### Happy Father's Day

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#### Calendar

#### Vacation Bible School

The Haskell Church of Christ will hold Vacation Bible School June 20-23 from 6 to 8 p.m. for children 4 years old through sixth grade. Call 864-3101 for transportation. WTBRA Barrel race

The WTBRA and Wild Horse Prairie Days barrel race has been rescheduled for Sun., June 20 at the Haskell Arena. Books will open at 11:30 a.m. with barrels run at 1:30 p.m. Classes will be youth and Open 4-D. For more information call 940-864-

#### Texas cleanup

The Texas Country Clean Up Program coordinated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality will offer an opportunity for Haskell area residents to recycle empty plastic pesticide containers that have been triple rinsed; used motor oil and filters; and lead-acid batteries all at no charge. The clean-up will be located at Haskell County Gin, 810 N. Ave. B in Haskell June 23 from 8 a.m. to noon. For more information, call Haskell Co. Agent Brandon Anderson at 940-864-2658.

#### Food distribution

The Haskell County Ministerial Alliance Food Distribution Center will distribute food Sat., June 19 from 10 a.m. til 11:30 a.m. at 206 S. 2nd (building east of Civic Center) in Haskell. Volunteers are needed.

#### Kretschmer reunion

The Kretschmer reunion will be held Sat., June 19 at the Haskell National Bank Community Room, 600 S. 1st Street. Registration will begin at 2 p.m. followed by a business meeting at 3:30 p.m. Frankie and Ricky Moeller will cater the evening meal at 6 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring desserts.

#### Storm sirens

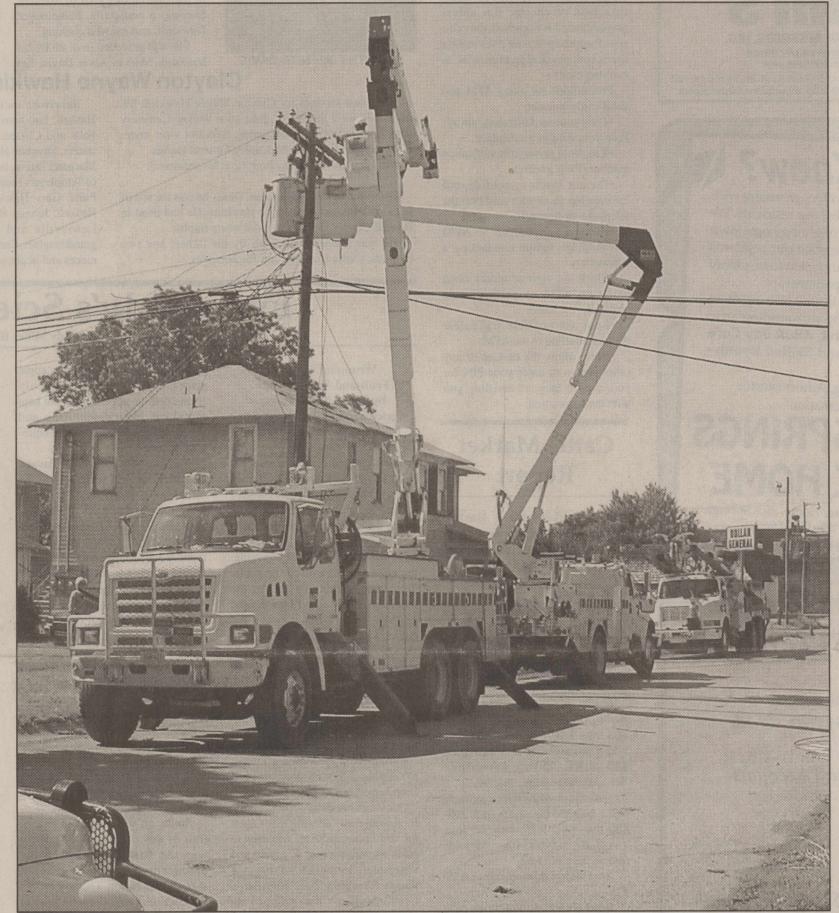
The City of Haskell will test the storm sirens at noon on Fridays, weather permitting. Summer food program

Haskell CISD will sponsor the Summer Food Service program. Meals will be served at Haskell Elementary School Cafeteria located at 306 S. Ave. G from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mon. through Fri. until July 30. Those ages 1 through 18 years of age will eat for free. Adults may eat for \$2.50. **Immunizations** 

The Texas Dept. of Health in Stamford will hold an immunization clinic Thurs., June 17 at the Haskell National Bank Community Building in Haskell. Clinic times are from 2 to 4 p.m. For more information call 325-773-5681.

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SUN RISE SERVICES-Area utility companies worked around the clock repairing electrical lines and phone services after the

Saturday night storm. Shown are AEP crews repairing damage to

#### lines between N. Ave. E and N. Ave. D, early Sunday morning.

### Haskell's **Eastern Star** dissolves

After almost 59 years of being in place in Haskell, Chapter No. 892, Order of the Eastern Star marked the end of its organization on May 31.

Records show that in August 1945, there were 28 charter members, made up of twenty-three ladies and five men. Four of those charter members, Vivian Roberson, Iva Lee Gipson, Mabel Overton and Billie Bynum are still members of the Chapter.

Nell Royal was the first Worthy Matron and R. J. Paxton was the first Worthy Patron. By the end of 1945, the Chapter had gained 14 additional members. By 1958 the Chapter had 102 members.

The Order of the Eastern Star is a Masonic-related fraternity composed of women and men dedicated to charity, truth and loving kindness, and is open to all faiths.

Although the Haskell Chapter has been closed, local persons wishing to become a member of the Eastern Star may contact chapters in Rule, Throckmorton, Anson or Abilene, or write to the Grand Secretary, Grand Chapter of Texas, OES 1111 E. Division, Arlington, TX 76011, to obtain a petition for membership.

# Show results

winners in the Western Art Snow during the WHPD Ranch Rodeo

Category #1-Oil Paintings and Drawings: 1. Jan Carver, Benjamin; 2. Jan Carver; 3. Laramie Letz, Benjamin.

Category #2-Photography: 1. Kellie Antilley, Benjamin; 2. Laramie

Category #3-Hand Crafted Cowboy Gear: 1. Claude Dutton, Abilene; 2. Ross Bullinger, Haskell; 3. Darrell Dutton, Weinert.

# Area suffers from storm damage

High winds and heavy rain blowing in about 9:00 p.m., Saturday brought extensive damage to the city of Haskell and throughout the county as it uprooted trees, stripped limbs, lifted roofs, toppled towers, shattered plate glass and caused outages of electricity and communication lines for many residences and businesses.

Electrical power in some parts of the city was restored by 5:30 a.m., Sunday, however, other parts were without electricity until late Sunday. Even on Monday, phone service had not been restored to parts of the business district, making it difficult to maintain regular business communications.

