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Christmas parade

The 10th annual night Christmas parade in Haskell will be Saturday, Dec. 7, at 6 p.m. and is expected to draw over 7,000 spectators.

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce is the sponsor, with the City of Haskell as co-host. Conrad Roewe, Chamber president, reported that the theme is the same as the first parade, "The Music of Christmas," with each float lighted and music on board.

The lead float is by the City of Haskell and features a giant welcome key. At the close of the parade is the Chamber float which brings Santa to town.

Other floats confirmed and the carols they represent are:

- Haskell National Bank, "Merry Texas Christmas Y'all"
- First National Bank, "Silver Bells"
- Kids' Duds, "Merry Christmas America"
- The Personality Shoppe, "Rocking Round the Christmas Tree"
- East Side Baptist Church, nativity scene and "Silent Night"
- Noah Project, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing"
- Boggs & Johnson, "Grandma Got Run Over by a Reindeer"
- John Deer Tractor Co., "Frosty, the Snowman"
- Girl Scouts Troop 278, "Birthday of the King"
- Lanco Insurance.
- Lane-Felker, "Winter Won-derland"
- Rotary Club, "Joy to the World"
- Kiwanis Club, "White Christmas"

The Kiwanis Club has been in all 10 parades and will again feature a village in a valley covered with snow. Each Kiwanian is making a house to put on the float, along with a church with a steeple.

The Lions Club is sponsoring the callope from McMurry University with Ellen Rieger, musician. A wagon and team of mules will be the entry from the West Texas Rehabilitation Center Cattlemen's Round-Up.

Another 10-year participant will be Love's Baton Twirlers from Abilene in the red suits they made especially for the Haskell parade. Rosylyn Love is the director.

A crowd-pleaser of last year will return for the 1991 parade—the live camel and three wisemen from the Hendrick Pageant in Cisco.

The Haskell High School Band, directed by Joe Waldrop, is traditionally at the start of the parade.

Popular in parades across the country are the Six White Horses from Hardin-Simmons University, Dr. Thomas Beasley director. They also have been in all Haskell parades. Sugar and Co. of Abilene also will be here.

New and antique cars, and farm equipment will be included again in this year's parade.

The caravan of dignitaries will be featured with mayors and Chamber presidents from Stamford, Anson, Hamlin, Rule, Rochester, Knox City, O'Brien, Munday, Seymour and Throckmorton invited to participate. They also are invited to a reception at 5 p.m. at the First National Bank, hosted by Mayor Greg Melton and Mrs. Melton and Chamber president Conrad Roewe and Mrs. Roewe.

Exchange students

Several area exchange students will be riding on the Rotary Club float in the Haskell Christmas parade Dec. 7. They will be wearing costumes of their native lands.

The Rotary float will depict the carol "Joy to the World."

Students participating will be:

- Emel Kus from Turkey, whose sponsor is the Rotary Club. She is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Abe Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Robison.
- Melodie Ishikawa from Japan, sponsored by Dr. and Mrs. Frank Cadenhead.
- Virginia Gutierrez from Spain, student at Paint Creek, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martina.
- Valeria Ramos from Brazil, student at HSU, sponsored by East Side Baptist Church.
- Ceynep Koksall from Turkey, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Freed Hassen of Stamford.
- Vonas Grue from Norway, sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Waldrop.

Jackpots total \$4,000

A total of \$4,000 will be given away by Haskell merchants in nine giant jackpots on two consecutive Saturdays.

At 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 14, on the south side of the courthouse, five drawings of \$200 each will be held. On Saturday, Dec. 21, at 3 p.m., there will be two drawings for \$500 each and two for \$1,000 each.

The committee from the Haskell Business Association in charge of the drawings is made up of Doris Jean McMeans, Ken Lane, Joe Cortez and Sandy Forehand.

If present, the winner gets the full amount; if absent, one-half of the amount. Funds remaining will go into other jackpots.

No manager (or owner) or their families are eligible to win, whether or not they are participating in the program. Employees can win from tickets from other businesses, but not from their places of employment.

The awards will be in the form of gift certificates which can be redeemed from any of the participating merchants.

A list of participating merchants appears in an advertisement in this issue of The Free Press.

Celebrities to judge

A panel of celebrity judges from KTAB-TV, KRBC-TV, KTXS-TV and the Abilene Reporter-News will be in Haskell for the 10th annual night Christmas parade.

They will judge both the floats and residential decorations.

Employees of WTU will again play hosts to the judges and winners' names will be posted on the WTU window after the parade.

Sue McGee and Melisa Robison, directors of the Chamber of Commerce, will coordinate the judging.

This year, only those homes which have entered the residential contest will be judged. Residents wishing to enter the contest must complete and mail the entry form which appears elsewhere in this issue of The Free Press.

Super Saturday

Personnel of Lane-Felker are in charge of the activities for Super 2nd Saturday in Haskell Dec. 14 on the south side of the courthouse.

A Christmas program, plus holiday food booths and arts and crafts, and special music will be highlights with special Christmas bargains in all participating businesses.

Specifics will be outlined in an ad in the Dec. 12 Haskell Free Press and on KVRP, according to Lois Richardson, president of the Haskell Business Association.

Persons wishing to have food booths, craft stands, etc., may do so without charge for space. Suzanne Starr is chairman of the Super 2nd Saturday activities throughout the year.

Deficiency program explained

Loan deficiency payments are available to cotton producers on participating farms when the average world price for cotton falls below the national loan rate of 50.77 cents per pound.

Payment is based on the difference between the loan price and the world price for cotton (both prices adjusted for grade, staple, mic, strength, etc.). Payment is subject to the research and promotion fee.

Under the loan deficiency program, producers bring their warehouse receipts and class cards to the ASCS office along with a printout from the gin showing the bale numbers, weights and grade. The warehouse receipts and class cards are stamped "Not Eligible for Loan" and returned to the farmer to sell to the buyer of his choice.

Loan deficiency is an option that can be used by those who do not want to place their cotton in the regular loan. Cotton for which loan deficiency payments are made is not eligible for the regular loan and cotton placed in the loan is not eligible for loan deficiency. The rules are the same for both loan and loan deficiency.

If a crop is contracted, the producer must still hold title to it and not have received any money for the cotton. However, if the cotton is contracted and the farmer will lose title to the cotton when it is ginned, he is still eligible if he will come to the office and sign form CCC-Cotton AA to the cotton being ginned.

The bales covered by the CCC-Cotton AA are those bales ginned from the date the form is filed through the Thursday immediately following the date filed. A new CCC-Cotton AA would then have to be filed on Friday through the next Thursday. This is applicable since the world price changes each Thursday night at 12 o'clock. Gin tag lists for those bales ginned must be provided no later than the close of business on the Friday immediately following the date the CCC-Cotton AA form is filed.

Please note: You only have to worry about keeping the Cotton AA forms filed current if your crop is contracted and you lose title to it when ginned or immediately thereafter. Otherwise, you can wait until you get your class cards and warehouse receipts back and bring them in and sign the Cotton AA at that time. The loan deficiency payment you receive will be based on the world price in effect when you sign the Cotton AA. If your cotton is not contracted and you file the Cotton AA before you get your class cards and warehouse receipts you must provide a gin tag list showing gin weight at the time you sign the AA. Your payment will



Grandmother's lap

Mabel Overton, one of six grandmothers participating in the Paint Creek "Grandmother's Lap" program, reads to David Cogburn, first grade, Amy Huggins, kindergarten; and Bobby Balliff, first grade.

Grandmothers read to students

Tuesday is always special for kindergartners and first-graders at Paint Creek. That's the day the grandmothers come to school.

Every Tuesday, five or six grandmothers show up to read to the kids. Although the "Grandmother's Lap" program's objective is to entertain and educate the kids, the grandmothers say they themselves are being entertained and educated at least as much.

The program was started several weeks ago by elementary principal Debbie Hobgood. Although all of the readers are grandmothers, only one of them is actually a grandmother to one of the students.

Each grandmother normally takes three students. Sometimes she selects the students and sometimes the students select her. Then the grandmother and the students go to some isolated area for the reading session. (There are three reading areas in the auditorium, for instance: one behind the stage curtain, one in a partitioned-off section and another in a corner of

the room. The principal's office and other available rooms provide the other reading areas.)

