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## Roberson, Raughton in runoff for Judge, Chapman and Adams for Commissioner; Turnbow and Brown winners in primary

County Judge B. O. Roberson will be opposed by J.M. (Stick) Raughton and County Commissioner Ronnie Chapman by E. L. (Elmer) Adams in the Democratic primary runoff election April 12.

Results of Tuesday's Democratic primary forced the two incumbents into runoffs, while two other county officials, Commissioner C. A. (Bud) Turnbow and Justice of the Peace Gina Brown won new terms.

Roberson led a four-man field for County Judge, getting 833 votes. Raughton's total was 527. Giles M. Kemp received 260 votes and Jerrell (Judo) Johnson had 206.

Chapman, running for re-election as commissioner of Precinct 2, topped a three-man field

with 268 votes. Adams received 250 and James R. (Jimmy) Hannsz got 89.

Turnbow won re-election as Commissioner of Precinct 4 by getting 278 votes while Don Hisey was getting 144.

Mrs. Brown won out as Justice of the Peace with 1,006 votes, compared to 753 for Don Flippin.

In voting for state offices, Haskell County voters gave a rather hearty endorsement to Richard Fisher for U.S. Senator. Fisher polled 879 votes in Haskell County while Jim Mattox was getting 590. Michael A. Andrews received 115 and Evelyn L. Lantz got 73. Fisher and Mattox will meet in the runoff.

Governor Ann W. Richards was a runaway winner in Haskell

County, as she was statewide, over Gary Espinosa, out-polling her opponent in Haskell County by 1,374-234.

County voters also favored: Martha Whitehead for State Treasurer over Gary Yarborough, 917-591.

James E. (Jim) Nugent for Railroad Commissioner over Robert Earley 990-556, and Mary Scott Nabers for Railroad Commissioner over David Young, 1,009-513.

### High loses

Doyle High went down to defeat Tuesday in his bid for the Republican nomination for State Senate of District 30.

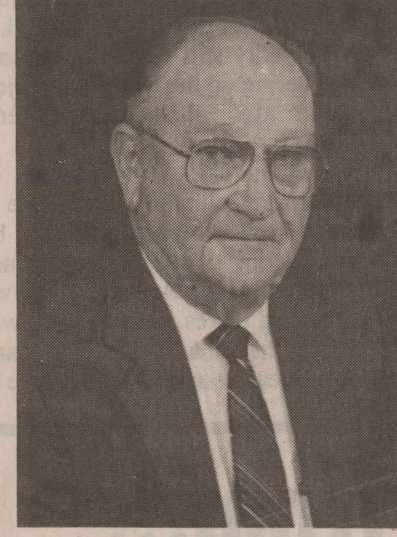
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Republican primary showed Tom Haywood a clear winner with 68 percent of the district's vote, compared to High's 32 percent.

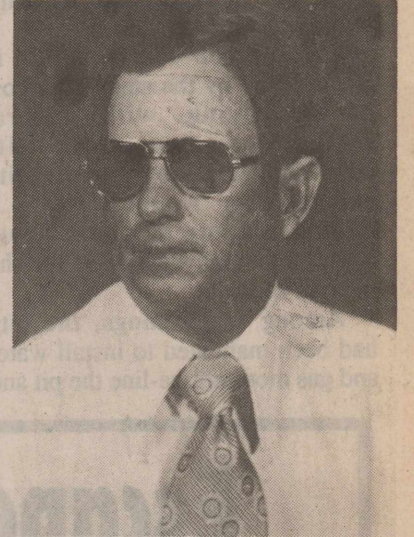
High was an easy winner in Haskell County, beating Haywood, 28-3, in local primary voting.

Haskell County voters also favored Phil Boone for the Republican nomination for U.S. Representative. Locally, Boone got 19 votes, compared to 5 for Roy Emerson Falls and only 2 for Don Schmidt, Jr.

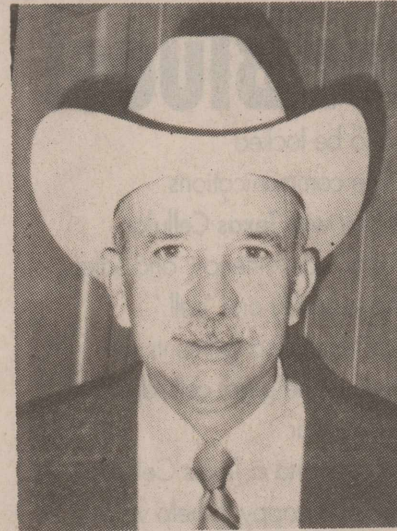
In contested state races, Haskell County Republicans went for George W. Bush for Governor, Patricia Lykos for Attorney General and David Hartman for State Treasurer.



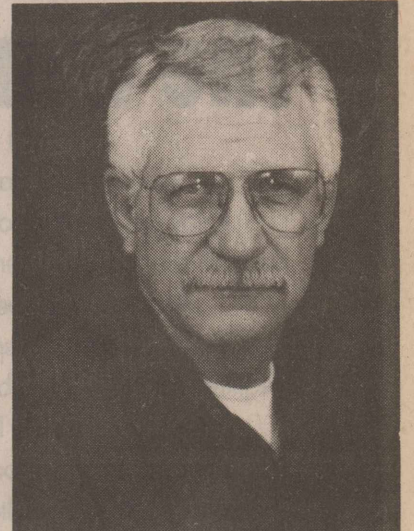
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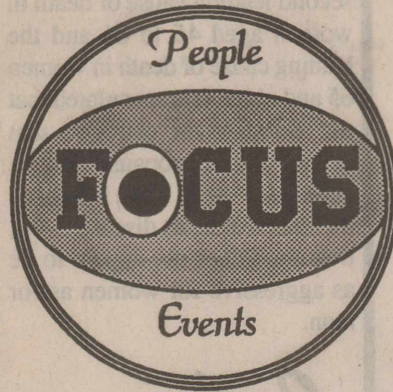
J. M. (Stick) Raughton



Ronnie Chapman



E. L. (Elmer) Adams



### City gets grant for sewer work

The City of Haskell has received approval of a \$191,000 grant to improve the local sewer system.

The grant, from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, will be used to increase the number of drying beds and to enlarge and replace sewer lines, some of which have been in place since 1906.

Under terms of the grant, the City will be required to pay 15 percent of the cost, or about \$28,000, said Sam Watson, city administrator.

### Chamber banquet tickets available

Tickets to the annual Haskell Chamber of Commerce banquet are now on sale at both local banks, the Chamber office and from members of the board.

The banquet is scheduled for March 26 in the Civic Center. Jerry Larned, a Haskell native who is superintendent of schools in Monahans, will be guest speaker.

Highlight of the banquet program will be the presentation of the "Outstanding Citizen" award.

### Missy Davis on Dean's List

Missy Davis of Haskell is included on the 1993 fall semester Dean's List at Sul Ross State University.

Undergraduate students who are enrolled for 12 or more semester hours and maintain a grade-point average of 3.3 or better are eligible for the honor list.

Davis had a GPA of 3.462.

### Three file for School Board

Two incumbents and a newcomer have filed for the three school board positions to be filled in the May 7 school election.

Tom Hairgrove, now filling position 4, and Tiffen Mayfield, incumbent position 5 member, have both filed for re-election.

The other candidate is Randy McLelland, who filed for position 3.

The filing period remains open through March 23.

## Indians bow in Region

Haskell's great basketball season finally came to an end Friday night when the Indians bowed to the Shallowater Mustangs, 95-81 in a first round regional game at Abilene Christian University.

The No. 5-ranked Mustangs

exploded for 33 points in the second period to turn a narrow 23-22 first-quarter lead into a 56-35 cushion by halftime.

It was more of the same in the third period as the Mustangs outscored the Indians, 22-13 to

increase their margin to 30 points, 78-48.

But the Indians fought back gamely, racking up 33 points in the fourth quarter. In one stretch of a minute and a half, the Indians had an 11-0 run. Twice during the final period, they got to within 12 points of the South Plains team.

Shallowater's Jason Lusk was red hot against the Indians. The sophomore forward racked up 44 points on 14 field goals (including four 3-pointers) and 12 of 14 free throws.

The Indians' Brian Brzozowski scored 28 points, while Jonathan Tatum and Cody Cooley were also in double figures with 14 each.

Tatum sank two 3-pointers in the first period and Brzozowski and Mart Guess had one each as the Indians battled the Mustangs on even terms in the opening period. Cooley got 11 of his points in the big fourth quarter while Brzozowski was getting 10 of his.

The district 7-2A champion Indians ended their season with a 23-9 record, which included wins over Dublin in bi-district and Wall in area.

Stamford, which also won its way into regional after finishing second to Haskell in district, lost its first-round game to Clarendon, 71-65. In Saturday afternoon's finals, Shallowater defeated Clarendon to win a spot in this weekend's state tournament in Austin.

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Shallowater 23 33 22 17--95  
Haskell: Larned 2 0-1 4, Cooley 6 0-2 14, Huff 1 -0-0 3, Coleman 3 0-3 6, Tatum 5 0-0 14, Guess 3 0-0 8, Meeks 3 1-1 7, Brzozowski 10 7-9 28.

### City schedules 'Cleanup Week'

Next week, March 14-19, has been designated Spring Cleanup Week in Haskell by the City Council.

On Saturday, March 19, the City will provide extra dumpster pickup free of charge.

Also on Saturday, the landfill will be made available free of charge. Those wishing to use the landfill on that day should bring their city utility bill to receive the free service.



### Tree planting

City employee Dan Hoover plants a tree Monday at the city park, the first of 500 trees the city will plant. The trees were given to the city by Modern Way and IGA as part of the IGA Hometown Proud Tree Program. Looking on are city employees Dave Miller and Sam Watson, and Sam Bitner and Sammy Bitner of Modern Way.

## Indians rip 'Dogs' in district opener

The Haskell Indians pounded out 15 hits at Stamford Monday afternoon as they opened their district 7-2A season with a 14-6 victory over the Bulldogs.

Shannon Meeks went the full seven innings for the Indians, giving up 7 hits and striking out 8 on his first day back with the team after the extended basketball season.

As a team, the Indians batted .429, the 15 hits coming on 35 at-bats.

