

The Texans, affiliate of the Dallas Mavericks and Phoenix Suns, are looking for players who want an opportunity to play pro basketball. The camp is open to anyone who

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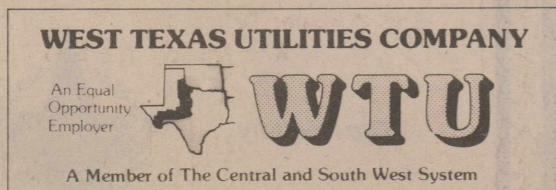
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**The Mobile Breast Cancer Detection Unit will be in Haskell on Friday, August 19th.**

The American Cancer Society has established guidelines for a mammography in asymptomatic women. (Women who have no symptoms of disease). Those guidelines have been adopted by the American Academy of Family Physicians, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, and The American College of Radiology. Those guidelines are:

- 35-40 years of age - One baseline mammogram.
- 40-50 years of age - A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and risk factor.
- 50 years of age and over - An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
- Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with

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# TEAMS tests to undergo changes

Beginning in the 1990-91 school year, TEAMS tests will measure more of the essential elements of curriculum and will place greater emphasis on higher-order thinking skills under plans formulated in July by the State Board of Education.

Another major change in the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills program, which tests students in all odd-numbered grades, calls for the exams to be administered in early October instead of during the spring semester.

In addition, norm-referenced test items will be added to the exams to provide for better evaluation of Texas students' performance in relation to national norms.

The changes, which were made as part of the call for contract bidders for the 1990-95 phase of the TEAMS program, were in response to concerns raised by board members and educators during the first several years of the testing program. The board's long-range plan calls for increasing the rigor of the TEAMS tests at least every five years, establishing additional measures for judging performance and exploring the use of norm-referenced tests to evaluate student performance.

The long range plan also clearly states that "minimum skills testing is not a wholly adequate measure of

learning" and emphasizes the need for students to develop analytical, problem-solving and other higher-order thinking skills.

Educators and board members also have been concerned that use of TEAMS test results as part of the performance-based accreditation process may have led some teachers to over-emphasize the TEAMS objective to the detriment of other areas of curriculum.

By expanding the tests to cover more of the standard, statewide "essential elements" of curriculum, instruction will focus on a broad range of the curriculum rather than a more narrow set of objectives.

Administering the tests during the spring semester raised concerns about inordinate preparation and review for the tests during preceding months, stress on teachers and principals over possibly being evaluated based on their students' performance on TEAMS, first graders being instructed in skills for which they are not ready by April testing, and first grade results not being received in time for instructional planning.

By moving the testing dates to early October (with the additional exit-level administrations maintained in May and mid-summer), the TEAMS program will:

- Provide a vehicle for a beginning-

of-school skills review of the previous grade's instruction,

- Enhance the usefulness of test results for remedial purposes,
- Encourage teachers to move on to instruct other skills throughout the remainder of the year,
- Reduce teacher stress regarding evaluation since students would be assessed on the previous year's work, and

•Remove pressure to teach first grade skills prematurely since the grade 1 test would be restructured as a readiness assessment.

Adding norm-referenced test items to the TEAMS exams will provide a better measure of student performance across all ability levels. The norm-referenced items also will provide a basis for evaluation of school districts and campuses for purposes of state accreditation.

The changes will occur beginning in the 1990-91 school year--the same year students will be required for the first time to write a composition as part of the exit-level TEAMS graduation requirement.

## Droughts hit Texas each decade

Records of the National Weather Service show that at least one serious drought has plagued parts of Texas in every decade thus far in the 20th century.

State climatologist John F. Griffiths, who came to Texas A&M in the 1960s as professor of meteorology, said the most costly and devastating drought to strike Texas in modern history was the extremely massive drought that damaged every region of the state in the decade of the 1950s.

That extreme drought, Griffiths said, was the worst from the standpoint of its intensity, vast coverage and persistence as well.

Dr. William A. Dugas of Temple, whose research with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station is in meteorology with emphasis on water use by crops and rangeland, also has helped track Texas droughts over a period of time.

Weather records maintained by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the experiment station at the Temple-Blackland Research Center where Dugas is headquartered go back about 75 years.

## July moisture just under four inches

Official rainfall in Haskell during the month of July was 3.96 inches, bringing the total for the year to date to 11.79 inches, weather recorder Sam Herren reported.

Normal June rainfall is 2.33 inches, Herren said.

For the year, the moisture total still is below the 13.48 average.

Temperatures during the month ranged from a low of 64 degrees July 21 to a high of 101 July 18.



### Common sight

A common sight these days is a group of young people trying to get the attention of the ducks at Rice Springs Park.

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### -BIRTHS-

Jerry and Jeanne Atkinson proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Leeann D'Shea, born at 4:36 p.m. July 24. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Leeann was welcomed home by her big brother, Matt.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Atkinson of Goree and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Broughton of Pearland. Maternal grandparents are Mrs. Ann S. Odle of Plano and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Odle of Houston.

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1. Report of Officers, Directors and Committees.
2. The election of two (2) Directors of the Cooperative.
3. The transaction of all other business which may come before the meeting, or any adjournment or adjournments thereof.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1988

s/CHARLES T. PORTER, Sec'y

**REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

We, The Nominating Committee, duly appointed at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc., held on the 27th day of May, 1988, said appointment being in compliance with Article III, Section 3 of the By-Laws of the B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc., nominate the following to be Directors of the B-K Electric Cooperative, Inc., for the ensuing three years:

John W. Yates, Route 2, Seymour, TX 76380  
Marvin Zeissel, Rt. 2, Munday, TX 76371

Witness our hand this 10th day of June, 1988  
Bernard Brown, Rt. 2 Box 11B, Munday, TX 76371 (Absent)  
William "Bill" Vacek, Rt. 1 Box 134, Knox City, TX 79529  
Claudell Bratcher, Vera, TX 76383  
Louis Baty, HCR 1, Box 78, Truscott, TX 79260  
Mrs. Pat Young, Rt. 2, Box 78, Seymour, TX 76380  
Raymond Redder, Rt. 2, Seymour, TX 76380  
Gil Gray, P. O. Box 1073, Seymour, TX 76380 (Absent)

The public is invited. At approximately 6:30 o'clock p.m. we will have a special demonstration on electrical safety by The Job Training & Safety Division from Texas A&M. This is a very impressive demonstration; you will be impressed.

Several of our members have asked about generators that could be used in emergency situations when electrical service may be disrupted for several hours due to a storm in our service area. The grand prize this year will be a 4000 watt generator with electric start. Battery and cables are not included. This generator delivers 33 amps at 120 volts and 16.6 amps at 240 volts. That's enough to power selected lights, appliances or other emergency needs during power outages. There will also be numerous smaller prizes to be drawn for at the conclusion of our meeting. We will also have rain gauges for each member attending. Registration will begin at 6:00 o'clock p.m. Friday evening, August 12, 1988 in the High School Auditorium in Seymour, Texas. The business session will start at approximately 7:00 o'clock p.m. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND.

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HASKELL, TEXAS 79521, August 4, 1988

## Tribute to a special lady

Alice Garren Denson

1888-1988

By Marsha Whittemore

She opened her Christmas gifts with a very heavy heart. It was the Christmas after Alice Garren Denson was 80 years old, and although her family had gathered as always to share Christmas with her, there was no joy in opening the gifts. None of the packages held the gift she wanted most.

