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Freese & Nichols To Make Survey of Proposed Lake

Freese & Nichols, Inc., of Dallas, has been selected to make a preliminary survey of a proposed lake in Haskell County.

The preliminary survey would be made by a team of engineers and geologists who would determine the feasibility of the project. The lake would be located on the Haskell River, about 15 miles north of Haskell.

The project is being sponsored by the Haskell County Board of Commissioners. The lake would provide a source of water for irrigation and would also be a recreational area for the community.

The survey is expected to be completed by the end of the year. If the project is approved, the county would be responsible for the construction of the lake.

The lake would be about 100 acres in size and would have a depth of about 10 feet. It would be a significant addition to the county's water resources.

The project has received the approval of the state and federal governments. The county is now in the process of securing the necessary permits for the lake.

The lake would be a major asset to the county and would provide a source of water for many years to come. It would also be a beautiful addition to the landscape.

The project is a long-term investment in the county's future. It would provide a source of water for the growing population and would also be a source of pride for the community.

The lake would be a significant contribution to the county's water supply. It would provide a source of water for the county's farms and ranches and would also be a source of water for the county's residents.

The project is a major undertaking for the county and would require a significant amount of money. The county is currently raising money for the project through a bond issue.

Emergency Feed Grain Program Is Extended

Walter T. McKay, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, has advised Wm. E. Lawson, County Supervisor of the extension of the Emergency Feed Grain Program in Haskell and Stonewall Counties.

The program is designed to provide feed grain for livestock during periods of drought. It allows farmers to receive a subsidy on the grain they purchase.

The program is being extended for another year. This will allow farmers to continue to receive the benefits of the program during the current drought.

The program is a vital part of the state's drought relief efforts. It helps farmers to keep their livestock and maintain their livelihoods.

The program is a key component of the state's agricultural policy. It helps to stabilize the agricultural economy and provides a source of income for farmers.

The program is a major source of support for the state's farmers. It helps them to weather the difficult conditions of a drought and maintain their operations.

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The program is a key element of the state's economic development strategy. It helps to create jobs and support the state's economy.

The program is a major source of support for the state's rural communities. It helps to improve the quality of life for farmers and their families.

The program is a vital part of the state's social safety net. It provides a source of support for the state's most vulnerable citizens.

C. of C. Directors Discuss Proposed Municipal Lake

Discussion of the proposed municipal lake now under study was the dominant topic at the monthly meeting of Chamber of Commerce directors Tuesday morning in the dining room of the Texas Cafe.

The directors also were shown replicas of the Highway 24 Association signs which will be used to publicize the East-West route through this section. The plan has the approval of the local civic organization, and directors agreed that cost of the signs was very reasonable. Haskell will pay \$5.00 per month for the signs and billboards to be placed along the highway from Old Glory to Greenville.

W. H. Cox, Jr., was named chairman of a committee to select a speaker for the annual C. of C. banquet. Serving with him on the panel will be Joe Harper and C. O. Holt.

In the general discussion of the proposed lake, Jim Strain, well known West Texas contractor, termed the project a sound solution to the water problem. Preliminary estimates place capacity of the lake at from 17,000 to 25,000 acre feet, and Strain pointed out that the City of San Angelo, with a population of 60,000, was supplied for years by a lake of that size. He estimated cost of the entire project would not exceed one million dollars.

HHS Indians Scalp New Diana 20-12 Friday Night

A rampaging band of Haskell Indians forayed deep into East Texas Friday night to scalp the strong New Diana squad 20-12 for the Tribe's fourth win on a perfect season's record.

It was the Redskins' second invasion of East Texas territory and the journey added more than 400 miles to the Indians' travel record, pushing total mileage logged by the Tribe this season almost to the 1,000 mile mark.

New Diana, a two-touchdown favorite over the Indians, was unable to mount a scoring offensive until the last half, while the Redskins struck for pay dirt in both the first and second periods to acquire a 14-0 lead at half-time.

Lyndon Harris drove from the two-yard stripe for the first period Indian score and John Sam Rike booted the extra point.

Jimmy Don Brock blasted through from the six for the In-charge counter in the second frame, and Rike converted with a perfect kick.

On the final play of the game, Indian QB Robert Starr intercepted a New Diana pass squarely in midfield and ran over and through the entire New Diana squad on a 50-yard TD jaunt and the Indians' final marker.

New Diana fired up in the third frame as Lancaster raced over from the 15. Kick for extra point was blocked by Indian tackle Linton New Diana entered their final tally in the fourth when Jimmy Westbrook scored from nine yards out. It was Linton again who blocked the enemy kick for extra point.

The Indians will be idle for two weeks—until Nov. 2—when they host a return game with New Diana in Indian Stadium.

The Indians' success has been a source of pride for the community. It has shown that the team is capable of competing at a high level and has earned the respect of their opponents.

Two Men Critically Injured When Car Overturns

Two well-known Haskell farmers, John Pennington, 58, and Johnny Mullins, 52, were critically injured Monday afternoon when their car went out of control and overturned, three miles south of Haskell on Highway 277.

Both men are in the Haskell County Hospital, where Mr. Pennington, most critically injured of the two, was given a "50-50" chance for recovery. He suffered a broken neck, severe head injuries and possible concussion, together with deep lacerations on his right arm and shoulder, as well as cuts and bruises on his body.

Mr. Mullins received severe back injuries, fractured pelvis, and cuts and bruises over his body. Both men are prominent farmers and longtime residents here. Pennington is a brother of Sheriff Bill Pennington.

The accident happened at 2:30 p. m. The men had started to Abilene to visit Curt Pennington, brother of John Pennington, who had been carried to an Abilene hospital Monday morning for medical treatment.

Their car, a 1954 Dodge sedan belonging to Mullins, who was driving, went out of control on a sloping curve in the highway, made slippery by a hard shower of rain which had just fallen. The car overturned end over end twice, throwing both occupants out of the vehicle. Mullins was thrown a distance of some 25 feet from the car. Pennington was thrown into a barbed wire fence at the edge of the highway right-of-way. The car was almost totally demolished.

Mrs. Doyle Norman of Rule, driving south on the highway, saw the car occupied by Pennington and Mullins when it went out of control. She said the two occupants were thrown from the car when it overturned the second time. Mrs. Norman and other passing motorists stopped to give what aid they could, and summoned an ambulance and officers.

The injured men were rushed to the Haskell Hospital, where for a time it was feared both had been fatally injured.

However, Mr. Mullins rallied somewhat Monday night, and continued to show slight improvement Tuesday and Wednesday. Reports from the hospital Wednesday night indicated he was well on the way to recovery, barring complications.

Condition of Mr. Pennington remained critical Wednesday, although he had partially regained consciousness at times, and his physician said he "was holding his own."

Record Homecoming Crowd Due At Mattson Saturday

Largest gathering in the history of the Mattson community is expected Saturday, date for the annual Mattson Homecoming of ex-students and former teachers in Mattson Rural High School, as well as for all former residents of the community.

All plans for the annual event have been completed, and sponsors said today that arrangements had been made to welcome and entertain a record crowd.

Old photographs of early day student class groups and buildings will be one of the highlights of the Homecoming.

Homecoming officials report that a number of the early day photos have been received for the display. The completion of this display wound up the work of the members of the committees for the annual event, it was reported.

The all day affair will begin with registration at 9 a. m. Gus Coleman of Duncan, Okla., has accepted the invitation extended by the school to be master of ceremonies for the day. Coleman was superintendent of schools at Mattson in 1933-34 and 1934-35.

Another former member of the Mattson faculty will be guest speaker. He is Sam B. Guynes, now coach at South Taylor Junior High School in Abilene.

The afternoon will feature a Boy Scout Homecoming program and barbecue supper. The supper will be served at 5 p. m. and the committee officials said that each family attending bring a salad.

Climax of the event will be a 6-man football game to be played between the Mattson Mustangs and the Weinert Bulldogs on Saturday night.

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Tax Valuations in County Hit Mark Of \$19,217,850

Tax valuations on Haskell County tax rolls for the current year show an increase of almost one million dollars over last year, a report compiled by Tax Assessor-Collector Elizabeth Stewart shows.

Total valuations on the 1956 rolls amount to \$19,217,850 as compared with values of \$18,364,830 in 1955.

Taxes assessed for the current year including state, county, school, and water district amount to \$443,539.48, divided as follows:

State taxes, \$70,118.16; county, \$153,742.80; farm lateral road, \$28,956.97; school, \$137,064.91; Weinert Water District, \$3,983.24.