Among the hits were five homeruns, including two by

Chuckie Castillo and one each by Stacy Walker, Casey Larned and Meeks.

Walker went 4-for-5 and drove in 5 runs. Castillo was 3-for-5 with 3 RBIs and Meeks was 2-for-5 with 3 runs batted in. Larned was also 2-for-5. Jason Torres and Brian Brzozowski each had a double.

While getting off to a 1-0 start in district play, the Indians improved their record to 4-1.

Last Monday, the Indians defeated Olney, 7-2 with Chancey

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## Roewe's Hardin-Simmons team seeks national championship

The ninth-ranked Hardin-Simmons Cowgirls, coached by Haskell native Julie Roewe, will receive a first-round bye in the NAIA II championship tournament which begins today (Thursday) in Monmouth, Oregon.

The Cowgirls will see action at

11 a.m. (CST) Friday against the winner of the Westbrook, Maine-Shawnee State, Ohio, game on Thursday morning.

Roewe, a former standout at Haskell and UT-Arlington, led HSU to a 24-3 record and a TIAA co-championship in her first year at

the helm. The Cowgirls tied Howard Payne for the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association title with a 9-1 record but earned the automatic bid to the national championship with a 76-56 playoff win over Howard Payne last

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## How we voted

### Democrats

#### County Judge

J. M. (Stick) Raughton	527
Giles M. Kemp	260
Jerrell (Judo) Johnson	206
B. O. Roberson	833

#### Justice of the Peace

Gina Brown	1006
Don Flippin	753

#### Commissioner, Precinct 2

James R. (Jimmy) Hannsz	89
Ronnie Chapman	268
E. L. (Elmer) Adams	250

#### Commissioner, Precinct 4

Don Hisey	144
C. A. (Bud) Turnbow	278

#### U. S. Senator

Michael A. Andrews	115
Jim Mattox	590
Richard Fisher	879
Evelyn L. Lantz	73

#### Governor

Ann W. Richards	1374
Gary Espinosa	234

#### State Treasurer

Grady Yarborough	591
Martha Whitehead	917

#### Railroad Commissioner

James E. (Jim) Nugent	990
Robert Earley	556

#### Railroad Commissioner

Mary Scott Nabers	1009
David Young	513

#### Republicans

#### State Senate

Tom Haywood	3
Doyle High	28

#### U. S. Senator

Stephen Hopkins	0
Ernest J. Schmidt	0
Tom Spink	0
M. Troy Mata	0
Roger Henson	1
James C. Currey	0
Kay Bailey Hutchison	26

#### U. S. Representative

Roy Emerson Falls	5
Phil Boone	19
Don Schmidt, Jr.	2

#### Governor

George W. Bush	27
Ray Hollis	2

#### Attorney General

Patricia (Pat) Lykos	10
John Marshall	7
Don Wittig	0
Tony Garza	0

#### State Treasurer

Mike Wolfe	6
David Hartman	16



# City landfill to close April 8

Haskell's city landfill will officially close on Friday, April 8.

After that date, all garbage collected in Haskell will be transported to Abilene for disposal.

City administrator Sam Watson said Tuesday that the city garbage truck will make eight to ten trips weekly to Abilene.

Closing of the landfill is necessitated by the staggering cost of complying with federal regulations concerning its operation. Watson said the city estimated it would cost \$1.3 million to bring the landfill into compliance and operate it for the next 12 months.

Among other things, the city had been mandated to install water and gas monitors, re-line the pit and

install a water collection system, which would cost in excess of \$500,000, Watson said.

Also affected by the closing of the landfill are the cities of Munday, Knox City, Stamford, Weinert, Rule and Rochester which have used the local landfill under contract with the City of Haskell.

The City still faces the expense of covering up the landfill, a project which also must meet federal standards.

Watson called on citizens of Haskell to voluntarily cooperate in the new arrangement by "compacting" their garbage as much as possible. Breaking down cardboard boxes, for instance, will reduce the bulk of the waste and make it easier and less expensive to

handle.

In the near future, Watson said the City hopes to establish a fenced collection site within the city where residents may deposit limbs, leaves, grass clippings and other items they have been accustomed to taking directly to the landfill.

## -HOSPITAL-

### Medical

Olga Escobedo, Haskell  
Golda Colbert, Haskell  
Henry Rueffer, Weinert  
Veronica Session, Haskell  
Callie Robison, Haskell  
Carrie Osment, Haskell  
Ramona Valdez, O'Brien  
Roy Medford, Haskell  
Clarence Stegemoeller, Sager-ton

Oleta Williams, Haskell  
George Mullino, Haskell  
Jack Fox, Haskell

### Dismissals

Lorena Burnison, Blanche  
Corley, Alton Fitzgerald, Virgil  
Conner, Salvador Rodriguez, L.E.  
Kitchens, Louise Amerson, Lillian  
Myers, Martha Alfred, Elna  
Weise, Wesley Strickland, Tommy  
Robertson.

## -BIRTHS-

Bruce and Michelle Toney of Abilene announce the birth of a son, Clay Brett, born Feb. 28 in Abilene.

He is welcomed by a sister, Tarah Leigh, 6.

Grandparents are J. B. and Dorothy Toney of Sager-ton and Dennis and Rebecca Alexander of Abilene.

Great-grandparents are Gary and Rita Freeman of Topeka, Kan., and Arthur and Frieda Knipping of Sager-ton.

Great-great-grandmother is Marie Kaliker of Fort Wayne, Ind.

# 30 donors show up to give blood

By Brian Burgess

Even though it came about that Haskell's boys' basketball team had a playoff game the same evening, the Haskell county Red Cross Bloodmobile was a tremendous success.

Not only did we have 30 donors, we had nine new donors. These new donors may have donated blood elsewhere, but as far as the records go, it was the first time they have given blood in Haskell: Elaine Reed, Lisa Frierson, Dana Winn, Duward Campbell, Lester Hutchinson, Darlene Swinney, Verla Price and Penny Young.

I must tell you that the first time you come to give blood can be a little scary. I hope friends and family of these donors will pat them on the back and thank them for their courage and caring.

The rest of our donors were from our long time faithful few. I think these folks are heroes. Look how much these donors have given:

Glenn Brzozowski, 52 pints; Bill Swinney, 51 pints; Travis Solomon, 43 pints; Randy McLelland, 38 pints; Brian Burgess, 37; Cathy Bartley, 32; Robert Bartley, 31; Mike New, 29; Kenny Thompson, 27; Jean Kemp, 25; Donna Cole 25; Lois Howard, 25; Kim Crawford, 20; Linda King 20; Verda Calloway, 15; Yuvi Cadenhead, 15; Albert Thane, 18; Wanda Thompson, 14; Jerry Don Klose, 14; Betty Raynes, 9; and Betty Rudd, 3.

Thanks to The Free Press for publicity for the Bloodmobile.

Thanks to First Baptist Church for the use of its fine facilities, and thanks most of all to the wonderful ladies who provide volunteer support for the Bloodmobile: Kim Crawford, Dorthay Wells, Ophelia Newsom, Lesta Covey, Verla Price, Mildred Robertson, Jane Smith, Joetta Burnett, Frances Bowen and Phoi McGuire. Ladies, we couldn't do it without you.

# --Sagerton--

by Alice Bredthauer

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer ate lunch at the VIP last week then went to visit in the home of Mrs. Evelyn Kainer and Mrs. Dorothy Hines.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer went to Abilene for Alvin to see his doctor one day last week.

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Those who enjoyed being at the Community Center last Tuesday were Anton Teichelman, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Toney, Jack and Peggy Tabor, Joe and Dorothy Clark, Mrs. Sylvia Crowe, Mrs. Mary Neinst, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Cade Brown, James Gellner, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, John and Sue Guinn, Clancy and Helen Lehmann, Mike, Cheryl, Michael and Jeremy Hertel, Karen, Steven, Jennifer, Brian, M'Lynn, Lehmann, Ed Fouts, Odene Dudensing, Mrs. Aline Summers, Carl Hunt, Lyn Dale Dudensing.

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Greg Teichelman spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Teichelman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer, Herbert Rinn, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teichelman went to bowl with the senior citizens which meet every Thursday.

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There was a nice group at the

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Bill Tabor visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. John L. Brooks and also with his brother Jacky Tabor and Peggy.

## Has surgery

Jo Marie Barnes of Rice Springs Care Home is a patient in Hendrick Medial Center in Abilene where she has had a complete hip replacement. She is the sister of Mrs. Alvis Bird.