After the TV tower located in north Haskell folded like a jackknife during the storm, cable TV viewers were without service. A spokesperson in the Charter Communications office in Stamford said Monday that they were powerless to do anything about it until AEP gets them up and going, which they had been told may be in 3 to 5 days.

A segment of U. S. Hwy. 277 through Haskell was closed late Saturday, when electric and fiber optic lines across the highway were downed when struck by the Medford Buick carport roof. The Texas Highway Department opened the highway for traffic about 9:00 p.m., Sunday, after AEP crews lifted and secured the lines, clearing the way for traffic. A spokesman at the Highway Department said Monday afternoon, that F.M. 2407 between Haskell and Rule was also closed for a time due to high water across the road. The only other damages the Highway Dept. sustained were a few signs blown down.

Immediately after the storm hit, Saturday night, members of the Haskell Volunteer Fire Department were busy helping to clear debris from city streets and helping to direct traffic away from the downed lines on Hwy. 277. About 11:50 p.m., they were called to a fire at Brick Village on South 7th, which resulted in the death of the resident, Clayton Hawkins. Fire Chief Bill Steele said the firemen found and removed the victim and then extinguished the fire, which did little damage to the structure. Cause of the fire is under investigation.

During the storm the Volunteer Fire Department also re-supplied the fuel for Haskell nursing homes' emergency generators.

A natural gas leak was caused in Rule when a tree fell over a gas meter in the yard of Haskell County Sheriff David Halliburton. The valve to the line was turned off within an hour by city workers.

Both Rule and Rochester communities sustained power outages and damage to structures, trees and utility poles.

By Sunday morning, an extensive cleanup/hauloff began for individuals and businesses across much of the area and may continue for an extended period of time.

Bradlee Harris, a 2004 graduate of Haskell High School, has marked his second year as a member of the Texas High School Rodeo Association and as a state finalist both years.

The son of Gary and Barbara Harris of Haskell, and grandson of Tommy Ray and Kathryn Foster of Rule, has been a member of the Texas Youth Bull Riders Association, and is a member of the Texas Cowboy

Dedicated to his sport and loving the feeling of exhilaration after each ride, Harris said, "It makes you feel like you are on top of the world."

Following his recent graduation, he looks forward to attending Weatherford College to study agriculture, and continue his riding career by participating on the college and PRCA level.



YOUTH RIDES TO FINALS-Bradlee Harris, 2004 graduate of Haskell High School, rides to become a State finalist in the Texas State High School Rodeo competition for a second year.

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ATM and debit cards have transformed the way money is handled. Recent studies show people prefer using debit cards because they are easier to use and more convenient than cash or checks. But unless proper caution is exercised, they also pose the same potential risks to their users, both physical and financial, as carrying cash.

Precautions for using ATM and debit cards include:

•Treat your card like cash; always keep your card in a safe place.

•Keep your personal identification

number (PIN) a secret. •Do not disclose confidential information about your card over the

telephone or Internet. · Always observe ATM surroundings before conducting a transaction.

•Block the view of others when using an ATM or point-of-sale terminal

·Look for possible fraudulent devices attached to the ATM.

•Never allow the cashier or any other person to enter your PIN for you, even it they are assisting you with the transaction.

#### Cattle Market Report

The market at the Haskell Livestock Auction was on a run of 358 head of cattle at its sale on Mon., June 14, according to Gary Tate, reporter. 46 sellers and 32 buyers were present.

Packers \$2 to \$4 higher. Feeders and stockers steady to \$3 higher.

Cows: fat, .48-.59; cutters, .46-.63; canners, .30-.43.

Bulls: bologna, .64-.73; feeders, .83-.95; utility, .55-.65.

Steers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., 1.30-1.75; 300-400 lbs., 1.20-1.38; 400-500 lbs., 1.12-1.25; 500-600 lbs., 1.00-1.23; 600-700 lbs., .98-1.15; 700-800 lbs., .90-1.10; 800-up lbs., .84-.99.

Heifers: medium and large frame No. 1 200-300 lbs., 1.15-1.55; 300-400 lbs., 1.10-1.25; 400-500 lbs., 1.00-1.20; 500-600 lbs., .95-1.15; 600-up lbs., .80-1.09.

Bred heifers medium frame, 675-

Bred Cows: young to middle aged, 775-950; aged or small, 650-

Cows with calves: medium frame No. 1 young and middle aged, 925-1285; aged or small, 725-900.

Classifieds Sell Call 864-2686

### **Obituaries**

#### **Dorothy Juanita Davis**



**DOROTHY JUANITA DAVIS** 

Funeral services for Dorothy Juanita Davis 81, of Munday were held Thurs., June 10 at the Church of Christ in Munday with Rodney Hamon and Jimmy Hackney officiating. Burial was in Willow Cemetery in Haskell under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home.

Mrs. Davis died Tues., June 8.

Born Nov. 11, 1922, she was the daughter of John Wesley and Pearl Kemp of Munday. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Munday. She was a housewife, homemaker, fisherman and enjoyed cooking.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Marvin Alvis Davis; her

parents; one grandson, Chad Michael Warden of San Antonio; four brothers; and two sisters.

Survivors include five daughters and sons-in-law, Carolyn and J. B. Griffin of Abilene, Gayle and Jimmy White of Rochester, Linda and Don Bunton of Lubbock, Peggy Jo and Rodney Hamon of Coleman, and Luana and Chris Warden of San Antonio; two sisters, Claude Wallace of Waxahachie and Lola Mae Donaldson of Weatherford; two sisters-in-law, Donna Jean Kemp of Grandview and Mildred Offutt of Weinert; 15 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Grandsons were pallbearers. PD. NOTICE

#### Clayton Wayne Hawkins

Graveside services for Clayton Wayne Hawkins, 59, of Haskell were held Wed., June 16 at Willow Cemetery with Bro. Tony Grand officiating. Services were under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Home. Mr. Hawkins died Sat., June 12 at his residence.

Born Oct. 6, 1944 in Duncan, Okla., he was the son of John William and Alva Joyce Hawkins. He had lived in Haskell County for 53 years and was a Baptist.

He was preceded in death by his father; and two brothers, Curtis Hawkins and Joe Hawkins.

