

Who are ours?

How many Haskell area men and women are participating in Desert Storm in the Persian Gulf?

The Free Press would like to have their names and addresses.

A number of local citizens have asked for names and addresses so they can write to the locals serving in the war zone.

An earlier appeal for names and addresses brought a few responses, but others are wanted. Concern of local citizens for those in the military has heightened since the war has begun.

All names and addresses (and photos if desired) of local participants in the Gulf war will be published as they are received.

Girl Scouts conducting cookie sale

Haskell Girl Scouts are conducting their annual cookie sale this week. Sales will continue through Saturday.

As in past years, the Girl Scouts are taking orders for seven different varieties of cookies. Delivery will be in February. Cost is \$2.50 per box.

All Haskell Girl Scouts are participating in the sale. Each local troop will benefit from the proceeds of the cookie sale.

Anyone wishing cookies who has not been contacted, may contact any Girl Scout.

Since Girl Scouts have been selling cookies to support their programs for more than 50 years, the cookie sale has become an American tradition.

Band students make all-district

Five students from Haskell were have been selected as members of the Region II South Zone All-District Band.

High school students named are: Manuel Ibarra, bass clarinet; Sarah Mullen, French horn; and Tiffany Lovell, trumpet.

Junior high members are Charissa Huff, trumpet, and Katy Martin, French horn.

These students will travel to Abilene Christian University Feb. 2 where they will spend the day rehearsing with other selectees from area schools.

A concert for the public will be performed by both bands, starting at 7 p.m. in the Cullen Auditorium at ACU.

Haskell residents are urged to attend and show their support for the students and the school's fine arts program.



Maidens win

Amanda Diaz lets one go in the Anson game Friday night. The Maidens defeated the Lady Tigers, 48-41.



Indians win

Cody Josselet of the Indians gets off a shot against Anson Friday night as Haskell opened the second half of the district season with a 68-50 victory over the Tigers.

Sales tax rebate down by 5 percent

Haskell's sales tax rebate this month was down nearly five percent from the rebate for the corresponding period of last year.

This month's check was in the amount of \$8,010.13, compared to \$8,430.87 in January of last year.

The January rebate check reflects taxes collected on November sales and reported in late December by businesses filing monthly returns. December rebate checks, encompassing the Christmas shopping season, will be mailed next month.

Rule received a check for \$1,124.73 and Rochester got \$603.46. Last January, Rule received \$974.80, while Rochester did not receive a check in January 1990.

The five-percent decline in Haskell's sales tax rebate contrasts with a statewide increase of 15 percent, fueled in part by increases in sales taxes in some cities.

In Stamford, the January tax rebate was up a whopping 63.85 percent, going from \$14,363.82 last year to \$23,391.94 this year.

Scouts compete in Pinewood Derby

Fifty Cub Scouts and their families gathered Jan. 12 for the annual Pinewood Derby at the little gym in Haskell.

The event started with the

judging of the best-looking cars. Many of these cars had hours and hours spent on their construction. Almost every style of racing car was built and there were several pickups made and one 18-wheeler.

Winners were Zack Collins, Lucas Castillo, Clay Hannsz, Michael Lindsay and Bryce Hudgens, with the best of the best going to Jason Shaw.

In the Tiger division, which is first grade, the winners were: Wes Steele, first place; Casey Moeller, second; and Loren Cole, third.

Wolf winners (second graders) were: Ross Pittman, first; Matthew Kirk, second; and Jimmy Huff, third.

Bear winners (third graders) were: Jason Trammell, first; John Mark Hodgins, second; and Travis Garison, third.

Webelo winners (fourth and fifth graders) were: Will Trammell, first; Caleb Brown, second; and Aaron Kirk, third.

After the division races were over, the four winners raced for the sweepstakes medals and the winner was Will Trammell, with Jason Trammell coming in second, Ross Pittman placing third and Wes Steele winning fourth.

Because of the cold weather and chicken pox, many of the Cub Scouts were not able to compete. Cubmaster Bob Cass encourages all who can to go to the district Pinewood Derby this coming Saturday in Rotan (old gym). Registration is from 1 to 2 p.m. with races starting at 2. A track is set up at W-W Motors for those who are still working on their cars.

Junior Stock Show gets underway today

Animals for the annual Haskell County Junior Livestock Show being arriving at the fairgrounds today (Thursday).

Beginning at 4 p.m. today, lambs and hogs will be weighed and steers will be measured.

At 9 a.m. Friday, judging of lambs, rabbits and poultry will get underway. Allen Turner of Ballinger will judge the lambs. Poultry and rabbits will be judged by David Finley, county agent of Wichita County.

The hog show will begin at 11 a.m. Friday. Lynn Walling of Howard College in Big Spring will judge the hogs.

The steer show begins at 9 a.m. Saturday and heifers will be shown immediately thereafter. Jeff Howard, county agent of Nolan County, will judge the cattle.

The annual premium sale begins at 2 p.m. Saturday. All area businesses and individuals interested in contributing to a very worthwhile youth project are encouraged to participate.

Approximately 85 of the top animals will be in the sale. Auctioneer will be Doyle High.

All FFA and 4-H members in Haskell County are eligible to compete in the livestock show.

Grilled hamburgers will be sold

during the show by the Junior Livestock Association and county extension clubs will have a concession stand.

Patrick Pace is general superintendent of the 1991 Junior

Livestock Show. Other show superintendents are Steve Green, poultry and rabbits; Bill Parks and Johnny Scoggins, lambs; J. C. New, hogs; and Dale Bullinger, steers and heifers.



School program

Sgt. Robert Fogarty handles questions from elementary students during a program he presented Tuesday morning.

Program features Army sergeant

Sgt. Robert Fogarty of the United States Army presented a series of programs to Haskell students Tuesday.

He was asked to visit the local schools to provide information and assurance to the students.

Three different programs were presented, one in the elementary school and two in the secondary

school. Fogarty answered students' questions and presented a display of protective devices against chemical warfare which have been issued to soldiers serving in the Persian Gulf. During his visit to Haskell, students were given an opportunity to send letters, drawings and small Texas items to the military personnel stationed in the war zone.

Fund established

Friends of Marvin and Lynn Blair may contribute to a medical fund set up for them by friends at AmWest Savings.

Blair is in Humana Hospital in Abilene where he underwent triple bypass heart surgery.

Rule students take UIL honors

Math and science teams from Rule High School and Junior High School took honors in a UIL meet in Midland Jan. 12.

The junior high calculator team placed first, and the same team placed third in sweepstakes competition. Team members included Allison Pike, Denise Wilson, Cory Robinson, Matt Pace, Kacy Baitz and Justin Sanders.

Individual awards went to: Rusty White: second in 12th-grade math, third in 12th-grade calculator; third in 12th-grade number sense.

Allison Pike: second in eighth-grade calculator; second in eighth-grade number sense.

Denise Wilson: second in seventh-grade calculator; second in seventh-grade math; third in seventh-grade number sense.

Cory Robinson: first in seventh-grade calculator.

Horse club hands out riding awards

The Haskell Horse Club announced its all-around prize winners for the 1990 playday season when members met Jan. 15 for a pizza buffet at the Pizza Barn.

Winners were announced following the meal and a business session, during which special recognition was given to Fuzzy Renfro for giving much in the way of support and advice to the cowboys and cowgirls.

Awards went to:

8 and under novice: Logan Morrow, first; Jed Gray, second; Casey Moeller, third.

8 and under: Jody Harvey and Roni Morrow, tied for first; Brittany Bartley, third.

9 to 12: Laura Shaw, first; Byron Gray, second; Hegan Lamb, third.

13 to 15: Susan Jarred, first; Sara Reves, second; Jill Harvey, third.

16 to 19: Robin Harrell, first.



Horse club winners

All-around winners in the Haskell Horse Club 1990 playday season included, first row from left, Jed Gray, Casey Moeller, Logan Morrow; middle row, Roni Morrow, Brittany Bartley, Fuzzy Renfro, Hegan Lamb, Byron Gray; back row, Susan Jarred, Robin Harrell, Sara Reves, Laura Shaw.

Cold can be dangerous

Although winter got off to a late start this year, it certainly came in with a bang around Christmas. One day we were in shorts and the next day wrapping our pipes.

In addition to possible frozen pipes, we need to remember that the cold winter weather poses the potential health threat of hypothermia. Conditions that may accompany or result from hypothermia include shock, seizures, pneumonia, kidney failure, gastrointestinal bleeding, heart attack, heart failure or cardiac arrest, coma and death.

The signs of hypothermia may include any of the following:

- Low body temperature; pale, puffy skin; low blood pressure or hypotension; heart rhythm problems or arrhythmias, aspiration, or inhaling stomach contents into the lungs; shortness of breath; decreased alertness and/or slowed speech; decreased pupil reactions (pupils in eyes not dilating appropriately); decreased or increased urination; low blood counts (decreased platelets and white blood counts); acidosis, or reduced alkalinity of the blood and body tissue; cessation or stopping of breathing.

People who are at increased risk for hypothermia are those who participate in outdoor activities, such as skiing, hiking, hunting and camping. The homeless are also at increased risk since they don't have

adequate protection against the cold.

Another high-risk group is the elderly. The reason, said Dr. Katherine M. Jew, a certified internal medicine and geriatrics physician at the Scott & White Santa Fe Center in Temple, is because "Although the elderly prefer the same environmental temperature as younger people (71.6 to 73.4 F), they do not adjust well to rapid temperature drops and have a more difficult time maintaining their body temperature."

In addition, bone-chilling cold weather is not necessary for elderly people's body temperatures to drop to hypothermic levels, and death can result in only a few hours. The rate at which the temperature changes and the duration of exposure are more critical for the elderly than how low the air temperature is. "Prolonged exposure to even mildly cold temperatures may be harmful and may go unrecognized as being dangerous by the patient," explained Dr. Jew.

"The elderly may even experience hypothermia indoors because of inadequate housing and insulation or inability to pay their heating bills," she added.

Simple steps to take to prevent hypothermia include:

- Follow an adequate diet that includes enough calories to produce the necessary body heat.
- Avoid alcohol and other drugs which predispose people to hypothermia, unless prescribed by and discussed with a physician.
- Wear sufficiently warm clothing to prevent heat loss (layered clothing, woolens, from the top of the head, gloves, etc.).
- Be sure that living quarters are well insulated and heated.
- Keep extra blankets in your car in case you are stranded while

traveling.

• Obtain good medical care for other illnesses or conditions, such as diabetes, hormone imbalances, heart disease, infections, strokes and other neurological diseases, which can lead to increased risk for hypothermia. Medications should also be closely monitored by your doctor.

• Exercise regularly to improve body temperature regulation.

If you suspect hypothermia is occurring, take the following steps:

- Remove any wet clothing.
- Wrap the person in warm blankets and give him something warm to drink.
- Get the person to an emergency room. Hypothermia is a medical emergency and should be treated as such.

Medical treatment for hypothermia depends on the complications and the severity of the patient's condition.

Single-parent families increase

Today, more children in both metro and non-metro areas live in a single-parent family than at any time in the past.

Since 1960, there has been a steady increase in the proportion of children (metro and non-metro) not living with both parents.

In 1988, nearly 25 percent of non-metro children lived in families without both parents present, up from 20 percent in 1980.

The same pattern is found among metro children, with almost 29 percent of them living in families without both parents in 1988, up from 25 percent in 1980.

This suggests that parental time with children and parental supervision may be less today than in the past.

Council plans projects

The Haskell County Extension Homemakers Council met for its first planning meeting in 1991 on Jan. 16 in the County Extension kitchen.

Reports were heard from each standing committee and all the standing committee recommendations were approved as written.

The major fund-raising project for the year was discussed. The project is a concession stand at the Haskell County Junior Livestock Show. Each of the Extension Homemakers clubs in the county is responsible for donating drinks and food items and for supplying workers. Haskell National Bank will furnish cups and Allsup's will furnish all the ice. Cups left from last year that were donated by H&R Block will also be used.

Other items discussed were the District Training meeting on Feb. 21, Tri-County Rally Day to be held in March and a FCL (Family Community Leadership) training to be held in Jayton on March 25. FCL is designed to increase the leadership capabilities and involvement of women (and others) in the public policy decision-making process. Because FCL teaches skills with the purpose of increasing leadership and involvement in community affairs, it is innovative. Representatives from other organizations who might be interested in this training are encouraged to contact the County Extension office at 864-2546.