Reading material comes from a number of sources. Some of it comes from the school library and a good bit from the county library in Haskell. The children, as well as the grandmothers, often bring books to read.

The reading sessions begin at 9:30 in the morning and last until 10. The grandmothers usually get to school about 30 minutes early to have coffee, pick out books to be read and talk about some of their experiences with the kids.

Last week, the reading sessions departed from their Tuesday schedule when the grandmothers were invited to come on Thursday. That way, they were able to be guests of the school for the annual Thanksgiving luncheon in the cafeteria. Attending were Amy Sinclair, Faye Walton, Mabel Overton, Peggy Burnett, Jenny Collins and Violet Earles.

Foursquare church being remodeled

A lot of progress has been made on the Abundant Life Foursquare Church building at 200 S. Ave. F since it re-opened three months ago.

There's still more work to do, but a total remodeling project is progressing rapidly. Most of the work is being done by the pastor, the Rev. Tom Moore, and members of the church.

New walls, ceilings and carpeting have been installed. The sanctuary has been enlarged by tearing out a wall. A back room has been painted and carpeted and is ready for use for the children's

church. A couple of smaller rooms are being remodeled.

The building was badly damaged in the 1978 flood. Most of the repairs made after that disaster were of the makeshift variety. A lot of the damage was covered with paneling, which has now been torn out and replaced with drywall.

On Dec. 8, the church will have a formal dedication of the remodeled building. Dr. Sidney Westbrook of Dallas, district supervisor, will preach at the morning service that day and then be here for the

-Goodfellows-

Lions Club Goodfellows will distribute food and toys to needy Haskell families again this year.

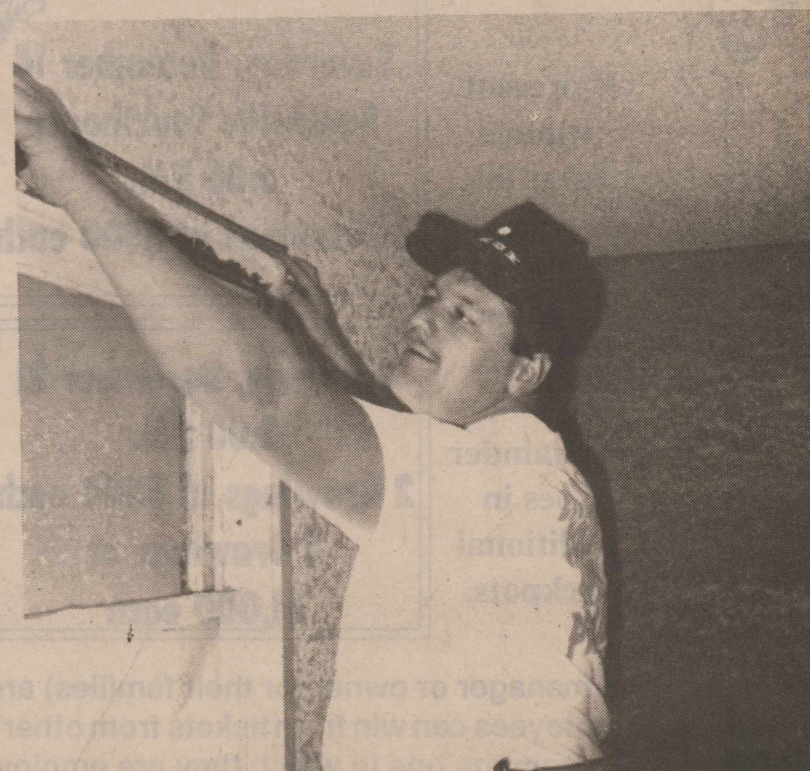
Donations of food and toys are underway. On Dec. 14, the names of those who will qualify for the Goodfellows' project can be placed, by application, at the First National Bank, Community Room between 2 and 4 p.m.

Goodfellows will deliver boxes Dec. 24 to those who have been selected to receive them.

The project will be conducted as it has in previous years and a sincere effort will be made to provide food, toys and a happy Christmas where there might not otherwise be provisions for Christmas.

Tri-chairmen of the project are Donnie Rieger, George Fouts and Darold Roberson.

Cash donations to the project may be made at The Haskell Free Press, P.O. Box 1058. Those wishing to contribute toys may leave them at the Haskell Fire Department.



Being remodeled

The Rev. Tom Moore works on a window at the Abundant Life Foursquare Church which is now being remodeled. Moore and other church members are doing most of the work.

Clubs observe Information Day

The Haskell County Extension Homemakers Information Day was Nov. 7 at the Weinert school. The meeting was in the home economics room.

Decorations carried out a patriotic theme, using red, white and blue.

Mistress of ceremonies was Reatha Mullins. Registration was by Edna Anderson and pin-on tags by Mildred Robertson.

The program was the state TEHA reports, chairman, vice chairman and delegate by Alice Yates, Estalyn Liles and Mildred Robertson.

A summary of each club's achievements for the year was given by each club president, Jimmie Weinert, Dolores Medford, Edna Anderson and Phoi McGuire.

A presentation of a gift for Mindy Ballard of Rochester was made by Joetta Burnett for being 4-H Gold Star girl and for her many achievements.

Phoi McGuire installed officers

for 1992: Ann Sinclair of Paint Creek, president; Anita Dabney of Eager Housewives, vice chairman; Margaret Jones of Josselet, secretary; Dorthay Wells from Paint Creek, treasurer. Phoi McGuire and Jeannie Kloog sang a patriotic song.

The club woman of the year, Dorothy Trussell of the Josselet club, was presented with a gift by Reatha Mullins.

A pot luck meal was enjoyed by all. Twenty-six members enjoyed the fellowship and business, even though the weather was bad.



Mrs. Raymond Curnutt

Jetton, Curnutt exchange vows

Lori Janell Jetton and Raymond Curnutt were united in marriage at 10 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, in The Rocky Creek Baptist Church near Brownwood. Scottye Ratliff, youth minister of Austin Avenue Church of Christ, officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jetton of Brownwood and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Raynes and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jetton of Weinert. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Mosher of Amarillo.

Ushers for the ceremony were Brad Jetton, brother of the bride, and Cotton Hill of Abilene. They were dressed in Wrangler jeans and hot pink and teal western shirts.

The church was decorated by Shelia Cabe and mother of the bride with votive cups with teal candles enriched with English ivy on the wall of the altar. The aisle was decorated with hot pink and teal floral print bows lined with hot pink net. The church was decorated with a white heart-shaped altar with floral bows and doves linked with pink and teal ribbon. Two fan candelabras were on each side with hot pink azaleas on each side. Ficus trees and pots of begonias were placed around the church.

Organist for the ceremony was Debbie Gwathney of Bangs. Fayegene Bush of Bangs was the pianist and Steve and Pam Palaski of Brownwood were vocalists.

Selections were "If," "Looking Through the Eyes of Love," "Sunrise, Sunset," "We've Only Just Begun" and "I Will Take You Forever."

The bride was given in marriage by her parents and escorted to the altar by her father. Her wedding won was of white satin. The fitted bodice featured a Queen Anne neckline embellished with Schiffl embroidered lace, iridescent sequins and seed pearls. The gigot sleeves featured a petal point design and were enhanced with lace appliques with pearl drapes.

The back bodice was accented with a keyhole opening. The full skirt was enhanced with a basque waistline accented with a deep V peplum edged with Schiffl lace. The chapel length train featured scattered cutwork lace motifs.

To complete her ensemble, she chose a lace tiara accented with pearl sprays attached to a fingertip veil with a full French pouf. Her bouquet was of small white and pink carnations and baby's breath and English ivy attached to her mother's white Bible. The bride's hair was styled by Shirley Agan at Headquarters.

She wore a blue garter and a penny with her birthdate in one shoe and a six pence, placed by her father, in the other shoe. She wore diamond and pearl earrings, a gift from her parents, and diamond drop necklace of her mother's.

Jami Gough of Weatherford, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Lisa Smith of Brownwood served as bridesmaid. Martha Benson made the identical teal and pink floral print dress with

fitted bodice and tea-length skirt. The V neck back featured three bows to the waistline. They each carried long stemmed carnations in shades of pink, enriched with baby's breath and English ivy leaves and hot pink bows and streamers.