Survivors include his mother, Joyce Hawkins of Haskell; two sons, Terry Dewayne Hawkins of Marble Falls and Clifton Dewight Hawkins of Wharton; four sisters, Yuvonne Huffines of Dimmitt, Darlene Conn and Margaret Tatum, both of Haskell and Floradean Cockerell of Temple; six brothers, James Dalton Hawkins of Wichita Falls, Gary Hawkins and Glendon Hawkins, both of Haskell, Johnny Hawkins of Jarrell, Bobby Hawkins of Lewisville and Sammy Hawkins of Aspermont; granddaughter, Cameron Hawkins of Wharton; and several nieces and nephews. PD. NOTICE

### Everybody's Science

by Sandy Miller Hays, Agricultural Research Service

Wrapping Up Your Fruit-and-Veggie Needs by Sandy Miller Hays, **Agricultural Research Service** 

.Kids can be incredibly picky eaters. Some time ago, I read an article in which a mother said her child would only eat apples if they were cut into slices-and they couldn't be pre-cut, mind you, they had to be sliced the moment before the child was ready to eat them, because if there was one tiny trace of browning, the child wouldn't touch the apple. To accomplish this culinary feat, the mother actually carried a good-sized knife in her handbag, ready for cutting up apples when her child got the urge for fresh fruit.

Somehow, in our newly securityconscious world, I don't think carrying a butcher knife in your bag is a great idea. But Tara McHugh, a scientist with USDA's Agricultural Research Service, has a solution that could make it possible for that mother to keep her child well-nourished and keep herself out of jail, too.

McHugh has developed an edible food wrap that's actually made from the very foods we're all supposed to eat in abundance every day: fruits and vegetables. In the ARS Processed Foods Research Unit at Albany, Calif., McHugh has whipped up coatings of varying thicknesses and strength from more than a dozen fruits and vegetables, including apricots, guavas, mangos, papayas, broccoli and carrots.

The "wraps" protect the freshness of the foods by preventing moisture loss and by blocking the oxygen that causes unattractive browning. An example: McHugh made thin, appleflavored wraps from pureed apples,

and then applied to them to apple slices. The "wrap" not only intensified the apple flavor, but kept the slices from discoloring and shrinking-good news for that knifetoting mom.

You can "mix and match" flavors, too. McHugh has wrapped banana slices in a strawberry coating, keeping the bananas fresh and appealing and at the same time lending a new flavor element to a familiar and healthy snack. And she's pureed peaches to make a wrap that could be used to coat and protect meat, plus provide it with a tasty and attractive glaze when the meat is

Of course, since the wraps are themselves made from fruits and veggies, adding them to other fruits and veggies boosts the nutritional value of those foods. And her edible wraps are good news for the environment, too, since we currently throw away some 2 million tons of food packaging material every year, according to the Environmental Protection Agency.

We've all seen sheets of pureed fruit as snack foods. But McHugh was the first to explore using produce-based films to enhance storage and flavor. That's why her work was chosen by Popular Science magazine as one of the magazine's 100 "Best of What's New" awards for

Novel uses for produce could benefit more than just our waistlines and the environment; this type of technology could translate to jobs, according to McHugh. Produce processing operations are frequently in rural towns and depend on seasonal employment. With the new

methods, produce can be harvested and pureed, then processed yearround. The extended processing periods and expanded market for fruits and vegetables could aid the economic development in rural communities.

All the way across the country from Tara McHugh, ARS researcher Peggy Tomasula is thinking along the same lines, but with a different starting ingredient. Tomasula has a patented method to turn a milk protein into water-resistant films that could be used to coat or package

Tomasula's "secret ingredient" is the milk protein casein (pronounced KAY-seen). Casein is the primary ingredient in cheese. It's also used as a food supplement and as an ingredient in a number of non-food products, including adhesives, paints, and finishing materials for paper and textiles.

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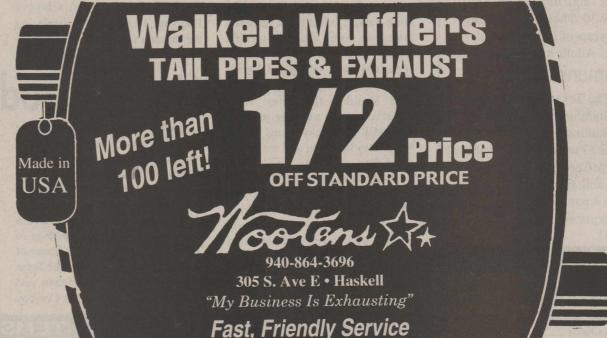
Tomasula extracts the casein from milk by using carbon dioxide under high pressure. Her extraction method takes advantage of casein's natural structure to form water-resisting films or coatings. Tomasula's caseinbased material remains intact when exposed to water-which solves one of the main problems with proteinbased films in the past. In fact, the new film actually locks in the moisture of foods.

The edible coatings could be used to coat dairy food products such as cheese, or could be used as part of a laminate in packaging for cottage cheese or yogurt. And, as with Tara McHugh's fruit-and-veggie-based coatings, the milk-based coatings could be used to add an extra element of flavoring, vitamins or minerals to the food, while boosting nutrition.

Plus, there's more good news for the environment here: Tomasula's method could be used to develop biodegradable packaging materials from casein. However, we still don't recommend eating those "packing peanuts"!

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In addition to the standard proof set, we will have available a gold plated proof set. As with the standard proof set, it will contain two uncirculated coins; with one

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FOUR GENERATIONS-Tom Ryan, cowboy artist and Grand Marshal of the Wild Horse Prairie Days Ranch Rodeo, is pictured with family members, front left, daughter Kitsie Drinnon of Haskell, holding his great grandson, Landry Olson; standing back, grandson Ryan Olson and wife Tara Olson of Weinert, holding great-grandson, Laken Olson.

# Sanders family holds reunion

The annual family reunion of longtime Weinert residents, Jack and Sallie Sanders was held June 11-13 at the Jacky and Sandra Sanders Circle S Ranch in southeastern Fifty-three Haskell County. members attended from the families of ten living children and their children who usually try to attend.

Due to health problems of this year's designated hosts, Ethel and Darwin Slade of Eagar, Arizona, Sue Cox of Omaha, Texas hosted the

A Talent Show on Saturday night was emceed by Cox, and "The Blues Brothers," Travis, Andy, Jackie and Rocky Sanders served as judges.

A hula hoop contest was held for the smaller children, after which, several of them sang.

The Miss Reunion contest was won by Marie Kirkland of Fort Worth. Teresa Cole of McQueeney, and Shawn Sanders of Abilene sang and gave their testimonies.

The children were entertained by Jacky Sanders, riding them on his scooter and riding four wheelers.

Elaine Campbell won the washer pitching contest.