The 1991 Council officers are Reatha Mullins, chairman; Dolores Medford, vice chairman; Ann Sinclair, secretary; Margaret Jones, treasurer; Jimmie Weinert, county TEHA chairman; and Alice Yates, TEHA vice-chairman.

Urban, rural families differ

Urban and rural areas have traditionally differed in their patterns of household and family size, growth and structure.

Rural and non-metro areas have had a higher proportion of married-couple households with minor children, a smaller percentage of single-parent families and a much lower proportion of persons living alone.

Previous research has identified some of the differences associated with rural living. These include more traditional attitudes about families, higher fertility, larger households, earlier age at marriage, and out-migration of couples of childbearing age.

Postmaster gives program to Weinert 4-H

The Weinert 4-H Club held a monthly meeting Jan. 14 in the home of Mrs. Alice Yates.

Don Haynie, postmaster at Weinert, was guest speaker. He presented a very informative and interesting program on how the U.S. Postal Service sorts and delivers mail each day. He discussed how the country is divided into Zip codes so mail can be handled easier, and he showed a video on how mail is sorted by machines. He also instructed the 4-H members on how to address letters for mailing.

Refreshments of cookies and Kool Aid were served by Mrs. Yates as the meeting concluded.

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A homestead exemption lowers the property taxes on your home by lowering its taxable value. For example, if your home is valued at \$50,000 and you receive a \$5,000 homestead exemption, your home will be taxed as if it were worth only \$45,000.

You qualify for a homestead exemption if you owned your home on January 1 and used it as your primary residence on that date. It doesn't matter whether your home is a house, a condominium, or a mobile home.

Exemptions are available to all homeowners to lower their school taxes. Additional exemptions are available to homeowners who are disabled or age 65 and over. And, if you receive the over-65 exemption, you also qualify for a ceiling on school taxes. Other exemptions may be offered to homeowners by school districts, counties, cities, and special districts.

Who should apply? If you received a homestead exemption on your home in 1990, you won't need to re-apply for 1991 unless your

chief appraiser requires it.

If you became 65 or disabled before January 1, file a new application to receive the additional exemptions.

If you haven't received an exemption on your present home, or if you've moved to a new home, make a new application for 1991.

File your homestead exemption with your local appraisal office at the address shown below.

The last day to file for applications is April 30, 1991. Contact your appraisal district before then if you need more time to file.

For more information, get a free copy of the pamphlet, *Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities*, at your appraisal district office or from the State Property Tax Board in Austin.

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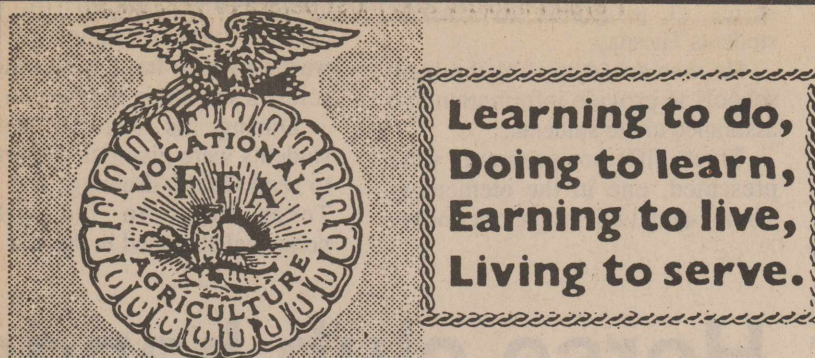
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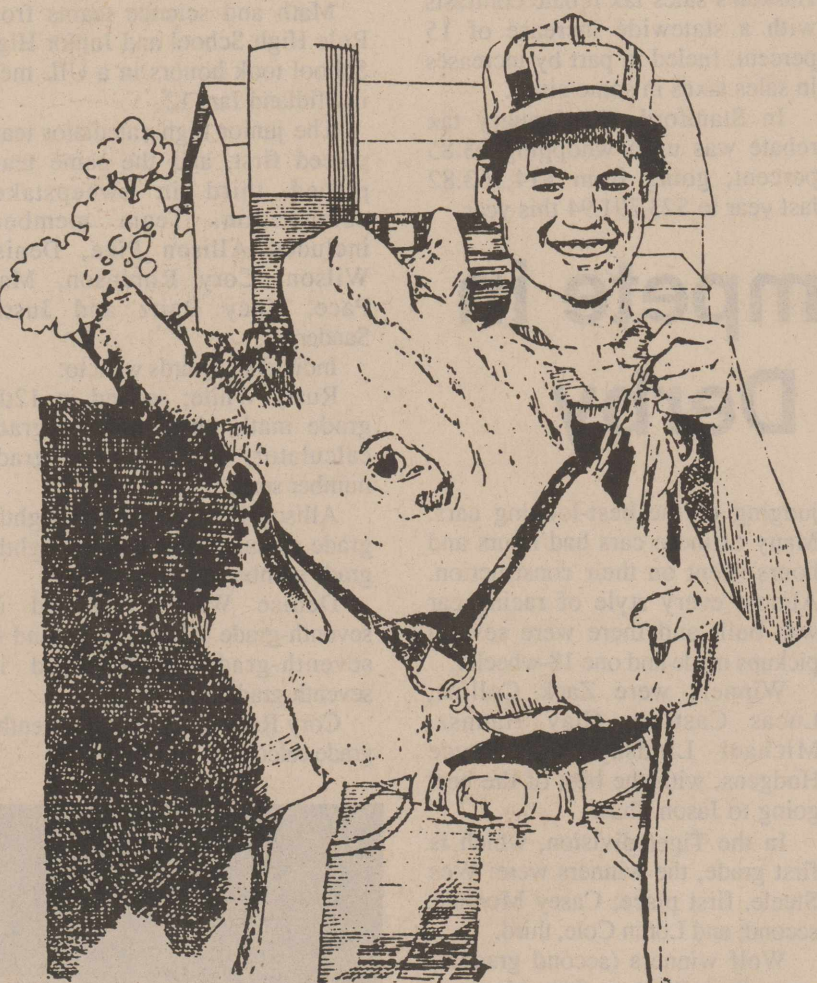


In Germany, Jack Frost appears as an old woman. When Old Mother Frost shakes her bed, snow begins to fall.



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Wind stripcropping

Wind stripcropping systems help reduce damage from wind erosion on highly erodible land. Strips of haygrazer planted with cotton on this field will provide an effective windbreak when left standing through winter and spring.

Farmers use stripcropping

By David Sikes
SCS Conservationist

Wind stripcropping systems have been installed by several farmers in Haskell County to help meet conservation requirements on highly erodible land. A wind stripcropping system, with proper installation and management, will greatly reduce soil damage from wind erosion.

The most common form of wind stripcropping in Haskell County involves alternate strips of haygrazer and cotton. This combination is used primarily on sandy, dryland farms which have either all or most of the crop base in cotton. In this situation, the haygrazer strips can be used for set-aside acres.

Proper installation of strips greatly improves the effectiveness of a stripcropping system. Whenever possible, strips should be in an east-west direction, perpendicular to damaging north and south winds. However, on fields that have terraces or steep slopes where water erosion is also a

concern, strips should follow the terraces or the contour of the land.

Haygrazer strips should be a minimum of four rows or 13.3 feet wide and have sufficient height and density to provide an effective windbreak for the adjoining cotton strips. Strips can either be planted or drilled, and other crops such as milo or wheat can be used in strips instead of haygrazer.

Strips should not be spaced more than 200 feet or 60 rows apart on most soils. This should provide adequate protection against wind erosion for the areas between the strips during winter and spring. This distance can vary slightly in order to match planting equipment.

Strips also need to have as much standing height as possible during winter and spring in order to be effective. If they are harvested for hay during the summer, the haying operation should be timed early enough to allow haygrazer to regain effective height before frost. This should apply to livestock grazing as well.

Haygrazer should not be plowed

out or destroyed until after the new cotton has been planted and started to grow. It can be replanted as late as mid summer and still have enough time to make sufficient growth before frost during normal years.

Rotation of haygrazer strips is desirable. It will prevent buildup of sand next to the strips, and will add needed organic matter to the soil. This can be accomplished if a second strip is left next to each haygrazer strip. The following year, cotton can be planted on the second strip while an equivalent four-row strip is left unplanted on the opposite side of the cotton. The strip left unplanted to cotton can then be planted to haygrazer during the summer. Thus a rotation is completed. Not easy, but it can be done.

The use of wind stripcropping is relatively new to most farmers here. Since it is new, some changes in farming methods should be expected. One change is certain, working the field will not be the same. Different equipment may also be required. But, if a workable wind stripcropping system can be used, many rewards should be expected too. Some of the rewards should be improvements in soil productivity and crop yields, and savings in labor and fuel due to fewer trips across the field to stop blowing.

Social Security recipients received a 5.4-percent cost-of-living adjustment in January. Since 1980, benefits have increased by 83 percent, keeping even with inflation.

Haskell Soil & Water Conservation District

Soil erosion on cropland after heavy rainfalls is a common occurrence in northwest Texas. The need to carry out conservation practices on all cropland areas may not be a necessity to meet compliance under the Farm Bill, but all cropland will benefit from applied conservation practices.

Haskell County averaged 34.22 inches of rainfall for the past year,

1990. Some of these rainstorms were of an intensity that caused soil erosion even on terraced fields.

According to Harry Koehler of the Soil Conservation Service, soil erosion on terraced land and be reduced by terrace maintenance using tillage plows that increase the height and size of the terrace ridge. Also, contour farming all crops parallel with the terrace ridge. Contour farming reduces soil loss and increases water intake, due to the plow furrows slowing down water movement.

Other conservation practices will also contribute to reducing soil loss such as crop residue use, and conservation cropping system. Crop residue use is simply leaving crop residues on the ground as long as possible. The more the land is plowed, the greater the potential for soil erosion. Conservation cropping system is a crop rotation that helps build up the soil by using a high residue crop or legume in rotation with a row crop such as cotton.

Cost share programs are available to assist a producer or landowner with the installation of conservation practices.

Information on these cost share programs are available at the Soil Conservation Service office, located at 1203A S. Ave. E, Haskell. The telephone number is 864-3212.

Haskell School Menu

Jan. 28-Jan. 1
BREAKFAST

Monday: Juice or fruit, cereal, buttered toast, milk.

Tuesday: Juice or fruit, biscuits with gravy, sausage, milk.

Wednesday: Juice or fruit, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Thursday: Juice or fruit, pancakes with syrup, peanuts, milk.

Friday: Juice or fruit, cereal, cinnamon toast, milk.

LUNCH

Elementary School

Monday: Beef and spaghetti, buttered corn, tossed salad, buttered hot rolls, chocolate pudding, milk, juice.

Tuesday: Corn dogs, pinto beans, vegetable sticks, brownies, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joes, french fries, pickle spears, diced pears, milk, juice.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, buttered hot rolls, sliced peaches, milk, juice.

Friday: Cheeseburgers, tater tots, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, cookies, milk, juice.

LUNCH

High School

Monday: Hamburgers or chicken on bun, french fries, salad bar, brownies.

Tuesday: Hamburgers or fish nuggets, french fries, pinto beans, salad bar, cornbread, fruit.

Wednesday: Hamburgers or beef and spaghetti, tater tots, buttered corn, salad bar, cookies.

Thursday: Hamburgers or steak fingers with gravy, french fries, creamed potatoes, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, fruit.

Friday: Hamburgers or chalupas, french fries, Spanish rice, salad bar, ice cream.

Note: Milk and tea are offered daily.

Menus subject to change.

Committee has first 1991 meeting

The 4-H Committee, which is a program area committee of the Haskell County Extension Program Council, met Jan. 16 for its regular quarterly meeting.

Lou Gilly and Max Stapleton, county extension agents, serve as advisors for the committee. The committee's main responsibility is to help make decisions and plans to keep the 4-H program in Haskell County up to date and functioning successfully.

Committee members meet on the third Wednesday of the months of January, April, July, August and October in the County Extension office kitchen at 5:15 p.m.

County residents serving on the committee for 1991 are:

Celinda Allison, Alice Ballard, Mindy Ballard, James Bevel, Kim Crawford, Kim Gilly, Cindy Guess, Heather Guess, Alexy Hearn, Angela Hisey, Susan Kitley, Helen Lammert, Jonathan Lammert, Doy McKenzie, Shana McKenzie, Leigh Ann Reel, Iris Riley, Odessa Riley, Abby Salinas, Kay Smith, Christie Stapleton, Gaile Swoyer, Jennifer Swoyer and Darlene Walton.