Listed on the rolls are 909,608 acres of land with a taxable value of \$7,984,340. Next largest listing is goods and merchandise with taxable value of \$2,615,895, while 4,785 vehicles including cars, buggies, wagons, automobiles, bicycles, motorcycles, etc., are on the tax rolls at a valuation of \$1,527,545.

Other renditions include 68 horses and mules valued at \$1515; 7,760 head of cattle with a valuation of \$165,825; 105 head of sheep valued at \$700; and one dog having a taxable value of \$20. No goats nor hogs are listed in the renditions.

Manufacturers tools, implements and machinery are listed as having a value of \$285,850 for tax purposes, with an additional \$85,940 valuation in this bracket on the unrendered roll.

Miscellaneous property is listed with a valuation of \$259,930, and state and national banks are on the tax rolls for \$78,000 valuation.

Railroads, with 73.86 miles of tracks, have a tax valuation of \$483,985, with the valuation of rolling stock listed at \$98,342. Railroads list intangible assets with taxable value of \$131,440, while intangible assets of utility companies are listed worth \$88,630.

Telegraph and telephone lines, 499.5 miles, have a tax valuation of \$78,280, while oil pipe lines are listed with a tax valuation of \$283,900.

Rains Skip Haskell Area, Soak Large Parts of State

Rains skipped Haskell and this immediate area during the first of the week, while pouring out drought-breaking moisture over large parts of the state.

Only precipitation of measurable quantity fell here Sunday night, ranging from .22 to .17 inch in Haskell, with up to one inch reported in parts of the county.

Rainfall ranging upward to two inches and more fell in the Wichita Falls area and extended as far south as Munday, where 1.27 inch was measured.

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J. D. Long, 49, Dies Tuesday; Rites Held Here Wednesday

J. D. Long, 49, well known Haskell resident, died at 10:35 a. m. Tuesday in the Haskell Hospital. A driller and oil field worker for the past 15 or 20 years, Mr. Long had been in failing health for two years.

Funeral service for Mr. Long was held at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church. Officiating was the Rev. Hubert Sego, pastor of Lone Star Baptist Church near Floydada, Texas, assisted by Rev. L. O. Robertson, pastor of Mattson Baptist Church.

Burial was in Willow Cemetery under direction of Holden Funeral Home.

Mr. Long was born Sept. 6, 1907 in Comanche County, Texas, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Long. He came with his parents to Haskell County in 1914 and had made his home here since. He married the former Miss Blanche Anderson of Haskell on Sept. 17, 1935.

Weinert Lad Has Both Legs Broken When Hit By Car

Danny Earle, sophomore in Weinert High School, is in the Haskell Hospital with both legs broken as the result of an accident Saturday night in Weinert.

The youth was hit by a pick-up truck driven by Jerry King, a classmate of Danny.

The accident happened about 11 p. m. and occurred while Danny and Jerry and about 12 other youths of high school age were playing and having a water fight at the W. B. Guess Service Station.

Condition of the injured youth is reported favorable and he is expected to recover rapidly.

Place of Holding O'Brien Election Is Changed

Dwight Gothard, election judge in the O'Brien voting precinct, has announced a change in location for holding the coming General Election.

Voting in the General Election will be held in the Fellowship Hall of the O'Brien Methodist Church, Gothard said, instead of in the gin office which has previously been used for elections.

He advised O'Brien voters to keep this change in mind and come to the Fellowship Hall to cast their vote.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. T. Fridley of Abilene visited friends in Haskell Monday. Rev. Fridley is former pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Firemen Pick Baird For April Meeting Of Association

Baird was selected as host city for the April meeting of the Mid-West Firemen's Association, in the closing session of the 36th semi-annual meeting of the association here Thursday.

The association also selected the Rev. Lawrence Hayes, pastor of the Rotan First Baptist Church, as chaplain. He succeeds the Rev. Joe P. Self, Jr., of Albany, Texas, who tendered his resignation. About 225 firemen and their wives registered. They represented fire departments at Snyder, Merkel, Roby, Haskell, Rotan, Colorado City, Throckmorton, Hamlin, Albany, Baird, Spur, Abilene and Abilene Air Force Base.

The association voted to make registration fees at conventions at \$2 for men, and \$1 for women and children over 12 years of age.

Principal addresses at the afternoon business session were delivered by Clark Rice, Abilene, representative of the National Board of Underwriters, and Judge Ben Charlie Chapman of the 39th District Court, Haskell. Rice discussed arson and incendiary fires. A peculiarity, he said, was that firemen usually suspected a set fire by circumstances on their arrival at the scene. Typical methods employed to set houses afire were illustrated.

Judge Chapman paid high compliment to volunteer firefighters. "They get no salary, assume great responsibilities and put their lives in jeopardy," he said. "Our fire boys today are trained for their jobs and work without recompense. Why do they give their time and risk their lives in the service? Because they want to protect and build a better town. Firemen are Democracy in action."

The meeting was convened by President Charles Bennett, Rotan. Invocation was by Chaplain Joe E. Self, Jr., Albany. Mayor J. E. Walling, Jr., extended the welcome and L. B. Brown, fireman's vice president, gave remarks.

Rebekahs Initiate Three New Members Monday Night

Three new members were initiated into Haskell Rebekah Lodge No. 43 at its regular meeting Monday night. Thirty-one members were present for the evening session.

New members taking initiatory degrees were Lela Ruth Harris, Maxine Anderson, Viola Tidwell, all of Haskell.

At the close of the lodge session, refreshments of cake and punch were served to all present. Rebekah degree team which confers initiatory work is composed of Callie Robison, team captain; Eva Spear, Noble Grand; Ida Farrell, BSGR; Clara Holt, LSGR; Betty Harris, Vice Grand; Mary Kingston, RSVG; Grace McKelvin, LSVG; Leona Pearsey, Chaplain; Ethel Bird, RSC; Bernice New, LSG; Hazel Tyler, Past Noble Grand; Avis Pennington, RSVG; Ruth Lawson, LSVG; Gertrude Waggoner, Warden; Juanita King, Conductor; Ruth Landrum, Rebekah; Laverne New, Mother of Sampson; Avis Pennington, Hannah; Mary Kingston, Deborah; Pansy Harris, Queen Elder; Barbara New, Ruth; Ethel Bird, Naomi; Lavonia Kelson, Olga; Frances Arndt, Sarah; Della Ashley, Miriam; E. Colfield, Edna; Ruby Alvia, the Organist; Emma Phipps, Abilene; and Thelma King, Brown.

West Texas Cotton Allotment for '57 To Be Unchanged

Congressman George Mahon of the 19th District advised from his office in Lubbock this week that he has received information from the Department of Agriculture in Washington indicating that 1957 cotton acreage allotments in Texas will be about the same in each county as in 1956.

The Department of Agriculture has approved a compromise which had been submitted by the State ASC committee which will allow the State committee to withhold from the State allotment slightly less than four per cent for small farms of 15 acres or less. For hardship cases and all purposes other than small farms 2.78 per cent will be withheld. West Texas farmers and farm groups had asked that not more than two per cent be withheld for other small farms. The total amount withheld for purposes will be about 6 1/2 per cent of the State allotment.

Mahon said, "I had joined with other West Texans in an effort to keep the withheld acres to the least possible figure. I think our efforts helped because an additional large shift of acreage out of West Texas in 1957 is not now contemplated. However, the compromise plan still gives the edge to the small farm areas of East Texas."

Mrs. Ellen Ballard Dies Tuesday After Long Illness

Mrs. Ellen Louise Ballard of Cisco, mother of A. T. Ballard, Haskell businessman, died at 3 p. m. Tuesday in this city, where she had been making her home since May of this year. Mrs. Ballard, a longtime resident of Cisco, had been in failing health for several years. She was 80 years old.

The body of Mrs. Ballard lay in state in Holden Funeral Home here until Wednesday morning, then was carried to Cisco where funeral services were held at 2 p. m. in Hamner Funeral Home in that city.

The Rev. Mart Agnew officiated for the rites and burial was in the Gorman, Texas, cemetery beside the grave of her late husband.

Mrs. Ballard was born April 23, 1876, in Shackelford County and was married to James Henry Ballard of Albany on Jan. 23, 1895. He died at Cisco in 1942. They were residents of Cisco many years.

Mrs. Ballard was a member of the Cisco First Baptist Church. She is survived by two sons, A. T. Ballard of Haskell and W. C. Ballard of Abilene; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Bowles of Cisco; five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; and a brother, George Timms of Winters.