Sartain of Ore City; Jacky, Sandra and Jaclyn of Weatherford; Rex, Amanda and Abigail of Aledo; Scarlet and Kenneth Cole, Teresa, Teresa Diane, Scarlet, ReGene Cole of McQueeney; Rocky and Marsha Sanders and Sissy McGough, Shawn, Kathy, Alexis and Tyler Sanders, April and Keith Escabedo, all of A money shower was held for the

Phelps, Kenneth and Elaine

Campbell, Karen, Kendall and

Allison Mitchell and friend, Julie

Lewis, all of Haskell; Travis and

Wilma Sanders, Leigh and Alexis of

Coleman; Andy and Marlene Sanders

of Cross Plains; Martha, Bill, Little

Bill, Denise and Mark Maupin, and

Shawn Ray of Odessa; Marie, B. D.,

Jacky D, Barbie and Rebecca

Kirkland, Tammy and Tom Tennison,

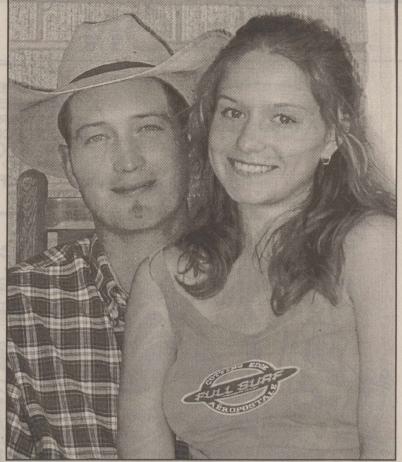
all of Fort Worth; Sue and Walter Cox

of Omaha; Brenda, Austin and Sallie

Escabedo's, who are expecting a new

Despite the storms on Saturday night, causing outages of electricity until early Sunday morning, guests enjoyed playing dominoes by the light of oil lamps.

Those attending were: Lona Mae **New! Fresh Tastes** rilled Chicken Salad America's Jumbo Popcorn Chicken™ Salad Drive-In No Waiting Call In Orders 864-8533



LANDON TERRY - HOLLY MONTGOMERY

### Montgomery, Terry to marry June 25

Holly Montgomery and Landon Dale Terry, both of Stamford have announced their engagement to be married June 25, at the First Christian Church Chapel in Haskell.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Elizabeth Leighton and the late David Montgomery of Hollywood, Maryland. She is a graduate of Leonardtown, Maryland, High

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Pam and Leland Terry of Haskell. A graduate of Haskell High School, he attended West Texas A&M in Canyon, and is employed with Brown and Bellah Ranch in

### Stamford Art Show to benefit Rehab

The 31st annual Stamford Art Foundation Show and Sale is set July 1-4 at the John Selmon Memorial Gallery. The art show is held in conjunction with the Texas Cowboy Reunion with proceeds benefiting the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

The Stamford Art Foundation is a non-profit organization with 15 directors and approximately 130 volunteers who work together to have an outstanding art show.

Artwork in the show and sale will include oil and watercolor paintings, pencil drawings and bronze sculptures with a Western influence.

The art of 44 participating artists will be displayed during the show.

The art can be seen for the first time at the preview party June 30 at

6:30 p.m. Many artists will be in

Allen will be served and the music of the Muddy Creek Band will be enjoyed. A highlight of the evening will be the "Quick Draw" event in which eighteen artists are participating. In this contest, artists will be given one hour to complete a painting, and then the artwork will be auctioned.

Reservations for the preview party are requested and can be made by writing the Stamford Art Foundation, Box 609, Stamford, Texas 79553 and enclosing a check payable to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center or call the office of Kris Fouts 325-773-5777. Tickets for the preview party are \$35.00 each and may be purchased at the door.

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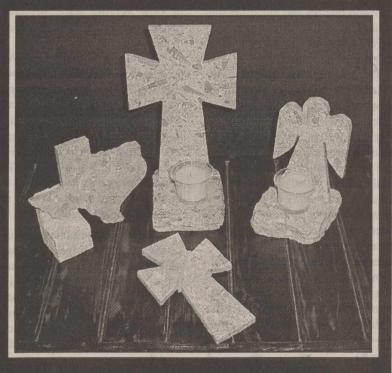
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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

By Mike Cox

#### Students cash in with new Texas quarter

AUSTIN-The Legislature wasn't even in session, but Gov. Rick Perry was giving away money in Austin last week-a thousand school kids each got a commemorative Texas quarter at the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum.

Designed by Arlington artist Daniel Miller, the new coin features an outline of Texas partially overlaid by a raised five-point star, better known as the Lone Star. The Texas quarter is part of the U.S. Mint's 50state series, each state being honored in the order of its admission to the Union. (Texas was No. 28.)

Right now, the new quarters are worth only 25 cents, but just try to

Officially, the government will sell the coins for 10 weeks, but given the collectable nature of almost anything connected to Texas, they already seem scarce. A teller at one downtown Austin bank said they got only one bag of the new coins, and they were gone very soon after the bank opened that day.

The free money Perry handed out didn't really come from the state. A bank donated the coins for the children.

Speaking of the Lege... No word yet from Perry on when

the next special session on the school finance issue will be, but the buzz is some time in mid-July.

No Texas brag...

No other state has more people in prison than Texas. According to U.S. Department of Justice statistics, 164,222 inmates are currently under the stewardship of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Only the federal prison system has more people behind bars, but the difference is only 6,000 prisoners. Counting all jurisdictions, the nation has 2.1 million men and women in prison-1 out of every 140 Americans.

Watch out for skeeters... The West Nile virus already has been detected in eight Texas counties this spring, though so far, no human cases have been reported to the Texas Department of Health.

The mosquito-borne virus has been found in one horse each in Brazoria, Fort Bend, La Salle, Leon and Montgomery counties.

The virus has been identified in eight birds in Brazos, Harris, Lubbock and Montgomery counties.

Last year, 439 human cases occurred in 86 Texas counties, with 38 deaths.

Other duties as assigned...

Go through training and get hired as a game warden for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and you'll get to do some interesting things along with the more routine duties.

Earlier this spring, TPWD reported, a warden stationed in Travis County received a call about a trespasser in a Southwest Austin grocery store-a pregnant deer had scampered through an open door and was running up and down the aisles amid startled shoppers.

Whether the mother-to-be on the loose in the store was looking for pickles and ice cream was not reported, but with some help, the warden roped the deer and taped her legs for transport back to the wild.

### Vehicles vs. kids injuries usually up during summer

Schools are letting out for the summer, which means more kids could end up in the emergency room.

Pediatric trauma doctors at UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas say they can tell when school lets out for the summer because they see more cases of children on bicycles hit by motor vehicles.

Children are out more, and with school zone speed limits no longer being enforced, drivers may go more rapidly through school zones and pedestrian crossings. These crossings aren't monitored, so children may forget to follow the usual safety rules.

Dr. Todd Maxson, head of UT Southwestern's pediatric trauma program, offers these tips for summer bicycle safety:

Don't ride your bike at dusk, in the dark or in other conditions when spaces.

Even if there are no crossing guards, kids should follow the same rules they follow during the school year. Cross streets only at corners and look both ways.

If someone does get hit by a

lighting is poor. Adults and kids on bicvcles should wear brightly colored clothes and helmets. Look for clothing with reflective strips that will show up in headlights, and make sure your bike has reflectors. Although a parking lot may seem like a good place to ride, with all that open space, it's best to avoid riding in parking lots unless they're empty. Traffic can be unpredictable, with cars pulling in and out of spaces or driving across rows of parking

vehicle, call for help and keep the victim still until help arrives.