## PHARMACY NEWS



By Elbert Johnson, Registered Pharmacist

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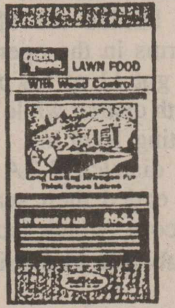
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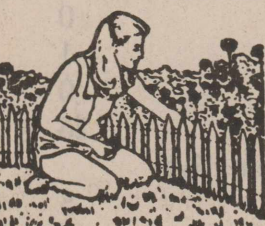
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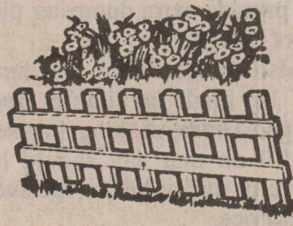
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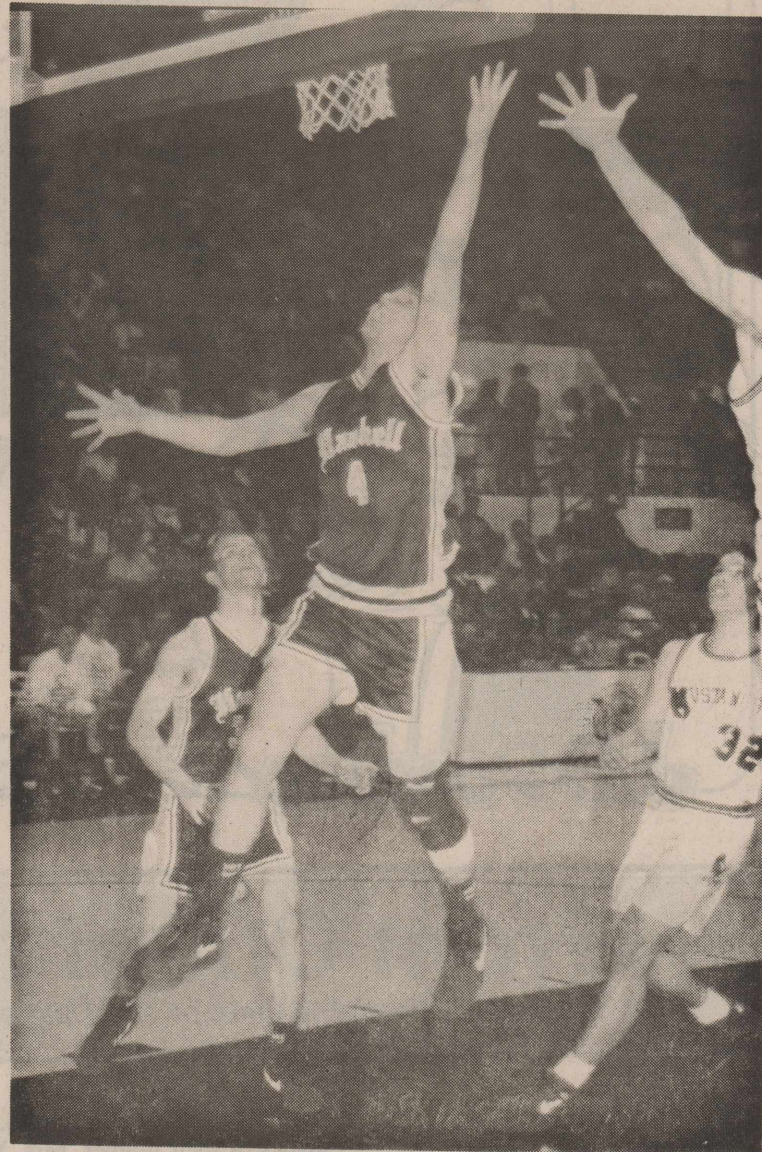
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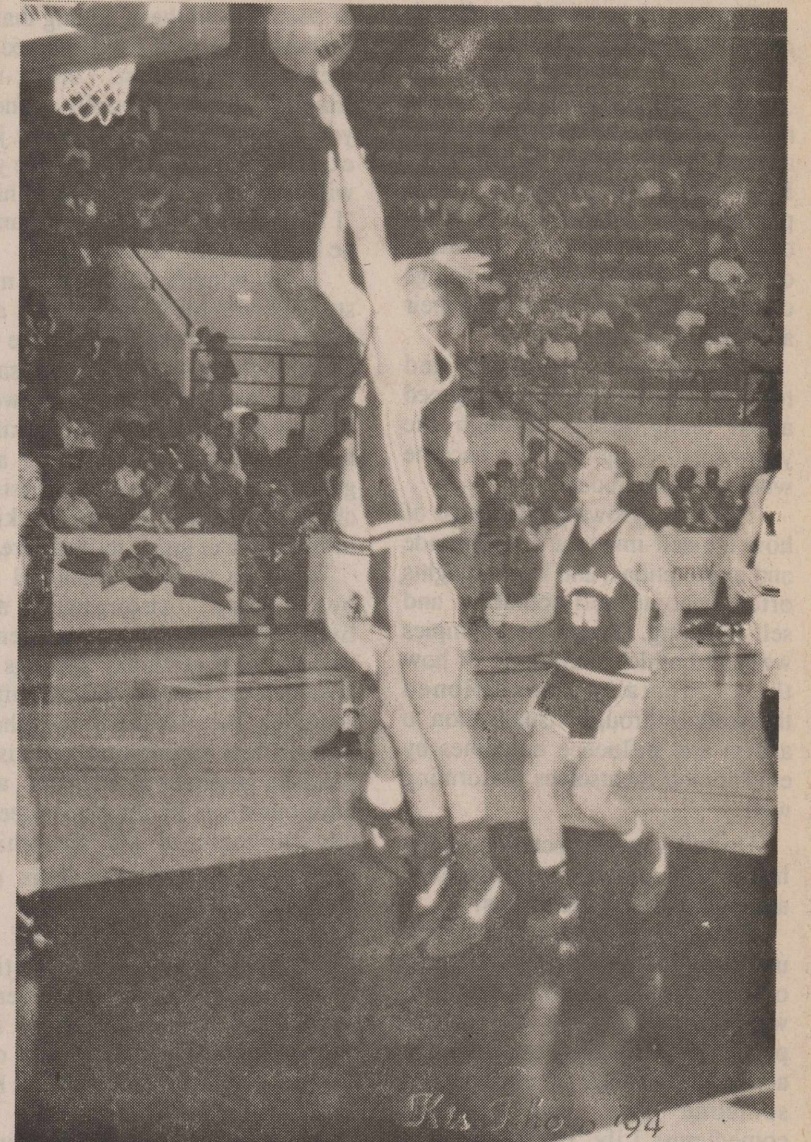