Capt. Theo Moore Completes Special Flight Training

Capt. Theo Moore of this city was one of four Army pilots who recently completed an instrument flight school conducted by the Fort Ord, Calif., aviation section. Purpose of the course was to familiarize pilots with the use of navigational "eyes" to see through "blind flight" weather. Instruction covering these electronic devices is in line with a program to train all pilots to fly under instrument weather conditions. The course requires eight weeks to complete.

Capt. Moore, a veteran in the Army Air Force, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Moore of Haskell.

Indian Band to Visit San Antonio, Austin, Burnet

Members of the HHS Indian Band are eagerly awaiting their first major tour of the season. Friday morning the band leaves Haskell for San Antonio. There they will tour the Alamo and go through Brackenridge Park.

After spending the night, they will depart for Austin and the University of Texas Homecoming. After touring the state capitol the band will march in a parade Saturday afternoon. On Saturday night the Indian Band will, with about 150 other school bands, take part in the half-time performance at the Texas-Arkansas football game. Then the band will travel to Burnet for the night. Sunday the group will tour Longhorn Caverns before starting for home.

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Fire Destroys One Room House Early Wednesday

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed an unoccupied one-room house in the 200 block on South Avenue N early Wednesday morning.

Neighbors awakened by the blaze reported the fire at 3:30 a. m., and the small frame structure was engulfed in flames when firemen arrived.

The house formerly was occupied by Gus Hicks, neighbors said, but he had moved out of the house a few days ago.

Mexican Murder Trial Re-Set for Nov. 25th

Only murder trial pending on the 39th District Court docket, The State of Texas vs. Aquilino Martinez, has been re-set for Tuesday, Nov. 27.

The case previously had been tentatively set for Oct. 25.

Martinez, 51-year-old Latin American, is under Grand Jury indictment charging him with the Sept. 24 murder of Mrs. Guadalupe Luna, 31, on a farm north of Rule. She died from a bullet wound in her left breast before reaching medical aid. Martinez has been held in the county jail here since the slaying.

Relatives of Martinez have employed Gus C. Garcia, Kingsville attorney, as counsel for the accused man. Garcia conferred with District Attorney Royce Adams and other court officials this week in having the case re-set for Nov. 27.

Funeral Rites for Thos. M. Law, 87, Held Saturday

Funeral services for Thomas M. Law, 87, resident of Haskell for 10 years, were held at 10 a. m. Saturday in Holden Funeral Chapel. Mr. Law, who had been in failing health for several years, died at 7:45 a. m. Friday in a Big Spring hospital.

The Rev. J. E. Thompson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated for the final rites. Burial was in the Bethel cemetery in the Funston community, beside the grave of his wife who preceded him in death in 1938.

Mr. Law was born Nov. 5, 1868, in Alabama. He married the former Miss Emma Davis of Piedmont, Ala., in 1900.

During the early part of his life he farmed, and had operated a grocery store and service station at Dougherty, Texas. He came to Haskell County in 1946 from Florida.

Survivors include one brother, Lee Law, and one sister, Julia Law, both of Bosses, Ala., and several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were Johnny Booth, Raymond Davis, Wayne Lewis, Otto Hanny, Carl Garcia, Douglas Lane.

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Mattson School Lists 19 Pupils On Honor Roll

Honor Roll of Mattson Rural High School for the first six weeks of the 1956-57 term has been announced by Supt. Elvin T. Mathis. Nineteen students are listed.

The students and their parents are:

High School—Kathryn Rueffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rueffer; Valerie Darnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Darnell; Sue Sorenson, daughter of Mr.

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Haskell County History

30 Years Ago—Oct. 15, 1926
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Smith were in Dallas and Fort Worth the first of the week attending the Texas Centennial and the Frontier Festival.

Miss Hattie Lucille Paxton of Big Lake spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paxton.

Mrs. W. L. Norton, Clovis and Maurine Norton spent the weekend at Plainview and Hale Center visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson left this week for Alabama where they will visit their daughters, Mrs. A. H. Little and Mrs. W. A. Whitesides and other relatives.

Mrs. French Robertson, Mrs. Theron Cahill and Mrs. Virgil Reynolds spent Saturday in Abilene.

and Mrs. Speck Sorenson.

Grade School, 8th Grade—Georgia Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gray; Jerry Don Klose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Klose.

7th Grade — Marie Carruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Carruth; Carolyn Klose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klose; Jerry Kuykendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kuykendall.

6th Grade—Yvonne Moeller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Moeller; Shirley Klose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Klose; Frances Kreger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Kreger.

5th Grade — Nelda Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Gibson; Karen Wittenborn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wittenborn.

4th Grade—Dennis Opitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milbert Opitz; Mary Mathis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evin Mathis.

3rd Grade — Sherry Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newton.

2nd Grade—Keith Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman; Kay Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newton; Margana Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Walker.

Haskell Students On Yearbook Staff At Midwestern

Betty Lynn and Peggy Waldrip, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Waldrip, have been named members of the yearbook staff, the Wai-kun, at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. Betty is a 1954 graduate of Haskell High School, while her sister is a 1956 graduate. Betty is business manager, and Peggy is on the art staff.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Fred Custis, Minister
 Bible Study 9:45 a. m.
 Worship 10:45 a. m.
 Sermon subject: "Pharaoh, Satan's Ally."
 Evening worship 8:30.
 Sermon subject "Does It Matter?"

Ladies Bible Class meets Wednesday morning at 9 a. m. and the lesson is the 27th chapter of Matthew. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Devotional conducted by young men's training class and Bible classes for all ages.

M. R. MURRELL RETURNS FOR COTTON SEASON
 M. R. Murrell of Gainesville arrived Monday and will reopen his cotton office here for the season. One of the leading cotton buyers in this section, Mr. Murrell has maintained an office here for several years. His office is in the Old Post Office location.

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Mrs. Server Leon and daughter, Madge, and Miss Clara Belle Edwards spent several days in Dallas this week.

Mrs. J. B. Nellums and son Bill, and daughter Mrs. Mahlon Boggs of Munday, were in Chillicothe last Friday to attend the funeral of a nephew of Mrs. Nellums.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Fields left this week for Dallas where they will visit the Centennial. They plan to visit in several other cities before returning.

Announcement has been received here of the opening of offices in Dallas by John M. Pace, M. D., for the practice of Diagnostic and Surgical Urology. His offices are located in the Medical Arts Building.

Mrs. E. M. Whiteaker had as visitors in her home this week, her mother, Mrs. Nicholson, and a sister Miss Mary Nicholson, both of Stanton.

Miss Nettie McCollum spent several days this week with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John L. McCollum in Dallas.

30 Years Ago—Oct. 14, 1926
 Southern Gibbs, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs, was fatally injured Sunday morning while playing in the seed house of the old Oil Mill. The lad and several other boys were climbing on the conveyor shaft when young Gibbs lost hold and fell a distance of 15 feet, fracturing his skull. He was carried to the Stamford Sanitarium, where he died several hours later.

An automobile belonging to Dr. Crume of Rochester, which was

stolen from in front of the Fairgrounds here two weeks ago has been recovered in Sierra Blanca, Sheriff Turnbow said this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parsons made a business trip to Dallas and also spent several days at the State Fair this week.

Dr. J. M. Baker left Tuesday night for Dallas where he will attend a meeting of the State Medical Association and also attend the Fair.

Mrs. C. D. Long returned home last Sunday from North Carolina, where she spent the summer with relatives. On her return trip she came by Farmersville and spent several days with her son, Wertha Long and family, and also visited a few days in Wichita Falls with two other sons, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Long and Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Long.

Mrs. Bruce W. Bryant is a patient in the Wichita Falls General Hospital, where she is being attended by her brother, Dr. Joe A. Guest of that city.

Farmers in the Center Point and Sayles communities report that practically all the cotton in that section is open, and that as a result of the scarcity of labor, some of the cotton is falling out and being damaged.

Chas. Fouts, manager of Brazelton Lumber Company in Rule, was a patient in Baylor Hospital, Dallas, last week where he had his tonsils removed.

30 Years Ago—Oct. 13, 1926
 Owing to the fact that there are several cases of diphtheria in town the Trustees and Board of Health thought it was best to suspend our school. Accordingly,

school was dismissed Tuesday to await further developments.

Haskell parties made up a trainload of cattle and shipped from this place to Fort Worth over the Wichita Valley yesterday. The shippers and number of cars shipped by, are G. R. Couch, M. S. Pierson, W. T. Hudson, A. D. English, S. S. Cummings, one car each; J. S. Boone, three cars; F. M. Morton and S. B. Pierson, two cars each. Several Stonewall County stockmen are here making arrangements for shipments.

