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### Calendar

#### Sunday in the Park

The tenth annual Sunday in the Park, sponsored by the Haskell Chamber of Commerce and the City of Haskell, is set Aug. 23 from 1 to 5 p.m. Those who wish to have a booth should call the Chamber office 864-2477 or City Hall 864-2333 before Aug. 19 to register. Booth locations are on a first-come first-served basis.

#### Indian Booster Club

All supporters and fans of the Haskell Indian athletes are invited to join the Indian Booster Club for '98-99. Membership dues are \$10 and those joining by Wed. Aug. 26 will be listed in the football program. Dues can be mailed to Debbie Earles, Rt. 1 Box 364, Haskell, TX 79521. Family names should be written as they are to appear in the program. Membership forms are available at First National Bank, Haskell National Bank, Cecil's, Sport-About, WTU, M-System and Modern Way.

#### Noah Project

The Noah Project-North Advisory Committee will hold a monthly meeting at the East Side Baptist Church Fri., Aug. 14 at noon. The meal is pot luck. The '98-99 fiscal year budget will be discussed.

#### Mexican dinner

The St. George Catholic mobile kitchen will be on the northwest corner of the square selling Mexican food Friday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Proceeds will benefit queen candidate Cynthia Abila.

#### Class panels

Members of the HHS senior class of 1998 who ordered Senior mini-panels (class pictures) and have not picked them up may do so in the high school office. The office is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

#### Immunizations

The Texas Dept. of Health in Stamford will hold an immunization clinic in Haskell Thurs., Aug. 20 at the American Legion Hall from 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m. For more information call 915-773-5681.

#### Anson musical

The Opera House in Anson will present the Third Saturday musical on Sat., Aug. 15. The country music show begins at 6:30 p.m. Admission is free. Concession sales and donations go toward Opera House projects. Contact Marlon Smith at 915-823-3761 to be on the program.

#### Sailplane contest set Aug. 15-16

The Texas Chiefs Model Airplane Club will sponsor a radio controlled model sailplane contest Sat., Aug. 15 and Sun., Aug. 16 at the Haskell Model Airport.

Events will be held for hand launch gliders, 2 meter and unlimited wingspan planes and a special class using only rudder and elevator for control.

The flying will start at 8:30 a.m. each day. Plaques will be awarded for 3 places in each event.

Visitors are welcome to attend the competition.

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**BREAKFAST MEETING**—Agriculture Commissioner, Rick Perry, candidate for Lt. Governor of Texas, was greeted by hometown friends, family and supporters last Wednesday morning. From

the left are Rudy Izzard, candidate for U.S. Representative, Perry, Don Comedy and Dr. Wayne Cadenhead. The Haskell fundraising reception was Perry's first stop on a six county bus tour.

## Rick Perry visits Haskell during bus tour

by Mary Kaigler  
Staff Writer

Haskell County native son, Rick Perry, candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Texas, brought his message of safer streets, the best schools in America and economic opportunity back to his home town last Wed., as part of his "Main Streets and Country Roads" bus tour through six West Texas counties.

At a 7:45 a.m. country breakfast with a large group of friends and supporters at the Bever's House Bed and Breakfast in Haskell, the Commissioner of Agriculture who is enjoying the support of grassroots Texans, including President George Bush, and is leading in the polls, said, "Improving public schools is my #1 priority; focusing on reading and phonics, back to basic subjects, raising academic standards, and rewarding great teachers."

Saying that Texas needs leaders who will work together based upon shared conservative values, Perry pledged, "As Lt. Governor I'll work with Governor Bush and legislators of both parties to make Texas a better, safer and more prosperous place for our children and

grandchildren."

Commissioner Perry's recently unveiled series of policy proposals include:

Best Schools in America Plan to improve public schools by focusing on early reading and phonics instruction, back to basics coursework, and high academic standards. The plan rewards specialized reading teachers with a state stipend of up to \$7,000.00 and encourages faith-based, law enforcement and volunteer organizations to offer on-campus after school activities to keep kids safe, learning and out of harm's way.

The Texas Business Improvement Plan encourages economic growth and job creation with small business tax cuts, regulatory reform and tort reform to crack down on frivolous and junk lawsuits.

The Street Terrorism Prevention Act fights gangs and juvenile crime by cracking down on gang recruitment, establishing a statewide gang-member database, to provide assistance to local prosecutors, police and gang-fighters.

## New employment practices discussed by Commissioners

New employment practices for county employees was the first subject for discussion and change at the Commissioner's Court meeting, Monday. Voting to put all new employees on a \$50.00 reduction instead of the usual \$100.00 salary reduction, the Court will help the new employee in the paying of the retirement fee that will now be taken out. After six months on the job, the employee's salary will increase in the amount of the \$50.00.

Sheriff Johnny Mills asked the Court to consider giving salary increases to jail employees working swings shifts nights, as this may help reduce the turnover in employees at the jail. No action was taken on the matter. Diana Simmons was hired as dispatcher.

TxDOT has made twenty, twenty-four feet long I-beams

available to the County if they pick them up north of Paducah. The beams will be picked up Aug. 11. The County plans to use them for bridges, etc.

Reporting that the track fire vehicle was used at a fire in the south east part of the County with good results, Commissioner Billy Wayne Hester inquired about getting a trailer for this vehicle.

Pct. 3 will put a stop sign on the county road by College Lake.

Pat Kittley was named Republican Alternate Election Judge for Box 6. General Election Judge was changed from F.A. Ulmer to Joe Clark.

Commissioners appointed Dale Bullinger, Larry McDaniels, and the County Agent to the Land Board.

Work on the elevator will begin this week with the installation of a fan and a fence by Pct. 1.

The Anti-Drunk Driving Plan lowers the blood alcohol content threshold to .08, requires mandatory jail time for DWI offenders, and stiffens penalties for repeat offenders.

A fifth generation Texan, Perry, 48, the son of Ray and Amelia Perry, grew up on their farm in Paint Creek. In 1968, the Eagle Scout left Haskell County to attend Texas A&M University. Graduating in 1972, he immediately joined the U. S. Air Force, serving as a C-130 pilot for four and a half years, earning the rank of Captain before

returning to join his father in the farming and ranching operation.

In 1984 Perry was elected to the Texas House of Representatives, and in 1990 he became the first agri-businessman to serve as Commissioner of Agriculture. In 1994 he was re-elected with 63% of the vote.

Perry and his wife Anita, daughter of Dr. Joe and 'Sister' Thigpen of Haskell, reside in Austin where their children, Griffin and Sydney attend public schools. They are members of the Tarrytown United Methodist Church.

## Holden-McCauley Funeral Home receives Golden Rule membership

Marc Robison, of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home in Haskell is pleased to announce his firm's acceptance into membership of the International Order of the Golden Rule (OGR).

Golden Rule Funeral Homes, which comprise the association's membership, are a select group of independently owned funeral service providers worldwide. In order to be accepted for membership, the applicant must establish and maintain the highest standards of quality service and ethical conduct.

"Being a part of OGR and sanctioned as a Golden Rule Funeral Home, identifies Holden-McCauley Funeral Home as a firm dedicated to reliability, fair pricing and dignified, caring service," according to OGR's director of communications, Frances S. Levy.

Marc Robison explains, "The Golden Rule affiliation gives consumers a way to identify their community's top-notch funeral home." "The application process is demanding," says Levy, "and it truly is an honor to be designated as a Golden Rule Funeral Home."

Golden Rule Funeral Homes adhere to the principle of the adage, "Service measured not by gold, but by the Golden Rule" has been the philosophy of the organization since its founding in 1928.

"Families often find that a Golden Rule Funeral Home does more than expected," she adds. "Its staff is extremely sensitive to the

family's emotional needs, expends every effort to accommodate the family's requests and can make funeral arrangements in a distant community, if that service is required."

On an average, only 22 funeral homes per state qualify for this distinguished award. Marc explained that "the staff at Holden-McCauley

## Indian schedule announced

Haskell CISD Athletic Director, Don Flippen has announced the 1998 Haskell Indian Football schedule as follows:

Varsity Football Schedule:

Aug. 22, Bangs-Lubbock Roosevelt, Varsity only, here, at 2:00 p.m.

Aug. 27, Jim Ned-Scrimmage, here, 6:00 p.m.

Sept. 4, Munday, here, 8:00 p.m.

Sept. 11, Anson, here, 8:00 p.m.

Sept. 18, Stamford, in Stamford, 8:00.

Sept. 25, Aspermont, here, 8:00 p.m.

Oct. 2, Cisco, here, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 9,\* Olney, at Olney, 7:30 p.m.

Oct.16,\* Archer City, here, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 23,\* Seymour, at Seymour, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 30,\* Holliday, at Holliday, 7:30 p.m.

Nov.6,\* Electra, here, 7:30 p.m.

7th, 8th, and JV Football Schedule:

Sept. 3, Stamford-Scrimmage, 7th and 8th here, 5:30 p.m.; Munday, JV only, at Munday, 5:30 p.m.

Sept. 10, Anson, 7th, 8th, JV, at Anson.

Sept. 17, Stamford, 7th, 8th, at Stamford, 5:00 p.m.; Stamford, JV Gold, JV Black, here 5:00 p.m.

Sept. 24, Aspermont, 7th, 8th, JV, (not available).

Oct. 1, Cisco, 7th, 8th, JV, at Cisco, 5:00 p.m.

