

Calendar

PC vaccination and pet dipping clinic

A Rabies Vaccination and Dog Dipping Clinic will be held at the Paint Creek School on Monday, May 13, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Noah Project North advisory meeting

The Noah Project-North Advisory Committee will have their meeting at the East Side Baptist Church in Haskell on Friday, May 10.

LULAC fundraiser

Haskell Co. LULAC Enchilada Supper, May 11, from 4 to 8 p.m. at the High School cafeteria.

Prog. Study Club

Haskell Progressive Study Club will meet Thursday, May 9 at 7 p.m. in the Haskell Nat. Bank Community Room.

Philadelphian Club

Members of the Rule Philadelphian Club will have a salad luncheon on Thursday, May 16, at 11:30 a.m. in the clubhouse.

Retired Teachers Assn.

The Haskell Co. unit of the Texas Retired Teachers Assn. will have its last meeting of the school year on Wednesday, May 15.

New officers for the coming year will be introduced and plans discussed with David Middleton presiding.

Calf roping

The Haskell Roping Club will hold an Open and "B" Calf Roping, Sunday, May 12, at 2 p.m. at the Haskell Co. Arena.

Rochester musical

The Rochester Musical will be held at the American Legion Hall on Saturday, May 11, beginning at 6 p.m.

McCaulley musical

The McCaulley Recreational Development Cooperation will host its monthly musical on Friday, May 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the community center.

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TBWEF officials attend open house in Haskell

The City of Haskell and the Haskell Economical Development Corporation hosted an open house and ribbon cutting on Wednesday, May 1, for the Haskell District office of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program.

The Haskell office is one of seven district offices in the Rolling Plains Central Zone of the program. It will serve as the staging area for boll weevil eradication operations on approximately 100,000 acres of cotton in portions of Haskell, Knox, Stonewall and Throckmorton Counties.

Frank Myers, state-wide Executive Director of the Foundation, from Abilene, was on hand to cut the ribbon. Other TBWEF officials attending included Scott Duvall of Stamford, Danny Owens of Munday, Katy Bohuslav of Abilene and Larry Smith of Abilene.

The Haskell office will open on May 11, with supervisor Terry Futch, secretary Nene Newton and temp, Wes Jones. Futch said that a second temp will be hired in June and about mid-summer, five field supervisors will go to work.

drivers will go to work in August, according to Futch. During peak operation, the program will employ around 35 full and part-time employees.

Executive Director Myers said that the program is a 100 percent grower program with some funding from the government. A half-million dollars has been received for the Rolling Plains Central Zone for this year, according to Myers, and they are hoping to get some surplus government equipment also.

Myers said that the presence of the TBWEF district office located here will increase spending at local businesses and generate revenue for public utilities in the area. The Foundation also attempts to hire program personnel and purchase supplies locally whenever possible.

In 1987, when the Boll Weevil Eradication Program began in Georgia, 245,000 acres of cotton were grown. In 1995, 1.5 million acres were grown, a six-fold increase. For the first time in 40 years, cotton was the leading crop in total value there.



TBWEF OPEN HOUSE AND RIBBON CUTTING—Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program officials were on hand for the open house and ribbon cutting for the Haskell District office on Wednesday, May 1. Mayor Ken Lane and members of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and members of the community look on as TBWEF state-wide Executive Director of the Foundation cuts the ribbon.

Sunday afternoon shooting results in death of teenager

A shooting that occurred at approximately 2:10 p.m. Sunday afternoon at 102 N. Ave. M in Haskell, resulted in the death of Snyder High School senior, Marlowe Deshawn Riggins, age 18.

According to Haskell Police Chief, Tom Bassett, Riggins was shot in the front yard of the residence and fled to the rear of the house and collapsed in the alley. Bassett said that the victim was shot in the right side of the chest at least one time with a small caliber handgun.

recovered: one 25 automatic from the Ave. M location; and one 22 pistol and one 22 rifle were found together in a wooded lot.

Bassett said that two sets of shots were fired from the residence on Ave. M and from across Hwy. 380 from the street. Two groups of people in their late teens were involved in the incident, which apparently began at a party Saturday night and continued Sunday.

Riggins was with a group of four from out of town and the other group was from Haskell and had been involved with the police before. Chief Bassett said that not everyone in the groups were involved in the shooting.

Chief Bassett said, "A 16-year-old Hispanic male was taken into custody minutes after the shooting and was ordered to be held in the Taylor Co. Juvenile Detention Center, during a hearing in the 39th District Court on Monday. The investigation is continuing and more adult arrests are anticipated.

"I would like for everyone to know that it has been a combined law enforcement investigation with other Haskell Co. law enforcement personnel. It has been a joint effort which also included emergency personnel, the fire department and citizens who were very helpful.

events that may occur in relation to the shooting. The law enforcement will have no tolerance for any type of retaliation. The police department's priority is the safety of our citizens. Any information that we receive in this regard is being investigated. However, none of the rumors have been confirmed."

Venders needed for Wild Horse Prairie Days

Haskell is gearing up for an old west celebration with Wild Horse Prairie Days on May 31 and June 1-2. Food and merchandise venders are needed and the deadline is Friday, May 17. The fee is \$30 and venders are asked to include items of Western motif in their inventory.

817-864-2665 or Dickie Greenwood at 817-864-2631.

jackpot money. Other events include a chuck wagon cook-off, dances on Friday and Saturday nights, WTBRA barrel racing, open calf roping, team roping, cowboy poetry and entertainment and a cowboy church service.

Wild Horse Prairie Days will feature three days of ranch rodeo events with more than \$3,500 in

Indian Band named Outstanding 2A Band

By Michael Copeland Friday, May 3, the Haskell High school Band participated in the 26th

Burgess and Cothron, win state honors

Congratulations to Haskell High School students, Casey Burgess and Sarah Cothron, who were participants in the State UIL competition in Austin last week, and received second place honors in their respective fields.

Casey won second place in Class 2A Prose Interpretation and Sarah won second place in Class 2A Feature Writing.

A complete story with pictures will be in next week's edition of the paper.

Rule Clean-up

May 13-18 is designated as Rule City Clean-up Week by the City Council and the Chamber of Commerce. It is hoped that each and every citizen in Rule will take an active part in cleaning up their properties and neighboring streets, alleys and lots.

There will be a place to take tree limbs and other brush. Also, a place will be provided for appliances such as stoves, refrigerators, etc. Call the City Hall at 997-2214 for further information or if you need help in hauling. If you can volunteer to help in any way—raking, hoeing, hauling, etc., please contact Marsha at 997-2214.

annual Sandy Lake Amusement Band Fun-Fest in Dallas. The Indian Band performed "Midway March," by John Williams and Selections from "The Lion King."

The band received straight Division I ratings from three judges. As a result, the band was given a Division I trophy. Haskell's band was also named "Outstanding 2A Band," and they received another trophy for that honor.

Judges for the contest were David McGuire, Don Hanna and Col. Joe T. Haney. David McGuire is a retired coordinator of music education from the University of North Texas. Don Hanna is the band director at Hardin-Simmons University and past-president of the Texas Music Educators Association. Col. Haney is a retired director of bands at Texas A&M University.

"This was a really good trip for our kids. I would like to thank the Band Boosters for their support in this endeavor. I also appreciate the people in our community who participated in the Thrifty Card fundraiser. Both of these groups helped to make this trip possible."

Correction

The Haskell Band concert will be Thursday night, May 9, at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. The concert was incorrectly stated as being on Sunday night in last week's edition of the paper. We apologize for this mistake and any inconvenience that it may have caused to the band or anyone else concerned.



STATE UIL WINNERS—Rule students brought home the honors from State UIL competition held in Austin last week. Fourteen students placed in eight competitions. (Back row) left to right, Cory Robinson, Denise Wilson and Kacy Baitz. (Front row) left to right, Justin Custer, Kayla Allison, Michael Murray and Eric Robinson. Not pictured Sam Bagot.

Rule students bring home State awards

For the second year in a row, Rule High School proudly brought home the honors from the State UIL meet held in Austin last week. Fourteen students placed in eight competitions ranging from accounting to computer applications. Many of the winners this year won as juniors last year.

member of the first-place calculator applications, computer science, science and mathematics teams.

Robinson Mathematics (team)—1st Rule: Eric Robinson, Cory Robinson and Denise Wilson

Results are as follows: Calculator applications (ind.): 1st—Cory Robinson; 3rd—Denise Wilson

Science (ind.)—1st—Cory Robinson

Calculator applications (team)—1st Rule: Cory Robinson, Eric Robinson and Denise Wilson

Science (top scorers)—Biology—Cory Robinson; Chemistry—Cory Robinson

Computer science (team)—1st Rule: Kacy Baitz, Cory Robinson and Denise Wilson Mathematics (ind.)—1st—Cory

Science (team)—1st Rule: Cory Robinson, Michael Murray and Sammy Bagot.

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## Hask. parent report card

Any parent in the Haskell CISD who did not receive one of the parent school report cards that were recently sent to parents, may do so by calling the school administration office.

Superintendent Bob Pheil and other school administrators would like for all parents of Haskell school students to evaluate the school system—teachers, school and administration—on these cards and return them to the school or administration office.