The big stone hotel at Rule has been completed and Messrs. Foster & Jones, the owners, received it from the contractors yesterday. They have leased the building and it will be opened to the public at an early date, we understand.

J. E. Solomon was in town Tuesday with cotton. He says his yield is averaging from one-half to three fourths of a bale per acre, and some of his neighbors think they will get a bale per acre.

Work on the electric light plant is progressing rapidly and the wires are being strung up ready for connection as soon as the plant is ready for operation.

Mrs. J. S. Rike and daughter, Mrs. R. C. Montgomery, left yesterday to visit relatives at Graham and Farmersville, and will also attend the State Fair in Dallas.

The Wright House is about completed and gives Haskell one of the handsomest hotel buildings in West Texas. It is owned by Mrs. Theo Wright and she and her son, Byron, will operate it.

H. C. Cousins of the northeast side sold four bales of cotton in Haskell Monday.



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Texans Find Ike Stands For Same Things We Do

A fellow was in our town the other day selling men's suits. He was from St. Louis, and he said he was a manufacturer's representative. Grandpa would have called him a dry goods drummer, and Papa would have referred to him as a traveling salesman. This shows you how things change with time. But actually that fellow from St. Louis was doing just about what the earlier visitors did—trying to sell suits.

You might say that he stayed in the same place but the names went off and left him. Reminded me some of the political situation in Texas.

I was reading a letter in the daily newspaper last week, from a man who said he was going to vote for Eisenhower. "I am a Democrat," he wrote to the editor of the paper, "but I feel like the party has run off and left me."

Come to think of it, a lot of conservative-type Texas Democrats are in that shape today. They haven't changed their views on such things as local control, government spending, bureaucratic red tape, and freedom of the individual; they still travel the same road they did 20 or 30 years ago, even if they do it at 70 miles an hour instead of 30.

They grew up believing that a man could live down nearly any-

thing except voting for a Republican. They always voted "er straight, until a good many of them jumped over the traces in '52 and went for Ike.

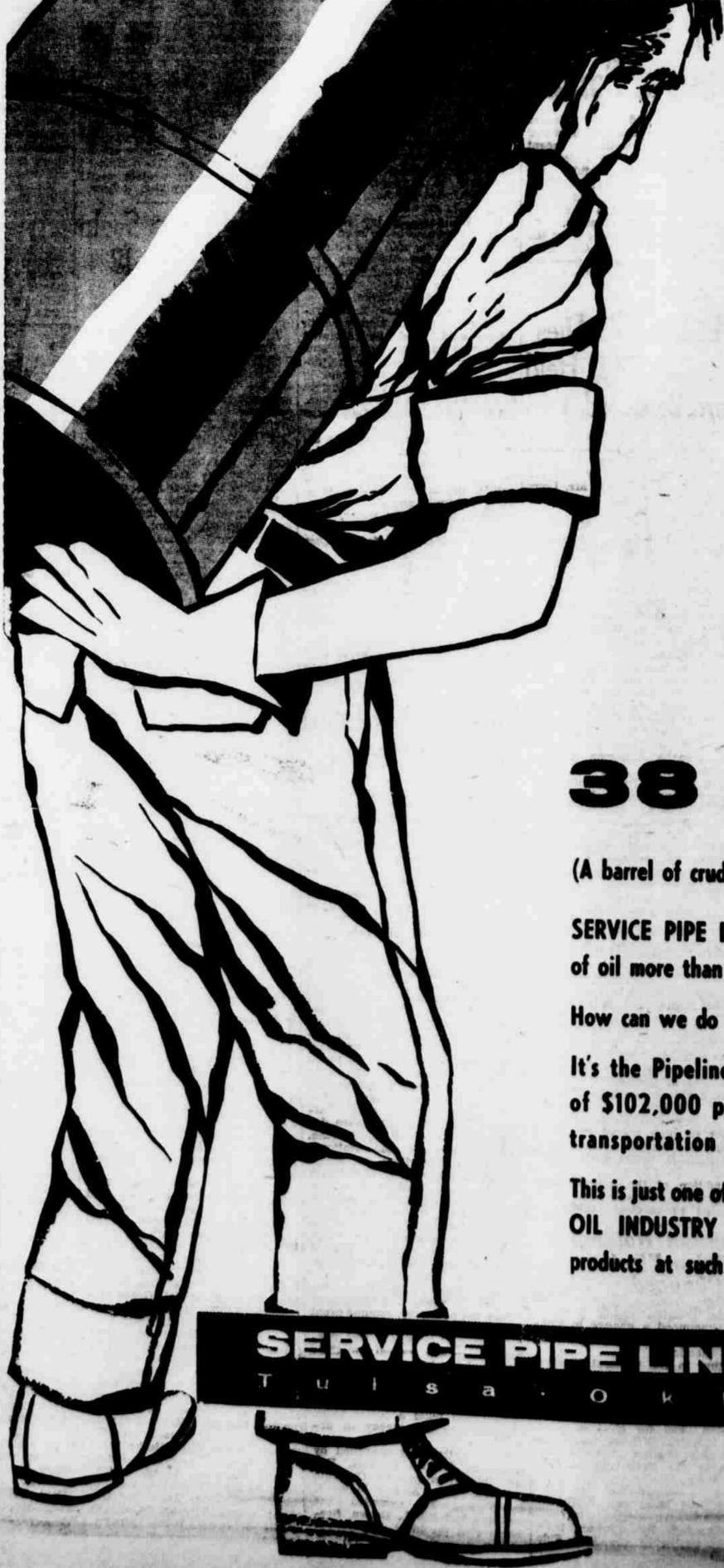
"I can't figure out what happened," one of them told me. "Seems like Eisenhower talks like a Democrat and Stevenson talks like a college professor."

The other day this same fellow said: "I think I've got it figured out. Ike stands for the things us Texas Democrats have always stood for. Adlai is too thick with Walter Reuther and that crowd to suit me. I'm going for Ike again."

That's the way with most folks in our town. They decided to give Ike a try at it in '52, and they like the way he has gone about the job. There are some things they wished he'd done a little different, but by and large they think he has made us a fine President. At least all the hometown boys are back from Korea, and as far as we can tell the government is being run honestly.

Somebody asked that Missouri suit salesman how Mr. Truman was getting along, and he said he didn't know. "He isn't in the clothing business any more," he explained. "In fact, as far as I can tell, he is clear out of all kinds of business."

Yours Truly,
 Alex



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Paint Creek... Community News

MRS. GENE OVERTON

There were some good showers in Paint Creek over the weekend and Monday. Some parts of the community had as much as an inch. The air was so cool, and the absence of blowing dust was wonderful.

The Life Magazine photographers were here for the Thursday night game with Benjamin and they were duly impressed with 6-man football. They sent in the pictures and material they had obtained Thursday, and then received another assignment to come back and get more pictures. The fact that 6-Man ball was played on a dirt field seemed to impress them. The dirt football field really had nothing to do with the game of 6-Man ball—we just don't have enough water at Paint Creek right now to have anything but a dirt field. Thursday night it was dirty and dusty enough to impress most of us, but we're used to it. That was a wonderful game, as all you Paint Creekers know, and I was so glad we won for the company. We had so many visitors from Haskell and Stamford, and we enjoyed having them.

Tuesday night when our Junior boys played, the Life Magazine photographer was to be back to take more pictures of our High School team, after the Junior game with Sagerton.

Miss Bess James of Portales, N. M. was a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae last week. Miss James taught with Mr. and Mrs. McRae at Forsan, and at Patton Springs. She attended our ball game Thursday, too.

John Pennington was seriously injured Monday afternoon when he turned his car over on the Haskell-Stamford highway as he hit loose gravel in passing a car. John Mullins was in the car with him, and is injured, but not so seriously. Mr. Pennington's children have been called home, and Johnny who is in the Navy and is stationed in Memphis, Tenn. now, arrived home Tuesday morning.

Paul and Frances Fischer received 1500 baby chicks Saturday from which they plan to have a laying flock of 1200 hens.

In an impressive ceremony at the Methodist Church Sunday night, Eagle Scouts Wallar and William Overton were awarded their God and Country Award. Ed Burnam of Coleman, who is on the committee of the Chisholm Trail Council, presented the boys to Rev. J. B. Thompson who made the awards. These are the first Scout in Haskell County to receive this award, but a Haskell Scout, Ted Dement will receive his God and Country at the vesper service at the Haskell Methodist Church this coming Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burnam of Coleman, Kenneth Lafferty, and Mr. and Mrs. Lennis Jones and granddaughter, Judy Jones, were guests of the M. E. Overtons Sunday evening.