Oct. 8,\* Olney, 7th, 8th, JV, here, 4:00 p.m.

Oct. 15,\* Archer City, 7th, 8th, JV, at Archer City, 4:00 p.m.

Oct. 22,\* Seymour, 7th, 8th, JV, here, 4:00 p.m.

Oct. 29,\* Holliday, 7th, 8th, JV, here, 4:00 p.m.

Nov. 5,\* Electra, 7th, 8th, JV, at Electra, 4:00 p.m.

\* Denotes District games.



MARC ROBISON

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# Applications for emergency farm loans now accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by drought, which occurred from June 1, 1997, through July 8, 1998 and continuing are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) office located in Haskell, Ag Credit Manager Larry P. McDaniel said recently.

Haskell County is one of 254 counties in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Dan Glickman eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the extreme fire hazard.

McDaniel said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue

in business or \$500,000, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 3.75 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan," McDaniel said. Farmers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

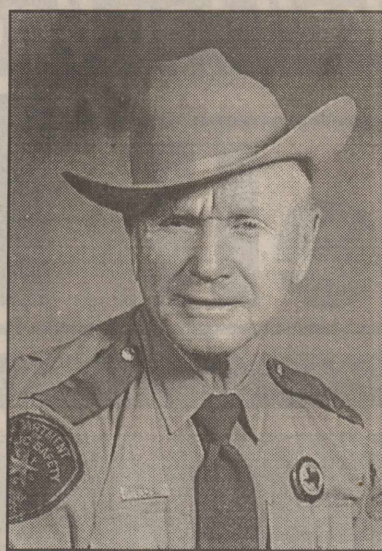
"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until March 23, 1999, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possibly over into the new farming season," McDaniel said.

FSA is a credit agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who are U. S. citizens and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U. S. citizens hold a majority interest.

The FSA office in Haskell is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Obituaries

### Frank P. Jircik, Sr.



FRANK P. JIRCIK, SR.

Funeral services for Frank P. Jircik, Sr., 80, retired Highway Patrol Sergeant and long time Haskell teenage baseball leader of Haskell, were held Tues., Aug. 11 at First Baptist Church with Rev. Jim Turner and Dr. Troy Culpepper officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors.

Jircik died Sat., Aug. 8 at Huguley Hospice House in Fort Worth.

Born Oct. 23, 1917 in Rosenberg, he was the son of Jaroslav and Elizabeth Jircik. At age 15 after the death of his father, he joined the Civilian Conservation Corps to help support

his mother and seven brothers and sisters. At age 18, he began working for Houston Power and Light. He married Bonnell Bailey of Calvert in Huntsville on July 4, 1939.

He joined the Department of Public Safety-Highway Patrol Division at age 23. His 39 years of service to the State of Texas was interrupted by service in the Navy during World War II. He was promoted to sergeant in 1957 and moved his family to Haskell. He was active in teenage athletics and directed the Haskell Teenage Baseball program from 1960-80. "Sarge" as he was affectionately known by his players, coached many teams to the State Teenage Championship Tournament. His "Warriors" team won a state championship in 1975. Trophies honoring this championship and others are on display at the Haskell County Courthouse.

He was an active member in the Freemasons, for years as a member of Masonic Lodge #862 in Haskell. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Haskell from 1957 until the time of his death. After his retirement from the DPS in 1980, he became a member of the Special Texas Rangers.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and two brothers, Johnnie and Jimmy Jircik.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Bonnie; daughter, Carol Hickman of Stamford; son, Dr. Frank Paul Jircik, Jr. of Fort Worth; foster son, Herbert E. Polgue of Pasadena; one brother, Jerry Jircik of Alvin; four sisters, Lilly Lindsey of Tulsa, Okla., Martha Ernst of Carlsbad, Calif., Marie Strahan of Long Beach, Calif., and Betty Coon of Pasadena; grandchildren, Jennifer Snider, Tom Hickman IV, Dallas Jircik Hickman, Courtney Ann Jircik and Justin Paul Jircik; two great-grandchildren Raegan Lynne Snider and Kelsey Nikole Hickman.

Pallbearers were Perry Turnbow, James Davis, Danny Wainscott, Jimmy Barrett, Charles Chapman, Joseph Thigpen, Sammy Larned and Nathan Frierson.

Honorary pallbearers were Rex Pittman, Mike Cook, Bobby Herren, Bill Cox, David Dodson, Dr. Frank Cadenhead, Dr. Joe Thigpen, Buford Cox, John Kimbrough, Wallace Cox, Raja Hassen, Sam Wester, Johnny Josselet and all of Sarge's former baseball players and Highway Patrolmen.

Memorials may be made to Fort Worth Academy Baseball Field, 7301 Dutch Branch Road, Fort Worth, TX 76132 or Scottish Rite Children Hospital, 2222 Wellborn, Dallas, TX 75219.

### Ray V. Oliphant

Funeral services for Ray V. Oliphant, 95, lifelong resident of Haskell, were held Mon., Aug. 10 at First Baptist Church with Rev. Roy Herricks officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Oliphant died Fri., Aug. 7 in a local hospital.

Born in Bell County in 1903, he was preceded in death by his wife, Willamet Johnson in Jan. 1989. He worked as a truck driver and in agri-

culture for many years. He was a member of First Baptist Church for 80 years, joining at the age of 10.

Survivors include two daughters, Sallie Camp of Colorado City and Jane Reeder of Clay Pool, Ariz.; one son, John F. Oliphant of Perris, Calif.; three sisters, Elsie McGee of Haskell, Bennie Ammons of Pampa and Nora Ammons of Brownfield; numerous nieces and nephews, 16 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren and 25 great great grandchildren.

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Rumor is that Neat Bevel (alias Granny B) is the target of a "Jailbreak" Sat., Aug. 15th, 1998. Some say the Gang has plans to celebrate her 86th birthday with birthday cake at 3 p.m. at the Haskell Bank Bldg. Party room. The Bevel Gang plans to be skulking around playing dominoes, singing gospel songs, and storytelling from noon til dark-thirty!

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## Mullins descendants hold family reunion

Over one hundred relatives registered at the first annual reunion of the descendants of the late William Johnson (Will or W. J.) Mullins and Bettie Ann Mullins, farmers of northern Haskell County. The Mullins Cousins Reunion was held July 5 in Lubbock at the Buddy Holly Park and Landsver Party House. A catered dinner and a silent auction were included in the day's activities.

The oldest cousin present was Mildred Davis Offutt of Weinert. The cousin coming the longest distance was Betty Strickland Lake from Novato, Calif.

Will and Bettie Mullins had twelve children. All are deceased.

Descendant of Nettie Mullins Smith who attended was Gwen Gilliam Campbell of Haskell.

Descendants of Margaret Mullins Davis Hood who attended were Mildred Offutt of Weinert, Judy and R. W. Anderson of Abilene, Wayne Offutt of Wichita Falls, Juanita Davis of Munday, Carolyn and J. B. Griffin of Abilene, Phyllis Ricker and her children Jamie, Stephen, Robin of Abilene, Jimmy and Gayle White and grandson Daniel Earle of Rochester, Rodney and Peggy Harmon of Ozona and Dan and Linda Bunton and children of Munday.

Alta Mullins Amonett's descendants were: Roy and Omitene Amonett of Haskell, Derinda Gentry of Clyde, Eldon and Brenda Amonett of Denver City, J. R. and Kay Rodriguez and children Dara and Erika of Abilene, Shana Hutton and children of Floydada.

Johnnie W. Mullins, Sr. descendants were: J. W. and Dorae Mullins of Lubbock, David and Jan Bloys of Shallowater, Amber Curry of Tahoka, John D. and Debi Hall and children Ellesa and Josh of Lubbock, Steve and Penny Reid and children Susan and Shannon of Lubbock, Royce and Wanda

Mullins of Lubbock, Justin Dupuis of Phoenix, Ariz., Royce Wayne and Lisa Mullins of Lubbock, Frank and Barbara Clarkson of Lubbock, Steve and Marilyn Clarkson and children Shaun and Kyle of Flower Mound, David and Cam Sanders and children Hayley and Heather of Longview, Jerry and Pam McCune and children Madison and Connor of Nacogdoches, Dalton and Dale Linton of Midland, John Linton and son Chris of Midland, Steve and Cindy Collins and children Zachary, Caitlin, and Joshua of Ft. Worth.

George W. Mullins, Sr. descendants were: G. W. and Bess Mullins, Jr. of San Antonio, Robbie Curry of Hobbs, N. M., Scott Curry of Lubbock and Shana Parker of Spur.