### YARD SEARCH WHAT'S THAT--FOLKS ARE STILL A YARDSALE? LOOKIN' FOR WHERE TH' STORM DUMPED THEIR STUFF...

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selected Debbie Aycock, Glenda

Gayle Chapman, Susan Hopkins,

Carl Hopkins, James Hopkins and

Debra Morris to compete at District

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June 18, 1964

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and Mrs. D. Scott, two longtime area

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seats of honor at a special table for

"Senior Democrats" at a dinner

saluting U.S. Senator Ralph

Yarborough at the Women's Forum

named grand champion of the halter

division at the Fort Worth Western

Riding Stables Palomino Horse

Show. McMillin is the grandson of

Judge and Mrs. Dennis P. Ratliff of

homemaking teacher Mrs. W. S.

Chambers accompanied Sandra

Dutton, Rubye Rainey and Evelyn

Mayfield, all of Weinert, to a four-

day FHA workshop on the campus

50 Years Ago

June 17, 1954

Emilee Griffith, Haskell County

Bertie E. White of Haskell, a third

Bobby Stone, president of FFA

4-H Club girl was the first place

winner in the State 4-H Vegetable

year student in Dallas Christian

College, was ordained to the

chapter of Haskell High School, was

elected president of Area II, Future

Farmers of America. Stone was

nominated for the Lone Star farmer

Lake Buchanan on an outing and

fishing trip. Attending were Mr. and

Mrs. Henry Atkeison and daughter,

Judy, accompanied by Linda Lane;

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Middleton; Mr.

and Mrs. R. A. Lane and daughter,

Suzanne, accompanied by Sara Lees;

and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herren and

Several Haskell families were at

of Tarleton State College.

Demonstration Contest.

Christian ministry.

award in Area II.

High

Brian McMillin's horse was

in

Texas

School

School newspaper, was awarded

second place honors in its division

3 4-H Horse Show.

of competition

in Wichita Falls.

Haskell.

Weinert

Interscholastic League.

#### From Out of the Past

From the files of The Haskell Free Press

10 Years Ago June 16, 1994

Marsha Whittemore fulfilled a lifetime dream when she published an article in The Upper Room, a daily devotional guide published in 66 editions and 44 languages.

Winners in the parent/child golf tournament at Haskell County Club were Rodney and Nicklaus Goss, Championship flight; and Randy and Cody Stone, first flight.

John Yeary, son of Sue Yeary of Haskell, advanced to Fellow status in the American College of Healthcare Executives.

Kari Josselet, granddaughter of Homer and Jerry Josselet of Haskell, was named winner of the annual Bausch & Lomb science award at Dalhart High School.

Boy Scouts and Garden Club members who planted shrubbery at the post office included Kenneth Patton, Dawson Druesedow, Jason Trammell, Brent Watson, Craig Cunningham, Kevin Patton, Mona Gibson and Marian Carlisle.

> 20 Years Ago June 21, 1984

Matt Maurer, Lody Mathis, Kelly Strickland and Andy Correll were first place winners in the Haskell County Club Junior Golf Tournament.

Weldon Norman received the Paul Harris Fellow Award during a meeting of the Rule Rotary Club from Bob Maniss of Abilene.

Shanna Mueller of Haskell received 5 first places and 1 second

place in divisionals and Sherry Mueller received 6 first places and was named 7 year old State Champion Basic Strutter from the National Baton Twirling Association Texas State Twirling Meet in Garland.

Howard J. Hopkins of Haskell was on the president's list; and Lisa Kaye Baird and Rock W. Petty of Rule were on the dean's list at Texas Tech University.

Jeffrey and Justin Herring, sons of Mr. and Mrs. David Lane, took advantage of the hot weather by selling snowcones next to the Sweet Shop.

> 30 Years Ago June 20, 1974

Bill Holden received a plaque from the Texas Funeral Directors Association in recognition of his 50 years as an Embalmer and Funeral Director.

W. E. Wooten and Stephen Ellis of Haskell were in the Zone 3 team that won in the State Singles Championship at the Texas State Trapshooting Tournament. Wooten won the Class AA Texas State Doubles Championship.

Haskell's Coach Bob Dodd, one of four high school coaches invited to help with the NCAA meet in Austin appeared in NCAA Sports on ABC Wide World of Sports.

M. W. Robertson, a native of Haskell, was honored by Shell Pipe Line Corp for his 45 years of service with the company.

The Haskell 4-H Horse Club

### Beware of scholarship scams

The price of a college education has increased drastically in recent years. Tuition, books and living expenses are at all time highs.

From

the AG

By Greg Abbott

Naturally, parents and students have been looking for creative ways to find the financial resources to fund a college education. Unfortunately, these quests for financial assistance have given rise to opportunities for scam artists to prey on parents and

My office receives numerous complaints from consumers being scammed by individuals and companies selling scholarship and financial aid services. The last thing you need is to lose what money you do have in savings for college to a phony scholarship opportunity.

Most recently we received word from several consumers who each paid \$1000 to a company called the College Funding Center that promised to help find scholarship opportunities. The company went out of business and consumers received absolutely nothing for their money. The Federal Trade Commission has taken legal action against this company.

Consumers should use extreme caution when considering a company that offers scholarship-finding services or financial aid loans. Be at wary if you encounter promises like

•"The scholarship is guaranteed!" •"You can't get this information 9 anywhere else!"

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Or worst of all:

•"I need your credit card or bank account number to hold this scholarship."

There are no guaranteed scholarships. Each year, hundreds and even thousands of students apply for the same scholarships. While you may very well be a strong candidate for a scholarship, don't believe anyone who makes guarantees.

Claims to have special hard-to-get insider information on scholarships are usually false, too. A company may have a database or list of scholarships and grants that it has compiled. But this is information gathered through research, not because it has special access to information not available to other

A college education is too important to risk being taken advantage of by unscrupulous businesses or individuals.

Giving out personal information such as credit card or bank account numbers to unknown or questionable businesses is never a good idea. Anytime anyone asks for sensitive financial information, you should remember that in this day and age, identity crime is a constant threat.

Some companies may offer financial aid loans for a fee paid in advance. The fee may range from hundreds to thousands of dollars. If someone guarantees or strongly suggests that they can get a loan or credit for you, it's against the law for them to request or accept payment until you actually get the loan or credit.

Be aware that there are entirely bogus companies that will collect a fee up front and then simply abscond with your money. Legitimate lenders never guarantee or say that you are likely to get a loan or credit card before reviewing your application.

If you attend a seminar on scholarships or financial aid, take your time and don't fall for high pressure sales tactics. Research the company and thoroughly investigate "success stories." Contact an actual former customer if possible. Don't purchase from anyone who is reluctant to answer questions. Ask how much money will be charged for the service and ask about refunds.