Brittany Norman of Wichita Falls, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a smaller teal and pink floral print dress with contrast pink striped bow at back waistline and striped petticoat. She carried a small white basket with silk flowers.

The groom wore black Wranglers with a black tuxedo coat with satin peak lapels and self-faced top collar. To accessorize his ensemble he wore a white pleated wing collar shirt, black tie and cummerbund. His boutonniere was a white rosebud.

The father of the bride was dressed in a black full dress tuxedo.

Terry Smith of Amarillo, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsman was Billy Williams of Abilene, cousin of the groom. They wore Wranglers and teal and hot pink western shirts.

Brad Jetton, brother of the bride, and Cotton Hill served as candlelighters.

Guests were registered in the foyer by Kristi Shelton of Baytown. The table was covered with a hot pink tablecloth and held the bridal book and a pillow with the wedding date embroidered on it, made by Mrs. R. W. Raynes, the bride's grandmother, and a pink feather pen and votive teal candle.

Members of the house party were Sonya Scott of Brownwood and Connie Pace of Abilene.

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2 Drawings at \$1,000 each

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Wednesday: Cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
Thursday: Cereal, juice, milk.
Friday: Sausage on stick, syrup, juice, milk.
LUNCH
Monday: Frito pie, pinto beans, cheese, coconut cake, milk.
Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, baked potatoes, tossed salad, garlic toast, Rice Krispy squares, milk.
Wednesday: Hamburgers, lettuce, cheese, pickles, onions, french fries, Jello with fruit, milk.
Thursday: Fried chicken with gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli with rice, bread, fruit, milk.

Friday: Ham, pimento cheese, peanut butter sandwiches, lettuce, cheese, pickles, potato chips, ice cream.

Arts, crafts sale at Rule Nov. 30

An arts and crafts sale is scheduled Saturday, Nov. 30, at the Lions Club building in Rule. Hours will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
 Refreshments will be served and a free drawing conducted every hour. The sale is being presented by local arts and crafts enthusiasts. For more information, contact Lou Landes in Rule.

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These kindergarten and first, second and third graders participated in the Great American Smokeout last Thursday.

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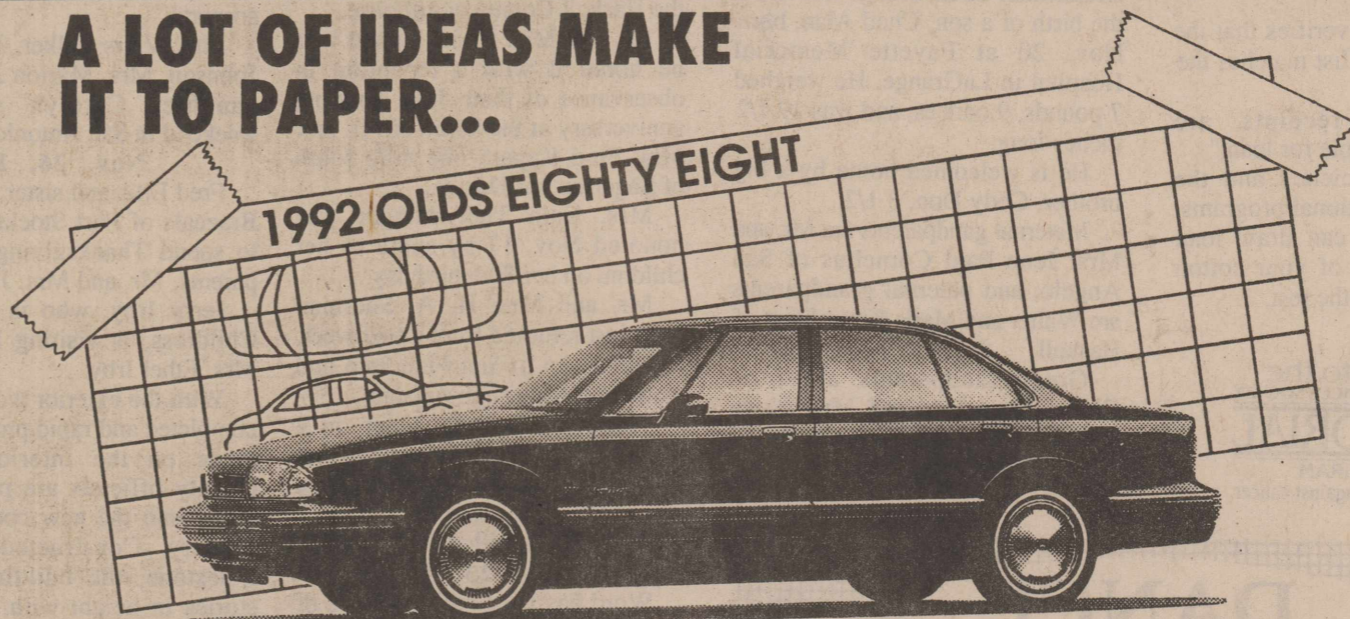
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By Noros H. Martin
North Central Texas
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One of the more prevalent forms of charitable appeals comes from phone solicitations. Although phone appeals are harder to turn down than written appeals, they offer an opportunity to find out more about the charity.

Giving to a worthy charity is a generous act, but there are some individuals that are only too happy to take your money; not for a charity, but for themselves.

If you receive a telephone solicitation, consider asking these questions: What percentage of my donation will go to the charity and what programs will it support? Also, don't hesitate to request written information on the charity and how it spends its funds.

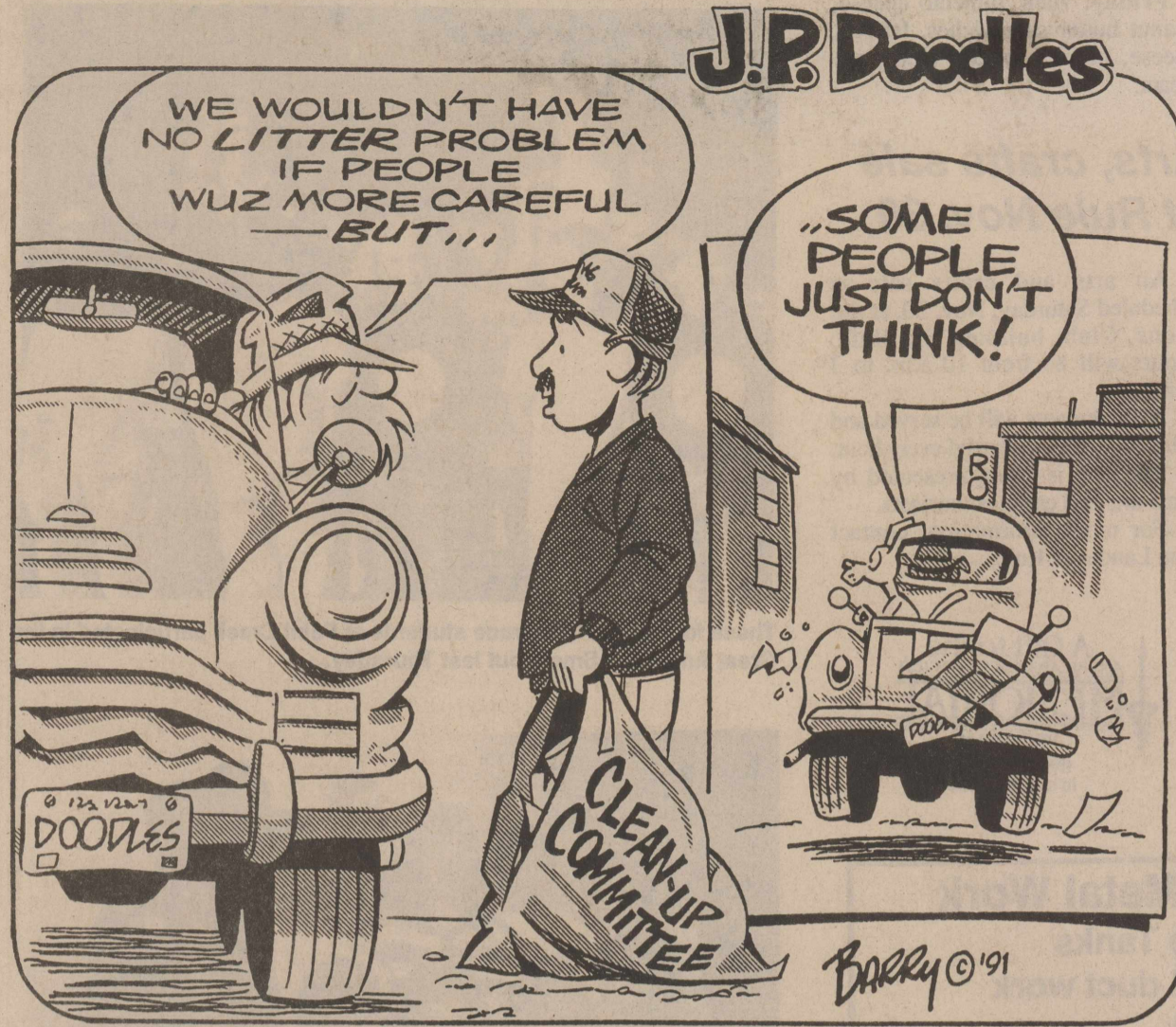
Other points to remember when giving to a charitable organization include: Do not give cash, instead write a check and make it out to the charity, not the individual collecting the donation; be wary of