One of the family members asked her, "What was it, you wanted for Christmas, Mother?"

"A saddle!" she strongly replied.

At that moment the grandchildren dragged in a large wrapped package from the hall holding her beloved saddle. She was thrilled beyond words. Her delight was seen and heard by all. Mrs. Denson rode in the Stamford July 4th rodeo parade until she was 80 years old when her horse died. She continued to ride to her mailbox each morning until she was 81. This Christmas of 1988, Alice Garren Denson would have been 100 years old.

Mrs. Alice Denson, Haskell County's oldest resident, was born in Haskell County and lived here continuously throughout her lifetime. The ranch home she and her husband built is two miles from her birthplace.

In 1884, her father, W. D. Garren, came to Haskell County with his father, John E. Garren, and homesteaded their land 12 miles southwest of Haskell. The same year the name of the town of Haskell had been changed from Rice Springs. Haskell County was organized several months later on Jan. 13, 1885.

In 1885, W. D. Garren brought his wife, Margaret Ann Armstrong and



Alice Garren Denson

three small children in a covered wagon from Coryell County to his homestead. The following year, with the prairie land broken for farming and fenced for ranching, he built a two-story frame house. His daughter, Alice Garren Denson, was born Oct. 11, 1888. Four more children were later born to the pioneer couple in the same house in which Alice Garren Denson gave birth to her oldest daughter, Juanita King Rhea on May 21, 1908.

Alice Garren was raised in the days when the longhorn grazed on open range. She rode horseback herding

cows in to be milked. Each cow gave only a pint to a quart of milk. She talked about large cattle drives passing across their land to market. There were no other towns around or neighbors. She lived in a time when clearing the land and building homes was hard, with the rains and bitter cold winters. Her father would kill a beef in the late fall, hang it on the northside of the house, covering it with a cloth without any fear that it would ruin before they had used it all.

She lived in a time when new neighbors were a beautiful sight. And new neighbors did move into this part of the country about eight or nine miles away. They began to visit over good food, music and much laughter. Times of fun were when the creek would freeze over solid and they would skate there, many of the weeks they were in school. Especially memorable were the times her father would go to Abilene and exchange cotton for merchandise, a journey requiring three or four days. On his return, it was a joyous occasion. The hidden surprises the wooden boxes would hold: material for their clothes; new shoes, one pair for school and one pair for Sunday; and a year's supply of staples for cooking, including sugar, flour, spices, fruits and candies.

One of Haskell County's first school buildings was at Paint Creek, known at that time as "Raw Hide Been", which later was burned down by a half-breed Indian because he became angry at his teacher and some of the pupils.

Alice Garren started to Vernon school in 1897. The school was named for Sam Vernon who gave 10

acres of land for the school. His daughter, Angie, the late Mrs. G. F. Mullino of Haskell, and Mrs. Denson were childhood friends.

Her father was the first commissioner to serve in Precinct 4. He stated there were only seven votes cast. His opponent received two and he received five.

On Jan. 13, 1907, Alice Garren married A. C. "Alf" Denson, the son of Charley and Mary Jane Wilkerson Denson who came from Williamson County and settled in Haskell County in 1886.

Alf and Alice Denson farmed and ranched east of Sagerton in the Vernon community. Seven children were born to them: three daughters, Juanita Rhea, Lonell McCandless and Margaret Darden; and four sons, A. C. Denson, Jack Denson, Guy Denson and Gold Denson, who died in 1923 at the age of 18.

Alf Denson died in 1955 at the age of 73. Mrs. Denson became head of the Denson farm and ranch at her husband's death. She enjoyed taking care of her own bookkeeping and banking of the ranch until she became ill in her 90s. Her concern was strong for the ranch until six months before her death July 19, 1988.

Mrs. Denson loved music. At the age of 71, she bought a piano so she could accompany her son-in-law, the late C. B. Rhea, at their family gatherings each Sunday. Six of her children are living within 15 miles of the ranch home. Grandmother of 12, great-grandmother of 25 and great-great-grandmother of four, she enjoyed the family get-togethers with lots of good food and music.

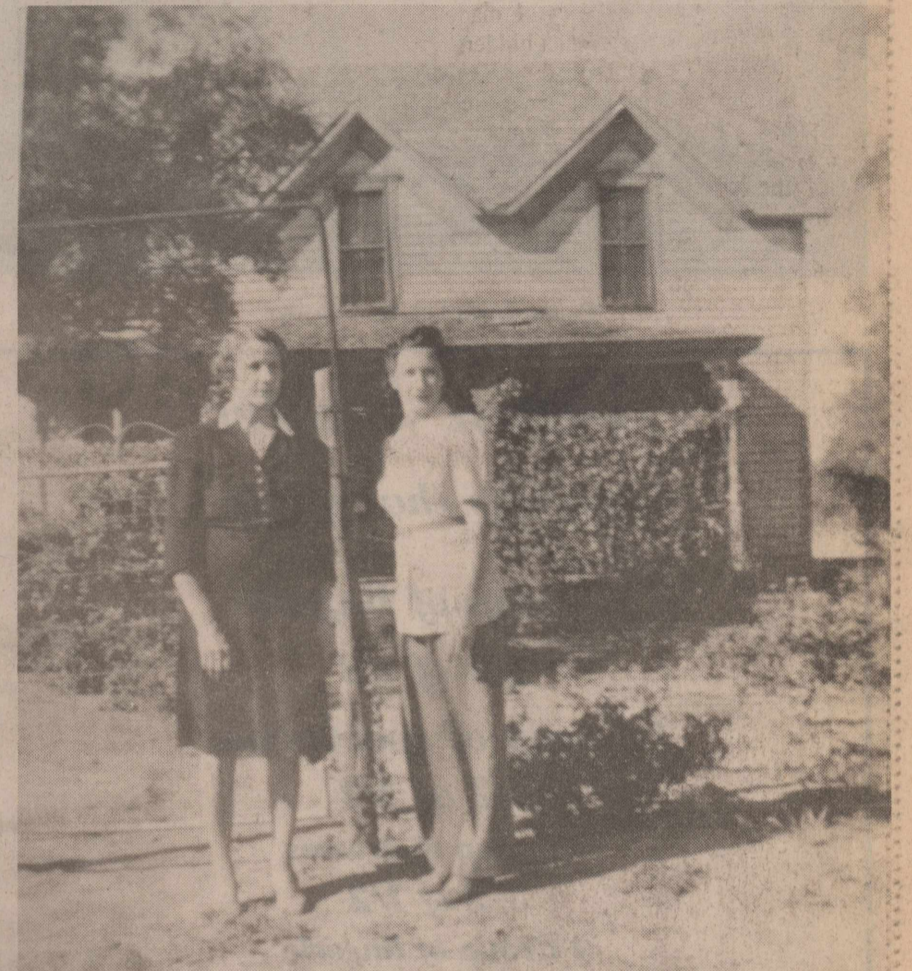
Joe Bob King, Mrs. Denson's oldest grandchild, stated that for 61 years he had been blessed with a grandmother.

Alice Garren Denson, indeed, left her footprints in the sands of time. For almost 100 years, she loved and cared for others. The love of life, family and God was deep and interwoven in her life, spreading through to her children and their children and all who were touched by this gracious lady's life.

Photographs published in The Free Press are filed by dates. If you want to pick up a picture, please let us know the date it was published.