It is an opportunity for parents to share their feelings, good or bad, with school administrators. According to Supt. Pheil, the returns from the elementary parents were very good, however, only a small percentage of returns were received from parents of junior high and high school students.

If you haven't made your evaluation, do so now and return the card. If you have misplaced your card or need one, please call the administration office and one will be mailed to you.

## Poster contest

The Haskell Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a "Wild Horse Prairie Days" poster contest for students in grades one through six.—Div. 1 for 1st through 3rd grades and Div. Two for 4th through 6th grades.

The theme of the poster should be anything western promoting the "Wild Horse Prairie Days." The poster should be on a 14x22 inch poster board. On the back of the poster, in the bottom right hand corner, place an envelope and write your grade on the outside of the envelope. Inside the envelope, place an index card with your name, parents' name, address, telephone number and your grade.

The deadline for entering is Wednesday, May 22. All entries should be dropped off at West Texas Utilities office—do not take them to school.

There will be two prizes awarded in each division: 1st Place—\$15.00 and 2nd Place—\$10.

## Soc. bake sale

The annual bake sale of the Haskell Co. Historical and Genealogical Society will be held Saturday, May 11, beginning at 10 a.m. in front of The Drug Store in Haskell. It will include the usual variety of homemade baked goods just in time for Mother's Day. The proceeds will go to help fund projects for the preservation of county history.

Mothers have always been held in high regard. But when the pioneer mothers came to settle Haskell Co., there was no official day set aside in their honor. It was in 1914, that President Woodrow Wilson signed a joint resolution for Congress and government offices to observe the second Sunday in May as a time for recognizing mothers everywhere. The following year he was authorized to proclaim it as a national holiday.

This year, the Haskell Co. Historical and Genealogical Society salutes not only the mothers of today, but also remembers those who persevered through many hardships on the West Texas Frontier to make our county a great place for families.

Julee Patterson

**MOTHER'S DAY GIFT SALE!**  
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## EDC Notes

by Monty Montgomery

This column is the first of a monthly series that *The Haskell Free Press* has agreed to publish for the Development Corporation of Haskell, Inc. My goal in writing this article is to keep the citizens of Haskell informed of activities this office is involved in to better our community.

The Strategic Planning Sessions held April 15 and 16 were a great success with over 60 people attending the first night and approximately 40 attendees the second night. West Texas Utilities is tabulating all of the ideas and suggestions made during the meeting. The results should be available in a couple of weeks. Watch the newspaper for information on the presentation of this survey at an upcoming City Council meeting. Special thanks to Fred Hernandez of West Texas Utilities and WTU itself for sponsoring this meeting. WTU has been an extremely valuable partner for our economic development efforts, and I can't thank them enough for their help in making Haskell a better community.

You may be aware that Kent Oil, Inc. of Midland has announced their plans to construct a truckstop/super convenience store in here this year. This is a \$1-\$2 million investment in our community that will provide up to 30 jobs that will have a starting pay range above the minimum wage scale. The bids for construction will be let in approximately six to eight weeks. For information on bidding on this project, contact Mr. Kenny Dresel at Kent Oil, Inc. 915-520-4000.

Sunday, April 28, was the first day of our new Public Broadcasting Station to come on line with Harmon Cable Communications. This new station is KRMA-TV of Denver, Colo. Having this station will enable us to receive great programming that was not available here previously. (My favorites are the British Comedies). Mr. Gus

Cagle, General Manager of Harmon Cable helped us with this project. If you get a chance please call Gus at 800-527-4331 and thank him for providing this great television station to Haskell. KRMA has educational offerings that might interest some of you. It is possible to earn a GED through this station, and there is a possibility some college course credit can be offered also. If you have any questions concerning this programming on KRMA, please call Mr. James Morgese, President and General Manager at 303-620-5662.

My first six months in Haskell have been outstanding and I look to the future to be even better. There are many exciting new projects in the works for our city, so please stay tuned to this column for future developments. Special thanks to Mayor Ken Lane and my board of directors for their continued support. In closing please remember: **SHOP HASKELL FIRST!!!**

## Obituaries

### Leonard (Hi) Kieke

Sagerton, a farmer and a lifetime resident of the area.

SAGERTON—Services were held for lifetime Sagerton resident, Leonard (Hi) Kieke, 83, on Friday, May 3, at the Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton with Rev. Jeff Zell officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Tankersley Funeral Home Directors.

Mr. Kieke died Wednesday, May 1, at an Abilene Hospital. He was born July 4, 1912, in Sagerton. He married Hilda Nauert on June 22, 1940 in Albany. He was a member of the Faith Lutheran Church in

He is survived by his wife, Hilda of Sagerton; one son, John C. (Johnny) Kieke of Breckenridge; one daughter-in-law, Marilyn Kieke of Breckenridge; one brother, Oswald Kieke of Stamford; one sister-in-law, Pauline Kieke of Stamford; two grandchildren, Rodney Kieke of Austin and Deborah Bredthauer of Paint Creek; and three great-grandchildren, Justin Hannsz, Clay Bredthauer and Emilee Kieke.

### Roy Reece Clark

SAGERTON—Services were held for longtime Sagerton resident, Roy Reece Clark, 81, on Sunday, May 5, at the Sagerton United Methodist Church with Pastor Carol Crumpton officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Cemetery in Stamford, under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors of Haskell.

Mr. Clark died Friday, May 3, at his home in Sagerton. He was born Jan. 13, 1915, in Holliday to John and Izetta (Smith) Clark and was a longtime Sagerton resident. He graduated from Sagerton High School in 1932 and married Frances LeFevre on Dec. 8, 1935. He farmed in the Sagerton community all of his adult life and was a lifelong member of the Sagerton Methodist Church, where he served on the Board of Stewards and various other boards until ill health forced his retirement. He was on the Haskell Co. ASCS board for 10 years and was active in all Sagerton community projects where he also served as chairman of the Community Improvement Board.

He was an avid sportsman, enjoying softball, hunting and fishing. He was a longtime catcher for the Sagerton softball team which his father managed, and then for the Stamford Allstars. While playing for

Stamford, he was on a State Championship team and participated in two World Series Tournaments. He spent his entire adult lifetime fishing and hunting in Colorado, New Mexico, Montana, Wyoming, Canada, Alaska and all over Texas. He spent the last remaining months of his life in his trophy room, which has a unique display of all his sports trophies. He passed away among his favorite memories.

He is survived by his wife of more than 60 years, Frances of Sagerton; one daughter and son-in-law, Glenda Kay and Pete Bryan of San Antonio; two brothers, Charles Clark and Joe Clark, both of Sagerton; two grandchildren, Dr. Clark Terrell and his wife, Mary of Boerne and Kay Tonnon of Springdale, Ark.; four great-grandchildren, Chelsea and Brian Tonnon and Iris and Emma Terrell; and a host of nieces, nephew, other relatives and many friends.

Pallbearers were Bob Clark, Randy Cobb, Kent LeFevre, Jerry Manske, Tommy Manske and Johnny Manske.

The family requests any memorials be made to the First United Methodist Church of Sagerton, or the donor's favorite charity.

### Hazel Smith

WEINERT—Services were held for Hazel Smith, 90, of Denton, formerly of Weimert, on Thursday, May 2, at the First United Methodist Church in Haskell, with Rev. Sid Parsley officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Smith died Tuesday, April 30, in a Denton nursing home. She was born on June 29, 1905 in Rochester. She was a longtime resident of Mattson. She received a teaching certificate from West Texas A&M in Canyon and taught school. She married Henry Wiley Smith on June 14, 1930 in Haskell. They moved to Weinert in Jan, 1968. Mr. Smith preceded her in death on May 4, 1969. She was a member of the

Trinity Presbyterian Church in Denton and was a longtime member of the Women's Society of Christian Service, in which she was very active.

She is survived by three daughters, Zadie Mae Betis of Quanah, Margaret Smith of San Angelo and Myrtle Pate of Princeton; four sons, Dr. Don Smith of Denton, Hugh Smith of Josuah, Fred Smith of Mabank and David Smith of Redmond, Wash.; four grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

The family requests any memorials be made to the First United Methodist Church, 201 N. Ave. F, Haskell, TX 79521 or the Haskell Cemetery Association, C/O George Fouts, 801 N. Ave. G, Haskell, TX 79521.

### Erma Lurline Marsh

Graveside services were held for Erma Lurline Marsh, 91, of Haskell and formerly of California, on Saturday, May 4, at Willow Cemetery with Rev. Jeff Zell officiating and under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors.

Ms. Marsh died Thursday, May 2, in a local nursing home. She was born on March 31, 1905 in Kingsley, Iowa. She was a homemaker and worked in the dry cleaning business.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Donald E. Erickson and Robert K. Erickson.

She is survived by one daughter, Peggy Burnett of Haskell; one son, William K. Erickson of Yelm, Washington; 17 grandchildren, including Elizabeth Wallis and her husband, Addie of Rule; 27 great-grandchildren, including Joyce Wallis of Rule and Mary Torres of Aspermont; several great-great-grandchildren.

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# LIFESTYLES

## Recycling weighs in 1,582 pounds

**By Kim Meredith**  
To recycle or not to recycle, that is the question. Saturday, May 4, was a big day at the Recycling Center. Those participating in the recyclable weigh-in brought a total of 1,582 pounds of recyclable items to the Recycling Center.