giving out your credit card number to individuals unless you initiate the call; and keep records of your donations for documentation at tax time.

Also, watch for statements such as "all proceeds will go to the charity." This can mean that the money left after expenses, such as the cost of written materials and fund-raising efforts, will go to the charity. These expenses can make a big difference, so check carefully.

If an item is being sold, such as tickets to a show or magazine subscriptions, find out what portion will benefit the charity. Should you refuse these items but they are sent to you anyway, you are under no obligation to pay for or return them since it is against the law to demand payment for unordered merchandise.

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If you want to reach your weight-loss goal, try walking it off. Walking is easy, costs nothing and can be done almost anywhere. And, best of all, it works. If you make no other changes in your lifestyle other than adding one brisk walk each day, you'll more rapidly reach your weight-loss destination. Weight Watchers offers the

following tips: Start slowly, then gradually build up to a mile each day. Make it a habit by walking at the same time every day.

For even more fun, invest in stereo headphones and buy an inexpensive walking tape. Or, walk with a friend, catch up on the latest gossip while healthfully walking away the pounds.

Cotton...

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not be figured until you provide warehouse receipts and class cards.

For producers who are not able to get their class cards, the county office can release the warehouse receipts the same day they are presented if all the following occurs:

--CCC-Cotton AA is approved. (All producers sharing in the cotton must sign.)

--A list of the warehouse receipt data is presented with the warehouse receipts showing the same information as the warehouse receipts.

--County office verifies that the information on the list matches the warehouse receipts.

--Warehouse receipts are stamped, "Not eligible for loan."

Both loan deficiency and the regular loan are optional programs. If you wish, you can draw loan deficiency on part of your cotton and regular loan on the rest.

-BIRTHS-

Rebus and Leora Guess are happy to announce the birth of a granddaughter, Aubrey Michelle Bassett, born Oct. 29 at Presbyterian Hospital in Dallas. She weighed 8 pounds and was 20 1/2 inches long.

She is the daughter of Kim and Tommy Bassett of Richardson.

Paternal grandparents are Tom and Judy Bassett of Houston.

Don Wally and Julie Ann Kretschmer of LaGrange announce the birth of a son, Chad Alan, born Nov. 20 at Fayette Memorial Hospital in LaGrange. He weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces, and was 19 1/2 inches long.

He is welcomed home by a big brother, Cody Don, 3 1/2.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jene Paul Cornelius of San Angelo, and paternal grandparents are Walter and Marie Kretschmer of Haskell.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Chlois Cornelius and Mrs. Nova Riley, both of Throckmorton, and Alfred Letz of Old Glory.

--From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

Nov. 25, 1971
City Council voted unanimously Tuesday in favor of cutting back the sidewalks on the west side of the business square in Haskell. The state had told the city that the sidewalks would have to be cut back if highway traffic was going to continue passing through town.

Rep. W. S. "Bill" Heatley has issued a statement welcoming the people of Haskell County as his constituents to the 101st Legislative District as it has been constituted by the State Redistricting Board.

To be honored at the 4-H awards banquet Monday night will be the Gold Star girl, Sue Hager of Weinert, and the Gold Star boy, Jim Ballard of Rochester.

Thursday night, the Haskell Jaycees and the Chamber of Commerce will turn on the Christmas lights around the top of the Haskell County courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Kupatt will be honored with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kupatt, one mile south of Sagerton, on Dec. 5.

Mrs. Eula Therwhanger was honored Nov. 17 by some of her children on her 80th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman have just returned from a two-week vacation trip to San Francisco and many points through Arizona.

The Rule Bobcats went on a scoring spree Thursday evening and defeated the Rochester Steers by a score of 61-6 to close out the 1971 football season with a 9-1 record.

Nov. 23, 1961
Word has been received here of the death of Sp/5 L. V. Withers on Nov. 13 near Seoul, Korea. He and five other soldiers were passengers in an Army helicopter that crashed and burned near Seoul.

The Haskell High School band received a rating of "1" at San Angelo last week in the UIL contest.

Following a custom of several years standing, Haskell firemen have provided Thanksgiving turkeys for Haskell's two rest homes.

Army Specialist Four Freddie C. Middleton recently arrived in Greenland and is now assigned to the 51st Ordnance Company.

Among advertisers in this issue are such businesses as Spencer Lumber Co., Smith's Cafe, Russell's Fina Station, Carter's Dairy Cream, Hammer Laundry, Dean Butane Co., M. L. Cook Humble Station and Payne Drug Co.

H. V. Woodard of Woodard Farm Sales has returned from Lubbock where he participated in a two-day training and sales clinic conducted by representatives of the Ford Tractor and Implement Division.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Starr of Waco are the parents of a daughter, Selina Suzanne, weight six pounds, two ounces, born Sunday morning, Nov. 19, in Providence Hospital in Waco.

Nov. 20, 1942
The Haskell Indians drilled this week under a "borrowed coach," Chief Petty Officer Gordon Wood of the U.S. Navy, for their encounter with the Albany Lions Friday night. CPO Wood, former

coach at Rule, enlisted in the Navy last summer. He has been here on leave for the past two weeks and has been pinching as HHS football coach. He will leave Sunday for Norfolk, Va., and active Navy duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gilliam are visiting their children, Lt. and Mrs. Hughes Gilliam and Annie Bess Gilliam in El Paso.

Mrs. Elma Guest and Mrs. Buford Cox were in Dallas the first of the week, selecting new stocks for their store, the Personality Shoppe.

Company B of the 819th Tank Destroyer Battalion of Camp Chaffee, Ark., under the command of Lt. M. E. Overton, marched at the head of the Nov. 11th parade at Russellville, Ark.

W. R. Loving Jr., who is stationed at Williams Field, Ariz., has been promoted to the rank of corporal.

Mrs. Viars Felker, Mrs. Murry Johnson, Mrs. Marion Josselet and daughter Carolyn spent last weekend in San Antonio.

Nov. 26, 1931
Fred Ellis and sister, Mrs. C. H. Brazeale of Fort Stockton are here to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ellis.

Jerry Irby, who is working at Childress, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ethel Irby.

With the exterior work virtually completed and rapid progress being made on the interior, Haskell County officials are preparing to move into the new courthouse by January. Constructed of native limestone, the building is three stories in height with a basement underlying the east wing. The work has been financed through a warrant issue of \$115,000.

Nov. 25, 1911
M. S. Shook has returned from a prospecting trip to South Texas.

The City Garage has sold Marion Robertson a Harley-Davidson motorcycle, 1912 model, with four horsepower.

S. M. Murray left Thursday night for Fort Worth, and likely will extend his trip to California before returning home.

D. G. Hisey of Spur was here Wednesday. Mr. Hisey formerly lived here and was a pioneer farmer in the Paint Creek section.

Judge J. E. Poole, secretary of the Commercial Club, returned Tuesday from Waco where he won a prize for the best agricultural exhibit.

J. W. Gardner from near Stamford was in the city Wednesday and called at The Free Press. He says he is planning to move to Arkansas soon. He has lived in Haskell County 22 years.