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Notes From The Rolling Plains

(Note: The following is one of a series of stories by noted wildlife photographer Wyman Meinzer offered by Haskell Save-A-\$ for your enjoyment.)

As the winding course of the Brazos river cuts its meandering path through the rolling plains of the Texas, how many of us have stopped to think of the source of this interesting water course and the history it has seen over the past 10,000 years? Far into the west, from out of the endless Llano Estacado, the first of the Brazos water starts its decent toward the Gulf of Mexico. From the shallow creeks on the semi-arid Llano, the water courses its path into the deep canyons of Garza county. Here, the South Prong of the Double Mtn. Fork of the Brazos is born. To the north, the north prong of the Double Mtn. Fork begins its life far above the city of Lubbock. Selfishly hoarding the water from the infrequent rains on the Llano, Blackwater Draw funnels its runoff from the plains of New Mexico through the lower reaches of Yellowhouse canyon and into the rolling plains beyond. In Kent county the two water courses converge, combining their transparent blood supply for its long journey toward the Gulf of Mexico. A few miles downstream though, the salt fork of the Brazos slices from the north, bringing with it the water from the rivers and creeks such as the Blanco, Red Mud, Duck and Croton. Just west of Rochester, Texas in Stonewall county the Double Mtn. and Salt Fork meet, combining their collective supply of pure and gyp water, sending it through our counties and into its winding journey to the coast. I love a river. I always have. Whether it is the unharnessed thrashing of its mighty flood waters during the spring rains or simply the question of "from where does the origin of this river began," I have always been intrigued by the rivers of our land. Without doubt these terrestrial vascular systems have also intrigued people long before our forefathers knew this country.

Wyman Meinzer

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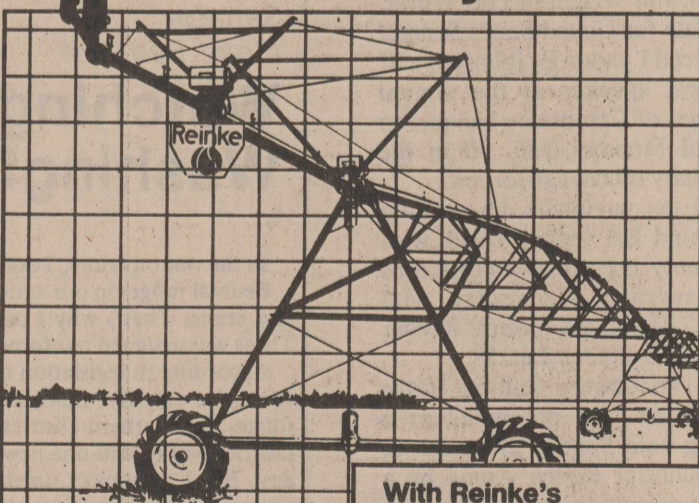
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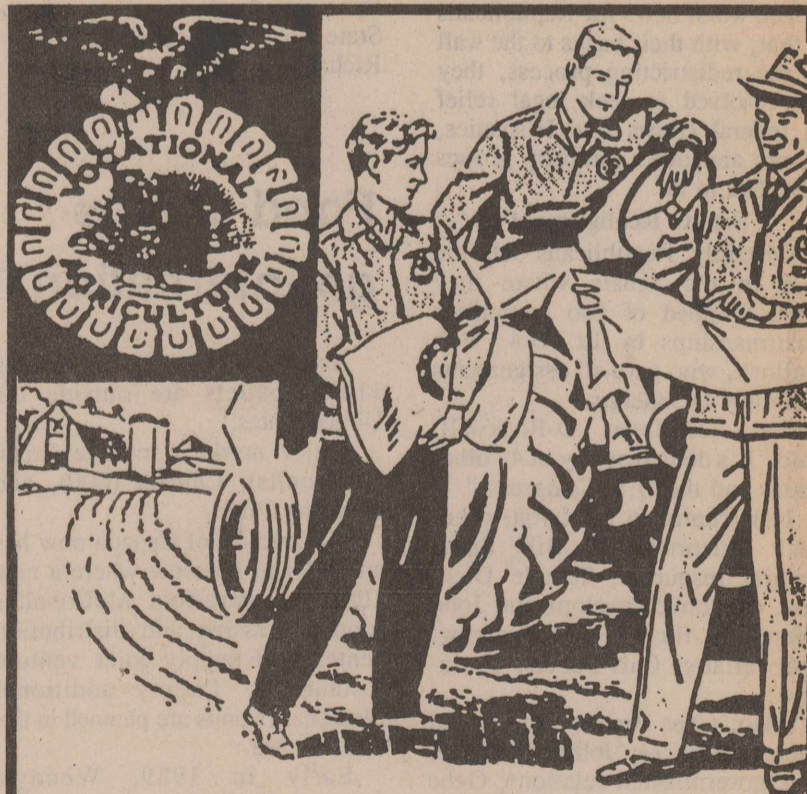
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HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - Promptly following inaugural ceremonies touted as "A New Day for Texas," the governor and lieutenant governor took steps to reward Democratic partisanship in her office and the Senate.

In the House, embattled Speaker Gib Lewis handed out choice assignments to seven Republicans, setting the tone for this Legislature.

It will be a struggle between liberals who want to organize the Legislature along political party lines against the remnant leadership of the good 'ol boy system.

Perhaps that is the fundamental movement that makes Lewis the political target he has become.

Facing the opportunity to dilute Texas Republicans by re-drawing district lines, liberal Democrats simply cannot afford to let Lewis survive politically.

Political Head Count

For four years, Texas Democrats have been blaming all the state's ills on Bill Clements, the lone Republican in upper echelons, but now state Republicans say if the Democrats falter, they'll have no one but themselves to blame.

After all, Democrats have:

- Eight of the 10 top statewide offices, including all major ones;

- A majority of 93 to 57 in the House, and Speaker Gib Lewis;

- A majority of 23 to 8 in the Senate, led by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock;

- All five seats on the Legislative Redistricting Board; and

- Fourteen of 18 statewide judicial offices with majorities on all courts, most notably the Texas Supreme Court.

It's poetic justice, some say, because now the Democrats must overcome a multi-billion dollar deficit caused in no small part by a decade of court-ordered spending by judges who are Democrats.

The worst news for Republicans is that, with their backs to the wall in the redistricting process, they are resolved to seek legal relief in federal courts like Hispanics, blacks and other minority groups have had to do.

Senate Realignment

Certainly Republicans felt the loss in the Senate where they were stripped of two committee chairmanships by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, who gave all assignments to fellow Democrats.

Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall, said "It's done that way in 49 other states and the U.S. Congress."

New chairmen are Lyon, criminal jurisprudence; Bill Sims, natural resources; Temple Dickson, economic development; John Montford, finance; Bob Glasgow, state affairs; Carl Parker, education;

Also, Chet Brooks, health and human services; John Whitmire, intergovernmental relations; Gene Green, jurisprudence; Bill Haley, administration; and Gonzalo Barrientos, nominations.

Sen. Parker also will chair a special subcommittee on insurance

and Eddie Bernice Johnson, a subcommittee drawing new congressional district lines.

Among its first official duties last week, the Senate, as a body, endorsed an ethics reform package and confirmed John Hanna as secretary of state and Lena Guerrero as railroad commissioner.

Seven GOP Chairmen

Republicans named by Lewis to chair committees are: Robert Eckels, county affairs; Jim Tallas, financial institutions; Edmund Kuempel, house administration; Tom Craddick, public health; Nolan Robnett, retirement and aging; Ashley Smith, science and technology; and George Pierce, urban affairs.

Texas DLC Chapter

Sen. Montford has launched a Texas chapter of the Democratic Leadership Council, a national group which aims to keep conservatives in the Democratic Party.

"This liberal bent won't fly anymore...we need to acquire the support of the 'moral majority,'" he said.

Some liberal Democrats say they did quite well this election, and Montford is simply establishing a base for his governor's race in 1994.

Texas Republican chairman Fred Meyer called Montford's effort a "last gasp" of conservative Texas Democrats, and predicted they will remain a minority within their own party.

Other Highlights

- Gov. Richards popped into a State Board of Insurance meeting to chide commissioners for an "outrageous" staff proposal to increase auto insurance rates 29 percent.

- U.S. Rep. Henry B. Gonzalez, D-San Antonio, asked for security against death threats he said he received because he is drafting a resolution to impeach President George Bush.

- Speaker Gib Lewis named Rep. Wilhelmina Delco speaker pro tempore of the Texas House. Delco, D-Austin, is the first woman appointed to that position.

- Bankrupt oil man Clinton Manges' 99,000-acre South Texas ranch has been sold at auction to Seattle-First National Bank, which held liens against the land and its minerals. Bank representatives offered \$21.59 million, the only bid received.

- Carolyn Crawford, director of guidance and psychological services for the Beaumont schools, was named chairwoman of the State Board of Education by Gov. Richards.

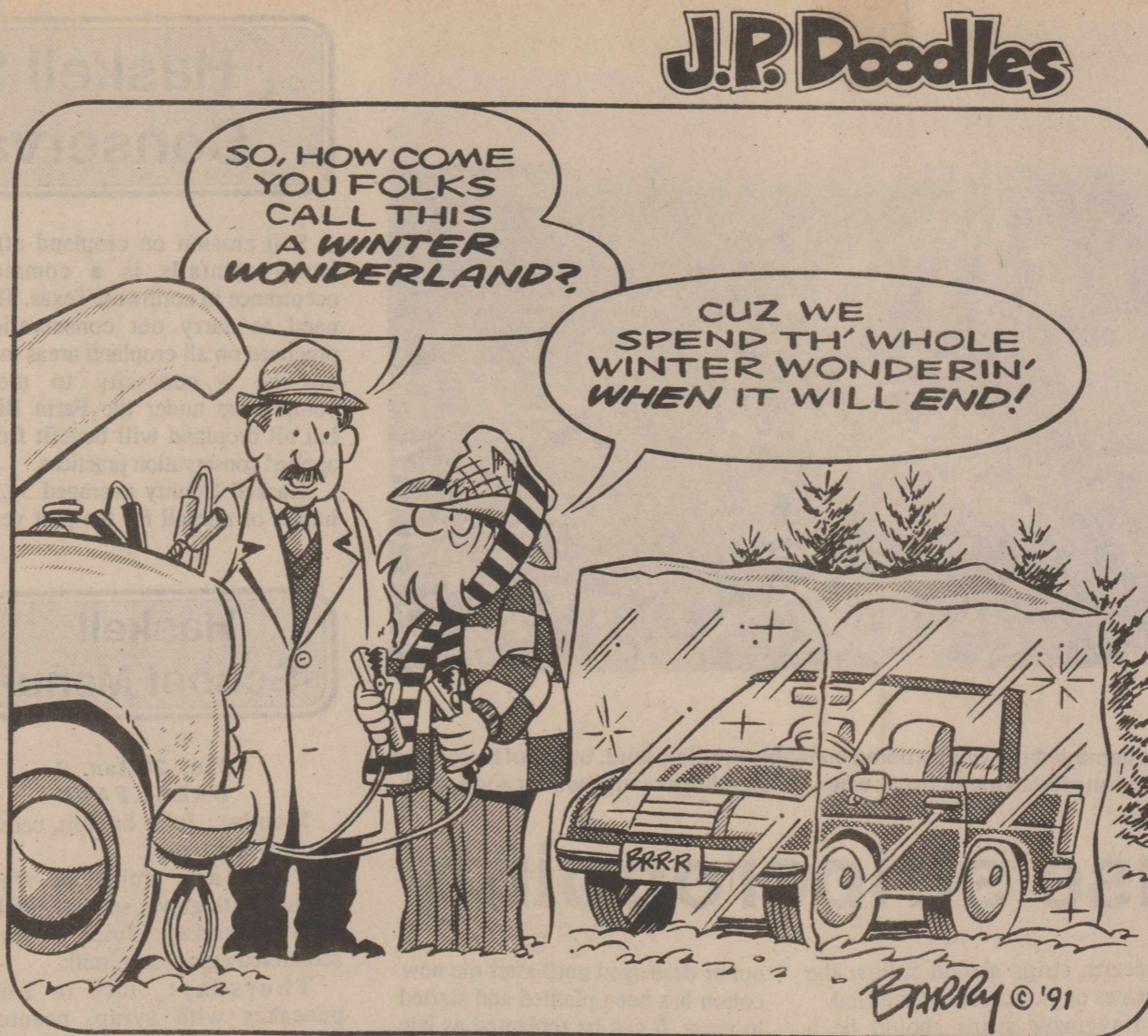
Food chains go international

About 25 percent of McDonald's 11,000 outlets are outside the United States.