All of Mrs. Denson's living children are on hand to help her celebrate a recent birthday. Seated, from left, are A. C. Denson Jr., Guy Denson, Mrs. Denson; standing, Juanita Rhea, Jack Denson, Margaret Darden and Lonell McCandless.



Mrs. Denson, left, was born in this two-story house as was her daughter, Juanita Rhea. The home was built by W. D. Garren, Mrs. Denson's father.

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# Turnbow, Snyder wed

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passed out scrolls from brass trays in the church foyer to arriving guests. They wore identical tuxedos, shirts, ties, cummerbunds, shoes and boutonnieres to those of the ushers.

The bride's mother wore a tea-length dress of soft pale mint green chiffon which was wrapped across the bodice with a slightly blouson effect that was gathered at the waist with soft flowing peplum over the hips and fell into a delicately accented pleated skirt. It was accented with a self-fabric belt with a sequined medallion. She wore a corsage of dusty rose roses, silver gray miniature flowers and pearls.

Mother of the groom wore a tea-length dress of soft pink chiffon styled with full skirt and overblouse of same material with a cowl neckline and long sleeves. The pink satin belt was accented with sequins and pearls. She wore a corsage of musk pink roses, deeper mauve flowers and pearls.

## RECEPTION

A reception honoring the couple in the Fellowship Hall was hosted by the mother of the bride. The bride's table was covered with a floor-length white cloth with the white lace overlay caught up in swags and held with nosegays of dusty rose flowers and ribbons. All appointments were silver with dusty rose napkins with darker mauve printing. The table was centered with a large three-tiered arrangement of flowers in dusty rose, silver gray and white. A silver champagne recycling fountain with matching flowers decorating the top served the wedding punch.

The wedding cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Allen Prachyl of Abilene. White column dividers separated the five-tiered towering cake which was adorned with cascades of hand-molded marzipan grapes and handmade glazed gumpaste dusty rose and deeper mauve flowers of orchids, petunias and roses. The cake was topped with two white porcelain cherubs holding a cluster of matching handmade flowers, which the bride will enclose in a glass dome for remembrance.

The couple cut the cake with a

silver knife which was decorated with miniature dusty rose and silver gray flowers and ribbons. The silver toasting goblets had tiny clusters of matching flowers. Ornate white wooden screens with dusty rose satin showing through the filagree design of the screens framed the table.

The groom's table was covered with a beige cut work overlay with silver gray embroidery over a beige floor-length lace cloth. A large rustic flower arrangement centered the table.

Moments of the groom's interest were depicted with figures of a cowboy, cattle, brass pumpkin, oil derrick and little wooden tool box with miniature wrenches in it with John Snyder Parts and Service printed on the side of it. The groom's three-layered cake was German chocolate with white icing. Decorated with gumpaste icing, the cake had a barbed-wire fence and cactus around the sides of it, and on top made with gumpaste icing it had a small statue of a cow, bale of hay, grass and an oil derrick. Gray napkins printed in dusty rose and chocolate mints designed as cowboy boots and lucky horseshoes accented the theme. Chocolate coffee punch was served from a brass punch bowl. All appointments were brass. The table was framed by ornate brass screens.

The food table was covered with a floor-length white eyelet cloth and was flanked by small identical round tables, one holding the china, silver and napkins and the other with the crystal punch set. The food table had several tall crystal compotes holding fresh strawberries, melons and grapes. Marinated fruit and fruit dips were served with finger, heart-shaped, pinwheel and fruit bread sandwiches. A variety of cheeses and crackers completed the buffet. Curly lettuce leaves and clusters of red and green grapes were used in abundance to decorate the surface of the table and accent the bases of the compotes and the silver trays. Cherry fruit punch was served.

The coffee table was covered with a floor-length dusty rose overlay over white. A tall flower arrangement and silk tree in mauve completed the

decor.

The small seating tables were covered with floor-length white cloth and overlays of white lace. They were centered with arrangements of flowers in the bride's colors and glowing white candles in crystal globe. White wooden chairs were used at the tables and in groupings around the reception area. Fresh and silk greenery in white wicker baskets and white ornate wrought iron bird cages filled with flowers, greenery and white doves were hung throughout the reception area. A white tea cart holding punch and napkins matched the bird cages.

Jennifer Norman and Laura Snyder, both of Albany, and nieces of the groom, passed out dusty rose and silver gray satin designed roses filled with bird seed from white straw baskets trimmed with flowers and satin ribbon in the bride's colors. Popular love songs were played on the piano by Susan Dugger during the reception. Members of the houseparty were Donna Howeth, Nina Woolldridge, Mrs. Bob Snyder, Mrs. Craig Griffis, Mrs. Michael Tschaar and Mrs. Jim Moschetto.

The wedding and the reception were under the direction of "Custom Designs by Rosemary" of Abilene.

When the newly wed couple left for a wedding trip to New Orleans, the bride had changed into a blue denim skirt with red and white bandanna trim with the same trim belt, and a white peasant blouse. Her accessories were red. Her corsage was red roses.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School and received an Associate Applied Science degree in dental hygiene from Amarillo College. She is employed with Dr. W. C. Pierce in Abilene.

The groom is a graduate of Albany High School and attended Cisco Junior College. He is self employed with John Snyder Oil Field Parts and Service and in ranching.

The couple will live at 1000 Justice Way in Abilene.

## REHEARSAL DINNER

The groom's mother hosted a rehearsal dinner at Embassy Suites in

Abilene on Friday night, July 15. A color scheme of dusty rose and silver gray was used to decorate the dining tables. Serving as centerpieces for the tables were small dusty rose flowers, ivy and hurricane lamps.

## BRIDAL PARTIES

A bridal shower honoring the bride-elect was given June 11 in the Community Room in Haskell.

The serving table was centered with a striking floral arrangement in dusty rose and silver gray with white lighted tapers. The table was laid with a floor-length white cloth and a white lace overlay accented with crystal and silver appointments.

Serving at the bride-elect's table were Mrs. Hugh Norman Jr. and Mrs. Bob Snyder, both of Albany. Hostesses were Donna Howeth, Mrs. L. J. Adams, Mrs. Joe Larned, Mrs. Virgil Cobb, Mrs. C. O. Holt, Mrs. Leon Newton, Mrs. Mansel Robertson, Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. Tommy Ballard, Mrs. Frank Cadenhead, Mrs. Lloyd Feemster, Mrs. Charles McCauley and Mrs. Frankie Sorrelle.

The Lannie Templeton home in Abilene was the scene for another bridal shower honoring Miss Turnbow on June 25. Guests were received by the honoree, her mother and the groom's mother, Mr. B. E. Snyder.

Gifts were displayed throughout Mrs. Templeton's lovely home.

The refreshment table was covered with a floor-length cloth and white lace overlay centered with a dusty rose arrangement. A tempting array of finger sandwiches, cheese balls, crackers, assorted fruit with dip and petite blueberry muffins prepared by the hostesses was served with almond punch. Appointments were crystal and silver.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Sandy Templeton, Mrs. Lori Griffis and Mrs. Brenda Tschaar.

A bachelorette party was given the bride-elect at the Outpost in Abilene by the bride's attendants and friends on Friday night, July 15.

## National Finals to be in Snyder

The AJRA National Finals Rodeo will bring hundreds of rodeo fans, spectators and young rodeo contestants of the American Junior Rodeo Association to Snyder Aug. 9-13 to compete in the world championships.