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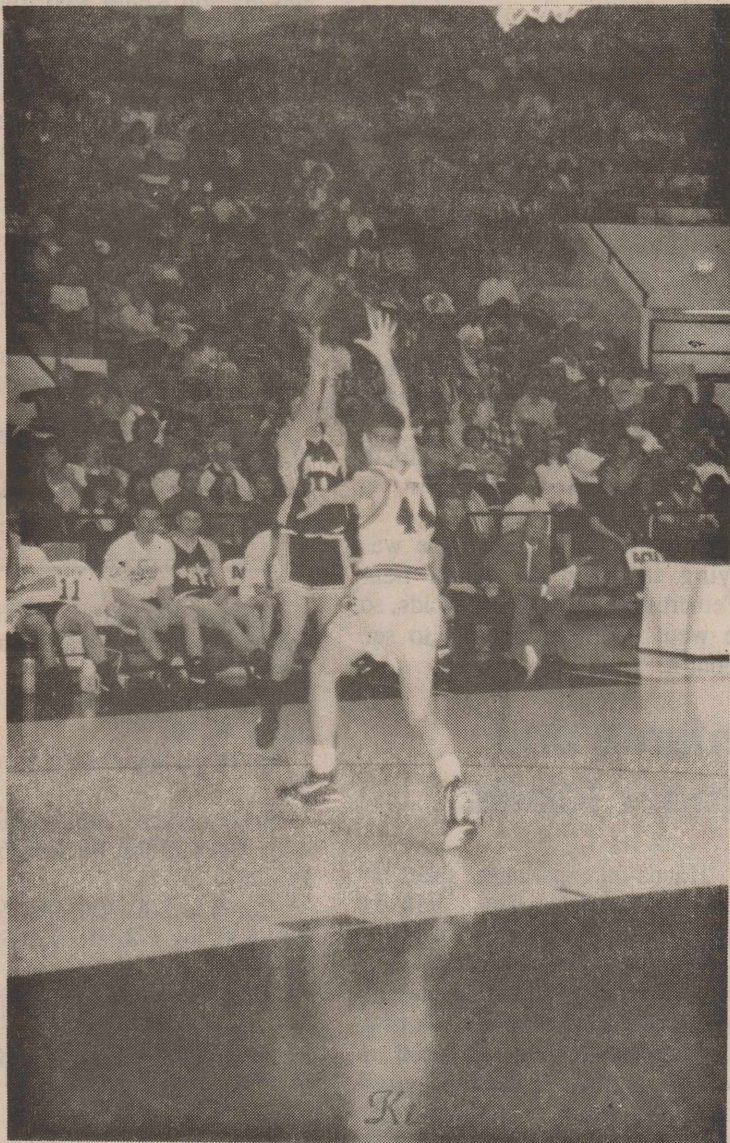
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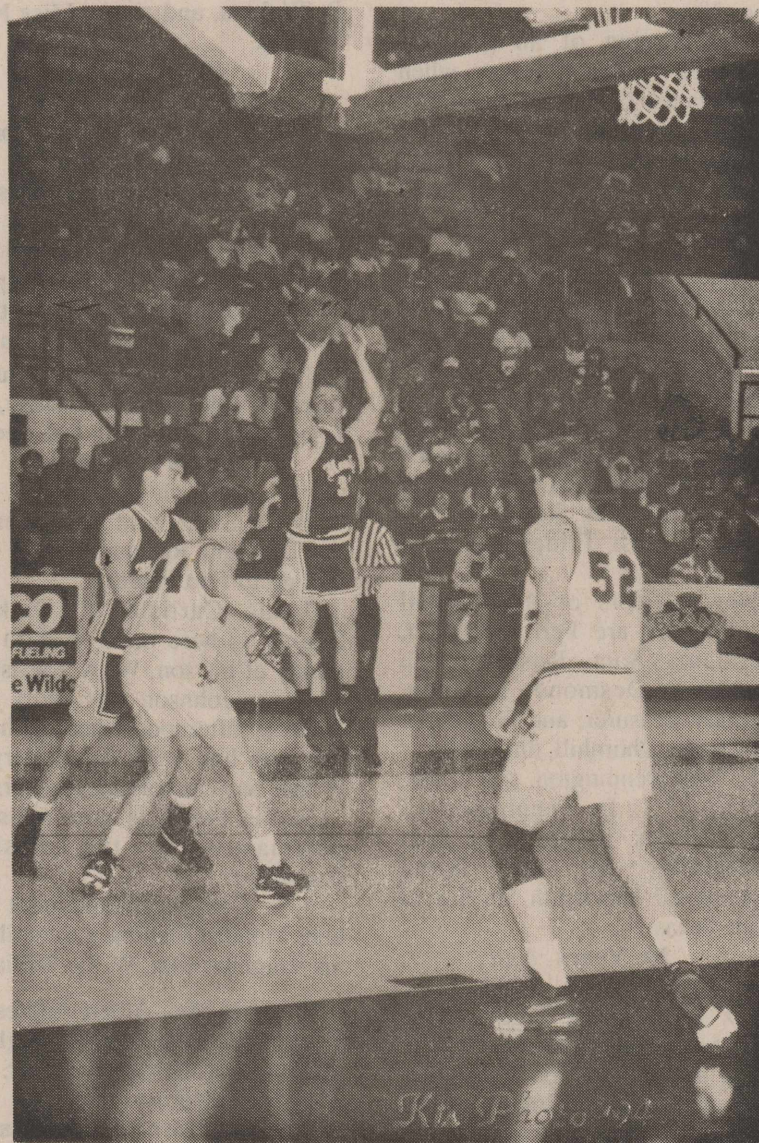
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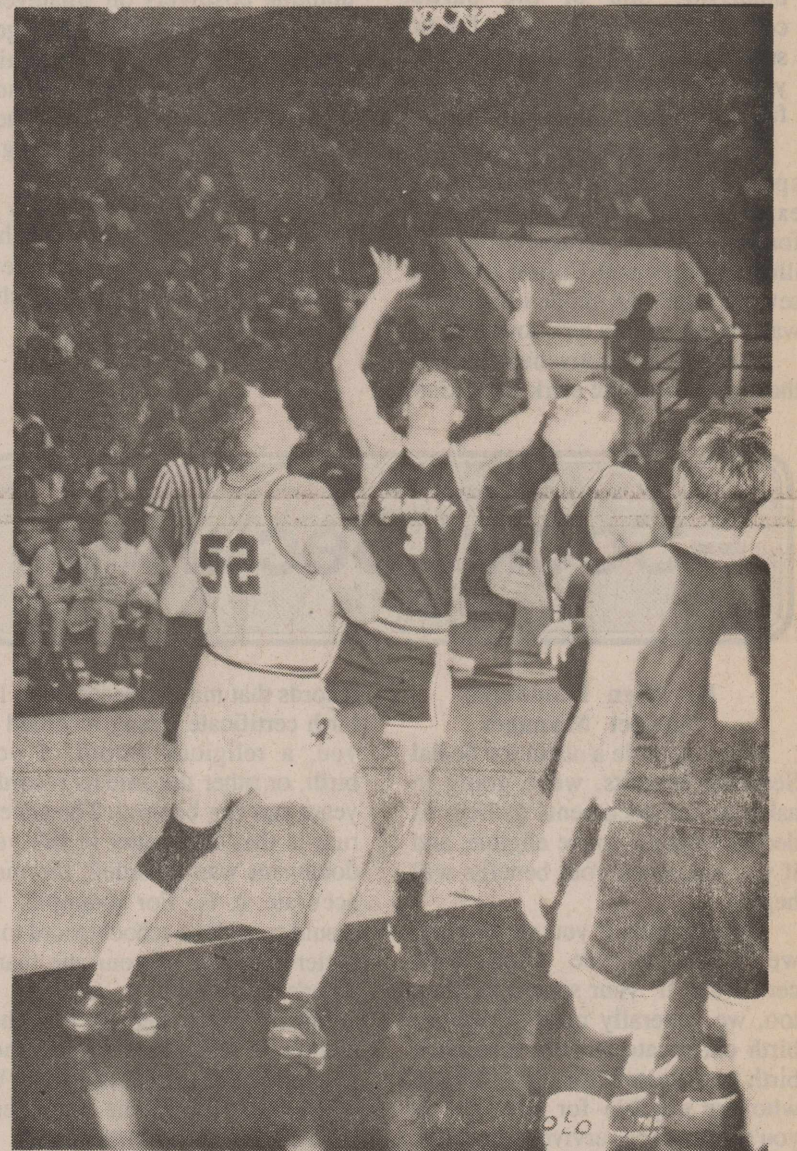
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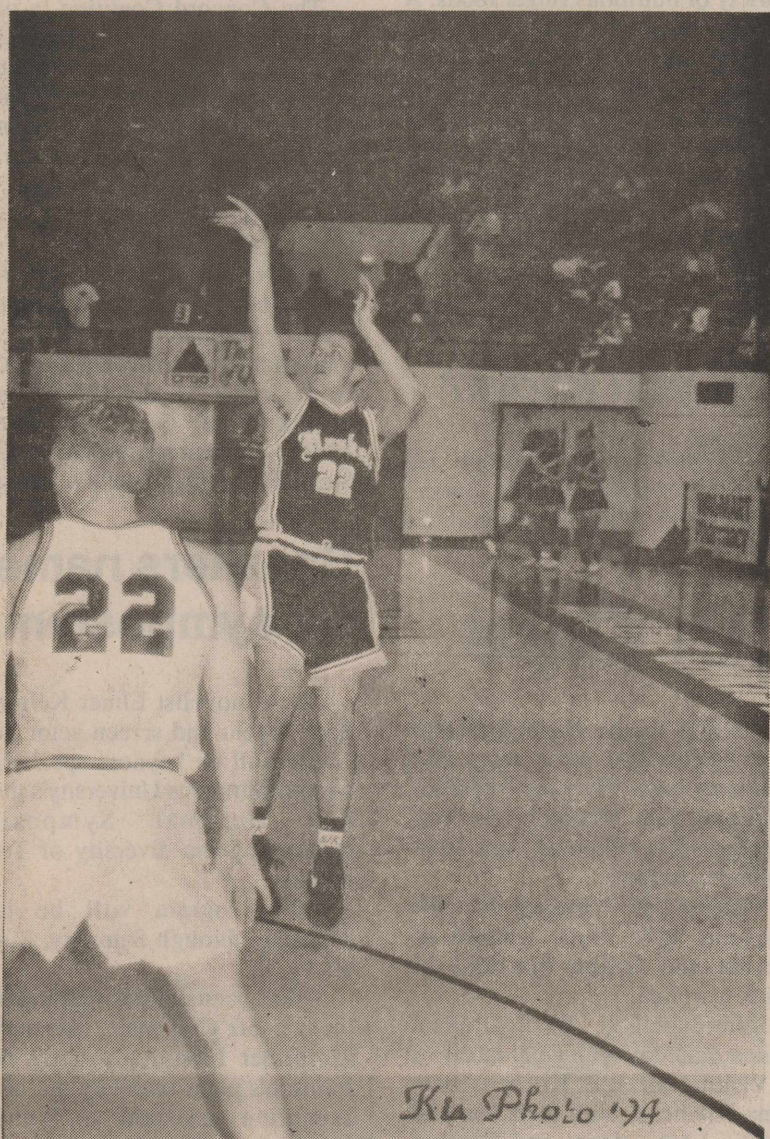
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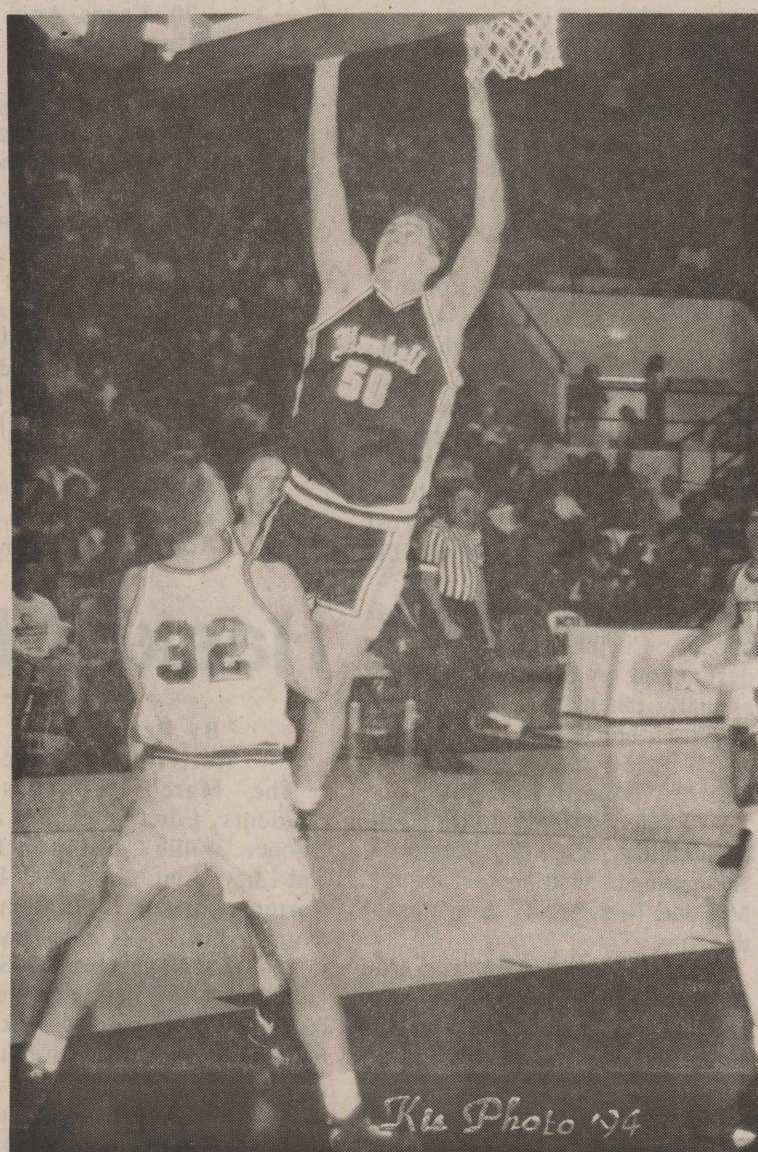
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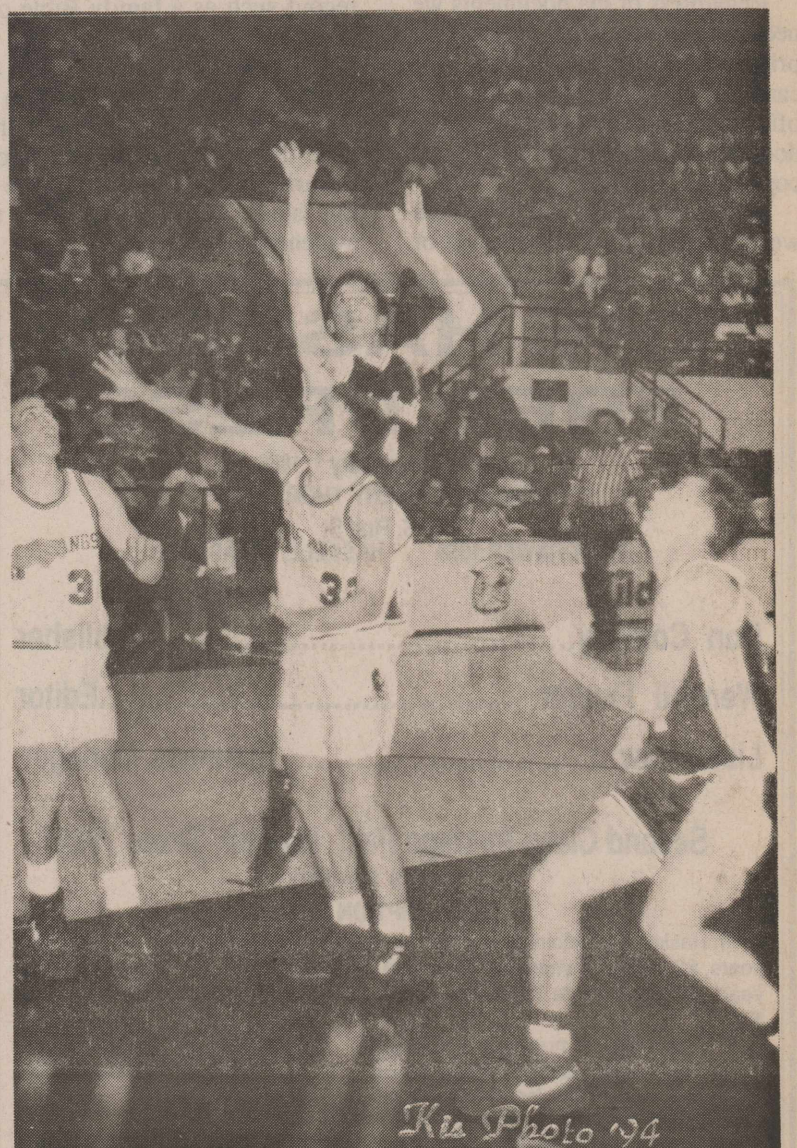
Casey Larned