Major markets include Japan (700 units), Canada (600), and Germany (300).

McDonald's of Canada now has an outlet in Moscow where a new 108,000-square-foot McDonald's food processing and distribution center will supply joint venture restaurants. Twenty additional McDonald's units are planned in the Moscow area.

Early in 1989, Wendy's International entered into a franchise agreement with a Saudi Arabian food company to open 30 fast food outlets along the Persian Gulf over the next five years.



--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

20 Years Ago
Jan. 21, 1971

Charley Franklin and Clifford Campbell, who played big roles in Haskell's drive to the state semifinals, made the Texas Sports Writers' Association Class AA all-state first team, while teammate Wayne Davis was named to the second team.

Marvin Phemister and Harlan Weinert of Weinert, J. W. Aycock of Haskell and Weldon Norman of Rule are in Austin attending a Farm Bureau legislative conference.

New directors of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce are Doyle High, Loraine Johnson, Mrs. R. A. Lane, Edith Wheatley and Bob Beauchamp.

The Texas Sports Writers' Association selected Jimmy Lisle of Rule to its 1970 Class B all-state football team. Lisle rushed for 2,144 yards during the past season.

The Haskell County Junior Livestock Show slated Saturday, Jan. 23, at the Fairgrounds will get underway at 8 a.m. with the judging of poultry and rabbits by Kirby Clayton, county agent of Jones County.

"Reservation Celebration" was the theme of the 1970 high school football banquet held Saturday at the elementary school lunchroom. Marilyn Fischer presented the 1970 football hero, Charley Franklin, and Keith Everett in turn presented the football sweetheart, Marilyn Fischer.

30 Years Ago
Jan. 19, 1961

Hon. Jim Wright of Fort Worth, candidate for United States Senator to succeed Lyndon B. Johnson, will be guest speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held Monday, Jan. 30 in the elementary school cafeteria.

Poll tax payments are running far behind last year, a check with the county tax assessor-collector's office revealed Wednesday, with only 1,270 poll tax receipts having been issued at noon Jan. 18.

The Tri-County Cutting Horse Association was organized at a meeting held Sunday afternoon at the Rochester Rodeo Arena by a number of cutting horse owners of this area. Felix Mullino of Rochester was elected president.

The Rev. Robt. C. Berry, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church here since 1956, has accepted a call to St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Galveston.

49 Years Ago
Jan. 16, 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arbuckle and children are moving to Grand Prairie this week where Mr. Arbuckle will be connected with the North American Aviation Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer and daughter, Louise, accompanied by Sue Collins, spent last weekend in Denton.

Supt. C. B. Breedlove of the Haskell Schools and County Supt. Matt Graham made a business trip to Austin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pearsey and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McElroy of Sweetwater, went to Houston this past weekend to attend the funeral of W. A. Whatley, a former resident of Haskell.

A Ford coach, belonging to J.

E. Walling Sr., which was stolen some time Thursday afternoon of last week, was recovered Friday night at Kaufman, after Sheriff Olen Dotson had broadcast a description of the stolen car over state police radio. Deputy Sheriff Jim Isbell and J. E. Walling Jr. went to Kaufman Saturday and returned the car to Haskell.

Mrs. Theron Cahill, Mrs. Bill Ratliff and Mrs. Ernest Kimbrough visited friends in Abilene Tuesday.

60 Years Ago
Jan. 15, 1931

Extensive improvements and additions to the Haskell County courthouse which will cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000 were authorized in an order passed Wednesday by the Commissioners Court.

One of the largest land deals transacted in this section in years was closed recently when the Ballard Ranch east of town was sold to Bob Coody of Caddo, Texas. The property comprised a total of 14,000 acres of land, together with improvements and all livestock of the ranch.

All officers and directors of the Haskell National Bank were re-elected for the current year at the regular annual meeting of stockholders held Tuesday afternoon. Officers and directors are: president, Mrs. M. S. Pierson; active vice president, O. E. Patterson; vice president, Hardy

Grissom, cashier, A. C. Pierson; assistant cashier, Miss Nettie McCollum; directors, J. U. Fields, J. W. Gholson, Hardy Grissom, John W. Pace, O. E. Patterson, A. C. Pierson, Mrs. M. S. Pierson, Dr. L. F. Taylor and G. W. Waldrop.

80 Years Ago
Jan. 19, 1911

Dr. J. E. Lindsey and Judge H. R. Jones left Tuesday to visit the El Paso Mid-Winter Carnival.

Peter Williamson has taken a position in Mr. Carney's grocery store.

A. P. McLemore has taken a position with F. G. Alexander and Company and will have charge of the store's grocery department.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Smith returned last week from Missouri where they visited their children who are with relatives and attending school there.

S. B. Street and son, Boyett, of Graham were here several days this week on business.

S. W. Scott and W. T. Hudson went to Kent County Thursday on business.

Did you know?

At race tracks, the favorite wins only about a quarter of the time.

Senator
Lloyd Bentsen

Watching Washington



In the war on crime, Texas needs to be fully armed.

Federal judges in our state have been under siege in the war against drugs and crime. That's why I pushed hard in the 101st Congress to make sure Texas was assigned reinforcements, eleven new federal judges.

According to legislation originally proposed in the Senate, the state was to receive only five new judges. The Western District was to gain one new judge, the Southern District was to receive three new judges, the Northern District was to add one new judge and the Eastern wasn't going to receive any. But I personally urged the Chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Senator Joe Biden, to give Texas more help.

The Southern and Western Districts, especially, are on the front line in the war against drugs. The boundaries of these districts include 889 miles of the Texas-Mexico border, the primary entry point for illegal drugs into the United States. As drug enforcement on the East and West Coasts has been beefed up, drug trafficking into these districts has increased to the point where virtually 50 percent of all their felony cases involve drugs.

Together these two districts had 15 percent of all federal drug felonies in the nation for the year ending June 30, 1989. Criminal filings during that period exceeded the national average by 300 percent. In a recent 16-month stretch, judges in these two districts sentenced 23 percent of all defendants in the entire country.

Ultimately, Chairman Biden agreed with me. The final bill that Congress approved will create eleven rather than five new judgeships in Texas, more than any other state. There will be three new judges assigned to the Western District, five to the Southern, two to the Northern and one in the Eastern.

These additional judges are a matter of national defense against the tide of illegal drugs flooding into this country. Getting more judges is not a matter of competition between the states because drugs that are smuggled into the United States through Texas are distributed all over the country. The Omnibus Crime Bill which Congress passed last year increased the number of drug and law-enforcement officers along the border. But the power of these new officers is diluted without the follow-through in the courts. No matter how many drug smugglers are caught, the effectiveness of our system grinds to a halt because of the logjam in the courtroom.

The flood of drug cases has virtually paralyzed the federal judicial system in Texas. Court dockets are so overloaded by the backlog of drug cases that it takes years to try civil cases. The new judges who will go to work in Texas promise to bring more swift and effective justice.

With the help of these new judges, the federal justice system in Texas will become less like a sieve and more like a net to help try and convict drug offenders.

plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

"Our country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong." Stephen Decatur (1779-1820).

Once when SMU was searching for a new football coach, all kinds of names surfaced as possibilities.

But one candidate stood out among all others. Not for who he was or what he was, but by the way he applied for the job.

Woody Woodward was coach at McPherson (Kan.) Junior College. He applied for the job at SMU where no one had ever heard of him. But his application, made on a postcard, impressed the powers that be. He got the job.

Years ago I ran an ad in a national trade publication for a circulation manager. I must have had a dozen replies. One stood out. The letter read: "I want to be your circulation manager. Pardon my bluntness, but I wanted to get to the point."

I hired Ronnie Bright of West Palm Beach, Fla., the author of that unusual letter. He showed the same spunk in his duties as he did in his application, and I never regretted the choice.

I was reminded of these two applications the other day when I read a story about how Shenandoah, Iowa, (population 5,541) landed a new \$7 million window plant which will bring 500 jobs to the community.

Communities from seven states had been competing for the plant before Shenandoah even got into the race.

The town's economic development director slapped together a scrapbook with photos and other data about the town and rushed it off to the company. He also sent a memo: "If you come to town, we want our book back. If you don't come to Shenandoah, then the hell with you. We want our book back anyway."

Company officials decided to take a look at the town. They then announced they were coming to Shenandoah.

There's a lesson in these three stories: The unusual approach often gets best results.

The three major television networks lost \$10 to \$15 million in ad revenue last Wednesday by bumping their regular programming to cover the war in the Gulf.

ABC and NBC aired a few commercials Wednesday night, but CBS broadcast commercial-free until Thursday morning, and CNN dropped commercials for the first 12 hours after the shooting began.

By Thursday, when the commercials returned, the networks were bombarded with cancellations from advertisers who didn't want their messages mixed with images of death and destruction.

Columnist Erma Bombeck translates "Childrenese" into English:

"My teacher doesn't like me." (The kid is flunking.)

"For no good reason she sends me to the office." (The substitute teacher for English was airborne for 30 seconds.)

"There's no reason for you to come to school." (There's at least one, maybe more.)

"Miss Pruet doesn't believe in homework." (She doesn't believe in Santa Claus, either, but she passes out gifts.)

"Mr. Harwood thinks I can do better." (He knows you can't do worse.)

"Everybody else's mother doesn't call to check on him. She trusts him." (Everyone else's mother has an unlisted phone number and no name.)

All that talk out of Washington doesn't come from Congress. The city has 130 telephones for every 100 residents, tops in the nation.

Nationwide, there are 56 telephones for every man, woman and child.

The Novice boys' basketball team is equally inept---on offense and on defense.

Last Friday, they lost to Cross Plains by a score of 105-19, to bring their record to a perfect 0-10.

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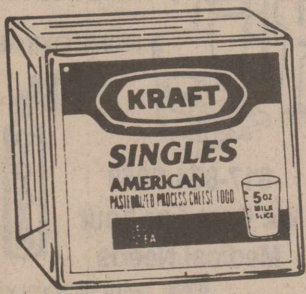
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Cover Girl..... **\$1.29**

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Radishes.....4/\$1.00
WASHINGTON RED DELICIOUS
Apples.....Pound **59¢**
CALIFORNIA HASS
Avocados.....Each **59¢**
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Fathering center to open at ACU

The average father living at home with his family spends 37 seconds in meaningful time with his children each day, according to a 1985 study by Harvard professor Dr. A. Nicholi.

"Busy dads with good intentions are doing the best they can with little knowledge and support," said Dr. Michael O'Donnell, director of the new Southwest Center for Fathering and Abilene Christian University associate professor of family studies. "The center can give fathers insights and skills to make them more effective as dads--whether they already feel confident in the role or feel like complete failures.

The Southwest Center for Fathering at ACU is the first university-based center in the nation. The center is licensed to offer the just-published fathering curriculum and Personal Fathering Profile developed by the National Center for Fathering in Manhattan, Kan., and is the first regional center of its kind.

Official opening ceremonies for the SWCF are scheduled Jan. 28 at 10 a.m. in the main room of ACU's McGlothlin Campus Center. Dr. Ken R. Canfield, executive director of the National Center for Fathering, will be in Abilene that day to support the establishment of ACU's regional Center for Fathering.

From 10 to 11:30 a.m., fathers and church leaders will have their first opportunity to preview the scientifically generated, biblically based fathering curriculum and Personal Fathering Profile, a unique assessment tool that helps men identify their fathering style, strengths and weaknesses.

The PFP's resulting 12-page report guides fathers to the perceptions and activities that can help them achieve more success as fathers and feel more satisfaction from fathering, said O'Donnell,

who also serves as president of the National Family Life Institute headquartered at ACU. When used in fathering seminars or small groups, the PFP provides fathers the opportunity for positive peer feedback and encouragement, he added.

"The Personal Fathering Profile was designed and refined through surveying more than 3,000 fathers," said Dr. Walter Schumm, professor of human development/family studies at Kansas State University. "Scientifically it is better than any other fathering measure I know of."

Schumm's colleague, Dr. Judson Swihart, associate professor at KSU and bestselling author, worked with Canfield to complete the fathering research. Canfield calls the PFP "one of the most constructive tools available to fathers today."