J. C. Pence has added two rooms and a hall to his residence. He says this was done with cotton money.

A. B. Carothers of Rochester was here Monday on business. He is a pioneer in this section, having moved to Haskell County in the early 80s.

Nov. 23, 1901
F. G. Alexander spent a day or two this week at his store in Monday.

J. W. Bogard's family arrived Tuesday night and he now feels more secure in their new home.

McCullum & Cason, the enterprising hardware, implement and furniture men, have added an extension of 58 feet to their already commodious building, which gives them a total length of 158 feet. This gives them ample room to display their several lines of wares and makes their store the largest and most complete in town.

Rev. R. B. Young of Munday has been assigned to the pastorate of the Methodist Church here.

Frank Vernon made a tour of Stonewall and Knox counties this week.

Art club has program

At the Nov. 11 Brazos West Art Club meeting, 12 members met and enjoyed two videos. One was "The Creation and the Second Coming of Our Lord." The other was "Edges in Oil Paint."

Bobbie Harrison, club member from Knox City, brought the program. She also brought three beautiful pastel portraits she has recently done.

After the program, president Amelia Perry called a business meeting to order. The minutes from the last two meetings were read and approved and several reports were given.

New business pertaining to raising money to have a new roof put on the Corral building was discussed. Several ideas were presented and will be checked out.

Hostesses Florence Larned and Martha Sampson served refreshments from a beautiful autumn decorated table.

Church...

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dedication program at 2:30 p.m.

This past Sunday and Monday evenings, the Rev. Randy Estes, pastor of Christian Life Outreach in Anson, conducted special services. The Anson church has assisted the remodeling project of the local church.

Abundant Life Foursquare Church has about 30 members. It re-opened three months ago after being shut down for a year and a half. Moore came here at that time from Siloam Springs, Ark., where he was pastor of a Foursquare Church. He was formerly youth pastor in Hamlin. He grew up in Hawley.

Moore and his wife, Susan, have two sons, Trey, 3, and Alex, 2. Regular Sunday services at the church are at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening services are at 7:30. In addition to these, the church has prayer services at noon each Tuesday and Thursday.

If all the continents were placed in the Pacific Ocean, there would still be room for another the size of Asia, the largest continent.

plain talk

BY WENDELL FAUGHT

Better watch your liver. A graph in USA Today last Thursday compared the number of people needing transplant organs vs. the number receiving them in 1990:

Kidney, 19,029 vs. 9, 455.
Heart: 2,228 vs. 2,012.
Liver: 1,577 vs. 2,547.

Unless there is an error in the graph, it looks like a lot of people are getting a new liver whether they need it or not.

Money is not the only thing that doesn't go as far as it once did. Words don't either. It takes a lot more of 'em these days.

When Archibald McLellan assumed duties as editor of The Christian Science Monitor in 1908, he set forth the newspaper's objectives:

"The Monitor will appeal to good men and women everywhere who are interested in the betterment of all human conditions."

Period. Amen.
Thirty-one years later, new editor Erwin D. Canham wrote:

"The Monitor seeks to put the news in a sound perspective, giving greatest emphasis to what is important and reducing the merely sensational to its place in an accurate system of values. It seeks also to amuse and entertain."

Then in 1988, Richard J. Cattami, put the objectives in another way:

"Newspapers are the Greek chorus of our time--a voice of the people. The public wants to know what is going on in the chambers of power, what today's sages of economics, foreign relations, and social welfare have to say. The purpose of newspapers--to tell citizens what they need to know so they can make informed decisions--does not change with time. The best newspapers influence public thought for the better. They inform public consciousness, balance its perceptions, illumine its recesses. The best newspapers lead. They teach."

While newspapermen may be good at never using one word when a dozen will do as well, they take a back seat to politicians. It hasn't always been that way.

Five of the original 10 amendments to the U.S. Constitution contain 32 words less. (No. 8 has only 16 words: "Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.") Not one of the 10 original amendments contains more than one paragraph. In fact, each is a single sentence.

But constitutional amendments have been getting more wordy ever since. Amendment 25, for instance, has 194 words in the fifth paragraph alone. Several amendments contain more words than the original 10 combined.

All of which reminds me of an incident which I think I referred to in this column some years ago:

When the Mexican peso began undergoing daily devaluation during the mid-70s, merchants along the border were alarmed since they regularly accepted Mexican currency from shoppers from across the border.

The Chamber of Commerce in Deming, N.M., printed a batch of notices for merchants to display near their cash registers which read something like: "Due to the instability of the Mexican peso, this firm can no longer accept the peso as a valid medium of exchange. When the stability of the peso is restored, we will again accept this currency. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause you and sincerely hope that conditions will return to normal in a very short time."

A cashier at a Deming restaurant reduced the message to its essential part. With a red felt pen, she scrawled across the top of the notice, "No Mexican Money."

That was some kind of a basketball game the other night between Winters and Paint Rock. Winters won, 111-20, but it might have been worse if Paint Rock hadn't got hot in the fourth quarter.

The Blizzards led 28-0 at the end of the first period, 60-4 at halftime, and 88-10 at the three-quarter mark.

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Students may apply for page positions

High school sophomores interested in serving as Congressional pages for the 1992-93 school year may now apply to Congressman Charles Stenholm's office.

Eligible students are those who reside in the 17th Congressional district, will be juniors in September 1992, and have a "B" average in four major courses, excluding electives.

Pages perform a variety of duties, including delivering correspondence or small packages to offices within the Capitol complex, answering telephones in the Members' cloakrooms and the page phone banks, and taking messages to members. They work on a rotation system so they all have an opportunity to experience all aspects of the job. A monthly salary covers basic living expenses.

Deadline to apply is Jan. 17. For application forms or additional information, call Stenholm's Abilene office at 915-673-7221.

Prehistoric people made paints by mixing vegetables and earth pigments with water or animal fat.

Don't overlook important meal

School is just around the corner, and parents are beginning to shop for supplies. But a nutritionist at the Children's Nutrition Research Center in Houston says one obvious entry on the annual checklist is often overlooked--breakfast.

"It is the most important meal of the day, especially for children," said Janice Stuff, a research instructor at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "Breakfast supplies one-fourth to one-half of the recommended daily allowance of vitamins and minerals. If you skip breakfast, it is hard to catch up during the day."

Mastering the three Rs requires a lot of energy. Without breakfast, children are usually hungry by midmorning. A hungry child is too cranky and too tired to concentrate on school work, Stuff said.

"Breakfast gives a child an energy boost improving his or her behavior, attitude and physical and mental performance, Stuff added.

Healthy breakfasts draw on several of the basic food groups.

Parents can fortify their min-scholars by serving a dairy product, a protein, a bread or cereal and a fruit.

However, it is okay to vary the menu and offer foods that do not fit the traditional breakfast ideal.

Stuff suggests the following alternatives:

- Peanut butter and jelly sandwich
- Yogurt and toast with jelly
- Fresh fruit and cottage cheese
- Cheese and crackers
- Soup
- Popcorn
- Breakfast taco
- Leftovers

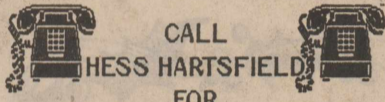
Before parents rush to the store and overstock the pantry with breakfast "goodies", Stuff encourages them to read labels.

"Parents may discover they are giving their child a product that lists sugar, sodium or fat as a main ingredient," she said.

Sugar-coated cereals are an example. Stuff recommends that children be introduced to a variety of natural wholegrains.

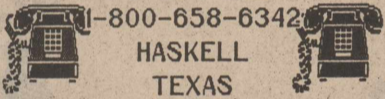
Discretion is urged when selecting breakfast meats as well. "A number of breakfast meats are marked lean or lite. They may have fewer calories, but 70 percent of those calories may come from fat," Stuff said.

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meal, she recommends either Canadian bacon or ham that has been prepared in a non-stick skillet or microwave oven. Only 45 percent of the calories in Canadian bacon or ham come from fat.

Despite good intentions, parents may undermine efforts to start their child's day on a healthy note. According to Stuff, children's food choices and eating habits are influenced by the preferences of their parents.

"Parents must set a good example, and Mom is an especially important role model. If she sips coffee and munches on a doughnut, what kind of message is she sending her child?"