# Health risk in lake and river swimming

Warm breezes and the Texas sun remind us that summer has nearly arrived, along with the fun of outdoor sports, such as swimming.

In a recent news release, the Brazos River Authority alerts all of those who plan to swim in Texas lakes or rivers to avoid areas of stagnant water. Each summer, a small number of Texans are exposed to a microorganism that can cause a fatal infection called primary amebic meningoencephalitis or PAM. This organism responsible for the PAM infection thrives in warm, stagnant water in virtually all untreated (nonchlorinated) surface water and in soil.

According to officials with the Texas Department of Health, the combination of lower water levels, high water temperature and stagnant

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higher concentrations of the ameba in the water.

For the past three years, PAM infections in Texas have involved children who had been swimming in lakes. The PAM infection occurs when water containing the organism is forced into the nasal passagesusually from diving or jumping into water or while water skiing. The ameba then makes its way into the brain and spinal cord. PAM is not spread person to person.

Symptoms of the infection include severe headache, high fever, stiff neck, nausea, vomiting, seizures and hallucinations as the condition worsens. Though the disease is rareaffecting only about one to three people a year in Texas-for those infected, death usually occurs within

or slow moving water produces

Swimming pools that are properly cleaned, maintained and treated with chlorine generally are safe, as is salt water. The TDH recommends that people never swim in stagnant or polluted water and take "No Swimming" signs seriously. Also, people should hold their noses or use a nose plug when jumping into lakes, rivers, ponds or other bodies of fresh water, and avoid swallowing water when swimming.

daughter, Jan 100 Years Ago June 22, 1904

Dr. E. E. Gilbert, accompanied by his daughter, Everette, returned from their trip to St. Louis and a visit in Kentucky. The doctor says the World's Fair is too big to see in one or two days.

Mrs. J. W. Meadors entertained a party of friends with games of

Capt. B. H. Dodson came in from a trip through several counties to the east. He says he found crop prospects generally good.

H. H. Price of the northeast part of the county sent the Free Press a stalk of cotton from his field. It was 18 inches high, well limbed out, and full of squares and blooms.

H. Poole of Smith County left to return home after a visit with the family of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Johnson of this county.

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Throughout the year, various groups in Texas host health fairs with different themes treating specific groups-children, college students,

If you attend a health fair, here are some tips to help you get the most from what is offered:

families, or seniors.

Free shots. Of course, no one really enjoys getting shots, but health fairs that offer free flu shots and immunizations can save you time and money. Be sure to get a written record.

Get smart. Most health fairs offer a wealth of information to educate people about different conditions, diseases and risks. Take some literature on an issue relevant to you or someone you love.

Get screened. Many health fairs offer free screenings. Some of the more common screenings include cholesterol and blood sugar (require small amount of blood); blood pressure; vision; hearing; body mass; mammogram; bone density (takes an x-ray of your heel); and HIV (only requires a swab inside your cheek).

Getting screened at a health fair will either give you a peace of mind in knowing you are healthy, or will equip the screener with information to refer you to your health care provider. If the results of your screening are abnormal, you should see a health care provider as soon as

### Diabetes tests explained

If you have diabetes, you may have wondered about some of the more common or routine tests and procedures that may be ordered as part of your diabetes disease management care. Here are the main tests and reasons why the tests are

Hemoglobin A1c: This testal measures the average glucose (sugar level) in your blood for the past 120 days. Values range from less than 6 percent to 25 percent. Values above 8 percent are considered serious enough to require action. The American Diabetes Association recommends that this test be done every 120 days for diabetics.

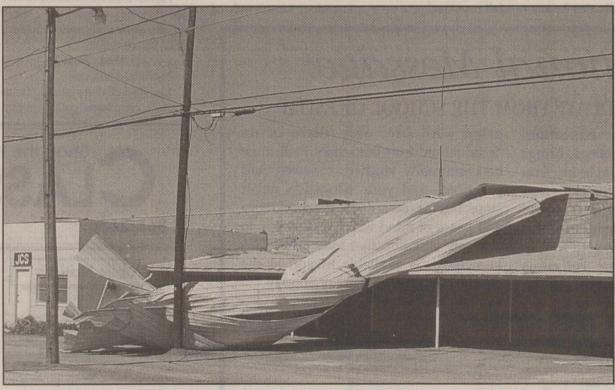
LDL: LDL, or low density lipoproteins, are large protein' molecules that carry cholesterol. A high LDL level is associated with nigh cholesterol levels, which is associated with heart disease.

Urine Albumin (microprotein): This test measures protein in your urine and is a screen for kidney disease. This test is used to determine if diabetes has affected the function of your kidneys.

Other exams and tests: Blood pressure and foot exams will likely be performed every visit to look for vascular effects of diabetes. Full eye exams should also be performed at least once a year if you are diabetic.



DOWNED LINES AND CARPORT-Debris from the Medford Buick carport lays across electric lines between N. Ave. E. and N. Ave. D. Traffic on U.S. Hwy. 277 was shut down for several hours Sunday by the Texas Dept. of Transportation while AEP utility crews worked to clear lines.



ROOF ON THE MOVE-The metal roof of the Morales building at 514 N. 1st Street in Haskell relocated during the Saturday night storm, to lay over the carports behind the Jordan Claim Service building.

childhood infection with chickenpox as little more than an itchy inconvenience. But varicella diseasenicknamed chickenpox because the blisters resemble chickpeas-is usually far more severe in adults. The infection can lead to encephalitis or pneumonia, and can even be fatal, says Dr. James Luby, professor of internal medicine at UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas.

Since the varicella vaccine became available in the United States in 1995, the number of diagnosed cases per year has significantly dropped, according to the Centers for Disease Control. But deaths from chickenpox in healthy, unvaccinated children and adults have continued, and most adults who have died of the virus since the vaccine was introduced contracted the disease

Many adults remember their from their unvaccinated children, receive the vaccine, which is 85 according to the CDC.

> "If you have not had natural chicken pox and you're an adult, you can be tested for immunity," Dr. Luby says. "If you're not immune, you should get the vaccine."

Pregnant women should not

disease, according to the CDC. Adults who work in health care or around children are especially at risk.

For more information, visit www.cdc.gov.

#### Student in the News

Lane Taylor Murphy, son of Ed and Mary Murphy of Weinert, graduated May 15, from Baylor University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree with a dual major in Environmental Studies and English.

A 2000 graduate of Munday High School, Murphy is a member of the National Golden Key Honor Society, Sigma Tau Delta English National Honor Society, and Baylor's William Carey Crane Scholars. He recently

won the short story award at the 2004

Bell Poetry Festival. Murphy will be attending Baylor University in the fall, pursuing a Master's Degree in English and working in the Baylor Writing

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RN, BSN What is a stroke?