## --Haskell Nursing Center--

By Debbie Merchant  
Activity Director

We have three new residents at Haskell Nursing Center, Mr. Doly Hicks of Rochester, Mrs. Crystal Hacker of Knox City and Mrs. Claribell Cathey of Haskell. Welcome to our home.

Bro. Dale of the Church of Christ was with us Thursday for a sing-along. Everyone enjoyed the fellowship.

The Church of God will have the Sunday morning service for the month of August. We are all looking forward to having them.

The staff of Haskell Nursing Center is busy raising money for the American Heart Association. Our administrator, John McDermott, is one of the wanted criminals of the cardiac arrest team. Let's work hard, staff. We need to keep Mr. McDermott out of the slammer.

Those visiting with us this week were Dempsey Nail, Bobby Baker,

John and Jackie Nix, all of Snyder with Bessie Hockett; Dempsey Nail and Jackie Nix of Snyder with George Goble and Lloyd Wade.

Mrs. Ruby Clemmer had a very special guest this week, Chantal Bertaux of Epinal, France.

Karen and Marcus Johnson, Denise and Demarias Delce visited with Fannie Wilson; June Mansker, Clara, Brandon, Jamie and Sara Baker with Lillian Greenwood for her 88th birthday.

Thelma Grinstead visited with Lector Thompson and Eunice Newberry; Peggy Rose, Kristie Brown and Helen Alls of Sweetwater with Pauline Williams; Leo and Minnie Monse with Robert and Fred Monse; Isabell Mrazek of Aspermont and Frances Absur of Haskell with Claribell Cathey and Robert and Fred Monse.

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

8-8-08 to 8-8-88

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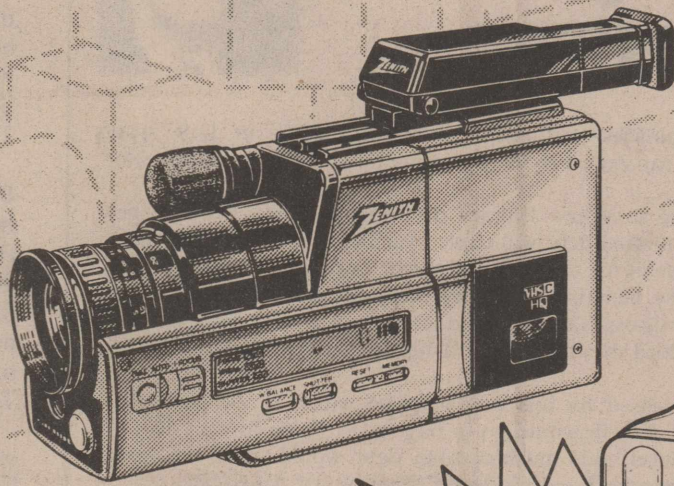
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# Commentary

## State agency needs advance for payroll

AUSTIN—Top legislative leaders will soon vote on a Texas first: a state agency needs over \$31 million from next year's budget to meet the payroll for August.

Officials with the Texas Depart-

task force to gauge the level of charitable health care that should be available at not-for-profit hospitals in Texas.

"There are some not-for-profit hospitals that we believe are carrying out and meeting charitable responsibilities," Mattox said. "But some are not sharing the burden of caring for those individuals that are not insured."

He said 163 of the state's 485 hospitals are not-for-profit facilities.

The task force will be chaired by Ron Anderson, chief executive officer of the Dallas County Hospital District, and David Witt, president of Methodist Hospitals of Dallas.

### Premier Black Lobbyist

Capitol eyes this summer are on Cal Varner, a former legislative aide who has become the premier black lobbyist in state politics.

Varner has built up an impressive client list which has included such big accounts as AT&T and Pennzoil.

He's also active in political races at all levels, and his win record is accumulating.

In a summer when Blacks are fine-tuning their political machine, Varner plays an integral part, and serves as a quiet, respected conduit for problem solutions.

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### STATE CAPITAL



### HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

ment of Mental Health and Retardation explained that the agency overspent its budget complying with court-ordered reforms from two class-action lawsuits.

The agency has hired 1800 new state school workers since complying with the court agreement last fall.

State leaders have been monitoring the situation since then and were not surprised.

Gov. Bill Clements proposed the transfer using new budget power authorized by the Legislature last session. Monies may also be transferred from agency to agency.

The shortfall makes Clements the first governor to make such a proposal. He and the state's budget council have monitored the potential budget problem since last fall.

### First Black Ranger

In another history-making event, a DPS officer was named to the Texas Rangers, becoming the first black ranger in the elite unit's 165-year tenure.

DPS officials said the appointment is not related to an ongoing battle with the NAACP, which for months has leveled allegations of racism against the law enforcement agency.

The appointment has not halted the conflict. While praising the appointment, NAACP officials ripped the promotion of a white officer they allege made a racial comment two years ago.

### Slur Brushed Off

She may have called him crazy, but he didn't react like the mad dog he's been made out to be, and it probably won't hurt him a few points.

When a journalist claimed he overheard Texas Treasurer Ann Richards call Attorney General Jim Mattox "certifiable" crazy and "unscrupulous," many expected him to retaliate.

Instead, Mattox brushed off the slur and chose not to pursue it publicly.

He did, however, predict he will beat Richards in the 1990 primary, if she runs for governor as expected.

### Hospital Panel Named

Meanwhile, Mattox announced the creation of a 64-member

task force to gauge the level of charitable health care that should be available at not-for-profit hospitals in Texas.

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## Letters

Editor: Most of the time I vote Democratic, but I'm drawing the line on this presidential election.

In good conscience, I cannot support anybody who believes you can commit murder and believe you are doing right, and believes it's all right to take taxpayers' money to support murder. To kill innocent babies is beyond my imagination. Helpless babies who are unable to protect themselves.

To me, it's just as bad as Hitler did in the 1940s. Perhaps he thought he had a good reason, but anyone who would kill babies has only self interest in their heart.

I believe they will have to answer to God for such selfishness and worldliness, for these evil deeds.

I do not understand why our Christians don't stand up and be counted, unless they are afraid of what society might say.