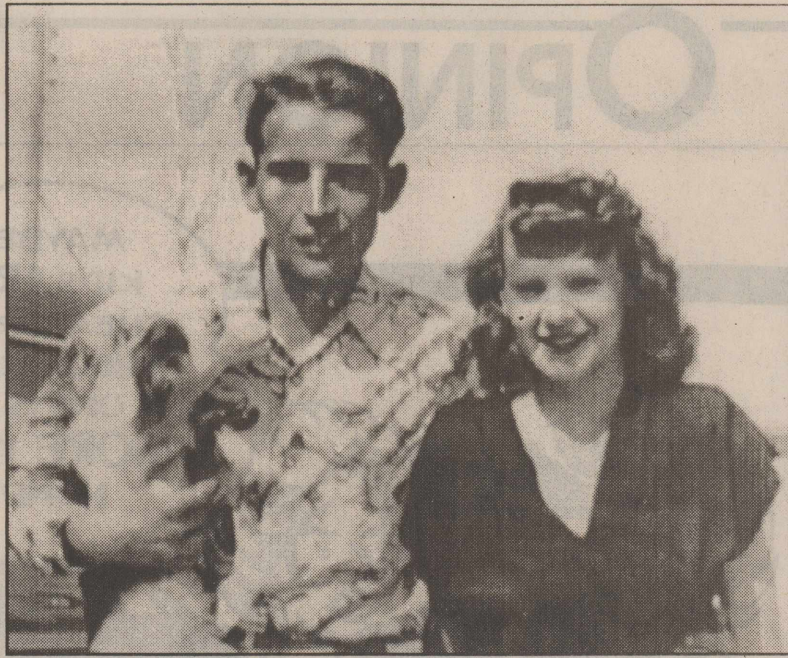
Alma Pack descendant was Harold Wallace Pack of San Angelo.

Jessie Amonett descendants were: Arvil Lee and Faye Campbell of Ralls, James and Arvella and children Whitney and Jason of Lubbock, Marjorie Reynolds and grandsons Bobby Gray and Dawn Massey of Lubbock, Gaylon Amonett of Lubbock, Marc and Cathy Amonett of San Angelo.

Louise Mullins Strickland descendants were: Patricia Nicholson of Lubbock, Betty Lake and grandson Brandon Scott of Novato, Calif. and Rogers, Ark., and Vicki Scott of Lubbock.

Other relatives and friends attending included: Milbert and Ladelite Opitz of Haskell, Betsy and Jodi Langford of Haskell, Gloria Welch of Houston, Elaine Baker of Alvin, Tom (Bud) Pennington of McAllen, Susie Caballero of Austin and Jennifer Harris of Midland.

Next year the Mullins Cousins Reunion will be in Haskell with Gwen Campbell and Faye Campbell serving as co-chairpersons.



MR. AND MRS. TRAVIS SANDERS

## Couple celebrates 50th wedding anniversary

The Weinert FCE Club met Aug. 4 in the Extension Office Kitchen.

A reading titled "Old Folks Are Worth A Fortune" and the minutes were presented by hostess, Estalynn Liles. Roll call was answered with "What do you do when you have unexpected guests at mealtime."

Zona Lentz, part owner of Plum Cute business, gave a very interesting and enjoyable program. Zona showed the members some different sampler variations and told how the business originated and how it had grown.

President Alice Yates stated the Weinert FCE Club calendars were a little bit late and should be in the

middle of Aug.

The Council report was given by Betty Sanders. Betty is Information Day Committee Chairman. Information Day is Sept. 23.

New officers for 1998-99 are President, Betty Sanders; Vice-President, Alice Yates; and Secretary-Treasurer, Kathryn Schonerstedt.

Betty Sanders and Myrtle Therwanger are hostesses for Sept. 1.

Members attending were Cordie Cunningham, Estalynn Liles, Henrietta Rueffer, Betty Sanders, Kathryn Schonerstedt and Alice Yates.

## Weinert FCE Club names new officers

Travis and Wilma Sanders of Coleman were married Aug. 23, 1948. Saturday, Aug. 8, they celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary in the Concho Baptist Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Sanders is the former Ruthie Wilma Strickland, daughter of the late Ab and Bessie Strickland of Rochester. Mr. Travis parents were the late Jack and Sallie Sanders of Weinert.

Making Weinert their home for the first few years of their marriage, the Sanders have also lived in Odessa, Lubbock, Arlington and Cross Plains before moving to

Coleman where they operate a new and used furniture business. They are active members of the Concho Baptist Church in Coleman.

They were honored with the reception by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Glenn Sanders, Bryan and Patricia of Fort Worth, Brent and Yvonne Key, Jeffery Key, Shawn and Karen Ellis of Cross Plains, and Darrell and Sunday Sanders, Texas Marie and Phoenix Quinn of Coleman.

Many members of both their families, church family and other friends joined them for the celebration.

## Reception honors anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mullins, Jr. of Lubbock celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary July 19 with a reception at their home. Their children and grandchildren hosted the event. They are the parents of Janice and David Bloys, Debi and John Dee Hall and Penny and Steve Reid, all of Lubbock. Mullins and the former Dorae Tankersley were

married July 21, 1948 in Lueders. They have 12 grandchildren.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Mullins attended schools in Rule, J. W. graduated from Haskell High School in 1944. Dorae is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason of Rule and J. W. is the son of the late Johnnie and Lorene Mullins of Haskell.

## Around Town

By Joyce Hawkins

Darwin and Ethel Slade of Eager, Arizona, Walter and Sue Cox of Naples and Kenneth and Elaine Campbell of Haskell visited with Lona Mae Phelps Fri. night. Darwin and Ethel Slade, Walter and Sue Cox, Lona Mae Phelps, Elaine Campbell and Karen Mitchell all went to Coleman on Sat. for the 50th anniversary celebration of Travis and Wilma Sanders. After the celebration Darwin and Ethel Slade of Eager, Arizona returned home after an extended visit in Texas with all of Ethel's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Barton along with Erma Liles went to Mineral Wells on Sun. where they met the Barton's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kip Derrick of Ft. Worth and

granddaughter Christy Walton of Kansas City, Missouri. They had lunch and a good visit and made plans for a trip to visit Christy and husband Brian in Sept. Kirk and Tiffany and children Cody and Alex Derrick of Ft. Worth also were in Mineral Wells to visit grandparents Paris and Fannie Mae Barton.

Lynn Gray of Grapeland spent the weekend with parents Mr. and Mrs. George Gray. The Gray's daughter Judy Hick of Abilene and Woody and Georgia Turnbow of Weinert visited on Sat. and Sun. evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gray and Mrs. Feeby spent some time visiting with Lynn and George and Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shaw visited his mother, Bertie Shaw, in Burnet recently.

## Johnny Medford entertains society

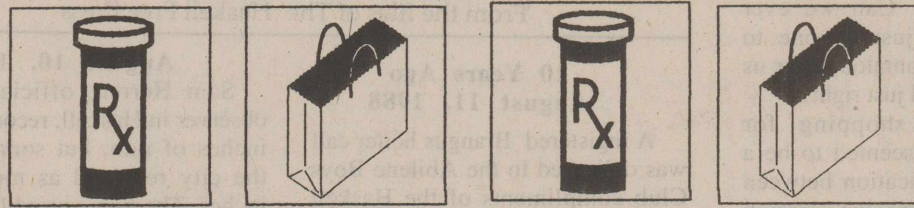
The Haskell County Historical and Genealogical Society held its regular monthly meeting on Aug. 3 at the First National Bank Community Room.

A business meeting was conducted in which upcoming calendar sales were discussed.

After the business meeting, award winning writer, Johnny Medford, read some of his poetry. His selections for the night were mostly of a historical Texas nature.

Present were Johnny and Joan Medford, Wanda Ham, Eula and Lowell Peters, Dolin Hughes, Jerri Buerger, Ernestine C. Herren, Jim and Wanda Irby, Maxine Miller, Ola Mae Lisle, June White, H. tense Lees, Patsy Pate Cobb, Angela Jordan, Birdie Benford, Susie Mae Jackson, Mae Lou Yeldell and Ruby Holt.

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# OPINION

State Capital



## HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

A record number of Texas school districts and campuses earned an exemplary rating—the highest rating possible—from the state's accountability system, Education Commissioner Mike Moses announced last week.

Fifteen percent, or 1,042 of the state's 6,654 public school campuses, were rated exemplary based on their performance in the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills test given last spring. Last year, 683 campuses received the top rating.

To earn an exemplary rating this year, at least 90 percent of all the students and each student group (black, Hispanic, white or economically disadvantaged) had to pass the reading, writing and mathematics sections of the TAAS test.

A dropout rate of less than 1 percent for all students and each student group and an attendance rate of at least 94 percent were also required.

The number of low-performing campuses also hit a record low, even though more stringent performance standards are in place. Sixty schools (less than 1 percent) were rated as low-performing.

"We raised the bar for Texas schools again this year," said Moses. "They not only met the challenge, most exceeded it. The ratings show the strong improvement that is occurring in Texas public schools."

Accountability ratings are based on the percentage of students passing the reading, writing and mathematics sections of the TAAS examination, the dropout rate and attendance rate.

Districts can earn one of four ratings: exemplary, recognized, academically acceptable and academically unacceptable.

Some districts with year-round education programs will not receive their ratings until Sept. 1.

Along with rating traditional public schools, the system was broadened this year to include charter schools.

Of the 10 charter school campuses rated, one achieved recognized status, seven earned an acceptable rating and two were rated low-performing.

### AG Signs Tobacco Suit Papers

Attorney General Dan Morales on July 24 signed the final documents in Texas' \$17.3 billion settlement with the tobacco industry.

"We now have the ability to dramatically improve the health care of Texans, especially our uninsured

children, for decades to come," Morales said.

The documents were forwarded to the federal court in Texarkana. Thirty days after approval by the court, nearly \$400 million in initial payments will be deposited in the state treasury. Thereafter, yearly payments will then be made to the state treasury.

Texas recently won an additional \$2.28 billion in follow-up negotiations with the tobacco industry, as a result of a provision in the original settlement allowing enhancement of the Texas deal if other states obtain more favorable terms. The Minnesota settlement opened the door for Texas to renegotiate.