When possible, parents should also include the child in menu planning, shopping and meal preparation. The entire family should practice the ABCs of good nutrition.



Attendance winners

Winners of perfect attendance awards at Haskell secondary school for the week of Nov. 11-15 were, from left, Jill Mullen, ninth grade; Nick Jiminez, seventh grade; Alice Barrera, eighth grade; April Isbell, 12th grade; and Paul Gibson, 10th grade. Michelle Espinoza, 11th-grade winner, is not pictured.

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Tiger Cubs

On Wednesday, Nov. 13, the Tiger Cubs met at the Scout Hut for a Thanksgiving dinner with their families.

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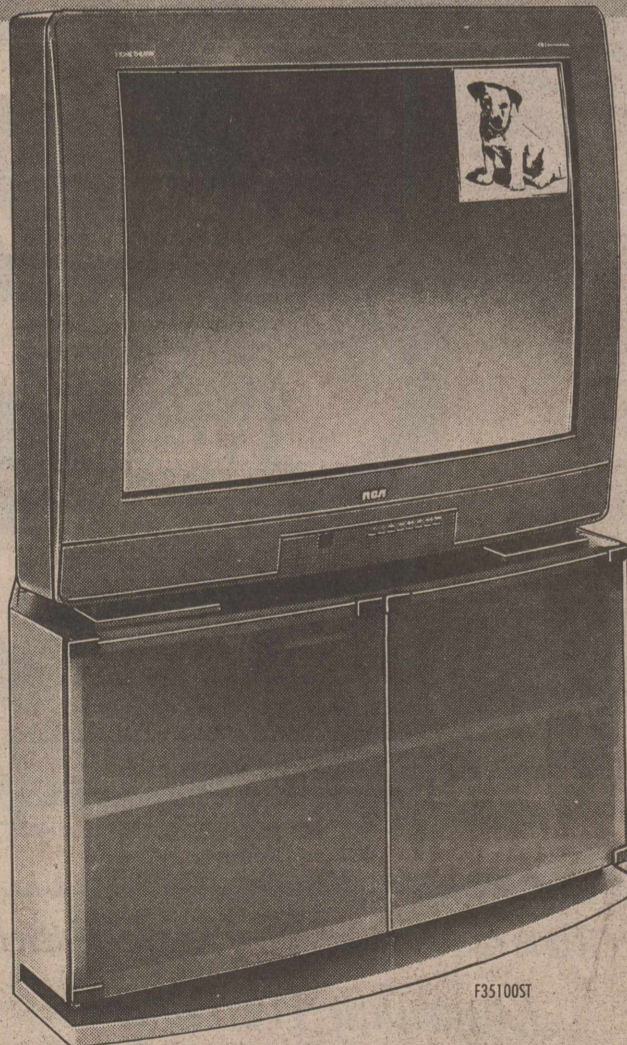
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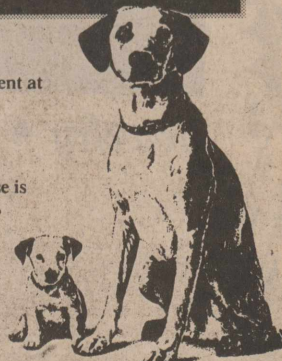
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Unemployment here at 3.7%

The October jobless rate in Haskell County was 3.7 percent, the Texas Employment Commission announced last week.

Commission figures showed 127 Haskell County workers were unemployed from a work force of 3,477.

The 3.7 rate locally was well below the state unemployment rate of 7.2 percent, which was the highest October rate in four years.

Buffalo Gap event this weekend

The annual Buffalo Gap Christmas Tour will be Nov. 30-Dec. 1.

The two-day shopkeepers' open house features non-stop shopping from 8 until dark on both Saturday and Sunday.

Local merchants promise many holiday extras, including refreshments, sales, door prizes and give-aways.

Retired Teachers meet

The Haskell County Retired Teachers Association held its monthly meeting Nov. 20 in the Drug Store Cafe in Rule. Ruby Faye Norman and Geraline Pool were hostesses. Thirty-one members were present.

Reports of all standing committees were given and Mary Martin, a member from Haskell, was recognized for her recent award as being the district Volunteer of the Year. She is a member of the Haskell County Child Welfare Board.

Members, as well as all county residents, are being urged to bring canned goods, new and used toys, and children's clothing to the child welfare office in Haskell before Dec. 20.

Next meeting of the organization will be Wednesday, March 18, at 11:30, also in the Drug Store Cafe in Rule.

Did you know?

Until now, breast cancer claimed more lives among women. Now because more women smoke, lung cancer has the top spot--50,000 lives every year.

Cardiovascular disease

This is the first in a series of articles sponsored by the American Heart Association, written to answer some common questions about the major types of heart and blood vessel (cardiovascular) disorders.

In them, you will learn (1) what the major disorders are, (2) how many Americans are affected, (3) how victims of these diseases are diagnosed and treated, and (4) what can be done about these diseases.

While these articles are offered for your education, please don't use the information to try to diagnose individual cases. Every case is unique. Only a doctor is qualified to make a diagnosis and prescribe treatment.

A LIFE EVERY 32 SECONDS

What's the number one killer in America? Millions of people believe it's cancer. And they're wrong.

Cardiovascular disease holds that deadly distinction.

FACT: In 1985 heart and blood vessel diseases killed nearly 1 million Americans, almost as many as cancer, accidents, pneumonia, influenza and all other causes of death combined.

FACT: Almost one in two Americans dies of cardiovascular disease.

FACT: Of the current U.S. population of about 239 million,

nearly 65 million--more than one in four Americans--suffer some form of cardiovascular disease.

Make no mistake. Cancer and other diseases are a real threat. But it's important to keep things in perspective. In 1985, about 460,000 Americans died of cancer. In 1986, nearly 6,100 Americans died of AIDS. That's tragic, but the tragedy is compounded if Americans' attention is focused on these diseases at the expense of a disease that claims more than twice as many victims. Cardiovascular diseases are killers.

One reason cardiovascular diseases sometimes may be underestimated is the perception that they're diseases of the elderly. But that's a gross generalization--and one contradicted by about 200,000 deaths every year. Because about 200,000 victims of heart and blood vessel diseases each year are under age 65. Using a methodology developed by the Centers for Disease Control, Total Cardiovascular Disease accounted for 2,040,000 years of potential life lost in 1985, ranking second behind injuries (2,308,000) and ahead of cancer (1,803,000).

Cardiovascular diseases demand attention. Too many people are dying. And many deaths may be

preventable--by lowering blood pressure, stopping smoking, reducing the amount of cholesterol in the blood, knowing the warning signs. Education is vital.

Death rates from heart attack, stroke and other cardiovascular diseases are declining. Advances in medical treatment and the fact that many people have adopted healthier lifestyles in recent years have undoubtedly contributed. But there's still a long way to go and no time for complacency. Because someone dies--from cardiovascular disease--every 32 seconds.

(The next article will discuss the heart and how it works.)

Submitted by
Bill McSmith, DO
American Heart Association

Cervical cancer rates going down

Cervical cancer rates are on the decline because diagnosis and treatment have improved.

"Physicians can now detect abnormal cells in the cervical lining before cancer has time to develop," says Dr. Alan L. Kaplan, obstetrician and gynecologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.



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Applications are being accepted for both men and women. Appointments as Coast Guard cadets are tendered solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition with no congressional nominations or geographical quotas. Applications must be submitted to the Director of Admissions prior to Dec. 15, 1991. Candidates must arrange to participate in either the College Board Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or American College Testing Assessment (ACT) prior to or including the December 1991 ACT

and SAT test administrations.

Appointments as cadet are tendered based on the candidate's high school record, performance on either the SAT or ACT, and leadership potential as demonstrated by participation in high school activities, community affairs and/or part-time employment. Most successful candidates rank in the top quarter of their high school classes and have demonstrated proficiency in both the mathematical and applied science fields.

Candidates must be unmarried at the time of appointment, have no legal obligations resulting from a prior marriage, and must have reached the age of 17, but not 22, by July 1, 1992.

All candidates must be assured of

high school graduation by June 30, 1992. They must have completed a minimum of three years of English and three in mathematics to include algebra and plane or coordinate geometry or their equivalents, and must fulfill basic physical requirements.