Gene Wells  
Haskell

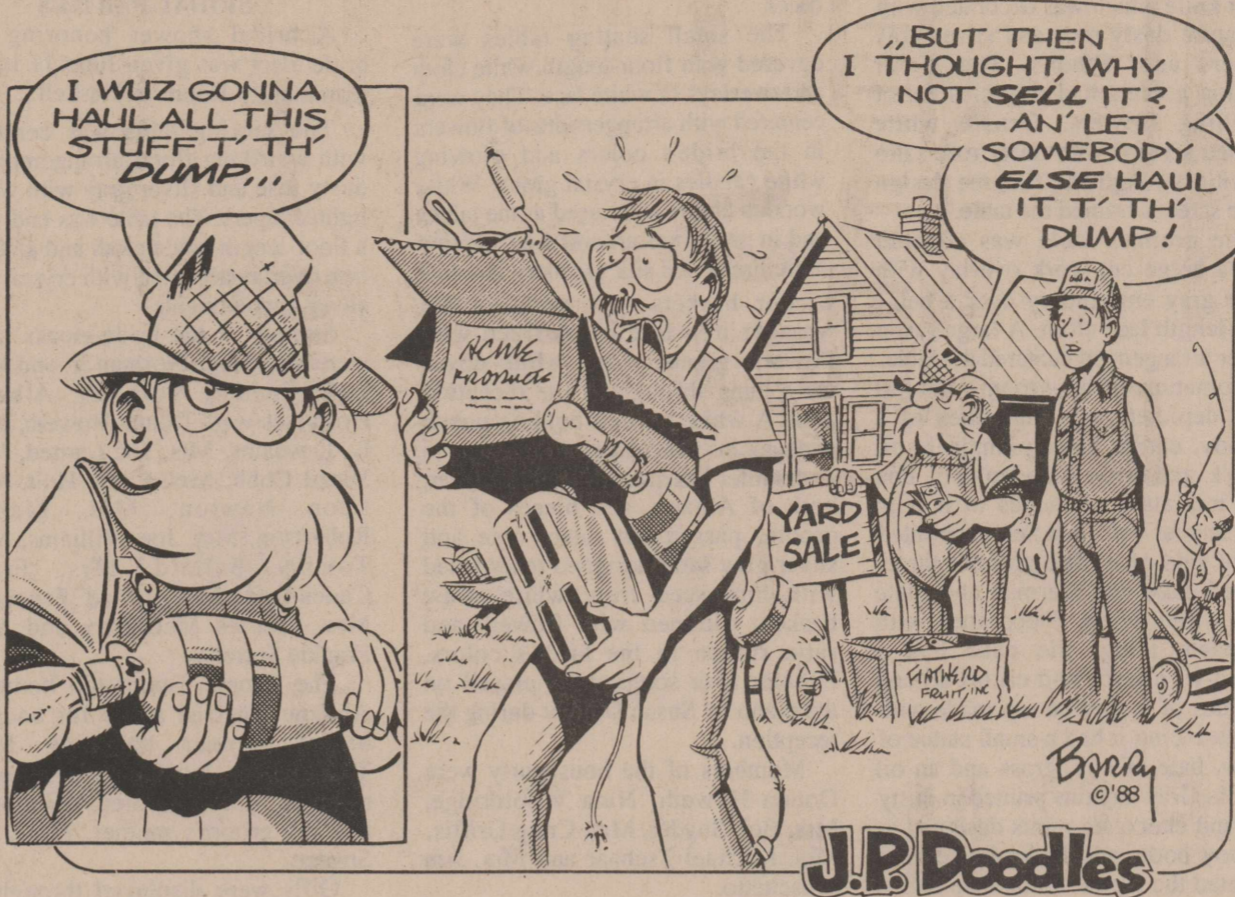
## Beautiful town

Editor: For over 50 years, I have been visiting Haskell and have lived there some four years. I was in Haskell last week and have never seen it so beautiful.

The park is a beauty spot, the many carefully mowed lawns and the beautiful trees make your city just wonderful to a visitor.

May all your citizens be as proud of it as you seem to be today.

J. Cleo Scott  
Temple



BY WENDELL FAUGHT

Mike Dukakis has had generous praise for his wife and his mother, but he hasn't said one word about the woman most responsible for his nomination, Donna Rice.

### Presidential trivia:

If Ronald Reagan serves out the rest of his term, he will become only the third Republican president to serve two full terms. The others were Grant and Eisenhower.

Lincoln and McKinley were elected to two terms, but each was assassinated early in his second term, and Nixon resigned midway through his second term. Theodore Roosevelt served nearly eight years, the rest of McKinley's second term and his own, and Coolidge finished out Harding's term and was elected to one of his own.

Longest the Republicans have held the White House in one stretch is the 16 years between 1861 and 1877, Lincoln, Andrew Johnson and Grant. The Democrats' longest span was the 20 years between 1933 and 1953, FDR and Truman.

Between 1837 and 1861, eight consecutive American presidents served one term or less. No president was re-elected between Jackson in 1832 and Lincoln in 1864.

None of the first four vice presidents who ascended to the presidency due to death of the president was elected to a term of his own (Tyler, Fillmore, A. Johnson, Arthur). In fact, not one of them was even his party's nominee. But all of the next four were re-elected (T. Roosevelt, Coolidge, Truman and LBJ).

Selecting a vice presidential nominee because of the votes he will bring to the ticket is a custom as old as the present voting system. In 1864, the Republicans re-nominated Lincoln for president, but chose Andrew Johnson for vice president. Johnson had been a Democrat and a Southerner. The Republicans rightfully believed his candidacy would be good for some votes in some of the Civil War border states. Johnson, of course, became president after Lincoln's death. He later served as a Democratic senator from Tennessee.

"This is Herschel Walker's team now," said Cowboy president Tex Schramm when Dallas sent Tony Dorsett to Denver.

Well, America didn't want the team any more and that guy from Denver didn't want to buy it, so I guess they just gave it to Herschel.

If you, like I, get lost every time you go to Dallas, just hope you don't do a lot of banking business in that city.

The Dallas Morning News says bank employees in Dallas have trouble remembering the names of the buildings they work in.

The tallest building, which used to be called InterFirst Bank Plaza, is now First Republic Bank Plaza.

The former headquarters of RepublicBank is now called First Republic Bank Center. That center includes three towers which used to be the Republic Bank Building, Republic Bank Plaza and Republic Bank Tower. They are now Towers 1, 2 and 3.

What originally was the Allied Bank Building is now known as the Interstate Bank Tower at Fountain Place. The former InterFirst I building, near what used to be Sanger-Harris and is now Foley's, is now called Elm Place. And what used to be InterFirst II is now Renaissance Tower.

Some pundit has suggested that it would be more descriptive for the banks to be called FDIC Tower, FDIC Plaza and FDIC Center.

All that was last week. So get ready for more. This week, First Republic Bank became NC (for North Carolina) NB Texas National Bank.

British American Tobacco Co. is attempting a hostile takeover of Farmers Insurance Group. What's so unusual about that? Farmers Insurance Group, the nation's seventh largest insurance company, is the company that pioneered life insurance discounts for non-smokers.

Thank you for reading The Haskell Free Press.

## --From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

### 30 Years Ago Aug. 7, 1958

Chas. M. Conner was elected permanent chairman and Mrs. Norman Nanny permanent secretary of the county Democratic Convention held here Saturday.

New officers of the Rogers-Cox Post 221 of the American Legion are B. B. Gilmore, commander; Jesse Dean, first vice commander; Dave Hiebert, second vice commander; George Neely, chaplain; T. C. Patterson and Buddy Grand, sergeants at arms. Legion Auxiliary officers are Mrs. Martin Rueffer, president; Mrs. David Martindale, vice president; Mrs. Marvin Walters, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Tony Patterson, chaplain.

A reunion was held July 27 at the American Legion Hall in Rule honoring J. P. Beckham on his 84th birthday. All of his living children except one, and nine of his 13 grandchildren attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moore of Big Spring have been visiting with their parents in Rule.

Second Lt. Robert M. Wilson, son of Mrs. Verna Wilson of Haskell, has completed the officer basic course at the Army Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Va.

Arriving in Berlin this week and joining the Berlin Command's Staff Judge Advocate section is Capt. Malcolm L. McCain, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. McCain of Haskell.

Kenneth Wayne Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Howard of Haskell, was commissioned a reserve second lieutenant upon completion of his ROTC summer camp at Fort Hood July 31.

### 50 Years Ago July 29, 1938

Haskell County voters marked 4,443 ballots in the first primary last Saturday in deciding all but four county races. In statewide voting, W. Lee O'Daniel won the nomination for governor over 12 opponents, winning without a runoff.

Mrs. John L. McCollum and daughters returned to their home in Dallas Saturday. They were accompanied by Marguerite McCollum who will spend several days there.

Ralph Bernard of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bernard.