On hand to assist with the weigh-in were: Boy Scouts, John Doerschuk Jr., Kevin Patton, Craig Cunningham, Ross Bullinger and Josh Webb; Scoutmaster, Kenneth Patton and Assistant Scoutmasters, John Doerschuk and Dale Bullinger; and members of the recycling committee, David Davis, Ruby

Turner, Betsy Nanny and Kim Meredith.

Refreshments were provided by Jona Caddell, Mona Gibson, Ruby Holt and Modern Way. The paper goods were supplied by M System. Prizes were provided by Hatahoe, Sonic, Double A, La Posada, Rodriguez Inn, Dairy Queen, Burkets and The Sweet Shop.

Prizes were given to the following:  
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Anderson—No. 1 Overall—89 lbs.; John Doerschuk—No. 2 Overall—73 lbs.; David Middleton—No. 1 Newspaper—190 lbs.; Paula Garcia—No. 2

Newspaper—86 lbs.; Tammy Anderson—No. 3 Newspaper—34 lbs.; Ocey McGuire—No. 1 Glass—12 lbs.; Kerry Craig—No. 1 Catalogs—86 lbs.

Businesses:  
Federal Land Bank—No. 1 Newspaper—98 lbs.; ASCS—No. 1 Office Paper—395 lbs.

Chairman Kim Meredith said, "Recycling is here to stay and the individuals who participated in the weigh-in are great examples of the kind of effort that we must all exhibit. Thank you to all who participated."

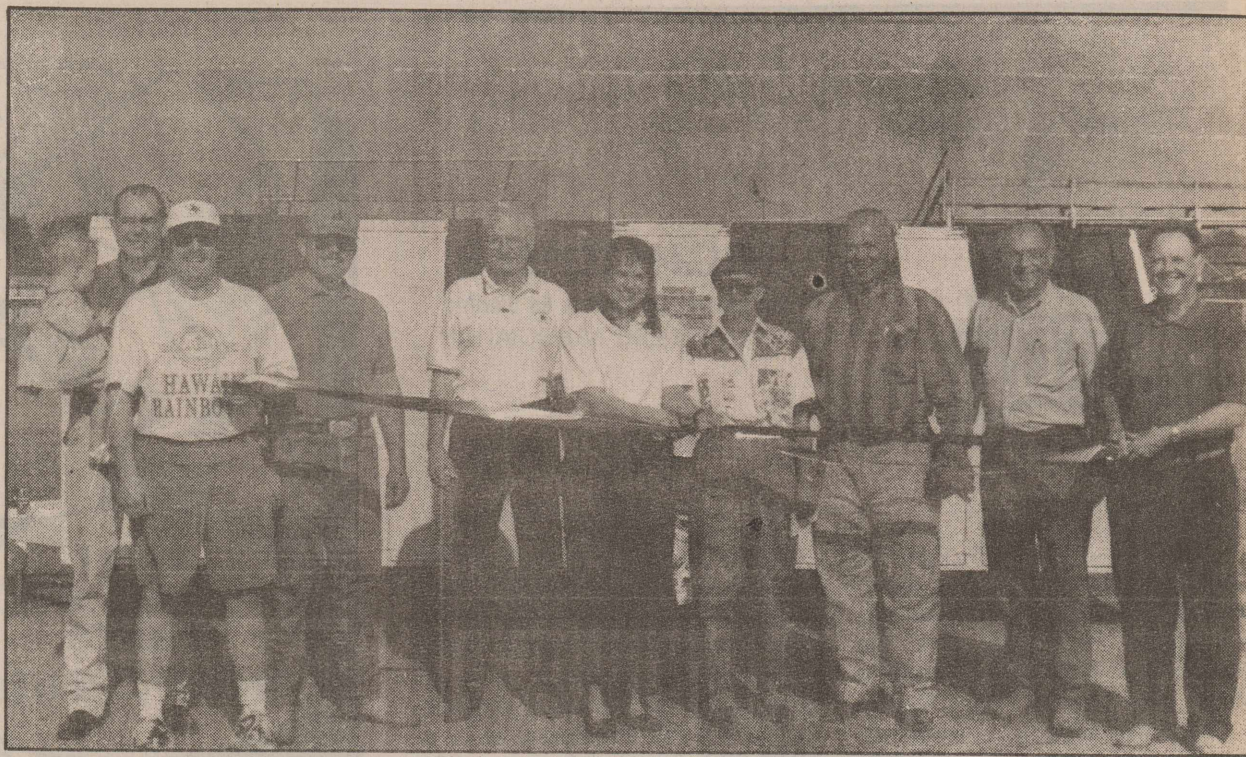
## Saturday afternoon festival, a success

**By Jim King**  
The festival held at the Haskell City Park on Saturday afternoon was a success. The evening closed out with a dance to Jose Y Popular 94 at the American Legion Post 221, which was enjoyed by those attending. The festival and dance were sponsored by St. George's Catholic Church of Haskell to raise money to help pay on their new church.

Church officials and parishioners would like to thank the American Legion for use of the hall, Time Out Package Store for their donation and appearance at the dance and the various Haskell downtown businesses who donated bingo prizes, and also our volunteers who helped make it all possible.

Special thanks to all those who participated in the festival activities and those who attended the dance.

Please note that without the help of the American Legion Post 221 in Haskell, the church would not have reached its goal. It were not for those attending the Bingo games each week, this would not have been possible. Proceeds from the Bingo on Monday night helps support Haskell community charities and provides scholarships for our youth.



**RECYCLING TRAILER RIBBON CUTTING**—Members of the Haskell Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting for Haskell's new recycling trailer on Saturday. Recycling chairman, Kim Meredith, cuts the ribbon as Shane Hadaway, Monty Montgomery, Fred Hernandez, Abe Turner, Ruby Turner, David Davis, Mayor Ken Lane and David Middleton look on.

## Happenings

By Lois Redwine

Visitors in the home of Bud and Pauline Derr were Bud's nieces and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Worley of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Veteto of Colorado Springs, Colo.

Since the first of the year, Vergil and Vera Smith have been attending church in Sylvester, where Smith served as interim pastor. May 5, he served as pastor at the First Baptist Church, Lueders and will be there again May 12. As of July, Smith will have been preaching 45 years. He is available for preaching and revivals and may be reached at 304 No. Ave. G in Haskell or call 817-864-2559.

Terry Threet, Rule, Maggie Threet, Alma Terrell and Mollie Moeller, Haskell attended memorial services May 4, at the Eastside Baptist Church in Bowie for Mac Pearl Terrell Read. Mrs. Read was born March 9, 1923, in Haskell. She died May 1 in a rest home in Bowie. She is survived by four daughters, two sons and a sister, Maggie Threet.

Weekend visitors in the B.O. Roberson's home were Mrs. Ruth Stewart, Abilene, the Roberson's granddaughter, Molly Long and her friend, Marris Davis, both of Floydada. The girls attended the children's musical, "The Bible Tells Me So Show," Sunday night at the First Baptist Church.

Carolyn Madely, Abilene and Arnolia Foote visited last week in Cameron with their aunt and sister, Bessie Zedlitz. She resides in the beautiful Winnie L Nursing Home in Cameron.

Evelyn Mayfield of Dallas spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mayfield in Weinert.

Michael Harvey of Dallas visited with his grandparents, Neat Bevel and Jack and Alta Faye Harvey. He was joined by his parents, Jack and Joy Harvey, Odessa.

On Saturday, Frances Lane was in Abilene for the graduating exercises of her granddaughter, Selena Starr (Mrs. Tom) McGuire. She graduated Magna Cum Laude from McMurry with a BBA in finance. Selena lives in Snyder and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starr. On Sunday, the family celebrated the birthday of Fran Starr, Dallas, with dinner at the Abilene Country Club. She is also the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starr.

A standing ovation was given Sunday night to the cast, directors

and accompanists of the children's musical, "The Bible Tells Me So Show" performed Sunday night at the First Baptist Church. Directors were Brian Burgess, Phoi McGuire and Karen Lehmann; accompanists, Jana English and Ellen Rieger; assistants, Debbie Miller and Tami Pannell and cast, children, 2nd through 6th grades.

Wayne and Eva Dunnam, Haskell and Eva's sister and brother-in-law, Elmer Lee and Betty Criswell, Plainview recently attended the funeral services of their cousin, Charley McDonald, in Canon City, Co.

Visiting with Dimple Nehring were her uncle and aunt, Louis and Adeline Spitzer and aunt, Margaret Suter, all of Old Glory.

Bernice Hilliard square danced Saturday night at the Wagon Wheel in Tye with the Key City Squares. Pat Shaw of Roscoe spent the weekend with Mrs. Hilliard. She visited with Ellen Hilliard and Jean Ballard in Abilene while her mother square danced.

Members of the Greater Independent Baptist Church were in Stamford Sunday evening at the Solomon Temple Baptist for their 8th annual mission program. The program theme was "Women of Faith and Service." Rev. James Webb of New Fellowship Baptist Church, Abilene was the speaker. His text was "Come See a Man." Other churches represented were, Bethsaida, Anson, Weeping Mary, Anson, Mt. Olive, Sims Chapel, Bethel COGIC, True Covenant, Stamford and Oak Grove, Hamlin.