The additional money is to be distributed to Texas counties and hospital districts for costs associated with indigent health care.

Morales also announced the resolution of objections by Gov. George W. Bush and seven legislators to the contingency fee to be paid to the state's private counsel by the tobacco industry.

"This ends the war over the spoils of war," Morales said.

### 2nd Meningitis Death Reported

Two children have now died this summer from a rare and dangerous form of meningitis.

A 10-year-old boy's death last week prompted the Texas Department of Health to issue a renewed warning about swimming in lakes, rivers and stagnant water.

The amoeba that causes the infection, *Naegleria fowleri*, thrives in fresh water when temperatures are high, usually above 80 degrees.

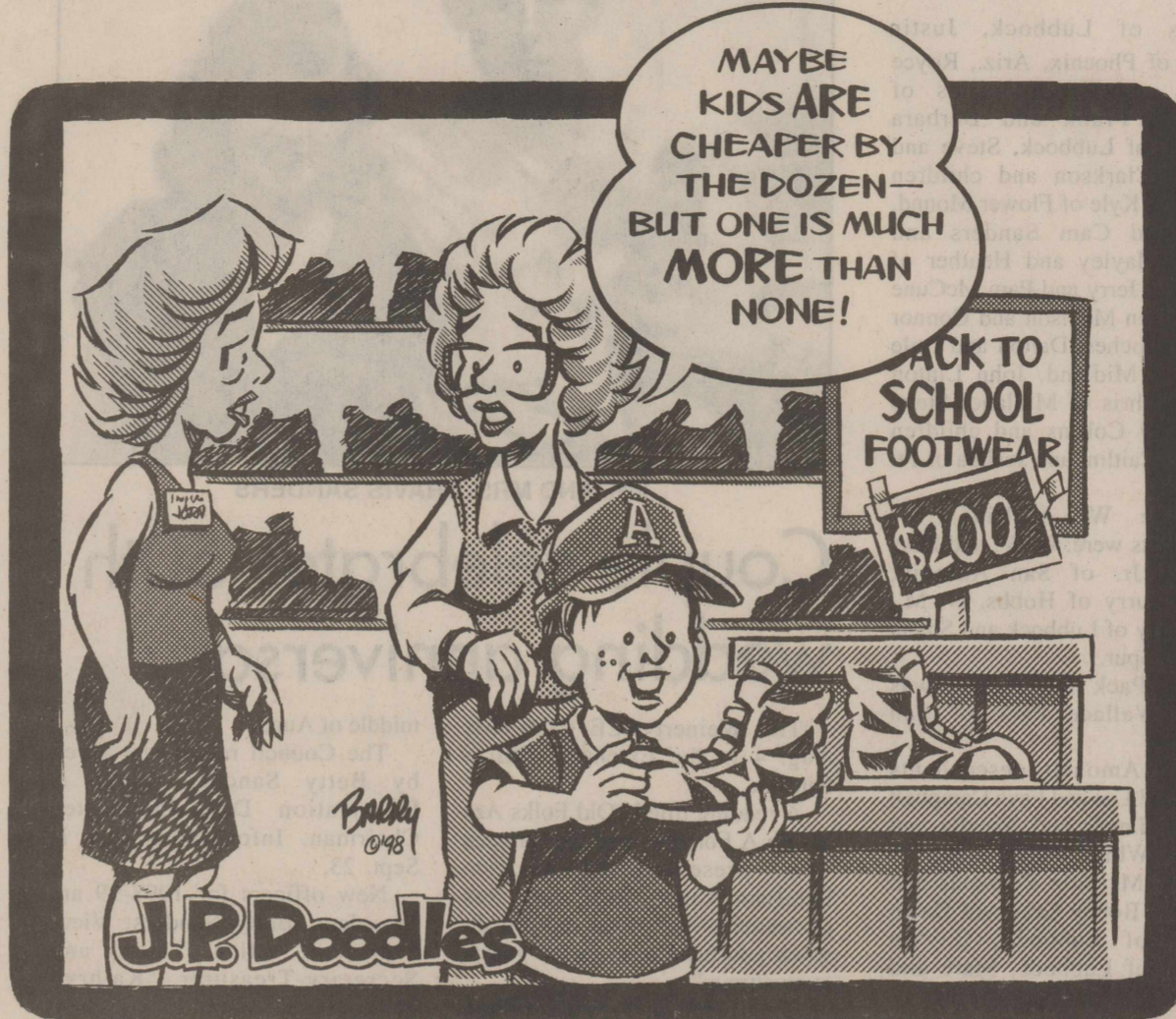
Swimming pools properly cleaned, maintained and treated with chlorine generally are safe, as is salt water.

In addition, TDH recommends that people never swim in stagnant or polluted water and that people hold their nose or use plugs when jumping into lakes, rivers, ponds or other bodies of fresh water.

### Other Capital Highlights

•Texas Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer's office has mailed about 500 letters to known Holocaust survivors in Texas, inviting them to give information that could lead to claims. This is part of an international effort to identify and compensate victims of Nazi financial chicanery, *The Dallas Morning News* reported.

•Democratic gubernatorial candidate Garry Mauro last week said 49 Hispanic mayors have endorsed him, but the Texas Poll shows 67 percent of Hispanics favor incumbent Republican Gov. Bush while 20 percent favor Mauro.



## From The Inside Out

By Mary Kaigler

"Kiss your mall good-bye" was the theme of a recent series of articles in *Time Magazine*, based on the growing popularity of on-line computer shopping via the Internet. The new technology that is bringing the ability to "click till you drop," buying everything "faster, cheaper and better," is being touted as the new cybercommerce predicted to completely change the way we buy and sell. Citing that the Internet has become a "shopper's paradise," stocked with everything from "wine to cars," they conclude that, "Business will never be the same."

Pointing to the time and energy saved by it for other pursuits, "the real promise of all of this change is that it will enrich all of us...with the ability to get whatever we want, when we want," the writers said. They call the trend a radical reshaping of the consumer culture, comparable to the revolution created by shopping malls in the 1970s and '80s.

Well maybe. While perhaps being, as they say, great for making reservations, ordering books, CDs, cars (Volkswagens), and perfumes, —to one whose personal computer is not yet on-line with the Internet, such things as automated grocery shopping seem a bit impersonal and far from being interesting. Although, it does raise some interesting (if trivial) thoughts. Can we ever relax to trusting just anyone to smell out a good cantaloupe for us or squeeze the bread just right?

Traditionally, shopping for goods has always seemed to be a matter of communication between individuals and groups; the occasion for exchange of information and interaction between human beings. We may not feel inclined to be too hasty in giving up that aspect of consumerism.

Raised on a remote farm in Bell County, my mother told wonderful

stories about her childhood joy at the arrival of the "peddler" who came by with his wagon every few months. Barking dogs and squealing children heralded the dusty clatter as he came down their road. Adults hurried to greet him, welcoming his company even more than the bolts of calico, needles and milking stools piled in his wagon. Buying and bartering and "feeling the goods," they also visited, heard news and ideas. She told of how he would stay for several days and how she and her family loved to sit by the fire late into those nights listening to his tales, gossip and news from the other side of the mountain and beyond.

I remember, in my childhood, the large group of women of German descent in Abernathy who came to town each Saturday afternoon, sitting for hours in a warm, close circle in Struve Mercantile, happily visting with each other during their weekly shopping trip to town.

Today, the malls in larger places are a popular gathering place for much more than just shopping by teen-agers, families and others having interests in common. In the Glendale, California, Galleria I've seen groups of Armenian women enjoying being together as they

shop for their families; moving along in groups, comparing prices and purchases with one another. Clearly, it was more to them than just going out to buy something.

My, how times have changed. Tradition gives way to post-modernism, for better or for worse. Today, thanks to technology, we may hear and know more about what is going on in the world than we want to know, and we may not feel the same need to communicate as folks once did when they were isolated from one another. Are we now, in our busy, fast-lane lives, seeking a bit of isolation from a world that is too much with us, by shopping from our own homes?

At the risk of sounding like the early doubters who said, "get a horse" when the first automobiles came struggling down the muddy backroads, I don't think cyber-shopping will ever completely replace our need for the hands-on, tactile pleasure of "feeling the goods." Even catalog shopping, which was once such a boon to those living in places where stores were inaccessible, hasn't replaced it.

Okay, I can see a book, record or reservation might be convenient to order on the Net. But, buy a Volkswagon without even kicking a tire? No way dot com.

## From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

### 10 Years Ago August 11, 1988

A registered Brangus heifer calf was delivered to the Abilene Boys Club compliments of the Haskell Kiwanis Club.

Andy Gannaway has been chosen by the National Cotton Council's industry-wide selection committee to participate in the 1988-89 Cotton Leadership Program.

### 20 Years Ago

### August 10, 1978

Sam Herren, official weather observer in Haskell, recorded 15.65 inches of rain, but some parts of the city received as much as 18 inches. The rain caused flooding to some extent in almost all parts of the city.

### 30 Years Ago August 8, 1968

Haskell High students, Rhonda Woodard, Janice Medford and Jim Kemp, attend the High School Drama Workshop at Texas Tech.

### 40 Years Ago August 7, 1958

J. E. Kittley of Rule estimated that hail ruined about 75 percent of his cotton crop.

The Haskell County Hospital School of Vocational Nursing held its capping ceremony at East Side Baptist Church with ten students receiving their caps.