Jonathan Tatum



Brian Brzozowski



Cody Cooley



## Mary Kaigler: From the Inside Out

The world in which we live is determined by our thoughts.

Marcus Aurelius Although the idea that "As a man thinketh, so is he," is at least as old as Solomon's Proverbs, Harvard sociologist and psychologist William James writes of his generation's greatest discovery being that "human beings can alter their lives by altering their attitudes of mind."

Philosophers, teachers and religious leaders who have disagreed about many things through the years seem to agree: "We become what we think about."

There is a growing awareness of how the self-image affects attitude and expectations, and how thoughts often become self-actuating and self-fulfilling. During the Olympics we heard athletes speaking of how they mentally conditioned themselves through visualization to affirm and influence outcomes by envisioning themselves performing well.

Do cultivated expectations really have the power to influence attitudes and ultimate results?

Recently, through a freak mix-up in radio frequencies, or some other high-tech quirk in the system, while I was dialing my remote phone, a local conversation accidentally reached out and touched someone who was not (as comedienne Lily Tomlin used to say) "the person to whom they were speaking." Evidently having just shared a certain incident of behavior, one of the parties concluded with, "Oh well, I'm not surprised. After all, what else would you ever expect from anyone in that family?"

Wondering where and how the speaker's negative, blanket expectation of a whole family was formed, I was reminded of an illustration Ferrell Coston told me several years ago about a man who was moving into a new town.

Stopping at a convenience store the many asked the clerk what kind

of people lived there, adding that in the last place he'd lived the people were the coldest, stuck-up, stingiest, dishonest bunch of snobs you can imagine. "Well, that's just exactly the same kind of people you will find here," the clerk told him. "I figured that," growled the man as he burned rubber leaving town.

A few minutes later another man stopped with his U-Haul trailer and asked the same question. Before the clerk could answer, the man said, "In our last town the people were the salt of the earth; friendly, kind, helpful, honest, encouraging and generous." "Well," said the astute clerk, "that's just exactly the kind of folks you're going to find here."

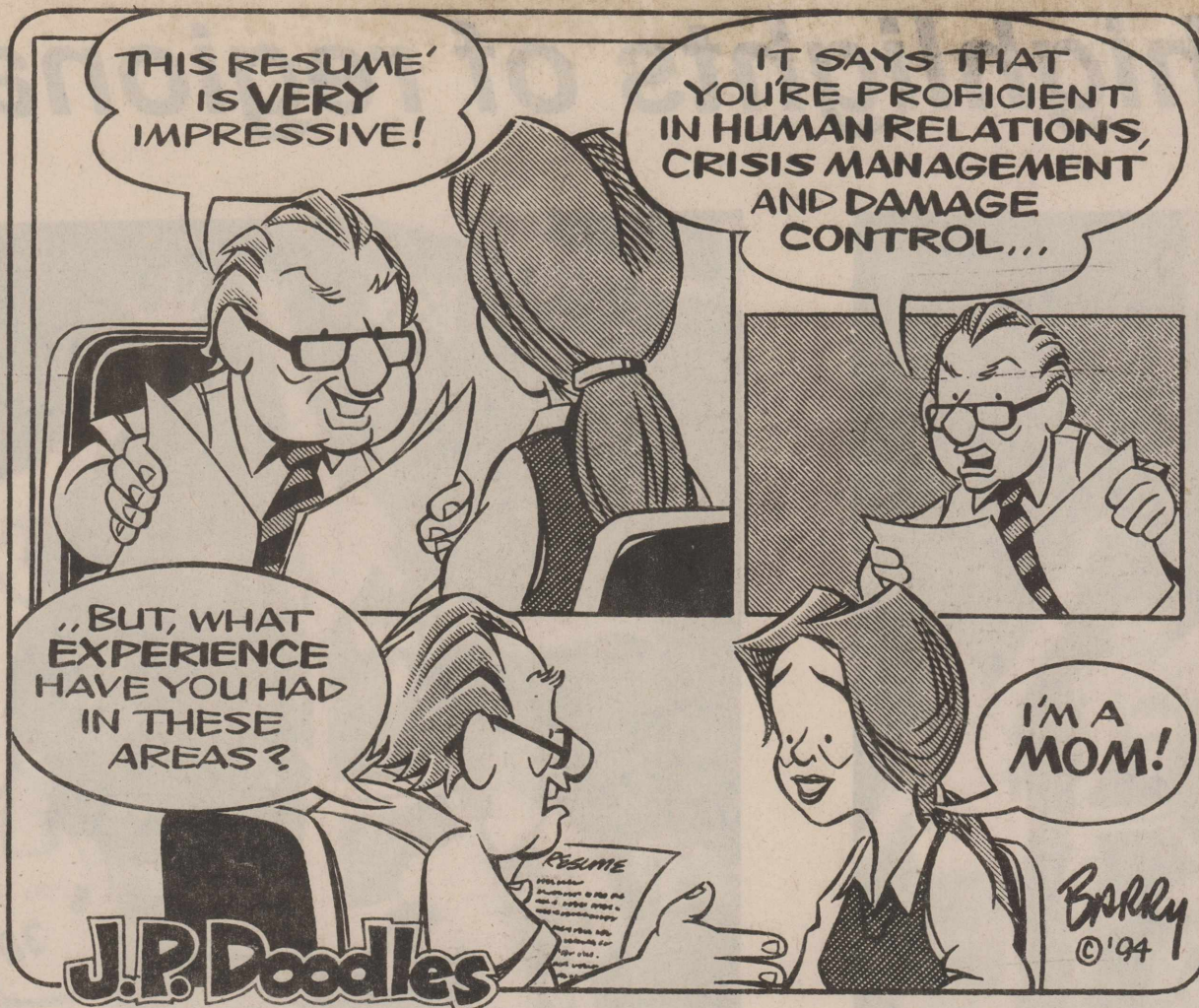
If, as so many sources tell us, our very thoughts are living entities, having influence through expectations, one has to consider the thought that we often sabotage the potential of others through low expectation, criticism, sarcasm, gossip or indifference, and limit ourselves by low self-esteem, unwillingness to try something new or to be specific about our expectations.

How would we respond if we were asked by a prospective newcomer to describe the overall atmosphere and character of the people of Haskell? What is our mental picture of what Haskell has been, is now and will be?

If the power of great expectation works in individuals, imagine the dynamics of what it does in a group, such as a whole town, all thinking positively on whatever is true, just, praiseworthy or of good report. Based on the premise; whatever expectations we sow, negative or positive, is just exactly what our community is going to reap.

If Solomon wrote us today on his Apple Macintosh, I think he'd fax us the advice that, "Whatsoever though programmeth in, so shalt they print-out be."

Does this compute?



## --From Out of the Past--

From the Files of The Haskell Free Press

### 20 Years Ago March 7, 1974

H. T. Wilkinson, superintendent of Haskell schools, announced his retirement this week, to be effective Aug. 30.

The passing of an era was witnessed Friday afternoon when the Magazine Club, Haskell's oldest women's club, met to prepare for disbanding after functioning as an active part of the community for 72 years.

Heidenheimer's has purchased Cofield's Department Store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tidwell spent the weekend in Denton with Mr. Tidwell's sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rommie.

A large group of the junior choir and the young people of the First United Methodist Church were treated to a trip to the Holiday on Ice Show last Friday night in Abilene.

New officers of the Haskell Rotary Club are Ferrell Coston, president; Sam Rosser, vice president; Desmond Dulaney, secretary-treasurer; and Fred Boon and Charles Thornhill, directors.

H. Dale Pennington, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pennington of Haskell, has reported as area agronomist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in South Texas.

### 30 Years Ago March 5, 1964

Six outstanding high school boys have been chosen by the faculty as nominees for Boys State. They are Johnny McCollum, David Follstaedt, Eddie Hester, Bobby Black, Wendell Coston and Robert Spear.

Rev. Ray Nobles, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Haskell, will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity June 5 from Jackson College in Honolulu.

A. D. May has been elected president of the Rotary Club of Rule. Other new officers are Clyde Grice, vice president; M. E. Grice, secretary-treasurer; Novis Ousley, song leader; and Rod Ezell, sergeant-at-arms.

Mrs. Walter Patton of Route 1, Weinert, sent in her money to take the Free Press for the 70th year. The Free Press is in its 79th year of publication. Mrs. Patton said she had been reading the newspaper since 1895 when her mother, Mrs. W. P. Phillips, was appointed postmaster of the little Ample Post Office in the northeast corner of the county.

The senior class of 1964 has chosen Corpus Christi as its destination on the traditional trip annually taken by seniors during the Easter holidays.

### 50 Years Ago March 3, 1944

Warren Edwards returned to Rotan Friday where he is employed. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards of this city.