Mrs. O. M. Guest and Mrs. Buford Cox left Monday for Dallas to purchase fall merchandise for The Personality Shoppe.

### 70 Years Ago Aug. 10, 1918

The Local Board has received the information that Press Rogers, one of our Haskell County boys, was killed in France July 15. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rogers who live near O'Brien. He left for Camp Travis Sept. 21, 1917, with 120 men to leave at that time. No details of his death have been received other than he was killed at the front in the Allied drive.

Ed F. Fouts sold to Robertson Bros. Saturday the largest watermelon exhibited here this year. The melon weighed 56 pounds and sold for \$1.

S. B. Chamberlain of this city has received a card from his son Cliff, stating that he had arrived safely in France.

R. C. Couch and family have returned from Colorado where they spent several weeks.

Uri Baker and Hudson Pittman left Sunday for Dallas where they will enlist in the U.S. Navy.

Misses Annie Roberts and Eunice Hallmark left for Abilene Saturday where they will enroll in a business college.

### 80 Years Ago Aug. 8, 1908

Messrs. Helton, Flenniken and Matthews have erected a pavilion at their mineral wells in the south part of town. Analysis of the water shows it to have a high medicinal content, and quite a demand is being developed for the Haskell water.

H. L. Sherrill of Temple was here this week looking after his interests.

Miss Ella Logan of Graham is visiting Miss Pearl Grissom.

Misses Minadel Davis, Annice McKelvin, Eula Poole, Annie Lydia Hughes, Emma and Mary Nicholson and Sibil Collins returned Monday from Stamford where they attended the BYPU encampment.

Messrs. Hunt, Hancock & Company will open up their stock of dry goods in the Neathery Building on the east side of the square on the 15th of this month. Curran Hunt is now in the eastern markets buying stocks for the store and Mr. Hancock is on the scene here getting things ready for the opening.

Dr. W. A. Kimbrough has moved his office from the Terrell Drug Store on the southwest corner to the new Pinkerton Building on the north side of the square.

### 90 Years Ago Aug. 13, 1898

We are told that the wedding bells are being tuned again in our fair city. Miss Fannie Hudson has gone on a visit to relatives in Indian Territory.

### Senator Lloyd Bentsen

## Watching Washington



Under current policies—without a dramatic change in U.S. trade policy—Americans can expect to see a growing bite taken out of their standard of living.

In fact, according to a new Library of Congress study, without new policies U.S. international debt will triple over the next six years alone.

What does this mean for the men and women of Texas, of the U.S.? For one thing, the benefits of healthy economic growth would be cut significantly. If the Gross National Product grew at a brisk three percent, for example, one third of that would be needed to service our country's foreign debts.

If our GNP increased by just one percent, which is the pessimistic outlook, all of that growth would go to paying off those foreign debts. On a practical level, this mushrooming debt would mean consumer goods will be higher priced and harder to come by for Americans.

The bottom line would be a cut in our standard of living. All of this happened rather quickly.

Earlier this decade, as the study points out, our nation—in the short period of three years—went from the largest creditor to the No. 1 debtor nation in the world. This year, for the first time, the amount we are paying to service our foreign debt exceeds what we are owed.

According to an analysis of the study, this "is a projection of where 'current policy' likely leads."

Even though the trade deficit will go down a little this year and again a little bit next year, this study predicts that it will start back up unless our trade policies change.

The results of this study are, of course, very troubling and a solid argument for enactment this year of the Bentsen trade bill.

My legislation, which passed both the Senate and the House by impressive, bipartisan majorities, is aimed at establishing an effective national trade policy, increasing world trade and expanding our markets, allowing us to sell more of our goods in more markets.

The trade bill alone won't solve our trade problems. But it will be a positive thrust for trade. And it will help us raise the standard of living for families in Texas and throughout the nation.

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# Woman overcoming abusive past

(Betsy Nanny of Noah Project North submitted the following article from the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal as an example of battered women who stay in abusive situations. Anyone interested in helping people like Mrs. Carrasco should contact Mrs. Nanny. Noah Project North will be having a volunteer training program Aug. 25-26.)

## From Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

A year and a half ago, Diana Carrasco was so dependent upon her husband that when he abandoned her and her three children for a week, the four lived on popcorn and had no soap to clean clothes.

She was so dependent upon her husband that she would rather let him beat her than leave him. During their six years together, there had been brief intervals where she had left. But there were always the mountains of apologies peaked with tears. So she'd go back.

One time, he sent her on a trip to the hospital.

"When he beat me in Snyder, I had to go to the hospital because I had a concussion. I remember when he was coming toward me. I knew I had to move, but my body couldn't move. So I sent my boy to get the police. My husband doesn't read English, so he couldn't read the note," she recalled.

But there arrived a breaking point for Diana Carrasco, and 15 months ago, she finally fled for good.

"I had just gotten back together with him. He left for work one morning and he was mad, he said he hadn't hit me in a while and it was about time. I guess I'd gotten to the point where I couldn't take any more," she said.

Her husband turned out to be the local Women's Protective Services (WPS), and it was there, during stays that totaled six months, that she began to build up her self-esteem and drive.

"When you come to the shelter, they tell you you're good. We were brought up being yelled at all the time and being told, you're stupid.

When you come here, they let you know you are somebody," Mrs. Carrasco explained. It helps, she said, to "know you have somewhere to go; you're not so scared. No one had ever told me that if he hits you, get out," she said.

Chris Gonzalez, the social worker for WPS, said that the number of women coming to them for such service is growing. "We've had 747 women and children here since January." Although she did not have figures available on how much of an increase that represented, she said it was a definite jump.

Today, Mrs. Carrasco is at the shelter, squeezing some volunteer work in between her child development classes at South Plains College, the Adult Basic Education classes she teaches at Post, and the housework she knows awaits her at home.

"I've thought about the little towns, the rural areas. They need facilities. I've passed out literature to all the ladies in Post. Maybe all the men hate me, but I think it's important," Mrs. Carrasco said.

She speaks so softly that you have to lean forward to hear her. The diminutive woman with the soulful brown eyes and neatly cropped hair has a gentle bearing, but don't be fooled. Her determination to succeed is fierce.

"I'm a notary public for the state of Texas. I do volunteer work with the literacy program. I work four hours a week here (at WPS) and I'm a student at South Plains. I'm getting a degree in child development. I'll graduate in May '89. I want to go on to Tech. I want to minor in elementary education, but I want to major in psychology. I want to know what happened to me. I want to take the names of these kids (at the shelter) and see where they are 10 years from now. And I want to find out where I messed up."

Talking with the woman allows her listener to know that she already has a pretty good idea.

"My father abused my mom a lot, and she took it and she took it. He

broke her ribs with a baseball bat; he shot her here in Lubbock. She endured. I think we learn as girls to endure.

"My father has never hit me, but he's never told me he loves me, either. One thing my dad told a neighbor of ours was that he was proud of me. That meant a lot to me," she said.

After her experiences as a child, Mrs. Carrasco said that she was looking for the perfect family life, and that she wanted to believe if her husband loved her, that was all that mattered.

"You want to believe in him; you keep thinking love can't be like a faucet, just turning on and off. You so much want to have a family, something like 'Father Knows Best' or the 'Donna Reed Show,'" she said.

Even without a husband, Mrs. Carrasco said she's working on creating a good family life for her 12-year-old son and daughters aged 3 and 7.