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Graduates of the academy are commissioned as ensigns in the United States Coast Guard. Selected officers may pursue further post-graduate education and specialized training at many leading civilian and military graduate or professional schools, in such fields as aviation, business administration, electronics, engineering, law and oceanography.

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Happenings...

by Lois Redwine

The Confederate Air Force has completed its move from Harlingen to the Midland International Airport. Starting Dec. 3 and ending Dec. 8, a week of Commemoration will be held. On Dec. 7, the formal grand opening of International Headquarters of the CAF and the American Airpower Heritage Museum is scheduled. Events include an enactment of Tora Tora Tora, music by the Air Force Band and barbecue served by the Odessa Chuck Wagon Gang. If you are interested in Aviation History, this event is well worth your time. For further information, call week days 1-5 p.m. 915-685-0427.

Leone Pearsey is spending Thanksgiving with grandson, Glynn Casselberry, in Buffalo Gap.

Grandson, Scott Henshaw, of Casper, Wyo. is visiting. Enroute to Haskell, he visited his uncle and cousin, Gaylon and Curtis Head, in Lubbock. Here, he is visiting his other grandmother, Iola Henshaw, his aunt, Virginia Henshaw, his cousin, Flint Nanny and family, and friends. Thanksgiving, he will be in the Wayland Community where the Foremans and Redwines gather each year at this time.

Sudie Mae Doerr of Paso Robles, Ca. and her sister, Ella

Belle Burson spent a few days in Dallas, shopping and enjoying the city.

Leone Pearsey and Juanita Rhea were in Stamford last Thursday helping the Stamford Garden Club with their Thanksgiving fund raising dinner. The event was held in down town Stamford and around 200 attended. Both ladies are members of the Stamford Club.

Bro. and Mrs. John L. Lewis have been in Ok. at the bedside of Mrs. Lewis' brother. Bro. Lewis is pastor of the Hopewell Baptist Church.

The Greater Independent Baptist Church hosted the Community Choir last Sunday and the Community Brotherhood on Tuesday night.

Members of the American Legion and their Auxiliary held their annual Thanksgiving dinner Tuesday night at the Legion Hall.

Christene Greene and Martha Meadors were in Abilene last week.

Teressa Ryan Meadors was in Benjamin last week to watch her daughter play basketball.

The Haskell Country Squares hosted their regular 4th Saturday night at the Corral building last Saturday night. Leon Ivey of

Munday was the caller.

Alice and L. C. Johnson, Sr were in Abilene last week. Mrs. Johnson underwent more tests and x-rays.

Keaton Jetton of Denver, Co. visited the Ted Jettons in Weinert last Saturday. He is the nephew of Mr. Jetton and was enroute to visit his mother, Velma Jetton. He returned home by Oklahoma City.

On Nov. 15, the Holloway's were in Coleman visiting their families. While there Mickey and Richard attended the Hamlin-San Saba football game in Brownwood.

On Sat. Mickey and Monique were in Brownwood shopping with Mickey's mother, Virginia Villegas and her brother, Joe Villegas. While in Brownwood, they were met by Mickey's sister and brother-in-law, Cindy and Darrell Wilkins of Goldthwaite. On Sat., C. J. Villegas enjoyed spending time with his popo, Robert Villegas, as they spent the day working on cars, and later that day they enjoyed going fishing. C. J. was excited as he and his popo came home with three good-sized fish. The Holloway's also visited Richard's mom, Eva Mae Holloway of Coleman and his sister, Deborah and niece, Mercedes, of Ft. Worth.

Inmates find escape in plants

It's not exactly a garden club. The women meet daily in a garden, plan landscapes, order flowers form catalogs, talk about husbands, or children or back when they were kids... and think about getting out of prison.

If not a club, it is sort of "prep" school for 13 women in the new horticulture program at the Federal Prison Camp in Bryan, a low-security facility for female convicts. A \$19,865 federal contract to the Texas Agricultural Extension Service has put a horticulturist on staff to certify the inmates as Master Gardeners.

"The point is to provide these women with some skills they can use when they get out," said Lisa Whittlesey, the extension service horticulturist who is training the inmates.

Master Gardener certificates are earned after a person completes 50 hours of in-depth gardening instruction, an examination and 50 hours of volunteer work in horticultural science. More than 500 Texas adults have completed the course in the past decade. About 25 states have Master Gardener programs.

But this is apparently the first time in the United States that a Master Gardener course has been offered to prisoners," according to Dr. Diane Relf, consumer horticulturist at Virginia Tech University and one of the Master Gardener originators.

"We have some Master Gardeners volunteering at prisons, but I don't know of any others who are certifying the prisoners themselves," Relf said.

The course was expanded for the federal prison in Texas to include classroom and hands-on instruction from 7:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. week days for six months.

"A lot of the women have not

been in school for a long time," Whittlesey said. "I had to start by teaching about the parts of a plant, watering and different soils."

Whittlesey is advancing the class through work in the garden, greenhouses and landscaping around the prison grounds. She also plans to teach sections on nursery production and floral design.

Janie Rodriguez, education supervisor at the prison camp, said the course offers a sense of independence for the women.

"Keeping the inmates busy all seven hours during the day is not a problem with this course," Rodriguez said. "But even though they work hard, it is a sort of freedom they feel from working outside."

"Through Mrs. Whittlesey, we can escape from our situation," said Karen Zieg, 46, who is serving 20 months for bank fraud. "There's a freshness in this program, and she treats us with dignity."

Hard but productive work was cited by the program's first participants.

"I always volunteer for the garden rather than the greenhouse," said 34-year-old Deborah Mapes, serving 18 months for mail fraud. "Maybe it's just seeing the crops produce something useful, more than just flowers."

"We have to work with our minds and our hands," added 48-year-old Ruby Stephens, who has five years to go on a 15-year drug conviction. "When we go back to the unit in the evening, we're tired enough to go to sleep and not think about things we have no control

over."

Rodriguez hopes the program will give the women alternative skills upon release from prison.

"I got lucky. I got in the program as soon as I got here and this has turned my head around," said Judith Green, 41, serving six months for a probation violation.

"We always had a garden at home. But we planted tomatoes at a certain time because our daddy told us to and his daddy told him to," Green said. "I wanted to find out the proper ways of planting."

Green hopes the Master Gardener certificate will write her ticket out of factory work at the end of her sentence.

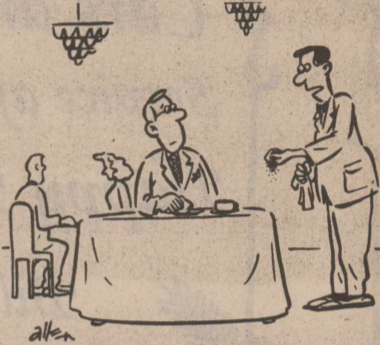
Prison officials said the program offers some dividends for the system as well.

"We estimate that the greenhouses should pay for themselves within five years because we will be able to grow our own bedding plants instead of purchasing them," said Terri Lane, assistant superintendent at the camp. "All federal institutions have

a goal of making themselves more appealing to the public. We want our facility to look more attractive."

Stephens said prisoners have a saying: "You can do your time or let it do you."

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

Friday: Juice or fruit, cereal, buttered toast with honey whip, milk.

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Elementary School

Monday: Chili and beans, spinach, carrot sticks, buttered cornbread, cherry cobbler, milk, juice.

Tuesday: Submarine sandwiches, tater tots, pickle spears, sliced peaches, milk, juice.

Wednesday: Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, English peas, buttered hot rolls, pineapple tidbits, milk, juice.

Thursday: Fajitas, refried beans, tossed salad, frosted Jello, milk, juice.

Friday: Hamburgers, french fries, lettuce and tomatoes, pickles and onions, ice cream, milk, juice.

High School

Monday: Hamburgers or chili and beans, french fries, spinach, salad bar, buttered cornbread, cherry cobbler.

Tuesday: Hamburgers or submarine sandwiches, tater tots, pickle spears, salad bar, sliced peaches.

Wednesday: Hamburgers or lasagna, french fries, buttered corn, salad bar, buttered hot rolls, pineapple tidbits.

Thursday: Hamburgers or fajitas, french fries, refried beans, salad bar, frosted Jello.