Paul Fischer and Willie Lee Medford were in Lubbock Sunday and Monday on school business. They were able to obtain some additional furnishings for the agriculture shop at the war surplus depot in Lubbock.

Culver Carney from A&M Col-

lege visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Carney of Haskell. We claim him because he is a member of our Scout troop.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae were Rev. and Mrs. Dan Oglesby and children of Tuxedo. Rev. Oglesby is the pastor of the First Baptist Church at Tuxedo, and he and Mrs. Oglesby are former students of Mr. McRae.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Liven-good and sons spent last weekend in Crowell visiting Homer's twin sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. Grady Adcock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Herring of O'Brien spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jewel McLennan and son Paul.

Congratulations are in order for the members of the Church of Christ in Stamford on their beautiful new church building which was dedicated last Sunday morning at the regular service. Open house was held from 2 to 5 and the public was invited to attend with them. Members of this church from Paint Creek are Mrs. Veda Selby and sons David, Fred and Bobbie and Diane, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stevens and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shaw, Sue and Mike spent last weekend in Fort Worth as guests of Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin. They were met there by their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lees of New Orleans.

Our recent brides have been entertained with other bridal showers in Stamford, and several Paint Creek friends attended the wedding. Mrs. Lonnie Bounds was honored at a shower at the home of Mrs. John Davis in Stamford.

and she and Mr. Bounds were given a surprise party shower in Snyder where he is assistant manager of Perry's variety store. Mrs. Bounds is the former Gayle Calloway. Mrs. Billy Doty, the former Lois Howard was honored with a bridal shower Saturday, Sept. 29 at the home of Mrs. Eddie Roberts with co-hostesses Mrs. John Kohout and Mrs. A. B. Shelton.

Mrs. Raymond King spent last week in Seymour with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pitcock.

Mrs. H. L. Bosse and Mrs. Marvin Stanford were delegates from the Stamford Garden Club to the district meeting in Winters Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Thane were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dan LeFevre. Eldon had a week end leave from his Highway Patrolman training at the school in Austin. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thane and Delores.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bounds of Snyder spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Calloway and girls.

At the meeting of the Brotherhood at the Paint Creek Baptist Church Brooke Early was the main speaker and told of his trip to the Holy Land. He also spoke on the Relationship of the Soul and Soil. He is a member of the California Creek Conservation Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Ivy attended the Scouter's Round Table last Thursday representing Cub Pack 48.

Mrs. Allen Isbell is the new Den Mother of Den 1, Pack 48. This month the theme is Puppets and the Cubs are enjoying making puppets and planning skits around them for the Pack meet.

Emilee Griffith was at home from Hardin-Simmons last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Griffith. She brought her roommate, too, but I can't remember her name. They were at the ball game Thursday night, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Micker at-

tended the Texas Tech ball game Saturday in Lubbock and spent the weekend with their daughter, Sudy, who is a sophomore in Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McRae spent last weekend in Fort Worth where they visited Mrs. McRae's sister, Mrs. A. L. Lockwood. Mrs. Lockwood's son Alfred had only recently returned home from the Veterans Hospital in Waco, and they helped him celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Walter Nanny, who underwent surgery several weeks ago in the Haskell Hospital is much improved and may get to go home in a few days. Her daughter, Mrs. Bill Henry and her husband from Rantoul, Ill., has been here the past week to be with her mother.

Hoyt Perry returned home from the Stamford Sanitarium last Sunday morning and is feeling fine.

Wayne Perry had further surgery at Stamford last week, but is home now.

The Scout Finance Drive is in progress in the community this week, and Howard Montgomery,

Dan McRae or Bill Griffith will accept Scout contributions.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and Mike were in Abilene Monday night where Gene attended the meeting of the planning committee for the Scout Jamboree which is to be held next summer at Valley Forge, Penn.

Mrs. Raymond Davis has been working at the luncheon room at Haskell High School the past three weeks during the illness of Mrs. Truett Cobb. Mrs. Gene Overton has also been working in the Haskell school teaching in the absence of Mrs. Bill Lane whose little son is ill.

Classroom Teachers To Have Special Meeting Friday

The Haskell Classroom Teachers Association held a meeting Monday night, Oct. 15, in the library of the Elementary School. Members present discussed seriously some problems vital to pupils and teachers in Haskell. No actions were taken at this meeting, but teachers were urged to consider the problems.

Miss Madalin Hunt, president of the Association is calling a special meeting Friday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock in the library of the Elementary Building. At this time these problems will be voted upon, and other important business transacted. Every member of the Association is urged to be present Friday for this very important meeting.

HERE FROM ARLINGTON Robert Fitzgerald of Arlington, former resident of Haskell, spent several days here last week on business and visiting friends.

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Ike has not made this nation weaker but stronger and has done so with less waste and big spending.

Remember when you raise your exemption, you lower the taxes. Now, Giv-um Hell Harry, at Boston, promised if you elect Adlai we will raise the exemption from \$600.00 to \$800.00? YES, but will he? Before Democrats the exemption for a married couple was \$2,500.00. When Roosevelt died it had been cut to \$1,000.00. Four years later the exemption was raised, not by the Democrats, but by the Republicans. And it was done over Harry's veto. If Harry could tell the truth just one-third of the time it would help his picture quite a bit. Remember he represents Adlai.

The endowment of the State Public School System was near \$101,000,000.00. August '53, 7 years later it had increased to near \$196,000,000.00. From 1953 to 1956, three years later it had increased to near \$236,000,000.00. In other words it increased \$40 million more in three years under Ike than it did in Seven Years under Truman. Now all of this is not due to the Tidelands, but \$69,000,000.00 or about, is. Not many people understand how they get in on the Tidelands. Here is how they do. This \$69,000,000.00 is invested at say 3% or about and this annual income will run to some \$2,000,000.00 per year. This is placed in the available school fund which is distributed over the state as so much per capita for each scholastic. The writer recalls when this per capita was about \$6.00 to \$7.00, but it has now reached the attractive figure of \$76.00 and is still growing. Now in this County there are 2584 Scholastics and at \$76.00 each this gives the County a total of \$206,384 which is all paid to the Teachers. When you vote for Adlai you vote to reduce this permanent fund by \$69,000,000.00 and the available fund by \$2,000,000.00 each year. And this is the only beginning of the Tidelands income. Any teacher or taxpayer who would vote to reduce this fund ought to have his school taxes doubled, at least.

Ike has brought about the biggest tax cut in history. In the smaller brackets it was 10%, the highest bracket only 1%, the lies of Truman not withstanding.

From 1932 to 1952 the Democrats put out 11 tax increases. Over a similar period the Republicans gave out 7 tax reductions.

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| Case Bed, regular 89.50, now | \$69.95 |
| Chest, regular 79.50, now | \$69.95 |
| Bed, regular 39.50, now | \$32.95 |

3-Piece Gray Mahogany Bedroom Suite, Double Dresser and Mirror, Bookcase Beds and Table. Regular 219.50, now **159.50**

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Large Triple Dresser, Bookcase Bed and Large Night Table. Less \$100 trade in for old Bedroom Suite of condition. In sea shell mahogany. only **199.50**

Bed Room Suite in Gray Mahogany, Double Dresser, Bookcase Night Stand. Reg. 229.50, now, \$80.00 for old bedroom suite, regardless of condition, pay only **149.50**

Provincial Powder Table and Chair. Regular 97.00, now **57.75**

Living Room Furniture

Sofa Bed in Brown Tweed with full size mattress. Regular 219.50, now **179.50**

American Lounge Chair, brown print cover, Regular 79.50, now **44.50**

TV Swivel Chair in Coral. Regular 59.50. One-half price **19.95**

Spot Chair in toast. Regular 39.50, now **19.50**

Swivel Chair in gold metallic tweed. Regular 99.50, now **49.50**

Dehler Living Room Suite in green tweed. Regular 139.50, now **139.50**

Dehler Sectional in green metallic tweed cushions. Regular 229.50, now **149.50**

Ready brown plastic Living Room Suite. 2-Piece Sectional. Table, Step Table, Coffee Table, 2 Lamps, only **149.50**

Chair in brown tweed, makes bed for 2. Regular 149.50, now **99.50**

Platform Rocker and Odd Chair in attractive cover. Lined oak arms. Reg. 169.50, now **129.50**

American Love Seat in red and black cover. Regular 99.50, now **89.50**

Dehler and Carelton Lounge Chair in brown. Regular 69.50, now **59.50**

Dehler and Carelton Bedroom Chair in foam rubber and yellow print corner chair. Reg. 59.50, now **44.50**