"I used to yell at my little boy a lot, but I'm working on it. My little boy talks to me all the time now. He'll talk to me about things I never would talk to my parents about. We don't spend that much time together, but if I get home early, we sit around the table and talk, or we'll go get a cheeseburger. These organizations like the Boy Scouts, they help a lot," she said.

"I want to be a role model for my children. I want my children to do well in school, to make good grades. I don't harp and harp. But I tell them, if you get good grades you can get grants to go to college," she said.

"It's hard sometimes, I think I can do it all: clean the house, work. I'm trying to keep an A-average in all my classes so Tech will take all my classes.

"When I first went back to college, it was hard. I cried to a couple of my teachers. But I've always started things and never finished them. When I finished secretarial school (last spring), that was my biggest accomplishment. I've gone to different colleges, but never graduated. I didn't finish high school; I got my G.E.D. in Corpus Christi."

Mrs. Carrasco said women in her

situation need most of all to believe in themselves. "They can make it. It's hard, but if they want to, they can make it. I write myself little notes to keep going," she said.

"There was an article in a book about this man who was a gas station attendant but dreamed of being a race car driver. He bought himself an outfit and hung it on the door so every day he'd see it. And so finally, he bought a race car. I'm working on believing I can be a psychologist.

"This time," said Mrs. Carrasco in a voice soft, yet full of conviction, "I want to finish what I started."

## Scout update

Pack 136 Cub Scouts and four den leaders enjoyed a good week at Tonkawa Day Camp.

Scouts receiving special recognition at last Thursday night's campfire were Bobby Gonzales, most improved archer, and Harrison Druessedow, fastest time in obstacle course run.

Last Saturday, the pack enjoyed a group swim at the city pool and watermelon at the scout hut. Award ceremonies honored Marcus Overton, Casey Thompson, Jonathan Lefevre, Tim Dewey, Justin Arendall, Greg Rodriguez and Daniel Alvarez for activity badges earned at camp.

This Saturday, Aug. 6, the Cub Scouts are sponsoring a bake sale as part of the Summer Sizzler activities. Parents should contact the den leaders about what to bring and where to bring it.

## Youth leadership session Aug. 9

Texas's War on Drugs will host a youth leadership day in Abilene Aug. 9. The workshop, open to all area junior and senior high school students who are choosing a drug-free life style, will be at Abilene Christian University.

The cost is \$20 for a full day of fun, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., meals, materials and a T-shirt. Call (915) 944-9516 for reservations.



## Softball action

Action was fast and furious during the Lions-Kiwanis benefit softball game played Friday night.

# Mrs. Overton hosts Paint Creek club

The Paint Creek Home Extension Club met Aug. 1 in the home of Mabel Overton.

The meeting was called to order by Frances Fischer, president. Roll call was answered by giving "one thing I do to make me look and feel better."

A thought for the day was read by Mrs. Fischer which included several humorous sayings regarding getting older.

Mrs. Overton read an article taken from a Jacksboro paper that told of the home of Mr. Tom Marks being restored and turned into a national historic landmark. In 1907 Mr. Marks started the Corn Club in an effort to get boys interested in farming while still young. This eventually evolved into the 4-H clubs.

The program consisted of films

shown that gave diet and exercise hints for the older adult as well as for children.

Members discussed the fabric sale and plans for the Health Fair, two events which are coming up soon.

Dolores Medford will be the club's nominee for delegate to the state meeting in Abilene. Members also voted to support Mildred Robertson for TEHA chairman.

Members attending were Frances Fischer, Dolores Medford, Mabel Overton, Brenda Reel, Peggy Burnett, Lorene Harris and guests Leigh Ann and Lindsey Brenae Reel.

Members and guests enjoyed refreshments of watermelon chunks, banana bread and lemonade served by Mrs. Overton.

## --Market Report-- Haskell Livestock Auction

Prices on feeder cattle, packer cows and bulls were fully steady and stocker calf prices were \$1 to \$3 lower at Saturday's sale at Haskell Livestock Auction.

Gary Tate reported the market was very active in all classes of cattle with good buyer attendance.

Saturday's sale was on a run of 1,691 head of cattle and eight hogs.

Cows: fat 47-51.50; cutters 47-51.50; canners 37-47; stockers by head 475-675.

Bulls: bologna 57.50-63; stockers 65-75; utility 54-57.50.

Stocker steer calves: choice 107-135; good 90-100; medium 82-90; common 68-82.

Stocker heifer calves: choice 82-

107; good 70-86; medium 67-72; common 60-75.

Feeder steer yearlings: choice 79-91; good 70-79; medium 66-70; common 58-66.

Feeder heifer yearlings: choice 79-84; good 69-79; medium 59-69; common 56-59.

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## TAX PLANNING

Written By  
James E. Rodgers, CPA



## EDUCATION AND TAXES

As back-to-school time approaches, let's review the new tax rules affecting education expenses.

Degree candidates can still exclude from their income any scholarships and grants they receive, but only to the extent the funds are used for tuition and course-related fees, books, supplies and equipment. Any portion of a scholarship or grant used for room and board must be included in taxable income. Non-degree candidates cannot exclude any portion of scholarships or grants from income.

Congress is considering an extension of the exclusion rules for employer's educational assistance plans. If the rules apply this year, individuals receiving plan money for tuition and course-related expenses can exclude these amounts from income (even if they are not candidates for degrees). Employer plans must be nondiscriminatory for these exclusion rules to apply.

An employee may deduct expenses paid for courses taken (1) to maintain or improve the skills required in his or her job or, (2) to meet the requirements of his or her employer as a condition for continued employment. If the expenses qualify the employee for a new trade or business, or if the courses are necessary to meet the minimum requirements of the individual's current job, the educational expenses are not deductible. Tuition, course-related expenses, and travel expenses connected with the educational activities are deductible only if the taxpayer itemizes deductions on his return -- and then only to the extent that they, along with the taxpayer's other miscellaneous itemized deductions, exceed 2% of his adjusted gross income.

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GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE: Clothes, Shoes, dishes, Radio's, lots of misc. Friday, 9-5, Saturday 9-5, 1104 N Ave F. 31p

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GARAGE SALE: 9-6, Friday, Saturday, August 5, 6, 910 Amity, Rule. Love seat, chair (brown), Fridge, Tupperware, sewing machine, junk. 31p

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### Public Notices

Notice is hereby given by the Weinert Independent School District Board of Trustees that a budget hearing will be held on Monday, August 8, 1988 at 8:00 p.m. in the Weinert School for the purpose of adopting a budget for the 1988-89 school year. Any taxpayer of the district may be present and participate in the hearing. Jimmy D. White, President, Weinert ISD Board of Trustees. 31c

### NOTICE AFFORDING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC HEARING

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation is planning to construct a Farm to Market type road from a point on F.M. 618 above seven miles south-east of Haskell, in an easterly direction 2.9 miles to Scott Memorial Park. The proposed road will follow the general alignment of an existing county road, with some modification to improve the alignment. 31p

The new highway is to consist of two lanes each 12 feet wide with shoulders four feet wide, all paved with asphalt. The minimum width of right of way is to be 100 feet. No displacements will be caused by the project which is approximately 2.9 miles in length. 31p

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed location and design, the environmental assessment and other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection and copying at the Resident Engineer's office, 249 North Central, Hamlin, Texas. Also the maps and drawings showing the proposed location and design have been placed on file with the County Judge of Haskell County. 31p

Information about the State's Relocation Assistance Program, the benefits and services for displacees and information concerning the relocation assistance office as well as information about the tentative schedules for acquisition of right of way and construction can be obtained at the Resident Engineer's Office. 31p

Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held covering the social, economic and environmental effects of the proposed location and design for this highway project by delivering a written request to the Resident Engineer's Office on or before September 5, 1988. The address of the Resident Engineer's Office is P.O. Box 507, Hamlin, Texas, 79720. 31c

In the event such a request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be publicized about the date and location of the hearing. 31c

### Public Notices

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

The Wiser Oil Company, 700 Petroleum Building, Wichita Falls, Texas 76301 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is not productive of oil or gas. 31c

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Strawn Sand, Morgan, Well Number 1. The proposed injection well is located 2.5 miles northwest of Rule, Texas in the Rule (5000) Field, in Haskell County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 5030 to 5040 feet. 31p

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. 31p

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/445-1373). 31p

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FOR RENT: 6 room house with 2 baths on paved road. NW of Haskell. Call 864-3983 or 864-8042. 301fc

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Lake Cabin with lot. Lakeshore sites, large garage.