Don N. Yeldell, Mitchellville, Md. will receive a Master of Business Administration Finance degree on Saturday, May 11, from Howard University, Washington, D.C. Don is the brother of Robert Yeldell.

Visiting with Gladys O'Neal was her cousin, Cecil Mae Archer of Crowell.

Angela Jordan, Stamford High School graduate, will undergo surgery on May 28 in Hendrick Medical Center, Abilene, to repair her shoulder that was injured several weeks ago while discus throwing.

This is the last column that I shall write as I am moving to Odessa. It has been my pleasure knowing all of you and my thanks to all who shared the happenings in your lives that made this column possible. A special thanks to Mae Lou Yeldell. I shall miss all of you and hope that you will miss and remember me.

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No man ever listened himself out of a job.  
—Calvin Coolidge

## Births

Bryson and Zachary Trussell along with parents Stony and Michelle would like to announce the birth of Austin Wayne Trussell. He was born April 13, weighing 7 lbs., 14 ozs. and measured 19 inches long.

His grandparents are Roy and Nancy Trussell of Haskell and Dewayne and Sandra Whisenhunt of Houston.

His great-grandparents are Jay and Dorothy Trussell and Bill and Stella Steele, all of Haskell and Myrtle Whisenhunt of Abilene.

## Turnbow reunion

A Turnbow reunion will be held at Hohenwald, Tenn. Memorial Park on Sunday, May 26. Anyone who needs more information may call Tony Turnbow at 615-796-2109.

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Nobody roots for Goliath.  
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# OPINION

State Capital



## HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

**AUSTIN** — Gov. George W. Bush's name was among those picked by the Republican National Committee to preside over the Republican National Convention Aug. 12-15 in San Diego, Calif.

Bush will serve as a temporary co-chairman along with New Jersey Gov. Christine Todd Whitman.

Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan., the all-but-anointed GOP presidential nominee, is working for consensus on the abortion issue, and it appears he has his work cut out for him, even with his hand-picked stars. At an Austin news conference last week, Bush reiterated his stand that anti-abortion language should not be stricken from the party platform, but Todd, a social moderate, reportedly wants to remove the anti-abortion language.

Bush said he would use the GOP spotlight to promote Texas. "I see this position as giving me a chance to say what wonderful things are going on in Texas," he told reporters.

### AG seeks Reversal of Ruling

Texas Attorney General Dan Morales last week petitioned the U.S. Supreme Court to reverse a lower court ruling and allow race to be a factor in college and university admissions.

Morales is appealing a March 18 decision by the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans that struck down the admissions policy at the University of Texas School of Law.

The lower court ruling stems from a 1992 lawsuit filed by four white students who complained that the University of Texas School of Law rejected their enrollment applications because of an affirmative action mandate that favored less-qualified minority students.

Morales said the state will defend the right of the University to consider race and ethnicity and other factors as admissions criteria.

"The noble principles of diversity and inclusiveness should be greatly valued by all public institutions — especially our institutions of higher learning. It's simply wrong to give one applicant an automatic advantage over another applicant based solely upon the color of one's skin," Morales told reporters in Austin.

### Welfare Pilot to Begin June 1

A state pilot program that cuts the amount of time welfare recipients can receive benefits will premiere June 1 in Bexar County.

State officials hope "time-limited welfare benefits" will help people free themselves from welfare by breaking the cycle of poverty.

The newly created Texas Workforce Commission will oversee contractors and trade schools hired to provide job training.

"I believe the time limits should offer a little incentive and a little

pressure to people to improve their education and job skills," state Sen. Judith Zaffirini, D-Laredo, told the *San Antonio Express-News*.

Under the program, Aid to Families With Dependent Children recipients will be asked to work at least 30 hours a week or spend 20 hours a week in job training.

On Sept. 1, Dallas, Tarrant, Travis, Fort Bend and Denton counties will follow Bexar with the program, and by January, 81 other counties will have implemented the program.

### Major Crimes Drop in Texas

The murder rate in Texas last year was the lowest since 1965, and most other major crimes decreased as well, a new report shows.

The only increase was in thefts, which were up 1.4 percent from 1994 to 1995.

"While it is disappointing that incidences of theft increased, it is good news to us that all other categories of index crimes have shown a decrease," said Col. James Wilson, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, which compiles the Crime Index report.

According to the report, nine of every 100,000 Texans were murdered in 1995, the lowest rate since 1965, when 7.5 of every 100,000 Texans were slain. A total of 1,694 Texans were murdered last year, 16.4 percent fewer than in 1994.

### Other report highlights:

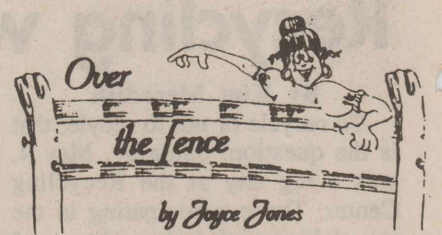
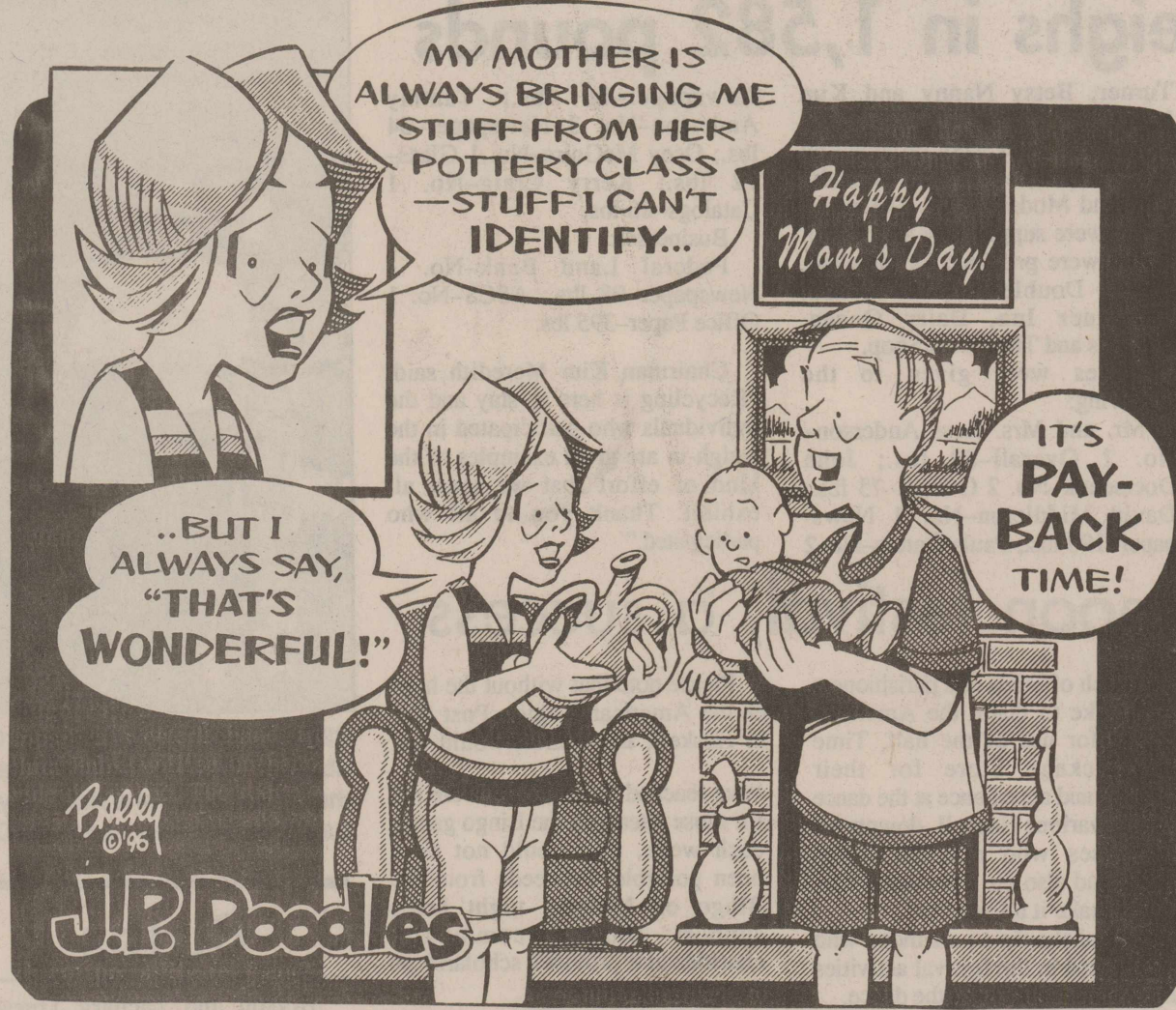
- Rapes were down 6.4 percent.
- Aggravated assaults decreased 0.9 percent.
- Robberies were down 10.6 percent.
- Motor vehicle thefts decreased 5.3 percent.

### Other Capital Highlights

■ Ground was broken last week on the President George Bush Tollway. When completed in 2002, the 26-mile, \$1 billion project will run from Garland to Irving, arcing through seven Dallas-area suburbs and three counties.