Bed, Living Room Suite and Platform Rocker. Regular 139.50, now **89.50**

Large Solid Maple Hutch. Regular 149.50, now **109.50**

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| Large Group of End Tables. All 1/2 Price. Example: 32.95 Blonde mahogany Table | 16.50 | Lane Sea Foam Blonde Mahogany Console Model Cedar Chest. Regular 79.50, now | 49.50 |
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| Attractive small Maple Hutch Regular 149.50, now one-half price | 74.75 |
| 4-Odd Mahogany Dining Chairs with Plastic Seats. Complete set regular 79.50, now | 59.50 |
| 2-Sets of Dining Chairs in dark mahogany with beautiful striped seats. One host and 5 side chairs to each set. Regular 109.95 | 89.95 |
| Beautiful Dining Room Suite in Lined Oak. Drop leaf Table and 6 Chairs. Regular 299.50, now | 199.50 |
| One only—Rectangle Maple Gate Leg Table with two 10" leaves. Regular 129.50, now | 99.50 |
| Set of 6 Mahogany Ladder Back Dining Chairs with rush fiber seats. Regular 99.50, now | 69.50 |
| One only—Maple Ladder Back Chair with rush fibre seat Regular 19.50, now one-half price, only | 9.95 |
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| Sofa Bed and Platform Rocker in new cover, used only by elderly widow on Sundays and Holidays. Only | 69.50 | Used Eureka Vacuum Sweeper, upright, 76.50 new, used | 19.95 |
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| | | One used Platform Rocker recovered in brown metallic tweed cover. Only | 14.95 |

Payne, Price
Nov. 24
John P. Payne
approaching
daughter, Mary
Jack Price, also
will be Saturday.
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and Mr. Price
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Hospital Notes

The following persons were admitted to Haskell County Hospital this week:
John Tubbs, Haskell, medical
Mrs. Harry Howard, Haskell, surgery
Mrs. Truett Cobb, Haskell, medical
V. Vasquez, Rule, surgery
William Martinez, Rochester, medical
John Muffins, Haskell, accident
Mrs. Erma Watson, Haskell, surgery
Mrs. Eula Parker, Rochester, medical
Wil. Jeter, Rule, medical
Danny Allen Earle, Weinert, accident
John Pennington, Haskell, accident
Mrs. J. L. Loffler and infant daughter, Munday
Mrs. E. R. Tamm and infant daughter, Haskell, medical
Walter Nanny, Haskell, surgery
Ferber Chambers, Rule, medical

Dismissed
The following persons were dismissed from Haskell County Hospital this week.
Mrs. J. C. Allison, Rule; Mrs. Lewis Bruggeman and infant son, Haskell; R. L. Throneberry, Rule; Mrs. Travis Self and infant daughter, Rule; Mrs. "Red" Ivy, Haskell; Ebite Noaranjo, Rochester; Mrs. J. W. Medley, Haskell; Mrs. Joe Don Barnard and infant son, Knox City; I. J. Troy, Gore; W. A. Holt, Haskell; Jas. Kelley, Haskell; Mrs. H. D. Dugan, Old Glory; Mrs. Wayne Dunnam, Haskell; Mrs. Maud Lewallen, Haskell; Wallace Johnson, Haskell; Jack Bowen, Haskell; Nathan Foster, Haskell; Mrs. Claude Wheatley, Haskell; Harold Bredthauer, Sagerton.

Four births were reported at Haskell County Hospital this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Don Barnard, Knox City, a son, Joe Bruce, weight 8 pounds 11 1/2 ounces, born Oct. 13.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bruggeman, Haskell, a son, Danny Lewis, weight 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces, born Oct. 15.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Loffler, Munday, a daughter, Glenda Gall, weight 6 pounds 12 1/2 ounces, born Oct. 15.
Mr. and Mrs. Travis E. Self, Rule, a daughter, Patricia Jan, weight 7 pounds 15 ounces, born Oct. 15.

Artists Invited To Display Work In Bowie Show

An invitation has been extended to artists and persons doing any kind of art to exhibit their work and crafts in Bowie's Annual Sidewalk Art Show, sponsored by the Bowie Art League. The show will be held Saturday, Oct. 20, from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. No entry fee is charged. Professional judges will award ribbons to the best work in each class of arts and crafts. A registration table will be in front of Goodwin's Store on Wise Street. Prospective buyers of art will be on hand for the show.

District Meeting Of WSCS Slated at Munday Oct. 23

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Stamford District Methodist Church will hold a district meeting Tuesday Oct. 23 at Munday. Mrs. C. J. Robinson, district president, will preside for the meeting, which will begin at 10 a. m. Lunch will be served at the church and charge of 75 cents a plate will be made. Ministers of the Stamford District will also hold a joint session in Munday on the same date.
night Wegenhof killed five more raccoons. We are having reports of raccoon raiding chicken coops as their natural food is gone. Raccoons have cleaned up most cottontails and swamp rabbits in the brush.

HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS From Your State Capitol

By VERN SANFORD Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Texas—Texas' drouth relief program is in high gear again. President Eisenhower announced a double-barreled shot in the arm for cattlemen's feed buying projects. Grain subsidies were increased from \$1 to \$1.50 per hundredweight and the aid period extended 60 days to Dec. 31. An additional \$5,000,000 was allocated to the hay and roughage buying program. This had been stalled for nearly a month after the original \$1,000,000 grant ran out. Certificates good for \$7.50 per ton subsidy are again available to eligible livestock owners through the Farmers Home Administration.

To increase effectiveness of this project, officials said western railroads agreed to make a 50 per cent reduction in freight rates on carload lots of hay sent to drouth areas. Reductions were to take effect this past weekend. Both parties lost no time in making political hay with the new farm assistance. GOP National Committeeman Jack Porter said, "This will help greatly to win Texas for the Republicans." State Agriculture Commissioner John White, staunch Democrat, expressed gratitude, "regardless of the political aspects." But, he pointed out, help needed for several months ago didn't come until just before the election.

Both Parties Woo Texas—Both sides are rolling out heavy artillery in one of the most feverish campaigns for Texas' electoral votes in presidential campaign history. Democrats will have an all-star cast of seven U. S. Senators stumping the state from now until Nov. 6. They are Sens. Stuart Symington, Missouri; Michael Mansfield, Montana; Russell B. Long, Louisiana; John Kennedy, Massachusetts; Albert Gore, Tennessee; Robt. S. Kerr and Mike Moroney, Oklahoma.

In addition Texas own top Democratic brass, Sen. Lyndon Johnson, Speaker Sam Rayburn and Governor-Nominee Price Daniel, will be in the field. For the Republicans, Vice President Richard Nixon made a second visit and termed the Texas race "neck and neck." But, he contended, Eisenhower represents Texas Democrats' views better than Stevenson.

Each party had a "big event" within days of each other. Republicans saluted Texas-born Ike with a statewide birthday party Saturday. Democrats, hard-pressed for operating funds slated door bell ringing on "Dollars for Democrats Day" Tuesday.

State Department of Health officials said Texas so far has spent only \$540,000 of the \$3,064,124 allocated. If not used by June 30, 1937, funds will revert back to the U. S. Public Health Service. At the present rate of inoculation, say officials, a sizeable portion will be left over. In urging more widespread vaccination, they cited statistics. Polio death dropped to zero among persons having the prescribed series of three shots.

Harrison County obliterated paralytic polio in its population this year by mass inoculation of its 7,600 school children. First project of its kind in Texas, it was without cost to the children. County-wide cooperation of doctors, nurses, teachers and bus drivers made it possible. School Investments Outlined—Texas' permanent school fund now

totals more than \$335,000,000. It's the largest of its kind in the U. S. Annual income to public schools is about \$9,000,000, the State Board of Education has been advised by its investment counselor. Two-thirds of the fund is invested in the U. S. Government, the remaining \$15,000,000 in Texas. In-state investments include \$2,000,000 lent to school districts, \$8,000,000 to cities, \$21,000,000 to counties.

'New Look' In Licenses—Next year for the first time since 1932 Texans will have black and white license plates on their cars. Letters will be black, background white. State Highway Department said it is bowing to public insistence. Black and orange plates didn't blend with today's auto color schemes.

New tags also will be dressed up with a "lone star" between the prefix letters and the numbers. Texas Prison System is producing some 4,500,000 pairs of plates and 382,000 single plates. They go on sale Feb. 1. Expenses, Up—Income Down—Texas government spent \$11,000,000 more than it took in during September, according to Comptroller Robert S. Calvert. Expenditures totaled more than \$70,000,000, and revenue receipts came to only \$59,000,000. A net cash balance of \$32,671,870 was left in the general revenue fund. Last September was much better. Expenditures were \$63,000,000 and revenue, \$69,000,000.