### 50 Years Ago August 12, 1948

The local girls softball team defeated the Knox City team on the local field by a score of 7 to 3. Thirteen Boy Scouts from Troop 36 have spent six days at Camp Tonkawa.

J. E. Walling, Jr. buys Haskell Butane Company.

### 80 Years Ago August 1918

Haskell Bottling Works is now making ice cream and other products using pure strained honey in an effort to conserve sugar. The residence of C. W. Goodwin was destroyed by fire.

## Food for thought

by Charles H. Spurgeon  
"Beloved, now we are children of God and it has not appeared as yet what we shall be. We know that, when He appears, we shall see Him just as He is. And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure."

1 John 3:2, 3

As children of the sinful first Adam, we were obstinate and ornery, helpless and hopeless, with nothing in ourselves to commend us to God. But God's love overruled our unloveliness. Through Christ God provided a way for us into His family. As God's adopted child, you have been given a new identity and a new name. You're no longer a spiritual orphan; you're a son or daughter of God. Romans 8:16, 17 tells us "The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God and if children, heirs also, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ."

If you're beginning to think you are some one special as a Christian, you're thinking right—you are special! Your specialness is not the result of anything you have done, of course. It's all God's doing. All you did was respond to God's invitation to be His child. But as a child of God, in union with God by being in Christ, you have every right to enjoy your special relationship with your new Father.

How important is it to know who you are in Christ? There are countless numbers of Christians who struggle with day-to-day behavior because they labor under a false perception of who they are. They see themselves as sinners who hope to make it into heaven by God's grace, but they can't seem to live above their sinful tendencies. Why can't they live the victorious Christian life? Because they have a misperception of who they are in Christ.

But look again at the hope-filled words of 1 John 3:2, 3. What is the believer's hope? That he will someday be changed into Christ's image? That's part of it, but that's only a future hope. What is your hope for today and tomorrow? That you're a child of God now! You must see yourself as a child of God in order to live like a child of God. The blessed hope for the believer is "Christ in you, the hope of glory" (Colossians 1:27).

Thank you, Father, for the glorious hope of being Your child. I want to live in the security and blessing of that reality today.

## Correction

A report in last week's paper of the Commissioner's Court discussion about the water district election should have stated the following: Such a district is important for the local counties to control use of underground water.

## Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses issued in July by Rhonda Moeller, Haskell Co. Clerk include:

Bradley Don Sanders and Sarah Leonara Gibbs, both of Haskell.

Micheal Shawn Jordan and Samantha Nicole Powell, both of Haskell.

Michel L. McDonald and Sharron Wells Hilton, both of Haskell.

Wayne Anthony Henderson and Alicia Reena Walker, both of Haskell.

## Hospital

### Admissions

Edwin Elmore, Rule  
Stephen Bracken, Munday  
Jackie Sonnemaker, Haskell  
Sterling Lewis, Knox City

### Dismissals

Alice Lowrance, Edna Kitchens,  
Lonelle McCandless, Ellen Miller

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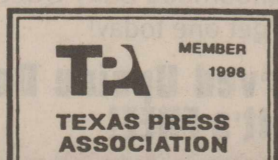
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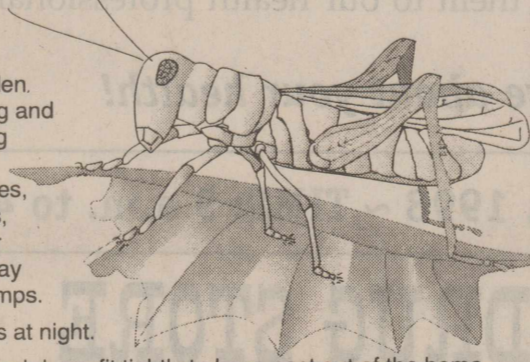
## Keeping an eye on Texas

### Bumper crop of grasshoppers, crickets munch crops and gardens

Entomologists say a mild winter and dry spring are to blame for the booming population of grasshoppers and crickets that are devouring everything from front-yard flowers to cotton fields and peach orchards. Some parts of Texas will see as many as 80 insects per square yard, far more than in an average year.

#### Grasshopper and cricket control

1. Clean yard and garden. areas to reduce feeding and breeding sites, including destroying weeds and vegetation around homes, removing piles of bricks, stones, wood and other debris where insects may hide, cleaning trash dumps.
2. Turn off outside lights at night.
3. Make sure screens and doors fit tightly to keep pest out of the home.
4. Apply a border of insecticide, 20 feet wide, around the home next to the foundation and around doorways. Follow label directions carefully.



SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, and Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

# Craig Cunningham completes scout project

by Mary Kaigler

Fulfilling the last requirement needed for achieving Scouting's highest rank of Eagle Scout, sixteen-year-old Boy Scout, Craig Cunningham, son of Larry and Marijane Cunningham, has spent a busy summer working on an extensive community service leadership project.

Early in the spring, after looking into the possibilities, and considering suggestions of interested others, including his maternal grandmother, Jane McAdoo, he chose and got permission to beautify and make more usable the open courtyard of

his home church, Haskell First United Methodist. Through careful, thoughtful planning and execution of the daunting project, the area has been turned into a pleasing, user-friendly, park-like outdoor patio.

Partially surrounded by the buildings on four sides, it is located immediately outside the back door of the Fellowship Hall and doors opening from classrooms of the Children's Annex building. It could be described as an outdoor anteroom extension to both buildings.

The plan began by finding a suitable way to camouflage the large, dominating air conditioning

units serving the churches' main buildings. Choosing a material that would be both durable and practical in letting air flow to the units, Craig and his team of helpers constructed an attractive white lattice-work style fence of durable, high-density composition plastic strips.

After his careful planning, measuring and ordering, he and several helpers, including fellow scouts of Troop 136, family members and Scout Master Kenneth Patton, assembled and installed around the perimeter of the area, three wood and iron park benches, two wood and iron picnic tables with benches, and new, sturdy iron handrails on steps leading from the Fellowship Hall.

Around a pine tree already growing in the center of the open patio, three curved, stone benches were placed after being assembled. Three large cement urns were interspersed between the ornate benches circling the tree. Craig said he plans for flowers and plants to be added to them seasonally, and on special occasions. A decorative birdbath was placed in the circular bed of ground cover around the tree.

Last week, as a final, perhaps very fitting touch, a charming, steepled, white "church house" bird house was suspended by a chain from a tree branch above the birdbath.

Already being enjoyed as a pleasant little oasis spot by Sunday School students crossing over to church services after classes, the area is planned to be used for picnics, outdoor class settings, group gatherings and handling overflow from church dinners inside.

One hundred and ten hours were spent in completing the project, with all of the money spent coming from donations from interested friends and family.

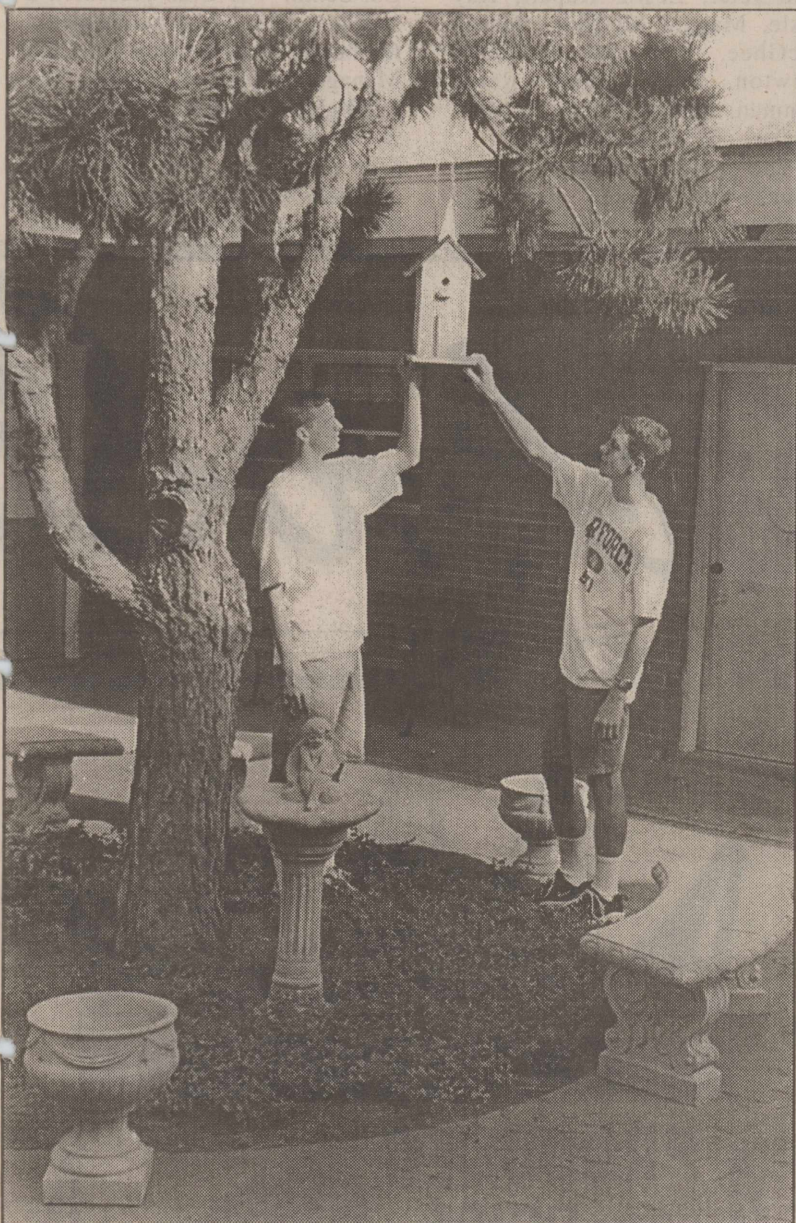
Along with this scouting project, and working at The Drug Store, Craig spent two weeks of this summer on tour with "Spirit Wind", a popular, trained singing group of about 160 youths who travel and sing in concert each summer, sponsored by the Methodist Northwest Conference.