■ Gov. Bush says he will be "firm and polite" in insisting that Mexico honor a water-sharing agreement that could be threatened by Mexican farmers' pumping water from the Rio Grande for irrigation. In a letter to Mexican officials, Texas Secretary of State Tony Garza told them that farmers' continued pumping could kill the Texas-Mexican water-sharing pact.

■ The Texas Education Agency estimates that almost 7 percent of the class of 1996 will not receive diplomas this month because the students have not passed the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills exam after seven test dates. That figure is a slight improvement over last year, when about 8 percent had not passed by graduation time.



Sunday, May 12, is Mother's Day. We wish all of the mothers in our community and county, as well as elsewhere across the nation a Happy Mother's Day.

Mothers fall into all kinds of categories—good, bad, absentee, hard-working, loving, generous, etc.—whatever category they fall into, they seem to be the focal point for most families.

For some of us who are in the 40 and older group, our mothers did not work outside the home; but that's not to say they didn't work. There was a time when most families had at least five children or more, especially if they lived on farms. Many of those mothers had the full responsibility of raising the children, plus all the household chores. They had to do all of the cooking, washing, cleaning, be a nurse, help their children with homework, help with outside chores—the days were long, but to say they didn't work would be grossly incorrect.

There was seven of us children and sometimes I wonder how my mother did all that she did. It seemed she was always in the kitchen cooking, washing or ironing clothes, cleaning the house, sewing, quilting or patching up a skinned knee. When I would wake up late at night and see her at the sewing machine, I often wondered if she ever got any rest at all.

As you reflect on Mother's Day this year, I hope that each of you will think about the mothers that were the pioneer women of this state and this country; and all of the hardships that they endured to raise their families in a new and unruly land. We should sing their praises for where would we all be without these truly great women—our mothers, grandmothers and great-grandmothers.

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If you are wondering what to get your mother or grandmother for mother's day—the best gift of all is a visit from their children or grandchildren. If you are unable to visit, then pick up the phone and give her a call, let her know that you care and would be with her if you could.

Flowers are always a nice gift, but there are lots of other things—maybe more practical, but needed things. A subscription to the newspaper, or a subscription to basic cable if they don't already have it—basic cable usually runs around \$9 to \$10 a month. How about having their car washed and the oil changed in it? A gift certificate for long distance phone calls is a nice gift if you don't live close to your mom or grandmother.

A gift certificate to a local store for necessary toiletries or payment for a trip to the doctor or dentist. These things may all seem too practical, but for a mother or grandmother who is living on a limited income, as so many are, these things can be too costly and sometimes they just go without, rather than ask their children for help.

Other gift ideas may include clothing or shoes, lingerie, jewelry, perfume or books. Taking them out for lunch or dinner is also a great idea. There are many ways to show your mother that you love her, not only on Mother's Day, but every day of the year. If you can't afford a gift, then a card—even a homemade one, or a phone call will be greatly appreciated. So this Sunday, May 12, honor your mother or grandmother on her special day.

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I would like to take this opportunity to wish a very special lady a Happy Mother's Day and good luck and happiness in her move to Odessa—Lois Redwine, who has written the Happenings column for a lot of years. She worked for *The Haskell Free Press* for many years and retired in 1976. A few years later, she started writing the Happenings column again and has continued to do so until today. I am sure she will enjoy being with her daughters there in Odessa, but I know that she will be missed by her many friends here in Haskell and all that loved to read her column. We will all miss her here at the paper!

## From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

### 20 Years Ago May 6, 1976

The Pinkerton, Whitman, Foster and all Haskell County Old Timers, enjoyed an evening of fun, and get-together and visiting at the Haskell National Bank Building. A large crowd attended and was registered by Mrs. Doc Pointer of Rule. The long tables were well laden with delicious food. When time came to serve the meal, the president, Floyd Norman, Rule, called the house to order.

From the Sagerton News—We have received notification from the Regional Headquarters that the Sagerton Post Office will be converted to a Community Post Office effective June 4, 1976. Beulah Mae Summer is the successful bidder and will be awarded a contract to operate a CPO on this date. Customers of the Sagerton Post Office will not see any visible change connected with this conversion.

### 30 Years Ago May 12, 1966

The Haskell Jaycees' annual Rice Springs Rodeo, which unveils here next Thursday, May 19, and will continue through Friday and Saturday nights, May 20 and 21, will be accompanied each of these nights by a dance at the American Legion Hall. The Rogers-Cox Post No. 221, of Haskell, will sponsor the dances, and the "Saddle Tramps," a western band from Wichita Falls, will be on hand to provide the music. The rodeo will be initiated by a gala parade which

is scheduled for Thursday.

Arch Mayfield is valedictorian of the 1966 Weinert High School class, with a four-year average of 96.79. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield. Sherry Newton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newton has been named salutatorian of the 1966 Weinert High School class, with an four-year average of 96.18.

### 60 Years Ago May 7, 1936

Miss Vernona Penman of Rochester, was selected as Haskell's representative to the Frontier Centennial in Fort Worth, in a beauty contest held at the Texas Theater Friday night, May 1. Miss Beverly Gilbert and Miss Lillie Faye Stoker, both of Haskell, were awarded second and third places by the judges and will be presented with appropriately engraved loving cups by the contest sponsors, the Chamber of Haskell, Haskell Free Press and Texas Theater.

Mrs. Bessie May Sellers of Abilene will succeed Mrs. Marvin Branch as bookkeeper in the local office of the West Texas Utilities Company on May 15. Mrs. Sellers has been connected with the company for several years, being employed in the Abilene office.

### 70 Years Ago May 6, 1926

Mrs. John Couch spent a few days last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrus of Seymour and when she returned home, she found that Mr. Couch had installed an all-white model

electric cook stove and she made the deduction that he was doing his best to keep her at home this summer.

Somewhere on Paint Creek one night last week, C.D. Grissom, Paul Frierson, W.B. Stark, Alfred Pierson, Wylie Quattlebaum, Tom Holland and T.A. Pinkerton, all of Houston, went into camp and spent a night fishing and snipe hunting. All the boys were in the drive, but Tom Holland and Wylie Quattlebaum, who were left holding the sacks while the boys went in search of the snipes. In the drive, the boys lost their way and just before day, foot-sore and weary they returned finding Tom and Wylie asleep on the job. This ended in disaster what at one time looked like the greatest snipe-hunt ever staged in Haskell Co.

### 90 Years Ago May 12, 1906

Mr. J.U. Fields returned on Monday from New Orleans, where he attended the reunion of the Confederate veterans and the Sons and Daughters of the Confederacy.

The hum of the saws and the clatter of hammers grows in volume in Haskell, as house after house fills a former void.

Mr. W.H. Parsons will begin work next week on the stone building on the west side of the square. He has the manufactured stone ready.

The Haskell Camp Woodman of the World had a big supper and fellowship at their lodge room Tuesday night. The camp now has sixty-odd members and is growing.

## Affects of the new farm bill on farmers

Will cotton still be king?

Texas is the nation's largest cotton producer and cotton farmers are expected to take a beating under the new farm bill.

Extension Cotton Marketing Economist, Dr. Carl Anderson, says removing price supports to the U.S. farmers makes for an unlevel playing field since 90 percent of the world's cotton producers receive some type of government assistance.

Anderson says that's like pitting an individual cotton farmer against an entire country. It's forfeiting a portion of our cotton industry to international competition.

Cotton is the single most valuable crop in Texas and Anderson predicts as much as a 30-percent drop in Texas cotton production over the next five years. Anderson says as with most other

commodities in the farm bill, bigger operations are more likely to survive. They'll be efficient by diversifying: planting other crops as well as cotton. Anderson says in a what it is survival of the fittest and it is the progressive thinkers who will triumph over this adversity.

### Feed grains fare well under farm bill

The new farm bill could convince cotton and rice farmers to make the switch to feed grains such as corn, wheat and sorghum. Feed grain farmers are in the best position to withstand this dramatic change in farm policy. They're getting record prices for their crops on top of the transition payments that come from the farm bill. The wild card is the weather.

Extension Grain Marketing Economist Dr. Mark Waller says even if prices are high, farmers must still produce a crop to benefit from the current high price. If the weather is dry, like it is this year, there may not be a crop from which to profit.

The farm bill takes away the government safety net making the market more volatile...more likely to fluctuate with changes in the weather and other factors.

The U.S. produces two-thirds of the world's feed grains, but Waller points out that the U.S. doesn't stockpile commodities like it used to, 20 years ago. That makes for

tighter supplies during dry times. Ultimately, it's the consumer who pays the higher price.

### Farmers paid peanuts under farm bill

Few farmers seem happy with the new farm bill. Peanut farmers are no different. They are taking a hit because their price support fell from \$678 per ton to \$610. That hurts profitability.

But the good news is that for the first time, peanut quotas can be sold and leased. Farmers who grow peanuts for sale as in the U.S. must own a quota. Until now that quota could not be transferred to anyone outside the county.

Extension Agronomist Dr. Robert Lemon says it gives growers more options to rotate crops while leasing their quotas. He says rotation is the key to profitable peanut production.

The farm bill allows for up to 40 percent of a quota to be transferred over the seven-year life

of the legislation. In Texas, it could mean peanut acreage shifting more toward the west. It also opens doors for growers who had been shut out of the domestic market which is much more profitable.