The Southwest Center will certify group leaders to take the PFP and fathering curriculum into churches and other organizations nationwide. Classes and workshops using the new curriculum will be offered for fathers through ACU's Department of Home Economics and Family Studies for credit or continuing education units, said Dale Pike, consultant for continuing education at ACU. Certified instructors also will present the curriculum to various organizations throughout the Southwest.

"America's churches have been weakened during the past three generations by fathers who don't understand their unique role in the family," Pike said. "This is evidenced by huge numbers of failed marriages, dysfunctional families and inappropriate fathering models. The SWCF is uniquely positioned to help fathers understand how they approach fathering, pinpoint their strengths and weaknesses and develop a plan to improve their skills in this most important role

in the family."

The goals of the Southwest Center for Fathering are:

- To be a clear voice, championing the role of fathering in America.

- To equip professionals, laymen and groups working with fathers to more skillfully help these men to actively lead in their home and in their children's lives.

- To be a leading study center, library and most credible source of fathering data.

- To research the unique challenges faced by fathers who are culturally different, minorities, in the military, in prison, executives, religious leaders and those who have the special role of stepfather, grandfather and non-custodial father.

For more information about attending the curriculum preview or about the Southwest Center for Fathering, call (915) 674-2092.

McMurry schedules preview

Approximately 100 high school juniors and seniors are expected on the McMurry University campus in Abilene Feb. 3-4 for a preview of college life.

Final day to sign up for the event is Jan. 28. Cost, which includes lodging and meals, is \$10.

Registration will be from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, in the United Methodist Campus Center. An opening session and welcome begins at 2:30, followed by activities with Indian Insight, a student support group for the admissions office.

Dinner will be served at 5 p.m. in the Mabec dining hall. Auditions for band, choir, or theater will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. and a dance will take place from 9 to midnight in the Campus Center.

Activities on Monday, Feb. 4, begin with breakfast at 8 a.m. in the dining hall. A session for parents will be from 9 to 10 a.m. in the Presidential dining room of the Campus Center. From 9 a.m. to noon, students may attend three different McMurry classes. A brown-bag luncheon with faculty members begins at noon in the Mabec room of the Campus Center.

For registration information, call the McMurry office of admissions, 915-691-6226.

Cook named to house committees

State Rep. John R. Cook was appointed Jan. 17 by Speaker Gib Lewis to membership on the House Energy Committee and the House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

The Energy Committee in the House of Representatives is composed of nine members of the house with jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to the conservation of energy resources in Texas, the production, regulation, transportation and development of oil, gas and other energy resources, mining and development of mineral deposits, pipelines, pipeline companies and all others operating as common carriers in the state. The committee also has jurisdiction over matters relating to the Texas Railroad Commission.

The House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence is also composed of nine members in the house with jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to criminal law, probation, parole, criminal procedure in the courts of Texas, revisions and amendments of the Penal Code and fines and penalties arising under civil laws. The committee also has jurisdiction in matters relating to the office of the state prosecuting attorney and the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council.

Cook's appointments were made by the speaker rather than through seniority since this is Cook's first term.

Each member of the house was

provided the opportunity to give the speaker an indication of his or her first two preferences on committee assignments. Cook said he had requested the Energy Committee as his first choice since the economy of the district and state are so tied to energy related business. He did not receive his second choice which was the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

Cook said he believes the opportunity to serve on the Energy Committee will be beneficial to the 64th district and his service on the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee will give him some input in working to provide stronger laws relating to sentencing of drug dealers.

Cisco College nears new record

Cisco Junior College appears to be headed for a record spring enrollment.

While late registration continues through Jan. 25, as of Jan. 16 there were 1,924 students enrolled in semester hour courses on all campuses, said Olin Odom, CJC dean of admissions and records.

"This should be our biggest spring enrollment ever," said Odom. "We've had growth both in Cisco and off-campus."

Of the total to date, 651 are enrolled in Cisco, with 1,258 at Clyde and Abilene and five at Coleman. These figures compare to 1990 spring semester totals of 643 at Cisco, 1,098 at Clyde and Abilene and 16 at Coleman.

"In addition to the semester hour students, we have 75 students in vocational nursing and 23 students in cosmetology," said Odom. "That makes a grand total of 2,022."

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Medical Patients
Lewis Cox, Jr., Rule
Oscar Linton, Haskell
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Dismissals

Bill St. John, Curtis
Pennington, Walter Rinehart,
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Vivian Hunt.

Closed Friday

The Paint Creek School and tax office will be closed Friday, Jan. 25, for the Haskell County Junior Livestock Show.

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Failure to receive a tax statement does not excuse you from paying taxes. If your 1990 property taxes are not paid by Jan. 31, you will be charged penalty and interest fees.

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in the state of **Texas**, at the close of business on **December 31**, 1990, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter Number **14539** Comptroller of the Currency **Eleventh** District

Statement of Resources and Liabilities

| | | Thousands of dollars |
|--|---|----------------------|
| ASSETS | Cash and balances due from depository institutions: | |
| | Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin | 540 |
| | Interest-bearing balances | -0- |
| | Securities | 6,574 |
| | Federal funds sold | 1,975 |
| | Securities purchased under agreements to resell | -0- |
| | Loans and lease financing receivables: | |
| | Loans and leases, net of unearned income | 7,924 |
| | LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses | 115 |
| | LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve | -0- |
| | Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve | 7,809 |
| | Assets held in trading accounts | -0- |
| | Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases) | 140 |
| | Other real estate owned | 78 |
| | Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies | -0- |
| Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding | -0- | |
| Intangible assets | 400 | |
| Other assets | 17,516 | |
| Total assets | -0- | |
| Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) | -0- | |
| Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) | 17,516 | |
| LIABILITIES | Deposits: | |
| | In domestic offices | 15,955 |
| | Noninterest-bearing | 2,455 |
| | Interest-bearing | 13,500 |
| | Federal funds purchased | -0- |
| | Securities sold under agreements to repurchase | -0- |
| | Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury | -0- |
| | Other borrowed money | -0- |
| | Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases | -0- |
| | Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding | -0- |
| Subordinated notes and debentures | -0- | |
| Other liabilities | 175 | |
| Total liabilities | 16,130 | |
| Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus | -0- | |
| EQUITY CAPITAL | Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus | -0- |
| | Common stock | 50 |
| | Surplus | 200 |
| | Undivided profits and capital reserves | 1,136 |
| | LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities | -0- |
| | Total equity capital | 1,386 |
| | Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) | -0- |
| Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) | 1,386 | |
| Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) | 17,516 | |

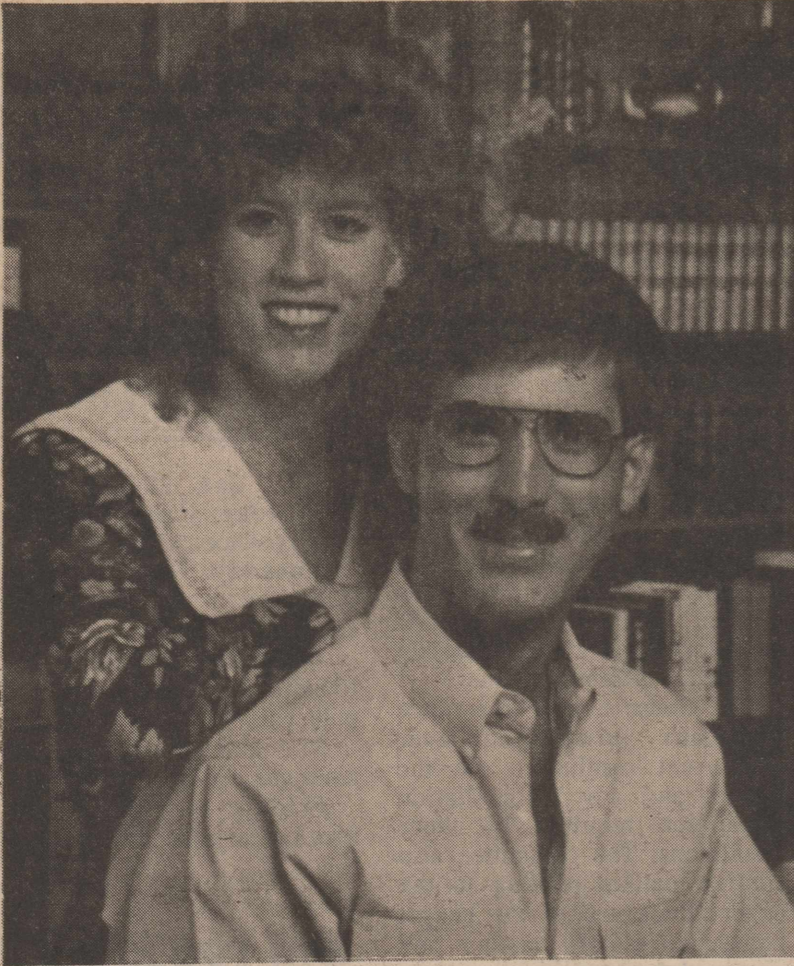
We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Mary Lou Landes
Name
Vice President
Title

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

Directors

Mary Lou Landes
Signature
January 18, 1991
Date



Engaged

Dave and Joan Cotton of The Colony and Diana and Richard Lang of Hamilton, Mass., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tammy Jean, to Clifton Dean Brister, son of Vernon and Judy Brister of Wellington, formerly of Haskell. The bride-elect graduated from Lewisville High School and Texas A&M University with a degree in bio-chemistry. She is a chemist for Lone Star Gas in Dallas. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Haskell High School and Texas A&M University with a degree in bio-chemistry. He is employed by DuPont Chemical Co. in Edinburg. A March 9 wedding is planned at The Colony Park Baptist Church in The Colony.

Mary Kaigler:
From the Inside Out

People in small towns become caring. I think it is an environmental fallout, touching all. Finding yourself in need of a helping hand from the Lord will find your name on the prayer list at all the local churches. Understanding that the Lord is no respecter of persons, these people find no difficulty in being the same way. They pray for the welfare of all, even though they disagree on how all are going to get to heaven. Just the fact that so many of them are conscientiously planning to eventually live in heaven makes for a good atmosphere for the living in the here-and-now.

In just a short time here we have observed it, experienced it and come to appreciate that side of Haskell that is caring for others.

When my Dad's 92-year-old body and mind began to falter we brought him here to live with us. Wanting to keep him at home with us as long as possible, we didn't always know the best way to handle the situation.

One morning, as I brought his untouched breakfast tray back downstairs, the phone rang. "I'm thinking of your father today," she said in her native Lebanese accent. "You must always remember that nothing you have to do will ever be too hard or too much for you." Knowing some of my frustration---guessing the rest---the perceptive, little, dry-goods merchant brought me from sighing to singing in five minutes of "care and share."

The day came when the call came from the nursing home where we'd placed Dad just four days before. "Honey, it's your daddy," the nurse said. "You need to come, right now!" We were there in five minutes.

Knowing we have no other family here the doctor called his wife to come. She was waiting outside the door of Dad's room to offer a kind shoulder before we went in to see him gone. Also warming the cold moment, the nurse took time to tell me how Dad softly prayed the whole of the previous night, touching her life by it.

I see many, caring, small town women as today's Renaissance women. Whole, strong, aware and open to life, there is nothing small about them except the town they live in. With elegance, good taste and dignity---with all the social graces---they are equally at ease with touring Europe, China and Russia, or making pear preserves; hosting a county-wide fund raiser, or birthday party for a child's dog; operating a successful business in a designer suit, or shelling black-eyed peas for a church dinner in tee shirt and jeans; enjoying a play in New York, or the 4-H stock show at the county fair; teaching illiterate adults to read English, or delivering hot meals and warm comfort to elderly shut-ins. Involved and capable, they find the time to be complete. Busy, yet balanced.

Finding time, taking time, giving time---because they care. Maybe this is the basis of the special culture of the country; the essence of its humanness. Coming from places where time is taken

from us in our pursuit of things cultural, it is pleasant to be in a place where these things have time to find us.

It may have something to do with age---I don't know---but I find that there is a comforting sense of belonging in being where you not only know who your neighbors are, but also their greats and great-greats; where you feel that every board in the innards of your old house was personally chosen for you almost before you were born; where you see people caring and see yourself caring. There is an awareness of being part of the continuity of life when you can see the memories, contentment and love of the land in the eyes of your husband as he walks through the fields and cuts wood in the pastures of the little farm he bought 50 years ago from his grandfather's estate.

I see him, and I know that I, too, have come home---back to a place I've never lived before---to an experience in living that I would be lessened to have missed.