Short Snorts—Jim Lindsey, outgoing speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, has resigned as executive vice president of the Texas Good Roads Association. He aims to devote more time to his new post as State Democratic Executive chairman. Cochran, Gaines, Lamb and Yoakum Counties have been added to the state's drouth disaster area. This brings the total to 218 of Texas. 254 counties, according to the governor's office. U. S. Dept. of Agriculture's October survey estimates Texas sorghum grain harvest for 1933 at 95,480,000 bushels. Other state crops forecasts: rice, 10,891,000 (100 lb.) bags; oranges, 2,300,000 boxes; grapefruit, 3,500,000 boxes. Texas

Boy Scouts officials in 531 towns are conducting a drive to raise \$2,500,000. Scope of the coming year's program for some 200,000 boys from 5 to 18 hinges on the campaign's success. Applications are being received to take competitive exams for four job classifications in the State Health Department. Tests will be given in the categories of food and drug inspector, junior sanitarian, junior engineer and health information specialist. Merit System Council, 814 Littlefield Building, Austin, will send information. Celebrations, programs and exhibits will be held across the state this week by thousands of Texans in the petroleum industry. Gov. Allan Shivers designated Oct. 14-20 as Oil Progress Week to point up the contributions of oil to the state's economy. Fall opening of the Texas School for the Deaf has been delayed a second time by the \$2,500,000 construction project on the campus. Previous opening day was Oct. 15. Now completion of 19 new cottages and two class buildings is not expected until sometime in November. Two new medical and surgical buildings being added to the Texas State Hospital System are

said to be among the nation's best. Washington experts inspected the new unit at Austin State Hospital and plans for a similar one at San Antonio. They termed both outstanding for beauty, economy and effective patient care. Benjamin Franklin designed a dollar made of silver, brass and pewter, bearing the motto, "Mind Your Own Business," and minted in 1776.

Prospects right now are slim for winter pastures, but says E. M. Trew, extension pasture specialist, plans, seed and fertilizer should be ready if and when it rains. The need for winter forage is critical in most areas of the state and winter pastures, if conditions become favorable, can be used to cut wintering costs for livestock and up the output of meat and milk from the farm.

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Sagerton News

By MRS. DELBERT LEFEVRE

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lambert last week were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Curtis of Hillsboro. Mr. Curtis is a nephew of Mr. Lambert. They left Friday morning for Idalou to visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Lambert and family.

Mrs. J. C. Kainer and children, Keith and Karen of Olton visited here last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Latham of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kainer here. The J. C. Kainers moved to Olton a short time ago. Mrs. Kainer was accompanied by Mrs. Roland Green and children, who also formerly lived in this community and now of Olton. Mrs. Green visited in Stamford with her grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stremmel and Mr. and Mrs. August Stremmel accompanied by Mrs. Ed Popp of El Campo motored to Morton last Tuesday to visit with Mrs. Popp's daughter, Mrs. Jerry Halevety and family.

A group of Sagerton men and their friends left Friday of last week for a hunting trip to Colorado. They were Reese and Whit Clark, Pete Kitley, J. W. Threet and son, Yater Benton, Jr., of Fort Worth and Harold Smith of Holliday. They went to join Chas. Clark and M. Y. Benton who went on ahead Tuesday of last week. They took their remodeled school bus, which has a built-in cabinet, stove and tables and chairs, and a station wagon and a pickup.

Mrs. John Clark is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Cobb and family in Midland this week, while her sons are gone on their deer hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Balzer of Schulenburg are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Balzer.

Mrs. John Brooks, postmistress at Sagerton left last week for New York where she is attending a National Postmasters Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morgan and son of Hobbs, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gunn last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knippling spent last weekend in Dallas with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Askew and Mr. Askew.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ulmer last weekend were his brother and family of Hobbs, N. M.

Harold Bredthauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer was a patient at the Haskell Hospital

Wednesday of last week with an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. C. C. Bredthauer celebrated her birthday Friday night, Oct. 12, when a group of friends and relatives gathered in the Bredthauer home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. B. Kupatt, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thane, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vahlenkamp and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vahlenkamp and family of Old Glory, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bredthauer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck and family, the honoree, her husband and son, Ernest.

R. E. Kennedy Will Head W.T.U. Public Service Department

R. E. Kennedy has been selected to head West Texas Utilities Company's new Public Service Department, according to an announcement made today by Cal Young, WTU president.

The new department was formed by the consolidation of the Advertising and Industrial Departments following the retirement of R. M. Fielder October 1. Mr. Fielder had served as head of the company's Industrial Department since 1946.

"One of the principal functions of the new department," Young said, "will be to assist and cooperate with local and area organizations and agencies in achieving the fullest development and utilization of the tremendous resources of the area served by this Company."

Kennedy has been employed by WTU for the past 23 years, has worked in the Advertising Department since 1943, and was made Advertising Manager in 1946 following his return from service with the Armed Forces. Previously he served in the Treasury and Purchasing Departments.

RECENT GUESTS IN THOMPSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Thompson of this city have had as visitors in their home recently, Mrs. Thompson's son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Gaston of San Diego, Calif., Mrs. Jim Robinson of Stamford, sister-in-law of Mrs. Thompson, and the Haskell woman's niece, Mrs. Russell Anderson of Fort Worth.

Paint Creek Blasts Benjamin 40-20; Play Goree Tonight

By WILLIAM OVERTON

Paint Creek will go to Goree tonight, Oct. 18, to play their strong squad. This will be their fourth district game.

Last Thursday the Pirates downed a very powerful Benjamin team 40 to 20 at Paint Creek. One of the largest crowds of the season sat in dusty weather to watch the six-man struggle.

The game was covered by members of the Life Magazine staff. Paint Creek is to represent 6-man football in Texas in their magazine.

In the first play after gaining possession of the ball in the first quarter, a beautiful pass from Eddie Lee Thane to Leon Hokanson carried the Pirates to the Mustang's two yard line where a Hokanson pass to Eddie Mack Earles made the first Paint Creek touchdown. A short time later, the Pirates scored a second time with a Hokanson pass to Kenneth Carlton.

In the dying minutes of the first quarter, Jim Bateman took the ball from Randy Barnett and made a Benjamin TD, closing the quarter with the score 12 to 6.

Paint Creek began another successful march goalward in the second period which ended when a Hokanson pass found Thane across for the third Pirate touchdown. A Mustang drive to the six ended when Paint Creek braced and took over on downs. The Pirates held the ball until the second period closed leaving the halftime score 20-6 in the Pirate's favor.

Benjamin was the only team to score in the third quarter. After intercepting a pass on the 50 they drove to the 11 where Barnett passed to Bateman for the score and to Sam Pierce for the extra point. Paint Creek moved still further ahead with two more TDs by Kenneth Carlton. Hokanson booted the point and later passed to Thane for the final Paint Creek score.

The Mustangs scored at the close of the game when John Hudson took the ball from Barnett for a 38 yard TD. The extra point was made with a pass from Barnett to Pierce. The game score was 40 to 20.

A sandwich supper was given the Benjamin team after the game by the Paint Creek team and Pep Squad.

Trade Uneven on Ft. Worth Cattle Market Monday

By TED GOULDY

Cattle trade was uneven and prices were about steady on most classes at Fort Worth Monday.

Some of the more desirable quality calves and cattle were steady to strong, and light canners and lower quality cattle and calves were steady to weak. Bulls were around 50c lower. Trade was reported highly uneven on virtually all classes as salesmen pressed for higher prices in view of the rain reports in much of the territory.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings cashed at \$17 to \$24, while common and medium offerings cleared at \$9 to \$16. Fat cows sold from \$8.50 to \$11 and canners and cutters sold from \$5 to \$8.50, while some emaciated lightweight canners attracting bids of under \$5 in some cases. Bulls sold from \$8 to \$11.50 with odd head above that range.

Butcher hogs sold 25c above Friday's close and sows were 50c higher. Choice hogs topped at \$16.25 to \$16.75 and less desirable weights and grades cashed at \$13 to \$16. Sows cashed at \$13 to \$16.

HASKELL VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker of Rising Star were in Haskell on a business trip last week and also visited with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Adams and other relatives and friends.

Elementary P-TA to Sponsor Halloween Carnival Oct. 27

The Haskell Elementary Parent-Teachers Association will hold the annual Halloween Carnival in the Elementary school on Saturday night, Oct. 27. All parents and children are asked to circle this date, and plan to have a night of fun.