Texas is the second largest-peanut-producing state behind Georgia. Nearly 300,000 acres of Texas land are devoted to peanuts.

Submitted by Max Stapleton, Haskell Co. Ext. Agent-Ag.

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## Athletes honored at Sports Banquet

The Haskell High School All-Sports Banquet, honoring athletes of the 1995-1996 season was held at the Haskell Civic Center, Saturday night, May 4.

Chamber of Commerce Director, David Middleton, presided as Master of Ceremonies and Jimmy Lisle, president of the Indian Booster Club, gave the welcome. The recognition of high school and junior athletes and presentation of

the awards were made by coaches, Dwayne Gray, Mark Coffman, Randy Waggoner, Robert Rapp, Sandy Williamson and Jeff Howle.

Sports Awards were presented to the following students:  
Football—Robert Ortiz; Boys' Basketball—Cody Cooley; Girls' Basketball—Betsy Coleman; Boys' Track (J. Anderson)—Frankie Macias; Girls' Track (R. Howard)—Tonya Burson and Charissa Huff; Boys' Cross Country—Jim

Crawford; Girls' Cross Country—Charissa Huff and Rosalinda Gonzales; Most Athletic Girl—Wendy Gray; Boys' Tennis—Phillip Huff and Matthew McCord; Girls' Tennis—Kaki Stapleton and Amy Burson; Boys' Baseball—Stacey Walker; Boys' Golf—Jeremy Harlan;

Girls' Golf—Wendy Gray; the Dick Gaines Award—Jace Yates; and the Booster Club Awards—Justin Lisle and Charissa Huff.

## Sagerton News

By Dorothy M. Clark

Our community was saddened by the deaths of two of its lifelong residents this past week, Leonard Kieke and Reece Clark. They both grew up in this community and graduated from the Sagerton school. Funeral services for Leonard were held at Faith Lutheran Church on Friday, May 3 and the service for Reece was held at the Sagerton Methodist Church on Sunday, May 5. They were both successful farmers in the area and enjoyed this occupation all their adult lives.

Leonard Kieke will be especially remembered by his friends and neighbors for his immaculate homestead and his love for outdoor activities. Reece Clark is remembered for his love for sports which included softball, fishing and hunting. Of special interest to visitors in his home was his trophy room where he had an extensive display of most of his softball career and hunting expeditions. Our sympathy is extended to members of both families.

Congratulations to Kacy Baitz, son of Fred and Tami Baitz who was on the Class A Computer Science team from Rule that placed first in the State UIL competition this past weekend in Austin and was on the One-Act Play cast that placed third in the state. Stephanie Stegemoeller, daughter of Clayton and Paul Stegemoeller was also on the One-Act Play cast. All the Rule students are to be commended for their outstanding achievements in Austin. The school won half of the top awards in the academic meet and the play cast was not too disappointed in the third place when they realized that there were 256 schools that had entered the competition.

Alvin and Ev Ulmer attended a Pruitt family reunion at Turnersville last weekend. Returning home with them for an extended visit were cousins, Thelma Pruitt of Polusvo, Wash., Cecil Pruitt from near San Francisco, Jim Pruitt of Bremerton, Wash. and a niece, Mary Kolbert of Fairfield, Calif.

G.W. and Ophelia LeFevre have returned from a short vacation to Lake Proctor and other points of interest.

Upcoming events at Faith Lutheran Church for the week of May 12 include Faith Circle meeting on Tuesday, May 14, at 2:30 p.m.; confirmation classes on Wednesday at 6 p.m.; Friendship Club at noon on Thursday, May 16; and the men's breakfast Friday, May 17.

Frances Clark reminds friends to pick up their unmarked dishes at her house. She will deliver those that have names on them. Her family

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Students in the Haskell extension may take English 1301 or 2326, Government 2305 or 2306, History 1301 or 1302. All classes are offered in the evenings at Haskell High School, beginning the week of May 28 and are transferable to other colleges.

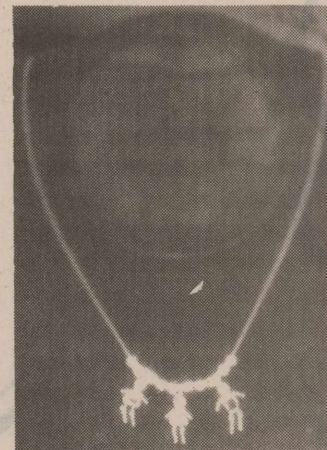
Flyers are available at the counselor's office of Haskell, Munday, Knox City, Jayton, Aspermont, Rochester, Rule, Paint Creek, Throckmorton, Stamford, Lueders-Avoca and Woodson High Schools.

Registration for early admission students will take place at Haskell High School on Tuesday, May 14 from 9:30 to 11:10 a.m. All other students may register on Tuesday, May 21 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Haskell High School.

Students should bring all of the following as applicable: an early admission form (available from the counselor's office); high school transcript; TASP/ACT/SAT scores; driver's license; Social Security card; college transcript of any courses taken at other colleges; payment of tuition and fees. (See advertisement for rates of tuition and fees).

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- the value placed on your property
- any exemptions that may apply to you
- the cancellation of an agricultural appraisal
- the taxable status of your property
- the local governments which should be taxing your property
- any action taken by the appraisal district that adversely affected you.

**Informal Review:** Taxpayers are encouraged to make an appointment with an appraiser to discuss their property value. This may be done by calling (817) 864-3805. They should bring information to substantiate why they feel that their property value is incorrect. The appraiser will discuss their property and may recommend an adjustment to the Appraisal Review Board. If the taxpayer is satisfied with the adjustment, he does not have to appear before the ARB.

**Review by the Appraisal Review Board:** If you can't resolve your problem informally with the appraisal district staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB). The (ARB) is an independent board of citizens that review problems with appraisals and other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the appraisal district to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date, and place of the hearing. The hearing will be informal. You and the appraisal district representative will be asked to present evidence about your case. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 604 North First, Haskell, Texas. Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

**Review by the District Court:** After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order. If the appraisal district has appraised your property at \$1,000,000 or more, you must file a notice of appeal with the chief appraiser within 15 days of

the date you receive the ARB's order. **More information:** You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Haskell County Appraisal District

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You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division, P. O. Box 13528, Austin, Texas 78711-0500.

### Deadline for filing protests with the ARB\*

**Usual deadline**  
On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause.

Late protests are due the day before the appraisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

**Special deadlines**  
For change of use (if the ARB has informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.  
For ARB changes (the ARB has informed you of a change that increases your tax liability and the change didn't result from a protest you filed), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

If you believe the appraisal district or ARB should have sent you a notice and did not, you may file a protest until the day before taxes become delinquent (usually February 1). The ARB decides whether it will hear your case based on evidence about whether a required notice was mailed to you.  
\*The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday.





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## Little League schedule and results

Opening night for the Little League was a huge success. Kyle Michaels of the Hawks hit the first home run on the new field, it was a grand slam.

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**Game Scores**  
Dragons-7, Owls-5  
Bears-16, Cats-8  
Hawks-13, Tigers-12  
Hawks-8, Eagles-4

**Minors**  
Mon. May 13—Dragons vs. Bears  
Tues. May 14—Sports vs. Owls  
Thurs. May 16—Sports vs. Dragons  
Fri. May 17—Cats vs. Owls  
Fri. May 17—Coach pitch at 7 p.m.  
Sat. May 18—Bears vs. Dragons  
Sat. May 18—T-Ball at 7 p.m.  
Games begin at 5:15 p.m. No inning will start after 6:45 p.m.

**Majors**  
Mon. May 13—Tigers vs. Eagles  
Tues. May 14—Eagles vs. Hawks  
Thurs. May 16—Hawks vs. Tigers  
Games begin at 7:15 p.m.

## Food for thought

"As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you."—John 15:9.

As the Father loves the Son, in the same manner Jesus loves his people. What is that divine method? He loved Him without beginning, and thus Jesus loves His members. "I have loved thee with an everlasting love."

You can trace the beginning of human affection; you can easily find the beginning of your love to Christ, but His love to us is a

stream whose source is hidden in eternity.

God the Father loves Jesus without any change. Christian, take this for your comfort, that there is no change in Jesus Christ's love to those who rest in him. Yesterday, you were on Tabor's top, and you said, "He loves me;" today you are in the valley of humiliation, but He loves you still the same.

On the hill Mizar and among the Hermons, you heard His voice, which spake so sweetly with the turtle notes of love; and now on the sea, or even in the sea, when all His waves and billows go over you, His heart is faithful to his ancient choice.

The Father loves the Son without any end, and thus does the Son love His people. Saint, thou needest not fear the losing of the silver cord, for His love for thee will never cease. Rest confident that even down to the grave Christ will go with you, and that up again from it He will be your guide to the celestial hills.

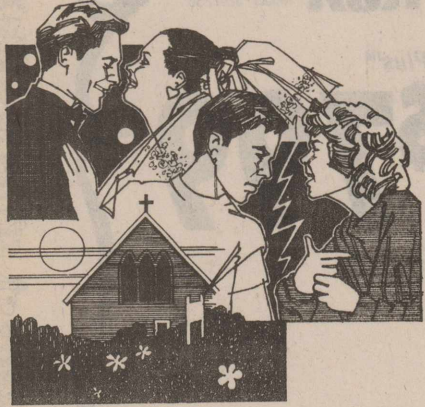
Moreover, the Father loves the Son without any measure and the same immeasurable love the Son bestows upon His chosen ones. The whole heart of Christ is dedicated to His people. He "loved us and gave Himself for us." His is a love which passeth knowledge.