A stroke is a life-threatening event in which the brain's oxygen supply is cut off. A stroke can affect the senses, speech, behavior, thought patterns and memory. It may also result in paralysis, coma and death.

What causes a stroke? A stroke occurs when an artery to the brain bursts or becomes clogged, cutting off the supply of oxygen to a part of the brain. Brain tissue deprived of oxygen dies within minutes. As a result, the part

of the body controlled by those

brain cells cannot function

properly.

High blood pressure and atherosclerosis, the buildup of fatty plaque in the arteries, increase the risk of a stroke. Bleeding into the brain from an injury can also cause

numbness of the face, arm and leg, usually on one side of the body.

**SYMPTOMS** 

·Sudden weakness or

·Difficulty talking or understanding speech. •Dimness or loss of vision, particularly in only one

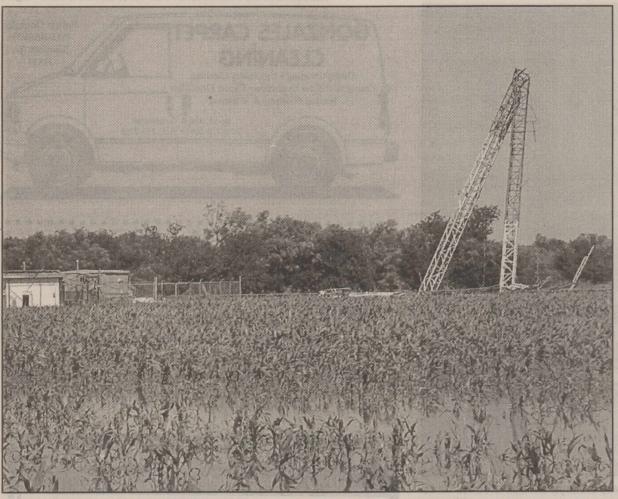
•Unexplained dizziness, unsteadiness or falls. •Sudden, severe headache.

What questions regarding home care do you have for the nurse? Send your questions to Haskell Home Health Agency, 417 S. First, Haskell, TX 79521 or call 940-864-5074 or 1-877-864-5074.

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TOPPLED TV TOWER-Chances for weekend Cable TV viewing folded Saturday night, along with the Cable TV tower, located just west of N. Ave. M and N. 10th Street in Haskell, when damaging winds and rain swept through the area. High water standing in the field indicates heavy rainfall received.

### Weathers Whys

#### **Rating Tornadoes**

Q: You sometimes hear that tornadoes are ranked at F-2 or F-4. What does that mean?

A: Tornadoes are ranked according to their destructiveness and strength, and this ranking started over 30 years ago, says Michael Hammer of Texas A&M University. "The most commonly used and accurate rating system is the Fujita Scale, named for Theodore Fujita, a professor at the University of Chicago who devised the system in the early 1970s," says Hammer. "The system is based on a scale of 1 to 5, with 5 being the most powerful (from 260 to 300 miles per hour). Thankfully, most tornadoesabout 75 percent-are rated F-1 or lower. Only 1 percent are rated an F-4 or F-5, but yet these two classifications account for almost 70 percent of the fatalities caused by tornadoes."

Q: What is the breakdown of the rankings?

A: F-0 tornadoes have winds of 40-72 miles per hour and are capable of light damage (such as toppling of trees and chimneys).

"F-1 tornadoes have winds of

from 73-112 miles per hour and can cause damage such as roofs being torn off of homes, mobile homes destroyed, etc.," says Hammer. "An F-2 tornado (winds of 113 to 157 miles per hour) can cause considerable damage to structures.

An F-3 (winds of 158 to 206) can cause severe damage, while F-4 (winds of 207 to 260) and F-5 (260 to 300) can cause catastrophic damage and can even lift homes and cars high into the air. It's interesting to note that the U.S. averages about 1,000 tornadoes a year-more than any other country-with Australia coming in second," notes Hammer. "Tornadoes have occurred in all 50 states.'

#### Haskell Summer Lunch Menu

June 21-25

Milk is served daily. Monday: Beef nachos, pinto beans, salad, watermelon

Tuesday: Beef spaghett, corn, salad, hot rolls, peach cobbler Wednesday: Tacos with cheese,

breadsticks, oranges

pinto beans, salad, jello

Friday: Cheeseburgers, chips; lettuce/tomatoes/pickles, vanilla ice cream with toppings

Thursday: Steakfingers with gravy,

baked potatoes, green beans,

#### **ECC Calendar and Menu**

Mon., June 21

11:00 a.m. Blood pressure check Lunch-King Ranch chicken, okra

Wed., June 23 Movie and popcorn

Lunch-Salisbury steak, Texas potatoes, pinto beans, golden hominy, yeast rolls, jello and cookies, milk, tea, or coffee

Fri., June 25

Lunch-Ham slice, cheese potatoes, sliced cranberries, green beans, buttermilk biscuits, lemon dessert, milk, tea, or coffee

Announcements begin at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch.

and tomatoes, green beans, sliced onions, garlic toast, apricot cobbler, milk, tea, or coffee

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#### **Public Notices**

WATER TREATMENT **PROCESS** NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE FROM FREE CHLORINE TO CHLORAMINES

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However, the change to chloramines can cause problems to persons dependent on dialysis machines. A condition known as hernolytic anemia can occur if the disinfectant is not completely removed from the water that is used for the dialysate. Consequently, the pretreatment scheme used for the dialysis units must include some means, such a charcoal filter, for removing the chloramine prior to this date. Medical facilities should also determine if additional precautions are required for other

medical equipment. In addition, chloraminated water may be toxic to fish. If you have a fish tank, please make sure

that the chemicals or filters that you are using are designed for use in water that has been treated with chloramines. You may also need to change the type of filter that you use for fish tanks.

This change will effect customers served direct by North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority; customers served by the cities of Haskell, Munday, Knox City, Goree, Aspermont, Benjamin, O'Brien, Rochester and Rule; and customers served by the Paint Creek and Rhineland Water Supply Corporations. 25-26c

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The completion of your education, whether high school or college, brings you literally to the threshold of life. You have now been given all the skills you will need to go out into the "real" world and face whatever problems and challenges will be thrown in your way. In the same manner, your religious education will prepare you to come to

grips with life; only there is no 'graduation" from this school. Faith must be continually studied, renewed and practiced, and your education never stops; but the rewards are the confidence and peace of mind which enable you to face any situation that may arise. This knowledge is available to you at the church of your choice every Sunday.

First United Methodist Church

Dolan Brinson, pastor

Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Rochester

-SAGERTON-

Sagerton Methodist Church

Melissa Bemis, pastor

Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m.

Faith Lutheran Church

Deborah Nissen, pastor

Sun. Morn. 9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

Sagerton

•—RULE—•

First Baptist Church

Josh Stowe, pastor

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

1001 Union Ave., Rule

Primitive Baptist Church

Dale Turner Jr., pastor

First & Third Sundays 10 a.m.