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EXTRA CLEAN 2 bedroom brick central H/A. Attached carport, large trees. 705 Union, Rule. A house ready to live in. Reduced.

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LARGE LIVING AREA with fireplace. 3 bedroom, double attached garage. North Avenue E. \$35,000.00

DRASTICALLY REDUCED Large 2 story rock home with guest house, pecan trees, fenced yard located on a large corner lot on Hwy. 277.

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IN ROCHESTER: Strickland home 2 blocks south of school. Extra clean inside and out.

Small cabin at Vedas. \$6000.00.

GORE: Lovely, 2 bedroom on corner lot, has guest house and many extras. Part of town.

CLEAN 3 bedroom frame on 2 lots, good storm cellar. Knox City. 408 N. 2nd.

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GORE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick, double garage. Many extras. \$39,500.00.

GORE (2 for 1 special) lovely 2 bedroom rock C/H/A in new condition. Also large 3 bedroom frame. All for only, \$25,000.00.

GREAT LOCATION: 3 bedroom 2 bath brick, large shop building, fenced backyard, many extras, a neighborhood you'll be proud to call home.

LAKE HOUSE on water front owned lot, central heat/ ref. air. Completely redone inside and out; new dock with lights and running water. One of the prettiest lots on lake. Greatly Reduced.

NORTH AVE. J. Cute as a doll house, 3 bedroom with many extras. Water well, fenced yard, garden plot, large utility and shop building. Must see inside to appreciate. REDUCED.

JUST OUTSIDE city limits: City water. Large 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick. Many built-ins and extras. Owner being transferred. Home only a few years old, and a great buy. Fenced yard, storage, water well.

Pinkerton Church building to be torn down for 1/2 of lumber.

ILA MOODY HOME IN WEINERT with air conditioner, refrigerator and new range. A BARGAIN. Make an offer.

CLOSE TO TOWN on large corner lot. 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, fireplace, new elect. & plb., new cabinets, many extras, has beauty shop or guest house, storage bldg. fenced yard. MUST SEE INSIDE TO APPRECIATE.

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### Real Estate

HOME FOR SALE: 2 large bedrooms, 1 bath, remodeled interior, central heat/air, good closet space, basement, privacy fence, storage bldg., above ground pool, good location. Day- 864-3509, after 5:00-864-2777. 281fc

TO CLOSE OUT ESTATE, excellent dry land farm, 160 acres 5 mi. NW of Weinert, good production history, price negotiable, call Chris Cammack, 713-622-8338.30-33p

FOR SALE: Three bedroom, two bath, fireplace with insert, ceiling fans. Large utility room and fenced in back yard. Includes four acres with pens and barn. Call after 5, 864-8955. Reduced. 30-33p

### FOR SALE

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### FOR SALE

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# Area cotton beginning to bloom

By Steve Davis  
Extension Agent-Entomologist  
July 28

Growing conditions are excellent with recent general rains. Cotton is beginning to bloom over the five-county area with very early cotton showing two to three bolls per plant.

Boll weevil infestations remain isolated with very little being treated to date. Most heavier infestations have occurred close to pasture areas adjacent to creeks and rivers. Weevils are found in blooms periodically but still not in heavy numbers in relation to 1987. Boll weevil trap numbers are down dramatically since cotton is more attractive at this time rather than pheromone bait.

Bollworms have occurred in isolated areas also but are requiring more area-wide treatment than weevils. Egg-lay is still in a constant, steady flow with most fields remaining sub-economic. The few beneficials present are doing an adequate job of holding most bollworm populations down.

Bollworm and budworm moth trap numbers are gaining in intensity each day. Instead of the normal bi-modal peaks occurring in conjunction with full moon dates, we are experiencing a constant influx of fresh moths and should experience a much larger number of moths on July 28-29.

Should this peak occur on a normal time sequence, we should

experience a major egg lay around Aug. 1 or 2. Growers should check plant terminals closely for eggs around these dates. Bollworm and budworm eggs are white when fresh and look like small pearls. They contrast well with lush, green cotton and should be easy to find once the eye becomes accustomed.

Budworm moths are on the increase according to trap data. This particular species is extremely hard to control in some areas and growers should choose chemicals with this fact in mind. The less expensive products are not always cost-effective when budworms have to be sprayed two and three times to realize adequate control. As of July 27, budworms comprise approximately 25 percent of total moths captured in traps close to Roby.

Treating small worms is the most effective control strategy. Worms that are one to three days old are much easier to eliminate than those allowed to survive for a week and enter a large boll. If eggs and small worms are seen above a 10-15 percent infestation level, and we continue to have hot weather, a treatment is justified in blooming, dryland cotton with good fruit set. Irrigated cotton should be treated when a 10 percent infestation is present.

Growers with headed maize should also check for worms in the heads by shaking 10 to 15 heads in a bucket. This should be done over the entire field and an average of 2.5 to 3 worms per head should be treated if crop potential is good.



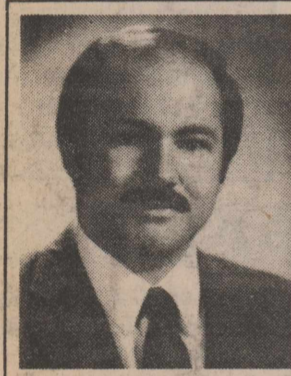
## Return from trip

These people from this area returned last week from a tour to Eastern Europe with visits in Finland, Russia, Poland and Germany. Included in the group are Shirley Bowlin of Abilene, Helen Boykin of Weinert, Irene Brown of Clyde, Dee and Desa Burton of Abilene, Nel Rey and Le Rey Coker of Throckmorton, Katherine Hawthorn of Abilene, Marie Ward of Aspermont, Douglas and Dorothy Myers of Munday, Raymond and Lucille Pickering of Lubbock, Gerry Spain of Haskell, Lois St. Clair of Morton, Bailey and Nancy Toliver of Haskell and J. C. and Lois Yeary of Rochester.

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## Carriker gets agriculture award

Steve Carriker of Roby has been named a "Man of the Year in Texas Agriculture" for 1988 by the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association.



Crickets have their hearing organs in their knees.

## Guess Who's Retiring?

Jewel Pittman has decided to become a lady of leisure after all these years.

Come by Haskell Butane Company Friday, August 5th and visit with Jewel. We will be serving refreshments from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon for all our friends and customers.

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