A Haskell High School junior student, six-foot-tall Craig is also actively involved in basketball and

running hurdles. He is a member of the band, the National Honor Society, Student Council, and is active in his church youth group.

With only his required documented paper work now left to be completed and sent to Washington, D. C., for official validation, Craig can soon look forward to receiving his Eagle Scout rank after passing the Scout Board of Review.

This quiet spoken, young American Eagle, of whom the whole community can be proud, says that he will be very pleased if he can have his Court of Honor conducted in the newly created atmosphere of the little courtyard at his church, which has been a Chartering Organization for scouts in Haskell for over sixty years.



SCOUT PROJECT—Boy Scout, Craig Cunningham, left, assisted by Eagle Scout, Kevin Patton, examines the birdhouse hung as part of his recently completed Community Service Leadership project to attain the rank of Eagle Scout.

## Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 1402 head of cattle at its sale on Saturday, Aug. 8, according to Gary Tate, reporter.

Fully steady to \$2 higher on all calves and yearlings. Bred cows and pairs \$25 to \$50 higher; packer cows \$1 to \$2 lower. 100 pairs consigned for next week.

Cows: fat, .28-.34; cutters, .28-.34; canners, .20-.35.

Bulls: bologna, .40-.47; feeder, .55-.65; utility, .35-.55.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .80-1.05; 300-400 lbs., .70-.95; 400-500 lbs., .65-.90; 500-600 lbs., .62-.75; 600-700 lbs., .60-.74; 700-800 lbs., .60-.6850; 800-up lbs., .55-.65.

Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., .70-.85; 300-400 lbs., .65-.75; 400-500 lbs., .58-.74; 500-600 lbs., .50-.7250; 600-up lbs., .45-.6850.

Bred Cows: young to middle aged, 350-485; aged or small, 250-350.

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 500-650; aged or small, 350-500.

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# Brittany Bartley, Brandy Gardner receive Gold Star awards

by Greg Kaase  
Haskell Co. Extension Agent  
Haskell County 4-H'ers, parents and guests attended the 1997-98 Haskell County 4-H Awards Banquet Sun., Aug. 9, at the Rochester ISD Cafeteria. A total of 124 4-H'ers and guests attended this special event. J. J. Comedy, president of the Haskell County Senior 4-H Club, served as Mistress of Ceremonies. After J. J. welcomed the audience, Amanda Crawford led the invocation.

Brandy Gardner then led the Pledge of Allegiance and 4-H Motto and Pledge. Ross Bullinger introduced several special guests including County Judge David Davis and his wife, Louetta, and Rep. Charles Fimmel of the 68th House District. Paige Hagadone introduced the entertainment throughout the afternoon. Entertainment included 4-H skits presented by the Rule, Rochester, Haskell Jr. and Haskell Sr. 4-H Clubs.

Presentation of member awards

were distributed by Brittany Bartley, Susan Cockerell, Renee Dudensing and Lynette Tribbey. A total of 41 awards were distributed to 4-H members at this time. These members included: Beef Award—Brittany Bartley, Chambray Bartley, Mindy Howard, Rusty Howard, Amy Turner and Mary Belle Turner. Clothing Award—Salomae Arebalos, Mark Arrendondo, Brandy Gardner, Emery Dudensing, Ashley Lisle, Mykel McGhee, Miranda Robertson, Selina Salinas, Callie Thomasson and Tasha Zarate. Horse Award—Landon Terry and Levi Terry. Leadership Award—J. J. Comedy. Photography Award—Chase Cockerell, Tabitha Coker, Abby Dudensing, Katie Thompson and Derrick Tribbey. Poultry Award—MacKenzie Miller. Rabbit Award—Robbyn Tribbey. Sheep Award—Ross Bullinger, B. J. Opsahl and Hattie Walton. Swine Award—Amber Bingham, Jonathan Hisey, Kortney Kupatt, Tara Lisle,

Cliff McGuire, Kyle Michaels, Kerri Newton, Ross Short, Laci Standefer, Laci Townsend and Tandi Townsend.

Debra Bartley distributed the Record Book trophies. These went to Brittany Bartley, Chambray Bartley, Chase Cockerell, Abby Dudensing, Emery Dudensing and Brandy Gardner. Next in the program was the Volunteer Recognition. Tabitha Coker and Selina Salinas distributed certificates of appreciation to both adult and junior leaders. B. J. Opsahl, Cara Thomasson, Mindy Howard and Martha Wolsch assisted. The following are a list of adult leaders that were recognized: 20 Years—Kim Crawford, 14 Years—Doy Jeter, 12 Years—James Bevel and Kay Smith, 11 Years—Nene Comedy and Abby Salinas, 10 Years—Christie Stapleton, 9 Years—Darlene Walton, 8 Years—Renee Dudensing, 7 Years—Debra Bartley, Dale Bullinger, Sharee Gardner, Joey Kimbrough and Jane

Smith, 6 Years—Joetta Burnett, Duane Gilly, Dalyn Griffith, Debbie Miller, Charlotte Peiser, Karen Smart, Leland Terry, Rod Townsend and Velvet Townsend, 5 Years—Greg Brister, Gwendolyn Ejem, Paula Everett, Karleece Nowlin, Ellen Rieger, Wanda Thompson and JoNell Trammell, 4 Years—Michael Bartley, Valiene Bullinger, Judi Chapman and Tammy Parham, 3 Years—Glenn Brzozowski, Michelle Dunnam, Janie Lopez and Lena Tidwell, 2 Years—Debbie Brister, Susan Cockerell, Kenny Cockerell, Roland Gardner, Sid Smart, Cara Thomasson and Lynette Tribbey, 1 Year—Nancy Adkins, Ann Brumley, Rod Jeter, Leslie Kupatt, Kay Lisle, Maggie McGhee, Sharon McGhee, Jean Meier, Fonda Newton, Bart Parham, Reid Penman, Melisa Robison, Mark Wallace and Martha Wolsch.

The junior volunteers are: 6 Years—Amy Burson and Kaki Stapleton; 5 Years—Vanessa Miller

and Anna Rieger; 4 Years—Jim Crawford, Turner Frierson and Landon Terry; 3 Years—Shannon Jordan, Nicky McCulloch and Josh New; 2 Years—Brittany Bartley, J. J. Comedy, Brandy Gardner and Selina Salinas; 1 Year—Amanda Crawford and Levi Terry.

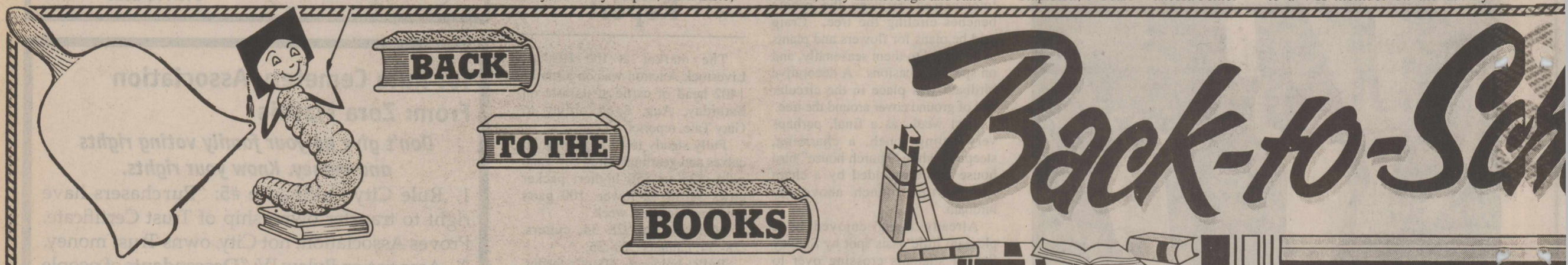
The Friend of 4-H Award was presented by Lou Gilly, CEA-FCS to the Haskell FCE Club members. Lena Tidwell accepted this award on their behalf. The Outstanding 4-H Leader Award was presented to Leland Terry and the Outstanding 4-H Family Award was given to the Max Stapleton family.

Debbie Brister and the Haskell Co. Senior 4-H Club presented a special award to Christie Stapleton for her years of service as a Club Manager in Haskell county. The highlight of the program followed, by the announcement of the Gold Star Award. The Gold Star Award is the highest award given to a 4-H member on the county

## Livestock entries for State Fair due Friday, August 21

by Greg Kaase  
Haskell Co. Extension Agent  
Haskell County 4-H livestock exhibitors wishing to exhibit their 4-H project(s) at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas will need to fill out entry forms by Fri., Aug. 21, 1998.

Call the Haskell County Extension Office to set up an appointment with Greg Kaase, County Extension Agent-Ag. If you have any questions, please contact the Haskell County Extension Office at (940) 864-2658.