Corner of 8th & Robins, Rule

Church of Christ

John Greeson, minister

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:40 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

811 Union, Rule

First United Methodist Church

Wendall Fergerson, pastor

Sun. Morn. Worship 10 a.m.

1000 Union Ave., Rule

Primera Iglesia Bautista

Alfa y Omegs

Manuel Marin, pastor

Sun. Morn. 10 a., 11:00 a., 5 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m.

500 Elm Street, Rule

Sweet Home Baptist Church

Bill Trice, pastor

Sun. Morn. 10:00 a., 11:00 a., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m.

Gladstone Ave., Rule

West Bethal Baptist Church

Rev. Robert Sweet

Sun. Morn. 10 a.., 11 a., 8 p.m.; Wed. 7:30 p.m.

300 Sunny Ave., Rule

---PAINT CREEK--

Paint Creek Baptist Church

Sun. Morn. 10:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.

Paint Creek

--O'BRIEN-

O'Brien Baptist Church

Milton McManus, pastor

Sun. 9:45 a.., 11 a., 5 p., 6 p, Wed. 6 p.m. O'Brien

ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY

-HASKELL-East Side Baptist Church Dr. Jim Helfin, interim pastor Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.; Wed. 7 p.m. 600 N. 1st East, Haskell Christian Church Dusty Garison, minister

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 107 N. Ave. F, Haskell New Vision Family Worship Center 864-5438 Sun. 9:45 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m., Wed. 7:00 p.m.

East Hwy 380, Haskell Trinity Lutheran Church Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 Hwy 380 East, Haskell Iglesia Bautista El Calvario Art Flores, Interim pastor Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a.m., 5 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

607 S. 7th, Haskell First United Methodist Church Allen Brooks, 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 George Roney Sat. Mass 7 p.m.; Sun. Morn. 9:00 a.m. 901 N. 16th, Haskell Church of Christ Brett Anderson, 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 Steve Beatty, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m. 306 N. Ave. E, Haskell Trinity Baptist Church Tony Grand, pastor Sun. Morn. 10 a., 11 a., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p. 401 S. Ave. D, Haskell Hopewell Baptist Church Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

908 N. Ave. A, Haskell

Greater Independent Baptist Church Rev. Tom Collins, pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a., 11:00 a., 6:30 p.; Wed. 7 p.

New Covenant Foursquare Bill and Renee Glass, pastors Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 7 p. 200 S. Ave. F, Haskell

301 N. 3rd St., Haskell

Mission Revival Center Rev. William Hodge Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Tues. 6 p.m. 1600 N. Ave. B, Haskell First Baptist Church

Kevin Hall, pastor

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:55 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 301 N. Ave. E, Haskell Church in the Park Rev. Tim and Suzann Townsend Sun. Morn. 10:30 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Gazebo or Pavillion

Cornerstone Baptist Fellowship Dr. Gibbie McMillan, Interim pastor Sun. Morn. 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. 1303 N. Ave. I, Haskell ---WEINERT-First Baptist Church

J. C. Baker, pastor Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m. Weinert Weinert Foursquare Church

Rev. Robert Harrison Sun. Morn. 10 a.m., 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Weinert ---ROCHESTER---Church of Christ

Steve Wilis, minister Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 6 p.m.; Wed. 6 p.m. West on Main Street, Rochester First Baptist Church Jackie Brem, pastor

Sun. 11:00 a.m., 6 p.m.; Wed. 7:00 p.m. 500 Main, Rochester Union Chapel Baptist Church Rev. Clarence Walker

Sun. Morn. 9:45 a., 10:45 a., 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

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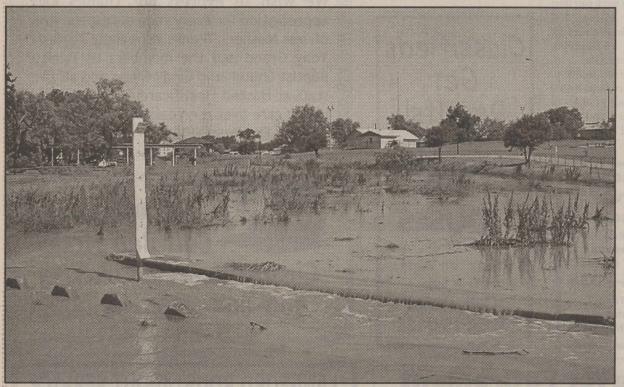
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HIGH WATER SEEKS THE CREEK-Flowing over the road at the City Park, muddy rainwater found its way through the dry creek bed and overgrown vegetation of Rice Springs after the recent rains.

# Old Glory Days set July 3

The Stars and Stripes will wave on in all its glory on the eve of Independence Day in Old Glory.

Planned during events beginning with noon traditional parade of flags from every state followed by the Old Glory Belle Contest, an auction, bingo, kite flying, a motorcycle rally including bike games, horsehoes, fireworks, Western music by the Sidekicks and a dance.

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The original name of Old Glory was Brandenburg in honor of German immigrants who settled in the area. The town changed its name during World War I to prove allegiance to the Allies and the new

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#### **Students** in the News

Haskell students among 327 others graduating from Texas State Technical College in commencement exercises held Sat., June 5 at the Abilene Civic Center were Travis Poteet, B. J. Opsahl and Chris Acosta.

Poteet was the commencement guest speaker representing the TSTC West Texas Sweetwater location. He was nominated as speaker for the occasion by faculty, and selected by the President and Center Dean/

# New learning center to open July 5

West Central Council of Governments, Communities in Schools and the Haskell CISD are announcing the newest 21st Century Learning Center. The Texas Education Agency awarded the 21st Century Books & Beyond grant to the Council of Governments in April 2004, allowing expansion into Anson, Stamford and Haskell.

Students in Haskell CISD will soon have the opportunity to improve their school work, as well as enjoy

new and different types of activities in the 21st Century Books and Beyond Learning Center. The new program will begin Mon., July 5, and continue through Fri., July 30. The goal of the program is to help kids who have struggled with the TAKS test or have had difficulty in a traditional classroom setting.

Registration is Thurs., June 24, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Classes will begin Mon., July 5 at 8:30 a.m. Students will register at their campus.

For more information on the elementary program, call Vickie Josselet at 864-2654, ext. 344. For information on the program for grades 7-12, call Dusty Garison at 864-8535, ext. 226.

Haskell Secondary Principal Bryan McCulloch noted that this program is separate from the summer school program now in progress at the school. He added that the current program is for students who were in danger of failing a course and who

were required to participate either in June summer school or attend mandatory tutorials after school begins in August. He stresses that although these students may attend the 21st Century program, they must still complete their other requirements.

If parents have questions or need additional information, they can contact Heidi Gesch at 325-721-5965 or 325-773-4000, ext. 2303.

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