4-H club managers make plans

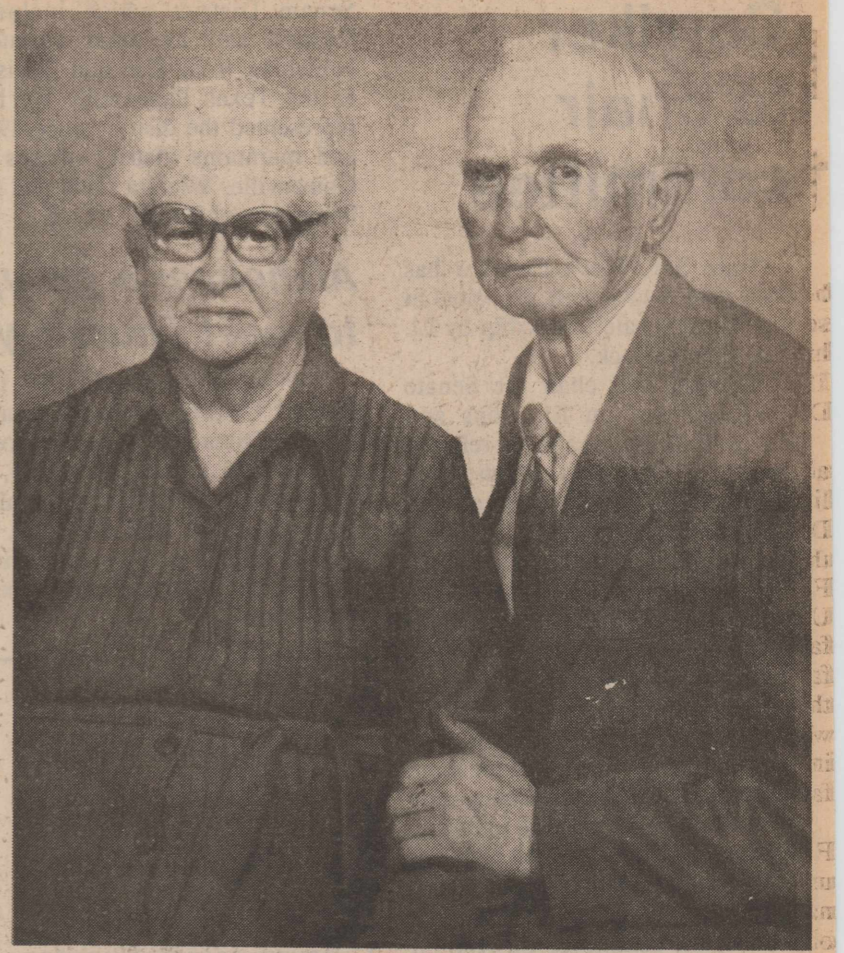
The Haskell County 4-H Club Managers and Assistant Club Managers met for their first quarterly planning meeting for 1991 on Jan. 16 in the County Extension office kitchen.

The primary role of the 4-H club manager and assistant 4-H club manager is to manage the operation of the 4-H club in their community in such a manner that each 4-H member has a good 4-H educational experience and can develop to his or her full potential.

Club managers and assistants for the Community 4-H Clubs in Haskell County are as follows:

- Haskell: Kay Smith, manager; Christie Stapleton, assistant.
- Paint Creek: Kim Crawford, manager; Darlene Walton, assistant.
- Rochester: Alice Ballard, manager.
- Rule: Celinda Allison, manager; Susan Kittley, assistant.
- Sagerton: Helen Lammert, manager.
- Weinert: Alice Yates, manager; Mary Murphy, assistant.

Anyone interested in joining a 4-H club should contact a club manager or assistant or the County Extension office at 864-2546.



Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rueffer

Rueffer couple to celebrate 50th

Friends and relatives of Gus and Henrietta Rueffer are invited to a reception and dance on Feb. 2 in the Civic Center in observance of the couple's 50th wedding anniversary.

The reception will be from 6 to 8 p.m., with the dance scheduled between 8 and 11 p.m.

Rueffer was born in 1906 in Williamson County and moved to Haskell in 1907. He has farmed in the same community all his life.

He attended Cottonwood school. Mrs. Rueffer, the former Henrietta Vanderworth, was born in Stonewall County in 1910 and attended school in Old Glory.

They were married Jan. 28, 1941, at her home in Old Glory.

They have a daughter, Kathryn Schonerted of Decatur, three grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and four step-great-grandchildren.



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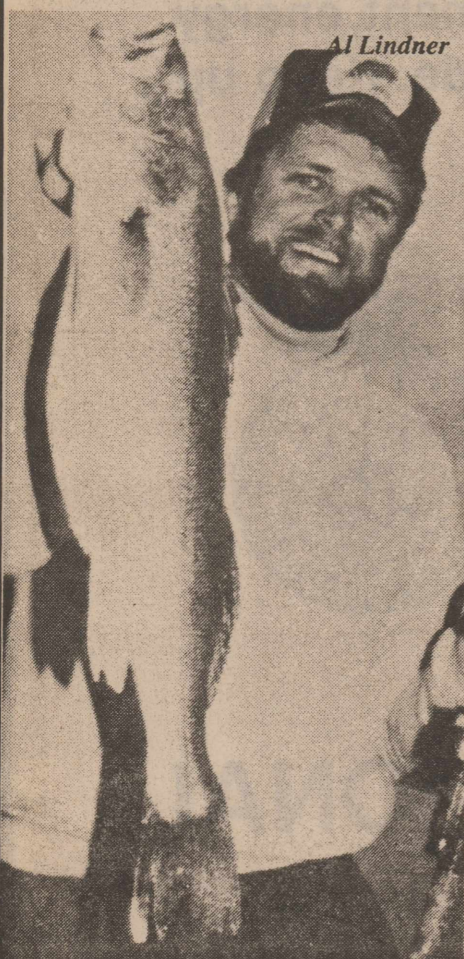
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Carriker to chair committee

State Sen. Steve Carriker has been named to several key slots in the Texas Senate leadership by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock.

Carriker will chair the Senate Subcommittee on Elections and Ethics. Bullock has already referred the ethics reform bill, which is co-authored by Carriker, directly to Carriker's subcommittee.

In addition, Carriker was named to the chairmanship of the Senate Subcommittee on Agriculture. As the only member of the Senate who makes his living from farming, Carriker said he will use his experience to help protect farmers and ranchers from burdensome regulations and meddlesome state agriculture inspectors, and to further the economic development potential for value-added processing of Texas' basic crops. Carriker will also serve on the full committee on Natural Resources handling water, energy and environment.

Also, Carriker was named to the Committee on Economic Development and to its Subcommittee on Insurance. All legislation dealing with insurance must pass through this committee, and with Gov. Ann Richards' commitment to representing consumer interests and additional accountability of the insurance industry and the State Board of Insurance, the Insurance Subcommittee will have a crowded agenda.

Finally, Carriker was named to the Special Subcommittee on Legislative Districts and will continue in his position on the Sunset Commission.

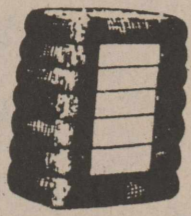
Carriker represents the 30th

Senate District which includes Haskell and 29 other counties stretching from Sherman-Denison to the Texas Panhandle. He has represented the district since 1988 and maintains district offices in Gainesville, Wichita Falls and his hometown of Roby.

Alzheimer's group to meet Thursday

The monthly meeting of the Haskell County Alzheimer's and Related Disorders support group will be held today (Thursday). It begins at 7 p.m. in the community room of the First National Bank.

Lou Gilly, county extension agent-home economics, will present the program.



HASKELL COUNTY GIN REPORT
By: Max Stapleton
County Extension Agent
January 21, 1991

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|-------------------|---------------|
| Haskell: | |
| Farmers Co-op Gin | 7841 |
| Haskell Co-op Gin | 11,683 |
| Rochester: | |
| Farmers Co-op Gin | 5555 |
| Rule: | |
| Rule Co-op Gin | 6641 |
| Denson Gin | 5000 |
| O'Brien: | |
| O'Brien Gin | 16,100 |
| Weinert: | |
| Paymaster Gin | 6330 |
| Weinert Gin | 6013 |
| Total: | 65,163 |

Kiwanis governor to visit area

Edwin L. "Eddie" Slough of Waco, governor of the Texas-Oklahoma district of Kiwanis International, will make his official visit to Kiwanis division 35 on next Thursday (Jan. 31).

The T-O district is one of the 45 districts of Kiwanis International with a membership of approximately 17,000 Kiwanians in 41 divisions made up of 480 clubs. Kiwanis International has a membership of 324,724 in 8,711 clubs located in 69 nations and geographic areas of the world.

In the Big Country, division 35 is made up of approximately 800 Kiwanians in 18 clubs which include two clubs in Sweetwater; one club each in Haskell, Stamford, Albany, Breckenridge, Ranger, Eastland, Cisco and Cross Plains; three clubs in Clyde; and five clubs in Abilene. James Jennings of the Greater Abilene Club, is lieutenant governor of division 35.

Slough and his wife, Faye, will be honored by division 35 Kiwanians at a reception and dinner to be held at Briarstone Manor in Abilene. He will meet with club officers in a council meeting at 6:15 p.m. and will then be the featured speaker at the banquet beginning at 7:15.

The theme of Kiwanis International for the year is "Children, a Kiwanis Concern," and the major emphasis program for a new three-year period, 1990-93, is "Young Children, Priority One."

Another major project of Kiwanis International in recent years has been its support of the Children's Miracle Network Telethon. The combined efforts of Kiwanis clubs internationally have given \$1 million annually to participating hospitals, one of which is Hendrick Medical Center.

Duane Gilly is president of the Haskell Kiwanis Club.

Women's workshop at HSU

Hardin-Simmons University and the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) are offering a seven-session workshop especially designed for midlife and older women from Feb. 4 through March 25 at the Johnson Building for the School of Business. The seminar will be on Mondays from 4 to 6 p.m.

The Women's Financial Information Program will include sessions on how to get organized, how to create a budget, and how to build financial security. The program will teach participants how to conduct financial inventories, how to design personal cash flow systems and how to plan for retirement.

There is a \$25 registration fee for persons attending the seminar. A money management workbook and other class material are provided. For registration information, call 915-670-1230 before the Feb. 1 deadline.

The average hippopotamus has a 10-foot stomach.

-BIRTHS-

Thomas and Mary Rodriguez of Haskell are proud to announce the birth of their son, Thomas James Rodriguez, born at 9:10 a.m. on Dec. 31, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

He weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

He was welcomed home by an older brother, Michael, and a sister, Gina.

Committee to emphasize family life

The Home Economics Committee, a program area committee of the Haskell County Extension Program Council, met Jan. 16 for its first quarterly planning committee meeting of 1991.

Serving on the Home Economics Committee for 1991 are Phylecia Bailey, Anita Payne Dabney, Frances Fischer, Donny Lammert, Reatha Mullins, Ophelia Newsom, Iris Riley, Odessa Riley, Mildred Robertson, Abby Salinas, Kay Smith, Wanda Thompson, Nancy Toliver and Alice Yates.

The committee's major area of emphasis for 1991 will be "Family Life Education." Target audience will be young families. The educational programs and activities planned for the year include: (1) a news series entitled, "Parenting for the '90s," (2) parenting classes to be held in April, (3) a parenting fair in August, (4) an information letter, "Responsible Self Care for Latchkey Children, to be sent home with all third-grade students in the county during the month of September, (5) a seminar on family care giving in October, and (6) a workshop in November designed to encourage family members to pass down their heritage through cultural arts.

More specifics about each of these activities will be advertised immediately before the activity.

Lou Gilly, county extension agent-home economics, serves as advisor to the committee.

Did you know?

Beneficiaries age 65-69 can earn up to \$9,720 in 1991 without loss of Social Security benefits. Benefits are reduced by \$1 for every \$3 of earnings above \$9,720. For beneficiaries 70 and older, benefits are not reduced because of earnings from work.

Stenholm appointed to Budget

Congressman Charles Stenholm has been appointed to the Budget Committee in the House of Representatives for the 102nd Congress.

"With our current situation in the Middle East and our economy, the Budget Committee will be faced with some of the most important decisions of Congress during this session," explained Stenholm. "I am pleased that I will be closely involved in these major issues."