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# during 4-H awards banquet

level. Two Haskell county 4-H members received this prestigious award. They were Brittany Bartley and Brandy Gardner, both of Haskell.

4-H Club Display tables were also set-up in the cafeteria to promote each club's 4-H members and activities for this past year. The display tables were judged and Levi Terry announced the results. The Haskell Senior 4-H Club won

a new 4-H Club Meeting Kit for having the best 4-H display table.

Thank yous were also given by J. J. Comedy to the Bartley family, Greg Brister and Roland Gardner for donating supplies, building and painting a sign which will welcome motorists to Haskell county. This sign was also on display at the time of the banquet. Door prizes were then distributed to 4-H'ers at the conclusion of the

banquet. We would like to thank the following families and businesses for their donations: Sport-About, Debbie and Greg Brister, Michael and Debra Bartley, Texaco Star Stop-Robert Tribbey and The Drug Store. Velvet Townsend gave closing remarks and invited everyone to stay for sandwiches and homemade desserts and ice cream.

The year's 4-H Awards Banquet would not have been possible without the support of our sponsors. Sponsors include Farmers National Bank-Rule, Home State Bank-Rochester, Rolling Plains Production Credit Association-Stamford; and from Haskell-Federal Land Bank Association, First American Bank, First National Bank and Haskell National Bank.

Congratulations to all these 4-H'ers and a special thank you to the leaders, parents and supporters of the Haskell County 4-H program.



**GOLD STARS**-Brittany Bartley and Brandy Gardner were recognized as the two Haskell County Gold Star recipients during the annual Haskell County 4-H Awards Program held in Rochester, August 9. From the left are State Representative Charles Finnell, Bartley, Gardner, Lou Gilly, County Extension Agent-FCS, and Greg Kaase, County Extension Agent-Ag.

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# Sagerton News

By Dorothy M. Clark

We all feel a little bit better after having a few days of cooler weather and a sprinkle of rain. Your correspondent feels much better today than she did fifty-two years ago when she was in the hospital having her first baby! Happy Birthday, Patsy!

We are happy to welcome another new family to Sagerton. The Perezs have moved here from Ft. Worth and have purchased the house that most of us remember as the Fritz and Henrietta Stegemoeller home. Frances Clark recently purchased the property and has done extensive remodeling. We are happy to have the Perez family among us and hope that they will soon feel like one of us. Their family is Fidencio and Nancy with children: Vanessa, Joshua, Jacob and Michael. Vanessa, Joshua and Jacob will be attending school in Rule. Welcome to Sagerton!

Leslie and Kay Baitz and two of their granddaughters, Barbara and Deborah Linden of Leander, visited recently with Melvin and Annela Baitz and Billy and Margie Hertel. While here, they also visited with Emma Raphael of Stamford.

The Alvin Ulmers have returned from a short vacation to cool Meeker, Colorado where they visited with their daughter, Jana and Keith Whitaker and their grandson, Kyle and Sherry Whitaker of Thornton, Colorado. A highlight of their trip included a guided tour of a chicken farm in Plattsville, Colorado belonging to Sherry's parents. The farm housed one million, two hundred thousand laying hens and was all operated by automation. The Ulmers reported that it was so nice and clean, very well organized and even the manure was harvested for fertilizer. All products from the farm were marketed. It was quite a different sight from the "chicken houses" we read around here in our earlier farming days.

Kyle and James Wilhite of Abilene visited in the home of Wilma Teichelman last week.

Visitors in the home of Mary Neinast last weekend included Betsy and Laura Kate Neinast of Emory and Roy, Judy, Daryl, Doug and Dustin McEwen of Ralls. The McEwens are spending some time with Mary as they await their move to the Abilene area. Roy will be teaching at Clark Middle School in Abilene this coming season.

Dahlia Perkins and Lois Peel of West Columbia have been visiting with their mother, Freida Knipling and with the Toney's. Also visiting the Toney's last Sun. were Jon,

Renee and Josh McAden of Abilene.

The monthly community supper was held at the center last Tues. night with Jack and Peggy Tabor and Charles and Dorothy Clark hosts. Sandwiches and delicious watermelons were enjoyed by a large crowd including: Clancey and Helen Lehmann, Alvin and Alice Bredthauer, J. J. Gellner, Alvin and Ev Ulmer, Mary Neinast, Leslie, Kortney and Kymbre Kupatt, Jaydee MacGregor of Hamlin, Tarah, Clay, Megan and Michelle Toney, Bill and Margie Hertel, John and Sue Guinn, J. B. and Dorothy Toney, G. W. and Ophelia LeFevre, Odene Dudensing, Jill, Cade, Kinsey and Tully Brown, Frances Clark, Lynn Dale, Renee, Molly, Jenny, Abby and Emory Dudensing, Wilma Teichelman, Pastor Jeff Zell and Marie Zell, Joe and Dorothy Clark, Helen, Danny, Brittany and Paige Lammert, Steve, Karen, Brian, M'Lynn and Joanna Lehmann. Because of the Labor Day weekend, the next meeting will be held the second Tues. in September instead of the first Tues. Mark your calendars for Sept. 8 at 6:30. Everyone is asked to bring a dessert.

Brandi Baker, daughter of Ken Brown, was married to Patrick Roberson Sat. night, Aug. 1, at the First Baptist Church in Stamford. Mr. Roberson's home is in Alabama and he is stationed in Shreveport, Louisiana with the U. S. Air Force. The couple will be living there following their honeymoon. A reception and dance was held at the Sagerton Community Center with over 100 guests in attendance. Best wishes to the newlyweds!

Sagerton's eldest resident, Mrs. M. Y. Benton, celebrated her 96th birthday on Aug. 4. She was given special recognition at the Marr Family Reunion the weekend before and was treated to breakfast "out" with family members including Charles and Dorothy Clark, Bob and Tommye Jo Clark of McAllen, Kyle and Jennifer Clark of California and Judson Clark of Lubbock. The community wishes Mrs. Benton a belated "Happy Birthday" and healthy years in the future.

Cliff Gholson of Rochester was the honoree for an 80th birthday party Sat. hosted by his wife, Clara. Sagerton people attending included Joe and Dorothy Clark, Delbert and Joyce LeFevre, Charles and Dorothy Clark, Charles and Helen Diers, Frances Clark, Odene Dudensing, Jack Jones of Old Glory and Garrett and Martha

Spitzer of Haskell. Cliff's three sisters and a brother and his son, daughter-in-law and grandson also attended the party. The refreshment table featured the birthday cake and a western motif. The birthday song was sung as other friends and relatives joined in the celebration.

Clancey and Helen Lehmann, Joe and Dorothy Clark and Mae Stegemoeller were in Abilene Sat. night for the U. S. Marine Corp Battle Color Detachment consisting of the U. S. Marine Drum and Bugle Corp, the Silent Drill Platoon and the Marine Corps Color Guard held at Shotwell Stadium. The more than 80 members of "The Commandant's Own" have passed both musical auditions and basic training. They perform "field music" Tues. and Fri. nights during the summer months in the nation's capitol in addition to traveling 50,000 miles annually. Twenty-four members of the Silent Drill Platoon perform precision drills in total silence. Formed in 1948, they spin and toss 10 1/2 pound M-1 Garand rifles with fixed bayonets. It was truly a spectacular show and brought standing ovations as the group performed and played the Stars and Stripes Forever and the Star Spangled Banner.



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aircraft, and to enjoy other activities ranging from a classic car show to live music.

This year's featured aerial demonstrations include Dyess' own B-1 Lancer bomber and C-130 Hercules airlifter.

Two fighter demonstrations will highlight the military portion of the program: the Air Combat Command's F-15 Eagle fighter unit and a Navy F/A-18 Hornet fighter. Returning to Dyess will be an eight-engine B-52 Stratofortress bomber and KC-135 tanker. Also, many historic aircraft will

be on display, including the classic training planes that taught a generation to fly: the powerful Stearman biplane and Vultee BT-13, both common sights in Texas skies during the war years.

Ground displays include a classic car show and a military working dog demonstration. A popular Abilene band, "With Anchovies", which features several military members, will perform.

Admission and parking are free, and food and beverages will be on sale.

## Order validation tags by Friday

by Greg Kaase  
Haskell Co. Extension Agent  
Now is the time for Haskell County 4-H and FFA lamb exhibitors to order their 1999 Lamb Validation Ear Tags. Any 4-H'er or FFA member who plans on exhibiting market lambs at the Haskell County Junior Livestock Show or at any other major livestock show (Houston, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, etc.) will need to order ear tags by Fri., Aug. 14, 1998.

Contact Greg Kaase, County Extension Agent-Ag. at (940) 864-2658 or come by the Haskell County Extension Office at 101 South Ave. D in Haskell, or contact your Ag. Science teacher if you plan to exhibit lambs this next year.