Ah! we have indeed an immutable Saviour, a precious Saviour, one who loves without measure, without change, without beginning, and without end, even as the Father loves Him!

There is much food here for those who know how to digest it. May the Holy Ghost lead us into its marrow and fatness!

# This Week's Devotional Message:

## FAITH CALLS ETIQUETTE AN IMPORTANT PART OF MARRIAGE



Etiquette is a rather old-fashioned word about which many books and newspaper columns have been written by the experts on it. In keeping with the times, they describe the rules for nearly every social situation. However, very little has been said about the manners of a married couple toward each other. Sadly, it is this lack of basic domestic courtesy that

so often leads to divorce, because the marriage partners fail to show enough respect for each other's opinions and make no effort to reach a compromise. Perhaps a talk with the clergyman at the House of Worship can provide the answer which is so seldom found in the etiquette books. A marriage is usually performed at the altar of God, and this may well be the best place to save it.

## ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

**HASKELL**

**East Side Baptist Church**  
David Page, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:55 a.m. 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
600 N. 1st East, Haskell

**Christian Church**  
Frank Summers, preacher  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
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**Church of God**  
Eric Clark, pastor • 864-2021  
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7:00 p.m.  
East Hwy 380, Haskell

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Jeff Zell, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 8:00 a.m., Sunday School to follow  
Hwy 380 East, Haskell

**Iglesia Bautista El Calvario**  
Raul Tirado, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
607 S. 7th, Haskell

**First United Methodist Church**  
Sidney Paraley, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m. 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 6 p.m.  
201 N. Ave. F, Haskell

**First Assembly of God**  
Rev. J.C. Amburn  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
1500 N. Ave. E, Haskell

**St. George Catholic Church**  
Father Michael Melcher  
Sat. Mass 7:15 p.m.; Sun. Morn. 9:00 a.m.  
901 N. 16th, Haskell

**Church of Christ**  
Dale Huff, minister  
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
510 N. Ave. E, Haskell

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Jasper McClellan, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m.  
306 N. Ave. E, Haskell

**Trinity Baptist Church**  
Rev. Kenneth Blair  
Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m.;  
Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
401 S. Ave. D, Haskell

**Hopewell Baptist Church**  
John Lewis, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
908 N. Ave. A, Haskell

**Greater Independent Baptist Church**  
Rev. Camellia Wade, pastor  
Sunday Morn. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m.;  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
301 N. 3rd St., Haskell

**New Covenant Foursquare**  
Freddy Perez, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6:30 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
200 S. Ave. F, Haskell

**Mission Revival Center**  
Rev. William Hodge  
Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Tues. 6 p.m.  
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**First Baptist Church**  
Jim Turner, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
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Wed. 6 p.m.  
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Rev. Truett Kuenster  
Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 6:30 p.m.  
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**Union Chapel Baptist Church**  
Rev. Andrew  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
Rochester

**Faith Chapel of Rochester**  
Katherine Byrd, minister  
Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 7 p.m.  
Hwy 6, Rochester

**First United Methodist Church**  
Dolan Brinson, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.  
Rochester

**SAGERTON**

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Carol Krumpion, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.  
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**Faith Lutheran Church**  
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**RULE**

**First Baptist Church**  
Stewart Farrell, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
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**Primitive Baptist Church**  
Dale Turner Jr., pastor  
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Sun. Morn. 9:45 a.m., 10:40 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
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**New Life Baptist Mission**  
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Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.  
Eim Street-Hwy 380 E, Rule

**Sweet Home Baptist Church**  
Matt Harrington, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.;  
Wed. 7 p.m.  
Gladstone Ave., Rule

**West Bethal Baptist Church**  
Rev. Robert Sweet  
Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
300 Sunny Ave., Rule

## Experienced Citizens Calendar and Menu

**Monday, May 13**  
Lunch—Hamburgers, pickles, tomatoes, pork and beans, tator tots and fruit cobbler  
1 p.m.—China painting  
**Wednesday, May 15**  
10:30 a.m.—Exercise  
11:45 a.m.—Lou Gilly  
Lunch—Meat loaf, Spanish cabbage, blackeyed peas, carrot/raisin salad, peaches and cookies

**Friday, May 17**  
10 a.m.—Belton Hearing  
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Wednesday: Pancakes and syrup  
Thursday: Biscuits and gravy  
Friday: Breakfast pizza  
Lunch  
A choice of baked potato with ham and cheese, salad bar or hamburger and fries, plus milk and tea are offered daily at the high school. Milk and juice are served daily at the elementary school.  
Monday: Roast, gravy, creamed potatoes, seasoned green peas, buttered hot rolls and pineapple tidbits  
Tuesday: Chicken and rice, seasoned broccoli, fresh sliced hot bread and fruit  
Wednesday: Chalupas, grated cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, buttered corn and cinnamon rolls  
Thursday: Sliced ham, candied yams, tossed salad, buttered hot rolls and apple crisp  
Friday: Chili dogs, French fries, pickle spears, pork and beans and pudding cake

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## Rule students

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"Crimes of the Heart," Rule's One-Act Play placed third in the State UIL competition. The performances of Julie Saffel and Megan Jones earned each All-Star Cast recognition.

Other cast members included Kacy Baltz, Denise Wilson, Sara Kittley, Kayla Allison, Isabell Baez, Stephanie Stegemoeller and Teri Shawver.

Rule teacher, Bobby Robinson, directed the One-Act play and was also a coach and sponsor for the Rule UIL participants. Other coaches and sponsors were Jerry Cannon and Alice Jones, both teachers at Rule High School. These three spent long hours teaching their students how to excel



STATE THIRD PLACE WINNERS IN ONE-ACT PLAY COMPETITION—Rule High School's One-Act play won third place in the State Competition at Austin last week. Members of the cast are (back row) left to right, Isabell Baez, Stephanie Stegemoeller, Megan Jones and Teri Shawver. (front row) left to right, Kacy Baltz, Denise Wilson, Sara Kittley and Kayla Allison. Not pictured, Julie Saffel.

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### Two Jima reunion

The World War II Iwo Jima survivors Assn. of Texas is holding its 52nd anniversary reunion Feb. 20-25, 1997, at the Harvey Hotel in Irving. Any branch of service involved before, during or after the Iwo Jima Invasion in February and March of 1945, is invited and encouraged to attend.

Reunion plans include a 1940's USO show, spouse tours, memorabilia exhibits, a memorial service and flag-raising reenactments. Many military leaders will be present, and spouses and family members also are encouraged to attend.

The Iwo Jim Survivors Assn. is searching for any Americans that served in Japanese P.O.W. camps during World War II to be special guests. Anyone fitting that description or interested in attending the Iwo Jima Survivors Reunion should contact Cy Young at 817-845-3261 or write to the Iwo Jima Survivors Associations of Texas, P.O. Box 1657, Bowie, TX 76230. Please specify your name, address, phone number, branch of service and approximate time at Iwo.

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### NOTICE OF PROPOSED SURCHARGE

GTE\* has filed an Application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to establish a maximum \$1.06 monthly surcharge to be added to the monthly bill of each customer for each access line. The purpose of the surcharge is to recover lost revenues and increased costs associated with (i) reductions in Extended Area Service (EAS) charges referred to in PURA 95 Section 3.308 and (ii) providing Expanded Local Calling Service (ELCS) in certain exchanges pursuant to PURA '95 Section 3.304 and the Commission's Substantive Rule Section 23.49(c)(6) and (c)(12). If approved by the Commission, the monthly surcharge will be up to \$1.06 per month per access line. All ELCS customers currently subscribing to basic local service that are currently paying less than the ELCS rates of \$3.50 for residential lines and \$7.00 for business lines, will be surcharged \$1.06 up to a maximum rate of \$3.50/\$7.00 beginning no sooner than the June 1996 billing cycles. GTE will also request that a surcharge of up to, but not in excess of, \$1.06 per month per access line be implemented on an interim basis, subject to refund, until such time as the Commission has entered a final order on this matter. The requested surcharge is intended to (i) replace lost EAS revenues and (ii) replace lost revenues and reimburse GTE for the increased direct cost of service associated with all of GTE's ELCS by January 31, 1996. The deadline for intervention in this matter is July 12, 1996. Persons who wish to intervene in or comment up these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. All requests to intervene should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission's Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 for text telephone, or by writing the Public Utility Commission.