The House Budget Committee maintains jurisdiction over concurrent resolutions on the budget and any reconciliation legislation required by these resolutions. The committee also studies matters relating to tax expenditures and to the budget consequences of existing and proposed legislation as well as holding hearings on the state of the economy. In addition, the committee reviews the operations of the Congressional Budget Office, a nonpartisan congressional agency established by the Budget Act to assist Congress with budget analyses.

Stenholm said his membership

on the committee requires that he step down from his seat on the Veterans' Affairs Committee. But he said he will continue to be active in health concerns for the 17th district in his position as co-chairman of the Rural Health Care Coalition.

Rule - School Menu-

Jan. 28-Feb. 1

Monday: Steak fingers, gravy, baked potatoes, salad, rolls, milk.

Tuesday: Fajita, taco sauce, refried beans, lettuce and tomato salad, milk, cookie.

Wednesday: BBQ on bun, tater round-about, ranch style beans, milk, cake.

Thursday: Sausage pizza, corn, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Friday: Hamburgers, french fries, burger salad, milk, brownie.

Did you know?

The average Social Security retirement payment is now \$602 per month, with benefits to a retired worker and spouse averaging \$1,022 monthly. New beneficiaries with maximum earnings who retire at age 65 in 1991 will receive \$1,023 per month.

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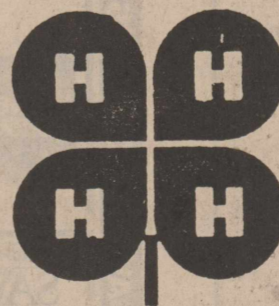
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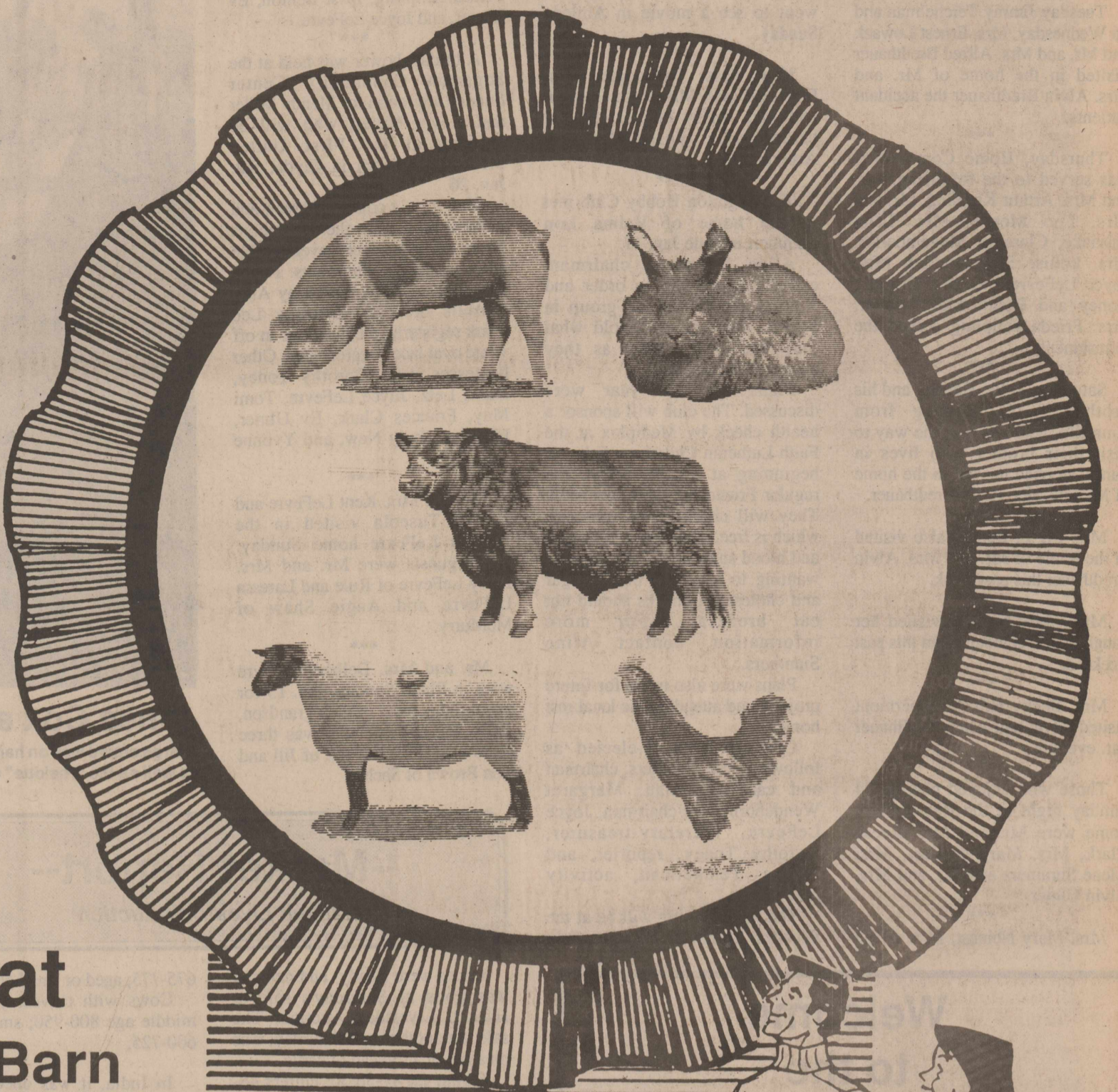
We extend a warm and hearty welcome to the visitors attending Haskell County's Annual Junior Livestock Show and Sale!

The youth representing the 4-H and FFA Clubs of Haskell County are very enthusiastic about this years show, and thank you for supporting them as they build for the future.

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Friday, Jan 25 9 a.m.
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Friday, Jan 25 11 a.m.
Hog Show

Saturday, Jan 26 9 a.m.
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--Sagerton--

by Alice Bredthauer
 Tuesday Jimmy Teichelman and on Wednesday, Mrs. Ernest Lowack and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bredthauer visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer the accident patients.

 Thursday, Home Communion was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knipping, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Monse, Mrs. Lena Schaake, Clarence Stegemoeller, Mrs. Louise Stegemoeller, Mrs. Joyce LeFevre and Mrs. Dorothy Toney and Pastor Mel Swoyer. Mrs. Frieda Knipping served the refreshment.

 Saturday, Tullie Herring and his brother T. C. Herring from Amarillo, who were on the way to visit their brother who lives in Santo, stopped to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer.

 Mrs. M. Y. Benton also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer this past week.

 Mrs. Mary Neinast visited her daughter and grandchildren this past weekend.

 Mrs. Becky Hill of Aspermont visited Alvin and Alice Bredthauer Sat. evening.

 Those who enjoyed playing 84 Sunday night at the Reese Clark home were Mr. and Mrs. Reese Clark, Mrs. Mary Neinast, Mrs. Alene Summers and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer.

 Mrs. Mary Neinast, Mrs. Alene

Summers and Mrs. Becky Hill went to see a movie in Abilene Sunday.

 Mrs. Tessi Callicoate, Mrs. Frances Davis, Mrs. Rose Gholson and Mrs. Mary Neinast played bridge this past Wed. in Aspermont.

 The Sagerton Hobby Club met in the home of Velma Lou Lammert in Rule Jan. 17.

Aline Summers, chairman, called the meeting to order and Joyce LeFevre led the group in prayer. Each member told what they had been doing as they answered the roll call.

Plans for this year were discussed. The club will sponsor a health check by Mediplex at the Faith Lutheran Church on Feb. 14, beginning at 9 a.m. before the regular Friendship Club luncheon. They will check blood pressure, which is free, cholesterol, for \$5.00 and blood sugar for \$2.00. Anyone wanting to have the blood sugar and cholesterol checks should not eat breakfast. For more information, contact Aline Summers.

Plans were also made for future projects and attending the local rest homes.

Officers were re-elected as follows: Aline Summers, chairman and card chairman; Margaret Wendeborn, vice-chairman, Joyce LeFevre, secretary-treasurer, Dorothy Toney, reporter, and Wilma Teichelman, activity chairman.

The next meeting will be at the Sagerton Community Center, Feb.

21, with Christine Stremmel as hostess. The program will be on making porcelain flowers and baskets.

Those present were Dorothy Toney, Christine Stremmel, Margaret Wendeborn, Aline Summers, Velma Lou Lammert, Frieda Knipping, Mrs. Benton, Ev Ulmer, and Joyce LeFevre.

 A bridal shower was held at the Sagerton Community Center Sunday afternoon for Mendy Miller and Kevin Meier, who will be married at the First United Methodist Church in Clyde, Sat. Jan. 26.

The bride's colors of green and white were used in the decorations on an off white lace covered table with crystal appointments. Punch and cookies were served by Amy Sorrells of Rule. Dorothy Lee Clark registered the guests at an off white oval lace covered table. Other hostesses were Dorothy Toney, Hazel Letz, Joyce LeFevre, Tomi May, Frances Clark, Ev Ulmer, Flo New, Judy New, and Yvonne Swofford.

 Mr. and Mrs. Kent LeFevre and Kit of Tuscola visited in the Delbert LeFevre home Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Larry LeFevre of Rule and Laressa LeFevre and Angie Shaw of McMurry.

 Mr. and Mrs. Delbert LeFevre were in Plano Sunday, Jan. 13 for the birthday party of their grandson, Tully Joe Brown, who was three years old. He is the son of Jill and Ken Brown of Sachse.



Jones Cox auction

A large crowd was on hand Saturday for the auction at Jones Cox and Co. The building, fixtures, and equipment, as well as the "residue" of the merchandise, were sold as the 85-year-old Haskell firm closed out its business.

--Market Report--

Haskell Livestock Auction

Prices were steady and demand was good at Saturday's sale at Haskell Livestock Auction. The sale, on another wet Saturday, was on a run of 815 head of cattle.

Cows: fat 47-56.50; cutters 48-56.50; canners 42.50-46.50.

Bulls: bologna 60-67.50; feeder 75-85; utility 50-55.

Steers: 200-300 lbs. 120-135; 300-400 lbs. 110-120; 400-500 lbs. 95-110; 500-600 lbs. 92-101; 600-700 lbs. 87.50-94.50; 700-800 lbs. 80-88; 800 lbs up 70-77.50.

Heifers: 200-300 lbs. 105-115; 300-400 lbs. 92-102; 400-500 lbs. 87.50-95; 500-600 lbs. 84-91.50; 600 lbs. up 75.84.

Bred cows: young to middle age

675-775; aged or small 500-625.
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--Obituaries--

Caitlin Hutchinson

Graveside services were held Saturday afternoon at Willow Cemetery for Caitlin Ann Hutchinson, infant daughter of Dieter and Leisa Reynolds Hutchinson.

The Rev. W. O. Smith officiated and burial was under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

The baby was born Jan. 17 and died the same day at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a sister, Lauren Hutchinson of Haskell; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James

H. (Sonny) Reynolds of Haskell; and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchinson of Weinert.

Betty Burson

Betty Burson died Wednesday, Jan. 16, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She was 63.

Funeral services were Saturday at the First Baptist Church with the Revs. Jim Turner and James Densman and Dr. Troy Culpepper officiating. Burial, under direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home, was in Willow Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Charles Swinson, Wilda Medford, Dr. Joe Thigpen, Bobby Hester, Truman Therwhanger and Clovis Thomas.

Mrs. Burson was born Feb. 5, 1927, in Colton, Wash. She married Vernay Burson in Spokane, Wash., on Oct. 16, 1945. He survives her.

A resident of Haskell since 1946, she was a member of the First Baptist Church, Darcus Sunday School Class and Meals on Wheels.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Diana Rhea Smart of Arlington and Pam Thigpen of Haskell; six sisters, Kathleen Hawes, Leona Mayfield and Frances Mayfield of Medical Lake, Wash., Emma Lou Meyer and Joanne Dahmen of Colton,

Wash., and Edith Reisenauer of Moscow, Ida.; a brother, Ernest Becker of Spokane, Wash.; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and a sister.

Louise Snider

Funeral services for Dorothy Louise Snider, 65, were held Jan. 14 at the First Baptist Church in Memphis.

The Rev. O. K. Bowen officiated and burial was in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Spicer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Snider was born July 29, 1925, in Childress. She married L. B. Snider in Childress on May 29, 1943. They moved to Memphis in 1952.

Survivors include her husband, L. B. Snider of Memphis; two sons, L. B. Snider Jr. of Shamrock and Robert Larry Snider of Memphis; two daughters, Mary Louise Dewey of Haskell and Linda Jane Moore of Borger; a brother, James Henry Rule of Dallas; and nine grandchildren.