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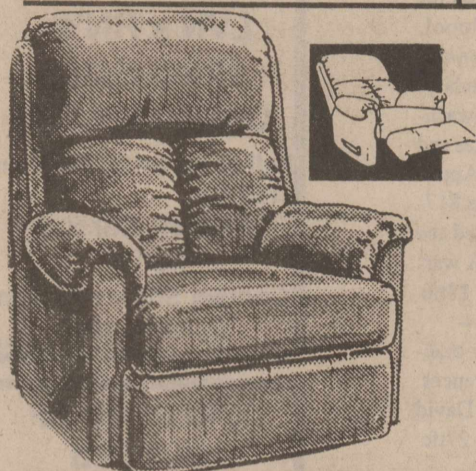
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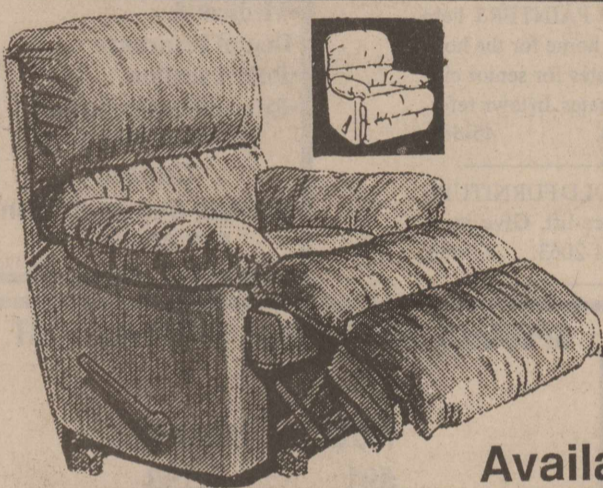
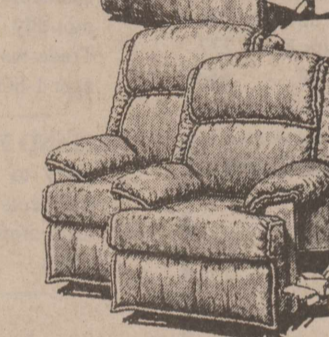
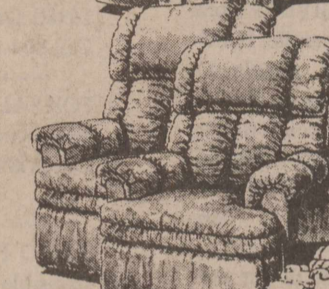
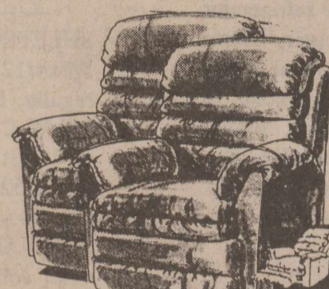


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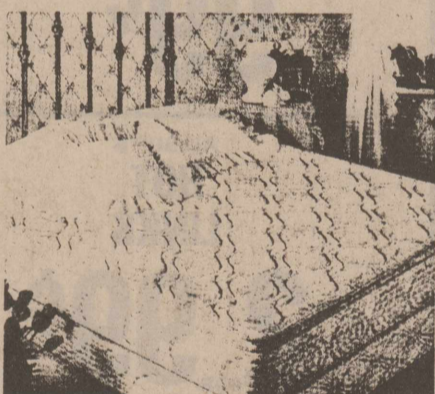
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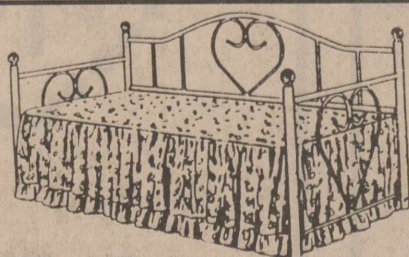
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By Eibert Johnson, Registered Pharmacist

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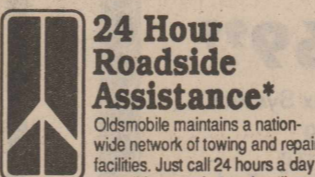
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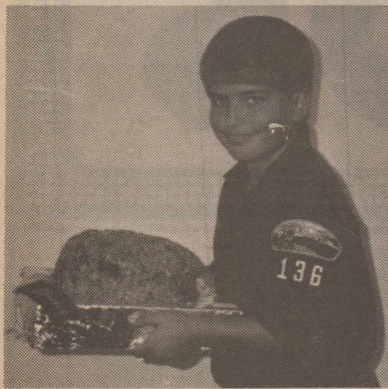
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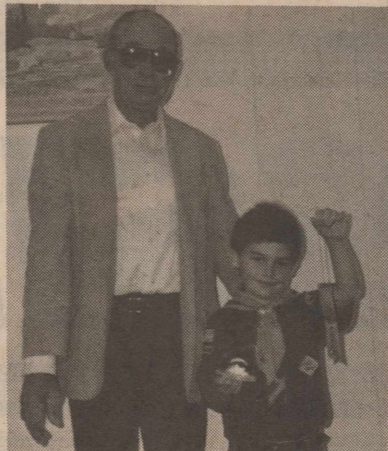
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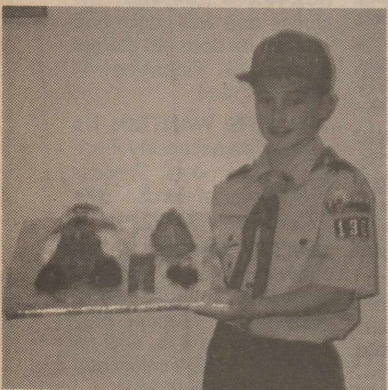
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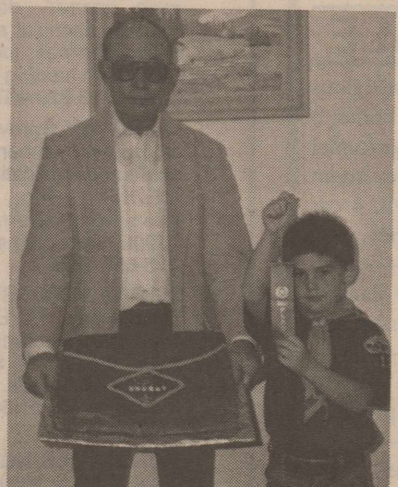
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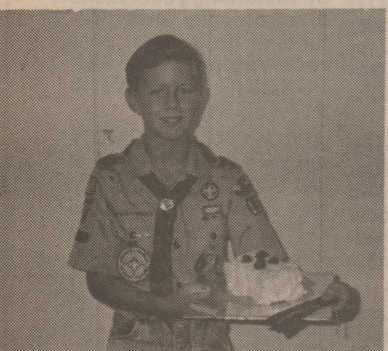
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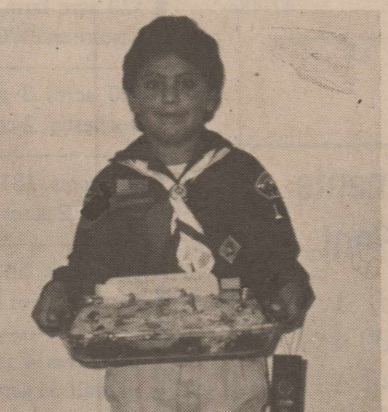
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--Social Security--

By M. Glyn Hammons
District Manager

Several parents of newborns in the Big Country area have apparently fallen prey to a company, that charges a fee for services available free of charge from Social Security. Reports have come in alleging that this company, located in Washington, D.C., has charged \$15 for helping to process Social Security number applications for parents of newborns.

Some people have reported sending in the \$15 fee but receiving nothing in return. Those who do receive these services will receive less than what Social Security supplies at no cost whatsoever. This is because only Social Security can process applications for Social Security numbers.

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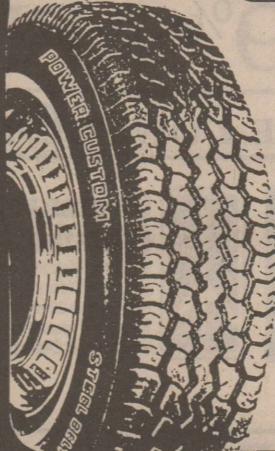
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