Tech-Sgt. and Mrs. Joe Edd Parsons and little daughter of Clovis, N.M., spent the weekend in Rule with Sgt. Parsons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Parsons.

Mrs. Doc Graham of Los Angeles is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smallwood and Mrs. C. F. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Raul English and

daughters, Sharon and Raulna, were guests of their mother, Mrs. W. D. Kemp, on Sunday.

Dr. Harriett Walters of Seymour spent the weekend with her father, B. Walters, and sister, Miss Nora Walters.

### 60 Years Ago March 1, 1934

Ernest Johnston of Big Spring visited his sister, Mrs. T. M. Patterson and family, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Howard and son, Joe, of Old Glory, spent Saturday night in the home of their niece, Mrs. Rose Bischofhausen.

J. S. Walker, who travels out of Wichita Falls, visited his uncle, Dr. J. D. Smith of this city last week.

### 90 Years Ago March 5, 1904

Lee Hull has sold his interest in the Daylight Restaurant here and will go to Fort Worth.

Jonas Carlisle of Dickens County is here on a visit to the family of his son, W. A. Carlisle.

Henry Johnson was badly hurt Saturday afternoon when his horse fell with him while he was trying to head and catch a runaway horse.

Hollis Fields is now assistant postmaster in the Haskell postoffice.

J. S. Collier of Aspermont was here Monday visiting the family of his daughter, Mrs. W. G. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress of Rochester spent Saturday night in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Andress.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marion spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baty.

Mrs. J. W. Hogan of Munday is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Aycock, this week.

### 70 Years Ago March 7, 1924

J. C. Turnbow, farmer of the Center Point community who came to Haskell County seven years ago from Tennessee, has announced for Sheriff.

Watt Fitzgerald left Thursday for Lubbock, where he will spend several days on business.

M. E. Park of the Myers section was in town Saturday. He tells us he has the largest duck pond in the country. Last summer he built a large tank, and the fall rains filled it to the brim.

A box supper at Cottonwood school Saturday night netted \$110.50 from 39 boxes. Proceeds

will be used to buy an organ for the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Driskill of the Cook Springs community west of Rule were shopping in Haskell Saturday.

Mrs. R. E. Sherrill has returned from Graham where she attended the funeral of a niece.

### 80 Years Ago March 7, 1914

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Reed of Weinert visited Mr. and Mrs. Reed of this city the first of the week.

Miss May Macey of Stamford visited with Miss Pearl Foote of this city last week.

Miss Mary Garvin came up from Stamford and spent Sunday with the homefolks.

Misses Mabel and Elizabeth Baldwin visited relatives at Stamford the first of the week.

S. Beaver heard someone was trying to move his farm near Weinert to the Electra oil fields, so he went up there Sunday to see about it.

## Infants and finger foods

"Hands-on experience" takes on new meaning for babies experimenting with finger foods.

At about age 1, infants develop skills needed to pickup pieces of food, chew and swallow. During this stage, there is a real need to feel, see and smell the food, says Dr. Corinne Montandon, nutritionist at the USDA's Children's Nutrition Research Center in Houston.

Parents can take advantage of this dietary milestone by offering a variety of nutritious finger foods. A typical selection could include cooked carrots, green peas, string beans, banana chunks, cheese, peeled pear pieces, graham cracker segments and oyster crackers.

Finger foods should be cut into quarter- to half-inch pieces, a size unlikely to get caught in a child's throat.

## Did you know?

The first Boy Scout troop was founded by Lord Robert Baden-Powell, an English general, in 1908.

## Haskell Health Care

### By Betty Hearn Activity Director

The March birthdays are residents Edna Adkins, Alvin Koonce, Willie Castillo, Jack Fox and Lucy Hunt; employees Leona Carter, Christine Montemayor, Doris Williams and Stacy Reyna.

The First Baptist Sunday School ladies gave the February birthday party last Monday. Thank you ladies. The residents enjoyed the ice cream floats and the singing.

The Resident Family Council meeting was held on Monday, Feb. 28. Our local ombudsman, Darold Roberson, spoke on residents' rights.

Visiting in the Haskell Health Care Center last week were two RNs from Iowa. They are friends of John and Rita Mooney. The two couples were on their way from Harlingen to Iowa.

Visiting Sam Villareal over the weekend were Alice Chavez of Florida and Oralia Martinez of North Carolina.

John Isbell Jr from Graham visited Saturday with Opal Isbell.

Visiting Mr. L.E. Kitchens were Edna Kitchens, with their son and family, Larry, Anita and Carolyn Kitchens from Boone, N.C.

Our Easter party is planned for Wednesday, March 30, at 2:30.

## -LETTERS-

### Thanks

Editor: The Paint Creek G/T class would like to thank the people from Haskell who came to our Sunday Enchilada Dinner.

Your support and presence made our dinner a success. Thank you again for your support.

Paint Creek G/T Class  
Jim and Amanda Crawford,  
Leigh Ann and Jodie Reel, Lolo and Tony Martinez, Marcus and Hans Overton, Blayne Davis, Geovanny Mayen

### Wants paper

Editor: Time marches on and do you know if I live until March 7 I will be 97 years old. As I told you the last time I mailed you a check, I do not know why I am still taking The Free Press.

I still ask why I am taking it. I do not know on person in it. But somehow I love the paper. It is part of my life. My precious Dad took when Oscar Martin owned it, and I love it.

I think I told you when Sam Roberts owned it and gave away two cars. He gave away a Ford Roadster and a Ford Coupe. I won the coupe.

I still love Haskell; it will always be my home. I left there in 1933. I also love East Texas, especially Overton. My husband was Ford dealer there.

I had a real bad spell in August and my son Kemp who lives here came for me as I could not live alone any more. It broke my heart to leave my home as I had lived there alone for 39 years, but I am so blessed to have such a precious son and family. Thank the good Lord.

I have two sweet nephews there, Dr. Bill Kemp and Giles M Kemp. Hope everything is going good for you and yours.

Pearl Pace  
Longmont, CO

## -Market Report-

Haskell Livestock Auction

Saturday's sale at Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1,789 head.

Packer cows: canners 42-52; utility 46-55.

Bulls: packer 62-72; feeder 65-75.

Steer calves: 200-400 lbs. 95-130; 400-600 lbs. 85-110; 600-800 lbs. 78-95.

Heifers: 200-400 lbs. 90-120; 400-600 lbs. 78-95; 600-800 lbs. 72-82.

Bred cows: young 600-800; old 400-700.

Pairs: young 750-1050; old 500-700.

## Stenholm gets good score

The Concord Coalition, a non-partisan grassroots organization working to educate the American public about the impact of large deficits on the nation's economic future, ranked Rep. Charles Stenholm among the top 12 legislators in the House for his efforts at deficit reduction.

The coalition calculated raw scores by dividing a legislator's fiscally responsible votes by the total number of scorecard votes cast by the legislator. Out of 435 House members, only one Democrat and 10 Republicans scored higher than Stenholm's 96th percentile rating.

## Speakers named for symposium

Texas novelist Elmer Kelton of San Angelo and screen actor Scott Glenn will be keynote speakers at Hardin-Simmons University's three-day National Symposium celebrating the diversity of Texas culture.

The program will be held Thursday through Saturday, March 10-12.

Other personalities participating include Liz Carpenter, who served as former First Lady Lady Bird Johnson's press-secretary and as an executive assistant to Lyndon Johnson when he was vice president, and William Ferris, a highly acclaimed scholar of Southern Culture.

## --Social Security--

### By Glyn Hammons District Manager

When you file a claim for Social Security benefits, we're going to ask you for documents to help us decide whether you're eligible, and if you are, when your benefits will begin.

For example, if you are retiring, we'll ask to see your birth certificate. If your spouse is filing too, we generally need his or her birth certificate and we also need birth certificate's for any children who are eligible for benefits. If you're filing for survivor's benefits, we'll need to see the deceased's death certificate or a statement from the funeral home if the death was recent.

Regardless of the documents we need, it's important that they are the originals or certified copies. We can't accept a photocopy unless the official custodian of the original document certifies that it is an exact copy of the original.

If you don't have the document we need, there are other kinds of

records that may be acceptable. If a birth certificate wasn't recorded on you, a religious record of your birth, or other documents recorded years ago can be used. The general rule is that the sooner in life your document was recorded, the more accurate it is. For example, we would consider a school record to be better evidence of your age than a voter's registration.

Since many people file their claims by telephone, we ask them to mail the documents to us. We certify and return the documents soon after we receive them.

While most people don't mind mailing their birth certificate or marriage certificate, a claimant may be reluctant to mail a personal record such as a family Bible or a document he or she has had for many years. In that case, the claimant can still file the claim by telephone, if they wish and then take the document to the Social Security office where someone on the staff will certify that the evidence is acceptable.

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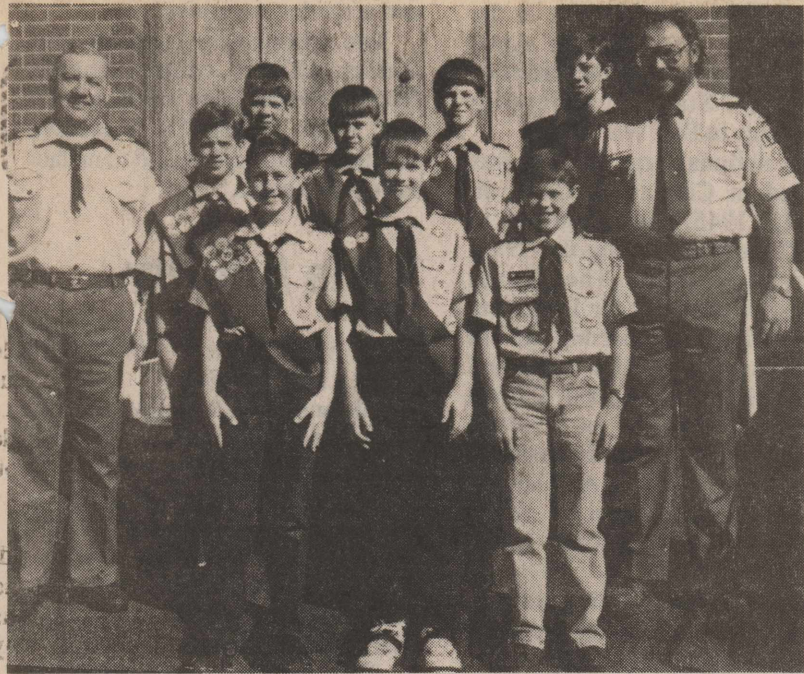
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Scouts attending services at the First United Methodist Church on Scout Sunday were, front row from left, Kevin Patton, Brent Watson, Ethan Brown; back row, Kenneth Patton, assistant scoutmaster, Craig Cunningham, John Mark Hodglin, Jason Trammell, Dawson Druessedow, Caleb Brown and Paul Brown, scoutmaster.