Bobby Dan Renfro

Bobby Dan Renfro of Temple died Saturday at the VA hospital in Temple. He was 56.

Graveside services were held Monday at Llano City Cemetery, conducted by the American Legion of Llano. Burial was under the direction of Waldrope-Hatfield Funeral Home of Llano.

Mr. Renfro was born June 6, 1934, in Colorado, the son of Marion Claude Renfro and Azilee Haynes Renfro. He was a veteran of the Korean War and a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include three sisters, Ruth Kirkland of Haskell and Ruby Mayberry and Claudia Stephens of Slaton.

Margaret Fore

Margaret Bell Fore of Athens, formerly of Rochester and Haskell,

died Jan. 10 in a Dallas hospital after a brief illness. She was 67.

Funeral services were held Jan. 13 at Carroll-Lehr Funeral Chapel in Athens with the Rev. Calvin Gustin officiating. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Park in Athens.

Mrs. Fore was born April 22, 1923, in Athens. She lived in Haskell County 15 years and graduated from Rochester High School. She returned to Athens in 1979.

She is survived by her husband, Lester (W. L.) Fore of Athens; a daughter, Sue Fore Green of Athens; a brother, Frank Bell of Houston; three sisters, Cora David of Arlington, Lena Corley of Midland and Jean Guess of Weatherford; and two grandchildren.

Guess, Little plan wedding

An April 20 wedding is being planned for Cristi Guess and Bill Little.

The couple will exchange vows at Tolar Church of Christ in Tolar.

Cristi is employed by Graham Independent School District and is the daughter of H. L. and Sarah Guess of Weinert.

Bill teaches agricultural science in the Olney School District. His parents are Clyde and Sandra Little of Tolar.

Old Glory show Saturday night

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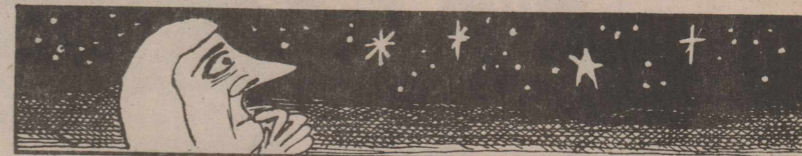
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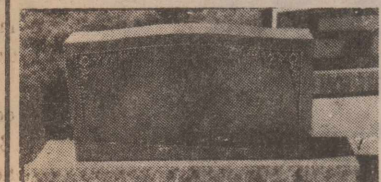
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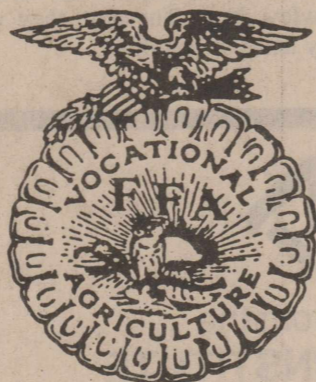
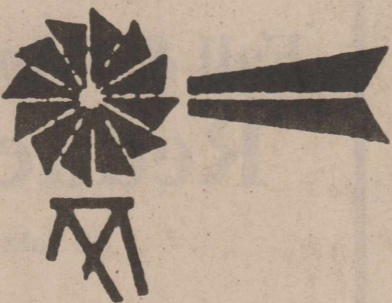
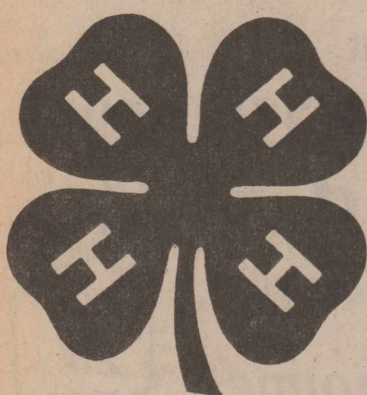
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Public Notices

BID NOTICE
The City of Rule will accept sealed bids for the purchase of a new pickup. Specifications may be obtained at the Rule City Hall, 817-997-2214. Bids will be opened on February 5, 1991 at 7:00 P.M. The City of Rule reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. 3-4c

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The City of Haskell will accept sealed bids for a bank depository for a period of two years. Bids will be opened January 24, 1991 at 7 p.m. Bid specifications can be obtained at City Hall.
Ann Young
City Secretary 3-4c

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Haskell County Appraisal District is now accepting bids, Pursuant to 272.001 of the Texas Local Government Code, for the following properties acquired by the district through 'taxes sales'.

Lot 12, Block 20, Original Town of Sagerton, Haskell County, Texas

Lots 17 & 18, Block 13, Original Town of Sagerton, Haskell County, Texas

Lots 6 & 7 Block 19, Original Town of Rochester, Haskell County, Texas

Lots 11 & 12, Block 41, Original Town of Rule, Haskell County, Texas

Northwest Corner of Lots 17 & 18, 70'x70', Block 40, Original Town, Rule, Haskell County, Texas

Sealed bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. on February 13, 1991. Mark bids "Tax Bids" on the outside of the envelope and mail to: Haskell County Appraisal District, P. O. Box 467, Haskell, Texas 79521. Bids may be hand delivered at 604 North First, Haskell, Texas. Bidders are required to submit a Cashier's or Certified Check in the amount of the bid along with the bids. Sealed bids will be opened at the regular Board of Director's

meeting, February 14, 1991 at 7:30 a.m. The Appraisal District reserves the right to accept and/or reject any and all bids. 3-4c

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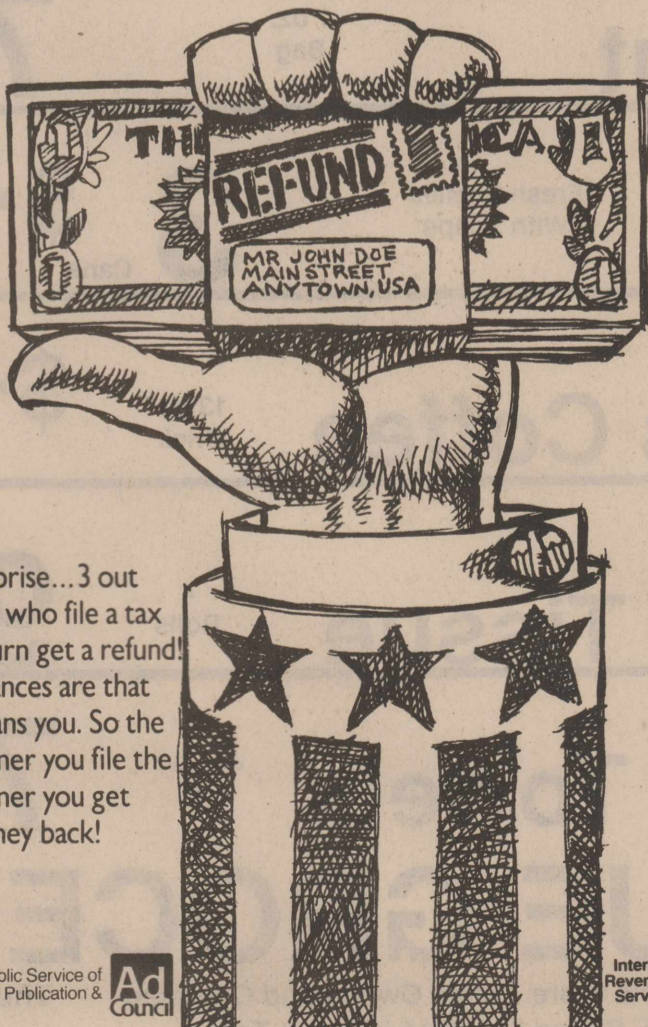
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Taking shape

Work is progressing on the new high school athletic track. Located north of the football stadium, the facility is expected to be completed in time for the spring season.

Children should understand sex

Children who understand sex at an early age will grow up to be more comfortable with their bodies. Some parents may feel uneasy answering questions about sex, but it is important to talk to the child openly.

"Talk to your children before puberty or they will start learning from other sources," said Dr. Connie Moore, an assistant professor of psychiatry at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "Most kids will ask questions at ages 3, 4 or 5 about something they have seen or heard."

Finding out why the child is asking about sex is important. Children who have been molested will ask out of fear, not natural curiosity. Parents should be careful about the wording they use and not tell the child more than they want to know.

Children 7 and older can be

given more information. Parents should discuss in detail intercourse and sexually transmitted diseases. How much detail depends upon how comfortable the parent is with the topic and what the child can absorb, but above all honesty is crucial.

"Parents need to plan ahead what they will say," Moore said. "Pediatricians or school counselors can provide additional information or literature."

Moore cautions parents to never turn away a question as inappropriate. It is important to establish a relationship with the child early. After puberty, children become private about their bodies and are much less likely to ask questions.

"If parents ask questions gently and probe a bit, they can find out exactly what their child needs to know."

Baptist conference scheduled

An area-wide evangelism conference of the Double Mountain Baptist Area is scheduled for Monday, Jan. 28, at the First Baptist Church in Hamlin.

A prayer meeting will start at 3 p.m. with the first session at 4 p.m. The church will provide a meal at 6 and the evening session will start at 7.

Special music will be provided by the Welch family of Anson, Ford Cole and Brian Burgess of Haskell, and the area combined choir under the direction of S. L. Tate of the First Baptist Church of Hamlin.

Sermons from local pastors will be delivered by Mickey Wagoner of the First Baptist Church of Aspermont and Donny Harbers of the First Baptist Church of Weinert.

Special guests will be Jon Randles of Indiana Avenue Baptist Church of Lubbock, the fastest-growing church in Texas, and Curtis Mathis, fulltime evangelist from Athens, Texas.

Fifty-one churches and missions of Double Mountain Baptist Area will participate in the conference.



Senior citizens can postpone payment of property taxes

Haskell County citizens 65 or older can postpone paying delinquent and current property taxes on their homesteads by taking advantage of a tax option called over-65 deferral.

The elderly homeowner simply needs to sign a deferral affidavit at the Haskell County Appraisal District office.

This special form of tax relief can also halt a lawsuit already filed to collect delinquent property taxes on an older Texan's homestead, according to Jamie Weaver, chief appraiser of the Haskell County Appraisal District. To stop a

delinquent tax suit, Mrs. Weaver said, the over-65 homeowner files the deferral affidavit with the court in which the suit is pending.

"This law means that, if the proper affidavit is on file, an older homeowner cannot lose a homestead because of delinquent taxes," Mrs. Weaver said.

Once a homeowner files an over-65 tax deferral affidavit with the appraisal district, no taxing unit can initiate or pursue a suit for delinquent taxes as long as that person owns and lives in that homestead.

Mrs. Weaver stressed, though,

that tax deferral for the elderly only postpones paying delinquent taxes on the homestead; it does not cancel them. During the deferral period, taxes and delinquent interest continue to add up.

"When the elderly taxpayer no longer owns or lives in the home, those accrued amounts become due," Mrs. Weaver explained. "Taxing units can sue to collect all the deferred tax and interest."

While a penalty may not be imposed on delinquent taxes during the deferral period, the filing of the deferral affidavit will not forgive penalties which were already due. Also, an additional penalty associated with referring the account to a delinquent tax attorney may be charged if taxes remain delinquent more than 90 days after the deferral ends.

Forms for filing a tax deferral affidavit are available at the appraisal district office. "The homeowner should fill out the form and have the signature witnessed by a notary public," Mrs. Weaver said.

For more information, taxpayers may contact the Haskell County Appraisal District, 604 N. 1st St., phone 864-3805.

--Social Security--

By M. Glyn Hammons
District Manager

Despite advances in the economic status of most retirees, older women, especially women over age 85, remain one of the most economically vulnerable groups in our society. Social Security hopes that its current Supplemental Security Income (SSI) outreach effort will assist some of these older women.

Because of differences in life expectancies, 70 percent of Social Security beneficiaries age 85 and older are women. Their benefits are usually lower than men in the same age group because historically women have had lower paying jobs or have taken time out of the labor force to care for their families.

Additionally, many women at 65

have savings and other resources which are gone by 85. Their resources may be depleted by a husband's final illness or the increased living expenses of living alone as a widow.

SSI provides an income floor for many older people with low Social Security benefits and reduced financial resources. Over 75 percent of the SSI recipients over age 85 are women, and advocacy groups believe many more older women may be eligible for SSI.

Social Security Commissioner Gwendolyn S. King has committed the agency to an outreach effort to ensure that all individuals who are potentially eligible for SSI know about the program, know what the benefits of the program can mean to them.

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