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BEAUTIFUL HANGING BASKETS just in time for Mother's Day. McGee Lumber Yard, Haskell. 19p

PATIO FURNITURE and wooden wall plaques. Can repair some old table legs. 418 N. First or call 864-2087 anytime. 19p

BUY 97 wheat seed now at 96 harvest. Certified NK 812 growing under pivots at Rochester, TX. Storage available. Tommy English 817-743-3377, 817-864-8777 mobile. 18-22c

FOR SALE: Good used evaporative air conditioners. 509 N. 2nd St., Knox City. 19-20c

MERLE NORMAN Gifts and Cosmetics, Haskell: Final days. Everything 40-75% off. 19c

FOR SALE: Quarter mile towable pivot, 4 years old. New tires, excellent condition. Call early or late 817-658-5109. 19p

### Cars For Sale

FOR SALE: 1983 Chevrolet 3/4 ton diesel pickup. Runs great. Call 817-997-2644. 17-19p

FOR SALE: 1994 Ford Probe GT, V-6, leather, CD player, moon roof, keyless entry, 23K miles. \$10,000.00. 864-3631, 800-474-3631. 18-19c

FOR SALE: 1994 Ford F-150 XL, SWB, regular cab, automatic. 6 cylinder, 24K miles, \$10,000.00. 864-3631, 800-474-3631. 18-19c

MUST SELL: 1994 Ford Supercab XLT Dallas Cowboy Special Edition. Loaded and beautiful. See to appreciate. 817-864-2200. 19p

FOR SALE: 1991 Ford Taurus. Rod Pierce 817-997-2719. 19p

LIKE NEW: 1990 Cougar Luxury Sport Car. 2 door, burgandy, 63,000 miles. New Michelin tires, new brakes, power windows, keyless door locks, tinted windows, extras, plus telephone. \$7500.00. Jennabeth Kimbrough 817-864-3703. 19-20p

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OWN YOUR OWN apparel or shoe store, choose: jeans/sportswear, bridal, lingerie, westernwear, ladies, men's, large sizes, infant/preteen, petite, dancewear/aerobic, maternity, or accessories store. Over 2000 name brands. \$26,900 to \$38,900: inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Can open 15 days. Mr. Loughlin 612-888-6555. 19p

### Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: Sat. 9 a.m. 1206 N. Ave. L. Something for everyone including 1995 Coleman pop-up camper. Used only 4 times. Sue Bingham. 19c

4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Thurs.-Fri. across the street from the cemetery in Stamford. 1 can Billy Beer, plus size ladies clothing, dishes, bedspreads, much more. 19p

SEVERAL FAMILY garage sale in Rochester. 8 to 4. Thurs. & Fri. 800 Jefferson. Chain saw, tools, dishes, knick knacks, clothes all sizes and lots more. 19p

YARD SALE: 304 S. Ave. C. Sat. 8 til 6. Lawn mower w/catcher, electric weed eater w/cord, misc.

### Garage Sales

FIVE FAMILY YARD SALE: 1101 N. Ave. K. Fri. 9 til ? 19p

LARGE GARAGE SALE: New wall pictures and gift items (from the Aladdin House). Canister set, vanity chair, office supplies, toys, girls and ladies clothes and many misc. 1412 N. Ave. K. Sat. 8 to 2 p.m. 19p

GARAGE SALE: Come to the Old Pogue Grocery store building to shop for used appliances, some antique furniture, and lots more. Friday, May 10 and Saturday, May 11. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 19p

### Miscellaneous

HOME DECORATORS. Painting, Insulation, Remodeling, water and air filtration systems. Call Bobby O'Neal 817-743-3550. 30tfc

WATER WELL DRILLING: House wells, test holes, Lic. #1578. Call W. P. Hise 864-3727. 18-21p

SO! You've always wanted to be a truck driver! Now's your chance! FFE Transportation in conjunction with an Inexperienced Driver Trainer Representative will be taking applications for experienced and inexperienced drivers on Thursday, May 9th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Fieldan Inn, 115 South Ave. E, Hwy. 277, Haskell, TX. For information call 1-800-460-9686. FFE offers paid training, paid insurance, new equipment, and a competitive pay scale. 18-19p

CUSTOM FRAMING. Country Friends and Frames, 101 N. Swenson, Stamford. 915-773-2661. Complete framing needs. Mattes, glass, ovals. Closed Mondays.

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CASH PAID for old lever action Winchester rifles, Colt pistols and most other guns and western memorabilia. A. C. Richardson at store Hwy. 277 N. 12tfc

### Jobs Wanted

HOUSE LEVELING. Floor bracing. Free estimates. References. Call 915-675-6369 anytime. David Lee. 19tfc

CHILD CARE: 817-864-6127. 2tfc

SUMMER BABYSITTING: Will babysit in your home during the summer. Can begin May 27. Call Tabitha Coker, 864-6155 after 5 p.m. 19p

WORK WANTED: Fencing, chain link or privacy. Free estimates. Bobbie Cothron 817-864-2709. 19p

### Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Texaco Star Stop is now accepting applications for manager, asst. manager and store clerks. Experience and references are required for employment. Applications may be picked up at The Haskell Free Press. Phone 864-2238. 19c

CNAs NEEDED part time. Call 864-8537 or apply at Haskell Healthcare Center, 1504 N. 1st Street, Haskell, EOE. 19-20c

BOOT & SADDLE REPAIRS Haskell, Texas Walk-About 864-6173 ~ 14 1/2 Ave. D. 14tfc

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HEADSTREAM MEMORIAL Mental Health Center Therapist Technician II: High school graduate, GED or proficiency evaluation of experience. Ability to teach daily function skills in a small group or on one-to-one basis. Previous experience working with people who had a mental illness or experience instructing people in how to perform daily living skills is preferred. History of local community volunteer service a plus. Must be living in Knox, Haskell, or Stonewall counties or be willing to relocate. Must have Class C vehicle license, in order to transport people. Motor vehicle record will be checked. Applications available at Wichita Falls State Hospital, Human Resources Dept. or at the Headstream MHC located at 1st St. and Ave. M, Haskell, TX. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. 19-20c

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### For Rent

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, CH/A, deposit required. Call Ed Walling 864-3845. 19tfc

FOR RENT 103 N. 3rd. Nice 3 bedroom, 1 bath house. 864-3762 or 864-3708. 19c

### Real Estate

NICE BRICK 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, very large living room and dining room plus bonus room. CH/A, built-ins, ceiling fans, covered patio, carport, lots of storage, fruit trees, water well. Possible owner finance. Small down. 1303 N. Ave. F. 915-735-2380 or 864-2686. 19tfc

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### Real Estate

FOR SALE: 100 acres irrigated land with or without 3 bedroom 2 bath house. Half way between Haskell and Rule. Hwy. 380. Call 817-743-3490. 18-19c

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom rock house on corner lot. 1 3/4 bath, built-in kitchen, dishwasher, fireplace, large game room. CH/A, new carpet, privacy fence. Above ground pool, 14 pecan trees. \$52,000. Shown by appointment only. Call 817-864-3619. 19-22c

FOR SALE: Large lake house at Veda's Camp, Lake Stamford. 817-864-3462, 1-800-377-3009.

### Public Notices

NOTICE The estate of Lena Oleta Blair proposes to sell the following described real property with residence situated thereon: Property address: 204 9th Street, Rochester, Texas. Legal description: Being all of Lots Nos. Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block No. Eleven (11) of the A. B. Carothers Addition to the Town of Rochester, Haskell County, Texas, as shown by a plat of said addition recorded in Vol. 72, Page 344 of the Deed Records of Haskell County, Texas to which plat reference is hereby made for all purposes. Inquiries may be made by contacting the Law Office of L. W. (Bill) Jones, III, at P. O. Box 1085, Haskell, Texas 79521, phone 817-864-8531. The Estate reserves the right to reject any and all offers for any reason. 16-19c

NOTICE The City of Haskell will be accepting sealed bids for a 2 year lease of the City Swimming Pool. Bids will be opened at the regular City Council meeting on May 28, 1996. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids. 18-19c

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David Vasquez. Legal Description: 1. Lots 7, 8, Block 1, Parsons Addition #2 to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Cause No. 10,024. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. Guillermo Galindo. Legal Description: 2. 80x155' of North half of Outlot 12, Brown & Roberts Addition to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Cause No. 10,040. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. L. K. Williams. Legal Description: 3. A 120'x140' tract of land out the Northwest corner of Lot 12, Brown & Roberts Addition to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Cause No. 10,151. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. Teresa Torres. Legal Description: 4. W120' of Lot 3, Block 69, Original Town of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Cause No. 10,355. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. Daniel Turner. Legal Description: 5. A tract of land part of Outlot 35 of Brown & Roberts Addition to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

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Cause No. 10,434. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. Domingo Enriquez. Legal Description: 6. A 75'x100' tract of land out of the Mid Northeast part of Lot 5, Block 35, Outlots, Brown & Roberts Addition to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

Cause No. 10,538. Styling: Haskell County Appraisal District v. Jerry Berkowitz. Legal Description: 7. Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, Block 1, Clifton Addition to the City of Haskell, Haskell County, Texas.

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Our heartfelt thanks are sent to everyone who expressed their love and concern for our Mother, Allie M. Anderson. Your caring thoughts and prayers were a strength to us during her illness and death. Your many cards, floral tributes, memorials, and food that was brought, and your loving words of sympathy made our goodbye to our Mom seem less painful. She was a sweet lady, and we will all miss her. Ruby and James R. Barbee and family Opal and Orman Yarbrough and family Doris and Ken Tooley and family

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We would like to thank everyone in our community of Haskell for the many prayers and concerns during my recent test. We would like to report that we received a very positive report and are very thankful for this. We feel this would not have happened without your very special love and prayers. In Christian Love, Jimmie and Frances Bowen

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Given under my hand this 6th day of May, 1996. Johnny L. Mills Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas

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