## Scouts keep busy

Boy Scouts of Haskell Troop 136 have participated in a number of activities all year.

Besides weekly meetings, regular campouts and merit badge classes, the Scouts have taken advantage of additional opportunities to earn merit badges.

Pictured are the young men who eagerly took to the slopes of Red River, New Mexico, over Super

Bowl weekend to learn and develop the skills necessary for the skiing merit badge.

After two full days of skiing in 10-degree cold and snow conditions, only the adults accompanying the boys would admit to being somewhat tired. A full day of skiing took the boys to the outdoor heated pool for a swim.

Not all was fun and games. Each

boy was assigned to a team responsible for the planning, preparation and serving of a meal. Sharing not only the pleasant activities, but also the more mundane and necessary chores helped to make this a memorable experience for all. The boys are looking forward to another ski trip next winter.

The weekend following the Red River trip took 11 scouts to Tarleton State University in Stephenville for a merit badge workshop. Leaving at 5:30 a.m., the boys arrived in time to attend three separate merit badge classes arranged through the Comanche Trail Council. They were able to select from a list of some 50-plus merit badges and were enrolled last fall in preparation for the classes.

The merit badge workshop hosted some 540 Scouts from all over the state with more than 100 leaders assisting. Two weeks later, each participant returned to Stephenville to complete the classes.

Between home assignments and the workshop and with a little more work, each of the Scouts who attended is eligible to earn three merit badges. Most who have never earned or have helped with the earning of merit badges do not realize that each badge worn by a Scout represents anywhere from 10 to 30 hours of work. Any Scout sporting a number of merit badges has put in a lot of time and energy.

Troop 136 was also recognized on Scout Sunday at the First United Methodist Church. As their chartering organization, the Methodist church lends its support to the functions of Scouting and provides Troop 136 a regular meeting place.

Because of the impact Boy Scouts has on the lives and futures of those boys involved, Troop 136 can be recognized as an important contributor to this community.

At the Blue and Gold banquet last Saturday, Troop 136 welcomed a new group of Scouts into the troop. Before long they, too, will begin to realize how many opportunities and adventures await them through Boy Scouts.



Troop 136 members on their ski trip to New Mexico. From left, Craig Cunningham, Jason Trammell, Dawson Druessedow, John Mark Hodglin, Brent Watson and Kevin Patton.

## County has 23 names for unclaimed property

The names of 23 Haskell County individuals, couples and businesses are contained in the unclaimed property report issued last week by State Treasurer Martha Whitehead.

They are part of 122,000 people and organizations for whom the state is holding \$50 or more in cash, stock shares or contents from

abandoned safety deposit boxes.

Anyone whose name appears on the list should call 1-800-654-3463.

The list includes the names of:

Haskell: Lewis T. and Willie Adkins, Olivia Andrada, Alice Arrend, Prentice and Maggie Boddy, Fae Fox Cobb, George Fields, Arthur C. Foster, Hannsz Construction, Doyle Lee Langford, Dennis D. Ratliff, W. Boyd Reid, Frankie SoRelle III, Ty W. Williams.

O'Brien: Daniel V. Goosey.

Rochester: A. L. Brown, Sabino Estrada, P. Guerre, Marion H. Hicks, Tom Mitchell, Cole Turner.

Rule: Ludora Neeley.

Weinert: A. J. and Maud Allen, Melvin Quakenbush.

## Retired teachers meet Wednesday

The Haskell County unit of the Texas Retired Teachers Association will have its first meeting of 1994 next Wednesday (March 16).

The dutch-treat luncheon will be at the Drug Store Cafe in Rule, beginning at 11:45 a.m.

David Middleton, president, will preside.

All retired teachers and other retired school personnel are urged to attend.

## Did you know?

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## -Obituaries-

### Jordan Wheatley

Graveside services were held Friday afternoon at Willow Cemetery for Jordan Day Wheatley, infant son of Lynn and Jacklyn Becker Wheatley.

The Rev. David Page officiated and burial was directed by Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Brianna Lynn Wheatley and Paige Bethany Wheatley of Haskell; his grandparents, James and Judy Dunlap of Chandler, Okla., and Johnny and Helen Wheatley of Haskell; and his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Day Tipton of Davenport, Okla., and Reba Wheatley of Haskell.

Memorials may be made to the East Side Baptist Church nursery fund.

## -Marriage Licenses-

Four marriage licenses were issued last month by the office of County Clerk Rhonda Moeller.

They were to: Ruben Acosta Jr. and Christina Marie Crowley, both of Stamford. Christopher Clay Carver and Dara Lynn Conner, both of Rochester.

Garrett Fred Spitzer of Old Glory and Martha Mayo Sampson of Haskell.

Michael Kenneth Elkins and Lorraine Rena Jovett, both of Stamford.



## Haskell teams win tourney in Goree

Haskell Little Dribblers sent two teams to the Goree tournament Saturday and each took first place.

A team of fourth-graders defeated Knox City, 10-0, and then defeated Goree, 12-2, to take the championship.

The fifth- and sixth-grade team won three games, beating Knox City, 16-14; Goree, 37-12, and Knox City again, 28-8.

Members of the fourth-grade team were Audra Arendall, Diana Gonzales, Amanda Guadalucazar, Jennifer Josselet, Kim Holmes, Tiffany Lindsey, Lori McDermott, Trac Mathis and Jessica Miller.

The fifth- and sixth-grade team was composed of Tanishia Riley, Brittany Bartley, Kristin Escobedo, Renee Harris, Hilee Mulligan, Selina Salinas and Jody Thigpen.

David Gonzales coached the fourth-graders. He and Gary Harris coached the fifth- and sixth-graders.

## Campaign focuses on good nutrition

The National Nutrition Month "Eat Right America" campaign is set for March. National Nutrition Month (NNM) is a nutrition education and information campaign sponsored annually by the National Center for Nutrition and Dietetics (NCND) of The American Dietetic Association and its Foundation.

The campaign is designed to provide the public with basic nutrition knowledge needed to make informed food choices and develop sound eating habits. Also, in support of making informed food choices and developing sound eating habits is the county extension agent, Lou Gilly.

The 1994 theme is "Nutrition Fuels Fitness." Diet is one of several risk factors for developing chronic conditions such as heart disease, obesity, osteoporosis or some cancers. Because it is unknown precisely which people will benefit most from specific dietary changes, the dietary guidelines are today's best general advice to help choose a healthy diet.

To reduce your health risks, check your weight and shape. If you are too fat or too thin, you are more likely to develop health problems. Either refer to a weight chart or check with your physician or dietitian to see if you are at a healthy weight. Another check is to compare your waist measurement to your hip measurement. A waist measuring more than the hips is believed to be a greater health risk

than hips measuring more than the waist.

Check your blood pressure. In the United States, one in three adults has high blood pressure. No way exists to predict who might develop high blood pressure. Diets high in salt can increase blood pressure, as can obesity, heredity, and excessive drinking of alcoholic beverages.

Another wise move is to check your blood cholesterol as it indicates the amount of cholesterol in blood. A desirable blood cholesterol level is below 200 mg/dl (milligrams per deciliter). Risk of heart disease is increased by a high blood cholesterol level associated with a diet that is high in saturated fatty acids, total fat, and cholesterol. Heart disease risk is also increased by high blood pressure, cigarette smoking, obesity, physical inactivity, diabetes, age, being a male, and family history of heart disease.

Think before you drink alcohol. Some people should not drink alcohol at all: Pregnant women, children, adolescents, people taking certain medications or people whose activities require attention or skill, and individuals who cannot keep their drinking moderate.

Another lifestyle change is to use the Food Guide Pyramid as your dietary guide. Get the nutrients your body needs by eating a variety of foods from the five major food groups each day and not too much in fats, oils and sweets. Many Americans consume too much fat, saturated fatty acids and cholesterol and not enough complex carbohydrates and fiber. Recent surveys show that over periods of several days many Americans eat no fruit, fruit juice or vegetables.

So it is good sense to control those risk factors that you can-- maintain healthy weight, don't smoke, exercise regularly, use alcohol moderately or not at all, and choose a healthy diet.

## Paint Creek FHA attends conference

The Paint Creek chapter of Future Homemakers of America attended the Region II conference held in Abilene March 4-5.

Chapter members were among approximately 1,300 delegates attending the conference.

The youth-developed theme, "FHA-Hero: The Spotlight Is On You", was carried out through "showcases" or workshops and general sessions where members discovered ways they could become actively involved in issues facing today's youth.

Issues addressed included AIDS, Teen Stress, Teen Suicide, Alcohol and Drugs, Gang Violence, Teen Pregnancy, Cult Awareness, and other topics.

The Paint Creek chapter is joining with the Texas Association, Future Homemakers of America to locate former officers and invite them to their 50th anniversary celebration. Local members and

alumni will be participating in the anniversary festivities in April 1995 during Future Homemakers of America State Leadership Conference in Fort Worth.

The national organization was founded in Cincinnati, Ohio, on June 11, 1945, and has grown to 30,000 members during the 1993-94 school year. The Texas association accounts for 15 percent of the national membership and has served over 1 million men and women since its inception. Current Future Homemakers of America projects include Youth Exchanging with Seniors, Cult Awareness, Youth Education, Self-Responsibility and Keep Texas Beautiful.

The leadership organization sponsors local workshops, regional and state leadership conferences, self-directed goal setting programs and the Students Taking Action with Recognition (STAR) events competitive activities which encourage cooperation and competition in parliamentary procedure, volunteerism, entrepreneurship, public speaking, job interview, child development, public relations, family communication and chapter projects

and activities categories.