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ENGL1301 Composition and Grammar (High School Students Only) M-F  
ENGL1302 Composition and Literature, Wednesday, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.  
HIST1301 United States History to 1864 (Video tape course)\*  
HIST1302 United States History since 1865 (Video tape course)\*  
CRIJ1307 Crime in America, Tuesday, 6:30-9:30 p.m.  
MCOT1401 Microcomputers for Business, Tuesday, 6:00-10:00 p.m.  
MCOT1401 Microcomputers for Business, Thursday, 6:00-10:00 p.m.  
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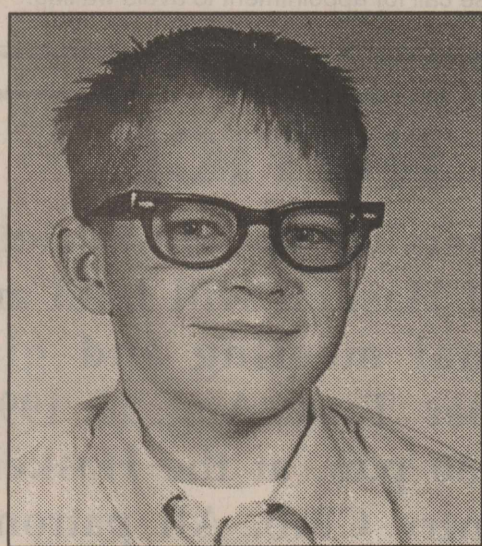
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Registration for all Haskell Elementary students will be Fri., Aug. 14 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Parents are encouraged to attend registration with their child/children so they can meet the teachers and fill out necessary paperwork.

Homeroom lists will be posted in the following locations on Thurs., Aug. 13 at 5:00 p.m.  
Early Childhood and Prekindergarten - North doors of

the new building.

Kindergarten, First and Second Grades - Homeroom doors.  
Third Grade - North doors of the main building.

Fourth Grade - East doors of the main building.

Fifth Grade - South doors of the main building.

Sixth Grade - South doors of the new building.

School begins Tues., Aug. 18.

## Haskell School Menu

### Aug. 17-21 Breakfast

Juice or fruit and milk are served daily on the breakfast menu.

**Monday:** No school

**Tuesday:** Cereal, toast/jelly

**Wednesday:** Waffles/syrup, toast/jelly

**Thursday:** Biscuits/gravy, sausage

**Friday:** Breakfast pizza

### Lunch

A choice of baked potato with choice of topping or a salad bar are offered daily at the High School.

Milk and tea are served daily at the High School. Milk and juice are served daily at the Elementary School.

**Monday:** No school

**Tuesday:** Pizza, tossed salad, seasoned corn, apple

**Wednesday:** Submarine sandwich, French fries, lettuce/tomatoes/pickles, shape-ups

**Thursday:** Steak fingers/gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, cantaloupe

**Friday:** Hamburger, tater tots, hamburger trimmings, sunshine bars

## Paint Creek School Menu

### Aug. 13-14 Breakfast

Milk and juice are served daily.

**Thursday:** Cereal

**Friday:** Donuts

### Lunch

Milk is served daily.

**Thursday:** Fish, shrimp, fries, salad, rolls, applesauce

**Friday:** Bologna or tuna sandwich, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, pork and beans, chips, ice cream

### Aug. 17-21 Breakfast

Milk and juice are served daily.

**Monday:** Toast and jelly

**Tuesday:** Cinnamon rolls

**Wednesday:** Cereal

**Thursday:** Breakfast burritos

**Friday:** Donuts

### Lunch

Milk is served daily.

**Monday:** Pizza, corn, salad, peach cobbler

**Tuesday:** Roast beef, brown gravy, peas, cream potatoes, bread, peas

**Wednesday:** Tacos, beans, lettuce, cheese, onions, tomatoes, hot sauce, corn bread, apple crisps

**Thursday:** Spaghetti with sauce, salad, green beans, garlic bread, brownies

**Friday:** Hot dogs, chili, cheese, pork and beans, onions, relish, ice cream

## This Week's Devotional Message: YOUR FAITH CAN HELP YOU CONQUER THE FEAR OF FAILURE



Is there something you have always wanted to do, but were afraid to try it for fear you would not succeed? You must remember that the world's most gifted artists seldom turned out any masterpieces the first time they tried to paint, and that our greatest inventions were perfected only after many mistakes were made in the process. Everything we do is a learning experience, and if we are to enrich our lives with any accomplishments beyond the routine of everyday liv-

ing, we must not be afraid to branch out in a different direction. Go to your House of Worship and pray for the courage to attempt something new; and remember that if you will only stay with it long enough you will be blessed with at least an absorbing hobby if not a whole new career. In any case, with the help of God you will have nothing to lose but your fear, and everything to gain; starting with a rewarding new outlook on life.

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##### East Side Baptist Church

David Page, pastor  
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600 N. 1st East, Haskell

##### Christian Church

Dusty Garrison, minister  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
107 N. Ave. F, Haskell

##### Church of God

Eric Clark, pastor • 864-2021  
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East Hwy 380, Haskell

##### Trinity Lutheran Church

Gary Bruns, pastor  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30  
Hwy 380 East, Haskell

##### Iglesia Bautista El Calvario

Vergil Smith  
Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
607 S. 7th, Haskell

##### First United Methodist Church

Shane Brue, 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., 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., 10:30 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
510 N. Ave. E, Haskell

##### First Presbyterian Church

Luther S. Hollowell, II, 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., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.  
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.

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##### Paint Creek Baptist Church

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Sun. 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7:00 p.m.  
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Daniel Ramey, pastor  
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Sagerton

##### Faith Lutheran Church

Jeff Zell, pastor  
Sun. Morn. 9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.  
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Daniel Ramey, pastor  
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##### New Life Baptist Mission

Jesus Herrera  
Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.  
Elm Street/Hwy 380 E, Rule

##### Sweet Home Baptist Church

Matt Herrington, pastor  
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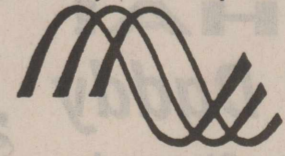


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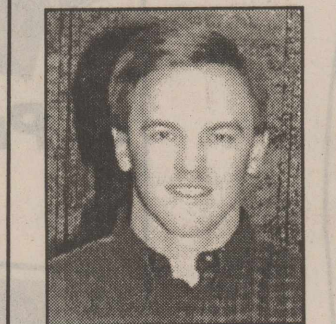
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**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P. O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792). 33c

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**WINNING BOOTH**—The Haskell Senior 4-H Club's display booth was recognized with 1st place honors at the Haskell County 4-H Awards Program held Aug. 9, at Rochester. A 4-H meeting kit was given to the club for their outstanding efforts. Club Managers Debra Bartley, left, and Debbie Brister are pictured with the booth.

## Local Sonic wins first round of annual Dr. Pepper games

With two rounds remaining in the Dr. Pepper Sonic Games, customers and employees alike are reaping the rewards of fast, accurate, friendly service.

The Sonic Drive-In at 1402 North E Ave in Haskell recently was named a first-round winner in the fifth annual Dr. Pepper Sonic Games. Only 135 drive-ins, out of nearly 1,800, have advanced to the second round. Ten second round-winning drive-ins win national recognition and the station champions at those drive-ins receive an all expenses-paid trip to Anaheim, Calif., to compete in the National Championship in September and then on to San Diego for Sonic's National Convention. The Dr. Pepper Sonic Games, which began March 1, are designed to motivate employees and enhance their performance and customer service. The Games test crew members on service, quality, accuracy and speed.

"The Dr. Pepper Sonic Games are designed to help us reward employees who are recognized daily as champions by our customers," said Cliff Hudson, chief executive officer and president of Sonic Corp. "As a result of the Games, everybody wins—crew members win through better training, development and knowledge; customers win through improved service. We wish all the drive-ins the best of luck throughout the final stages of the competition."

The actual competition is divided into two categories: individual and drive-ins. For each work station at the drive-in—Fountain (drink preparation), Switchboard (service delivery), Carhop (food delivery) and Dresser, Grill and Swamp (food preparation)—participants are required to take written tests and participate in action trials. Points are earned for every aspect of the competition. The employees at each station who scores the highest total points is named the station champion.

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**FUND DRIVE**—Volunteer Fireman Sonny Reynolds holds the boot for James Robert Crawford's contribution to the annual MDA Fill a Boot drive held last Sat. on the square in Haskell. Members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department collected approximately \$875.00 for the Jerry's Kids effort against Muscular Dystrophy.

## Students in the News

Two students from Rule were named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring 1998 semester at Abilene Christian University.

Robyn Sue Ramey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Berry and a 1991 graduate of Alamogordo High School. She is a senior composite science teaching major at ACU.

Cory Wade Robinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Robinson and a 1996 graduate of Rule High School. He is a junior engineering physics major at ACU.

To make the Honor Roll, a student must complete at least 12 semester hours for grades and earn 3.45 or higher grade point average.

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## Haskell team qualifies to compete in Colorado

The Haskell All-Stars basketball team, consisting of Kenneth Llewellyn, Jr., Kenneth Collins, Carl Riley and Sammy Baker participated in the Second Annual Abilene Three-on-Three Basketball Tournament, July 25-26. Placing second, the team qualified to play in the Summit Sports National Finals in Boulder Colorado, September 5

and 6. This event is part of the Cape Athletic Three-on-Three National Tour.

Future events on the Haskell All-Stars agenda are Hoops for Hope Rockin' the Rim, October 10 and 11, and the Hoop It Up World Tournament, October 17 and 18 both to be played in Austin.

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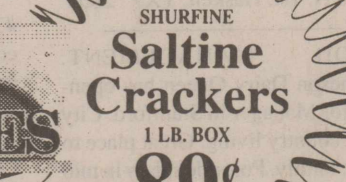


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