The association requests that former officers contact Sharon Reddell Pierce, State Advisor, P.O. Box 9616, Austin, TX to receive additional information and to update historical records.

## Wins futurity

G. V. and Anne Woffard of Haskell raise Arabians.

ORions Dream, a lovely filly, was sold to Chris Dublin of San Angelo, a cutting horse trainer.

The first she was shown in a Class A show was in Fort Worth, the Pro Am, she took first place.

In October, ORions Dream won the non pro Futurity at the U.S. Nationals in Albuquerque, N.M.

This month at the prestigious Arabian show at Scottsdale, she won close to top in each class she was shown in, out of 25 horses.

## Angus association

Billy Middlebrook of Haskell is a new member of the American Angus Association.

## Around town

Hal Spain, Kim Burrow and Gerry Spain went to San Marcos to see Hal's daughter, Christi, a drama major, in "Come Back to the Five and a Dime, Jimmy Dean, Jimmy Dean."

Christi has had the lead part in the drama production all four years and will graduate this semester from Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

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### Reserve champion

Latit Pace of the Haskell County 4-H is shown with the 1,290-pound medium weight steer which took reserve champion honors at the recent Antonio Stock Show.

## Highway department schedules hearings

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Those desiring to make oral comments or presentations at the meetings may register starting at 5:30 p.m. Any interested person may appear and offer comments, either orally or in writing. Comment cards will be available at registration.

A 10-day comment period following the public hearing will permit other interested persons to submit written comments to Maribel P. Jaso, P.E., District Engineer, Texas Department of Transportation, Abilene District, P.O. Box 150, Abilene 79604.

All written comments must be received at the Abilene district office no later than 12 noon on April 17.

The Texas Department of Transportation's TIP proposal can be examined during business hours through May 31 at the district office, 4250 N. Clack.

### Cystic Fibrosis walkathon set

Plans are being made for a "walkathon" in Haskell on Saturday, April 16, for the benefit of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

Randy McLelland is coordinator for the event. Further information concerning the walkathon will be announced later.

### Noah committee

Noah Project North advisory committee members will have their monthly meeting Friday at East Side Baptist Church.

It will be a covered dish luncheon.

### Becky Tubbs to give program

Becky Tubbs, formerly Becky Richardson of Haskell, will present the program for the Brazos West Art Association Monday evening. The meeting will begin at 7 in the Haskell National Bank community room.

Becky has made quite a name for herself, using her artistic ability not only on canvas, but on cured gourds, which will be the subject Monday.

### Club to visit culture center

Members of the Progressive Study Club will meet Friday at the Grace Culture Center in Abilene.

Members and guests are to meet at 5:30 in the community room prior to departure for Abilene.

## Police Report

The Haskell Police Department activity report for February included:

- 15 traffic citations.
- 6 arrests.
- 4 juvenile referrals.
- 2 citations for dogs running at large.
- 1 traffic accident.
- Calls for service:
- 7 domestic disturbances.
- 3 assaults.
- 3 thefts.
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- 10 dog complaints.
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Written By  
Richard E. Rodgers, CPA



#### MORE ADJUSTMENTS TO 1994 TAX NUMBERS

Among the tax numbers that have been adjusted for 1994 are social security taxes and benefits, college bond interest exclusions, the excise tax on luxury automobiles, and the mileage rate for business travel.

•Even though the social security (FICA) tax rates remain the same for 1994, the wage bases to which both the social security portion and the Medicare portion apply increase. As a result, you may pay higher social security taxes this year.

The 6.2% social security portion of FICA tax will apply to \$60,600 of wages (compared to \$57,600 last year). The 1993 Tax Act removed the maximum wage limit for the Medicare tax, so the 1.45% Medicare portion of the tax will now be assessed on all wages. In 1993, the wage base for the Medicare tax was \$135,000.

The self-employment tax for self-employed individuals remains at 12.4% for the social security portion and 2.9% for the Medicare portion. The wage bases to which these rates apply increase to the same amounts as the wage bases for employees given above. Self-employed individuals get a tax deduction for 50% of the self-employment tax they pay.

Social security benefits paid in 1994 won't be affected until earnings for the year exceed \$8,040 for those under age 65, and \$11,160 for those age 65 to 69. There is no earnings limit for those 70 years or older.

•Due to a technical error in the 1993 Tax Act, the thresholds affecting the tax exemption for college bond interest actually decrease rather than increase in 1994. The amount of income at which taxpayers begin to lose the tax-free exemption for college bonds is \$61,850 for marrieds and \$41,200 for singles.

•The excise tax on luxury automobiles will apply to vehicles with a price tag of \$32,000 or more for 1994.

•The mileage allowance for business travel in 1994 increases to 29 cents a mile.

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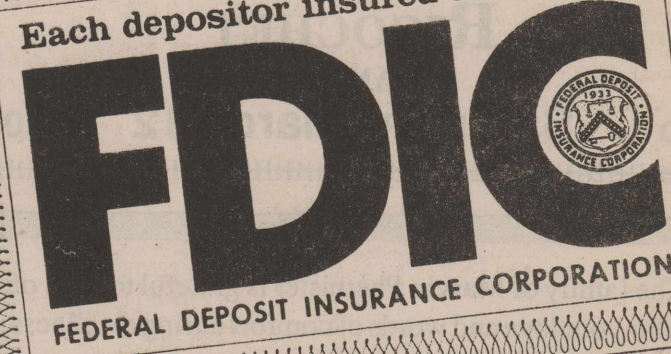
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# --Rule--

by Vicky Anderson  
While at the VA Hospital in Big Spring recently, the Andersons saw a Rule resident, Arlon Brothers walking down the hall at a distance. We wish him well.

Congratulations to Wallace and Helen Allison for being named "Man and Women of the Year" at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last week.

Get well wishes are sent to Leon Biffle of Rule, who is hospitalized at Hendrick Medical Center. Also, best wishes are sent to Amelia Hickman, Lois Hughes, Johnny Kainer, Karen Kainer Jones, Ernest Jordan, John Page, Ethel Thacker, Mary Lovvorn and Betty Mickler.

Happy birthday is wished Eddie Merle Proctor, Parnell Anderson, Lucille Connally, Lois Hughes, and hope that Lee Ann

Gray had a happy one on March 1, Etta Hargrove on the 6th and Clara Dennis on the 8th.

Condolences are sent to the families of Arnold McLemore, Jody Ford, Frances Hills, age 92, formerly of Rule, Jerry Larence, Bill Stanhope.

Rule's Jr. High and High School Math and Science teams did well at the San Angelo meet on Feb. 19. The Jr. High which consisted of Justin Custer, Eric Robinson, Gena Robinson and Jazmin Garcia, won second place overall. The high school team which consisted of Julie Saffel, Cory Robinson, Denise Wilson and Allison Pike won 2nd in number sense, 1st in calculator, 1st in math, 2nd in science and 1st in sweepstakes. Congratulations to these students.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson along

with two of their daughters attended funeral services March 6 for Arnold McLemore, a cousin of Mr. Anderson.

We were sorry to learn of Haskell and Stamford's defeats in the regional basketball games.

Food for thought: "Worry does not eliminate tomorrow from its grief, but it does empty today of its joys." (Borrowed).

## Cowgirls...

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Tuesday.  
The Cowgirls, who opened the season with an 11-game win streak before losing three in a row, will take a 13-game streak into the tournament. They have averaged 78.1 points per game this season while giving up just 60.9, and are among the top three-point shooting teams in the nation.

Shana McKenzie, a 5-10 freshman post from Haskell, appeared in 15 games for the Cowgirls this season, averaging 2.2 points and 2.2 rebounds per game. She scored a career high 14 points and pulled down 10 rebounds in a big 99-47 win over Austin College.

This is the school's first appearance ever in the 24-team tournament hosted by Western Oregon State College. HSU is in just the fourth year of collegiate competition in the NAIA after bringing the sport back in 1990.

## Baseball...

Continued from page 1  
Pogue the winning pitcher. Walker and Stephen Campbell each had a double.

The Indians resume district play Friday at Rotan and then will meet Winters here on Tuesday of next week.

## Visitors

Clariss Jones had three of her children home this last weekend to help her celebrate her 76th birthday, March 2.

Attending were Wanda Jackson of Fort Worth, Janice Lauderdale of Irving, Lewis Jones and wife Gail of Floresville and their daughter Leigh Ann and her son Tyler of Grand Prairie.

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YARD SALE: 305 N. 6th. Sat. 8:30 til noon. Boys clothing- toddler thru size 12, toys, small childs bicycle, riding toys, lots of misc.

### Garage Sales

WEIGHT WATCHERS is now meeting every Thursday in Haskell. For more information, please call 1-800-359-3131. 3tc

BACKYARD SALE: Fri. 9 to ? and Sat. 9 to ? Easter crafts, childrens clothes (size newborn to size 4 toddler); womens clothes, extra large; shoes, toys, dishes, knick knacks. A little of everything. 509 S. 12th. Weather permitting. 10c

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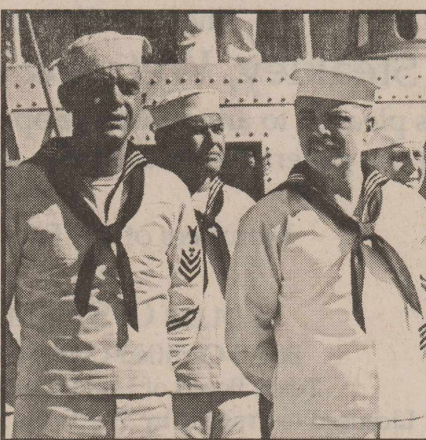
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Andrew Gannaway  
President and Secretary 9-10c

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The public hearings will be held:

•April 5 at 6 p.m. in the V.L.P. Building, 508 East Gould, Stamford.

•April 7 at 6 p.m. in the District Courtroom, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City.

A 10-day comment period following the public hearings will permit other interested persons to submit written comments to Maribel P. Jaso, District Engineer, Texas Department of Transportation, Abilene District, P. O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604.

All written comment must be received at the Abilene District office no later than 12 noon on April 17, 1994.

Those desiring to make oral comments or presentations at the meetings may register starting at 5:30 p.m. Any interested persons may appear and offer comments, either orally or in writing. Comment cards will be available at registration.

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