The committee on arrangements has received notice that the witches, ghosts and goblins will be there in large numbers to add to the festivities.

The fun will start early. A delicious supper will be served by the Kindergarten, First and Second grades. Come early and give the family a treat.

Joe Harper will be manager of the Country Store, he promises to have some great bargains. Mrs. Guinn and Mrs. Johnson will have charge of the candy apples, and popcorn.

Miss Hunt, Mrs. Macon and Mrs. Studivant will direct the Cake Walk.

Mrs. Spain will have charge of the Sponge Bath. Mrs. Custis the Fish Pond, Mrs. Robinson the Picture Show, Mrs. Woodard the Spook House, Mrs. Martin, Basketball and Darts, and Mrs. Nellums the Milk Bottles.

Madam Seall-Knowall will be there to tell your fortunes.

Mr. and Mrs. Belton Duncan and son David, accompanied by Betty and Janice Hester and Vicki Medley, spent Sunday in Sherman, where they visited John and Jean Duncan, who are attending Austin College, and other students from Haskell and this area.

Model Plane Show Scheduled Oct. 28 In Abilene

A Model Plane Air Show will be held at Municipal Airport in Abilene Sunday, Oct. 28, co-sponsored by the Abilene Model Club and Texas Chiefs Model Club of Haskell.

Ervin Frierson, president of the local model club, said that all members of the T.C.M.C. would fly in the day-long show. Many different types of planes will be test flown and the Abilene Air Force will demonstrate various types of flying. The show will get underway at 8 a. m.

The model plane contest will follow the big event and high point trophies will be awarded to the fastest flying pilots and in such events as combat, stunts, and possibly team racing.

Anyone interested in competing should contact Nolan Lees, secretary treasurer of the T.C.M.C.

ATTENDS TWFO WORKSHOP IN FORT WORTH

Miss Beryle Boone, president of the Haskell Magazine Club, attended a workshop held by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Fort Worth last weekend. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Tommye B. Hawkins.

RETURNS FROM VISIT

Mrs. Lee Brown of Haskell returned from Cisco recently where she visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Toxie Cobb, Mr. and Mrs. Cobb became the parents of a daughter, Joy Katherine Sept. 30. Mrs. Cobb is the former Miss Nancy Brown, a HHS graduate of 1955.

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Morning worship at 10:45 consisting of Communion and preaching.
Sermon, "Walking Worthy of Our Vocation."
Evening service at 6:30. At this service we will have with us Bob and Hazel Chambers, missionaries who have spent five years in Japan, to bring us a report of their activities. Everyone is invited to come hear them.
Mid-week service at 7:30 on Wednesday evening Oct. 24. Bible study will be Acts, chapter 23. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

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J. Belton Duncan, Supt.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Message by the minister.
6:00 p. m. Pioneer Fellowship meeting with Senior Hi of Rule at 7:00.
7:00 p. m. Evening worship. Message by the minister.
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Farm Bureau Convention-Meeting New Officers and Directors Installed at

At the annual convention-meeting of the Haskell County Farm Bureau, held Monday night in the Elementary School Building, officers and directors were installed and fifteen resolutions were adopted and will be sent to the state convention meeting.

Officers and directors installed were: Adell Thomas, president; H. W. Smith, first vice president; Thurman Rice, second vice president; and directors Bert Davis, O'Brien; C. H. White, Rochester; V. P. Terrell, Weinert; Pat O'Keefe, Irby; F. A. Ulmer, Sager-ton; Jess Glover, Foster; Ayres Cox, Needmore. Retiring directors, who had completed two year terms are Sam Reed, O'Brien; M. S. Walker, Weinert; Felix Klose, Irby; Jerry Harrell, Foster; Buster Hodges, Needmore.

Hold-over directors with another year to serve are Fred D. Brown, Gilliam; Coye C. Jenkins, Brushy; W. H. Anders, Rule; Ira Coleman, Plainview; Speck Sorenson, Mattson; Arthur J. Moody, Paint Creek; Coyt L. Hix, Weinert; L. B. White, Jud; Shelby Johnson, Sayes and Center Point; and Gene Tonn, director at large. The organization has 17 directors.

Fifteen resolutions were discussed and voted on at the meeting and will be sent to the state convention meeting in Houston next month for further consideration by the state resolution committee. It is composed of two county officers and the district director from the thirteen districts in the state.

The local Farm Bureau group

voted to go on record favoring 15-16 inch staple as basis for the loan on cotton; also to favor loan price differential to be set up for light spot cotton; and also favored a resolution that all farm crops be based on 90 per cent of parity where under acreage allotments.

The Farm Bureau membership drive is still on and every member is urged to send in his renewal when due so that the workers will not have to contact them personally. President Adell Thomas said. The local group is trying to obtain a quota of 875 members by the end of October. Thomas reported they had sent in 780 and need the balance to obtain their quota.

Store Manager Is Enjoined Against Limiting Sales

As reported in a news story in The Free Press last week, John M. Edwards, Jr., and M System Stores were released from all charges in an injunction suit in 50th District Court at Benjamin.

However, an injunction was issued against O. W. Causey, the manager of the Knox City store individually enjoining him from violation of the sales limitation act of Texas.

Jerry Larned, student in John Tarleton College, Stephenville, was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Larned.

Drouth Aggravates; Statistics Show Important Need for Job of Managing Developing Traffic on Highway 24

Records from 27 agricultural experiment stations and field laboratories of the Texas A&M College System show that none received normal rainfall for the crop year, Sept. 1, 1955 through August 1956 and several got less than their normal rain fall.

Statewide, A. H. Walker, extension range specialist, says this is the worst drouth situation in history because most areas in the state have had several years in succession of below normal rainfall. It has made the job of keeping grass supplies ahead of livestock a tough one. Walker says drouths are common to the state and ranchmen must include in their management plans provisions to take care of them, but when 6, 7 or 8 years of prolonged drouth must be reckoned with, some really tall figuring must be used.

He suggests steps which ranchmen can take during drouth periods. If some forage is left on the range, distribute the livestock so as to obtain uniform use of all forage. A thorough job of culling and selection should be done in an effort to balance feed and livestock numbers. For the foundation herd, which is about all that remains on many ranches, Walker suggests feeding for the best possible calf or lamb crop. This means, he adds, that enough forage must be supplied for both maintenance and reproduction. It takes a good calf or lamb crop to pay off loans so protein and vitamin A should be provided. In some areas phosphorus supplements are needed.

Walker suggest low cost roughage such as cotton seed hulls, oat straw, peanut hulls and others be used to replace a part of the more expensive roughages. If no range forage is available, livestock should be kept in a small pasture for feeding. There is no point in letting the stock do further damage to depleted ranges by trampling the dry grass stubble.

If conditions warrant, small grain pastures should be planted. Local county agents can supply a copy of "Range Management vs. Drouth." It should be a help in planning future operations.

Elementary School Lunchroom Menu For Coming Week

Menu for the Elementary School lunchroom during the coming week has been planned as follows:

Monday, Oct. 22—Simply delicious skillet dinner, whole kernel corn, spinach, sliced bread, milk or chocolate milk, raisin cinnamon rolls.

Tuesday, Oct. 23—Chicken dressing, giblet gravy, stuffed celery, green beans, rolls, milk or chocolate milk, jellied fruit salad.

Wednesday, Oct. 24—Chilli con carne, buttered potatoes, chef's salad, yeast baking powder biscuits, milk or chocolate milk, apple cobbler.

Thursday, Oct. 25—Lemon tuna bake, cheese sticks, creamed potatoes, buttered English peas, roll, milk or chocolate milk, banana pudding.

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A project to publicize State Highway 24 as an East-West route through this section of the state, which is being organized by Haskell and other cities between this point and Greenville, is gaining support. C. of C. Manager Rex Felker reports.

The following summary of statistics regarding the project has been assembled for study by the towns and cities interested in publicizing the traffic artery:

There are eleven counties on Highway No. 24 and nine others are greatly benefited by this East-West highway. Counties traversed by Highway 24 have a total population of 138,200, while an additional population of 253,500 is in counties which are furnished an east-west outlet by the highway, for a total "traffic population" of 463,700. The foregoing figures are taken from the 1950 census and it is believed a 10 per cent increase for the year 1956 would be very conservative.

These figures represent Lubbock County and counties between Texas and Jefferson, Texas, eleven of these counties being directly on Highway 24, and twenty counties have no east-west outlet except this route.

Improving traffic on Highway No. 24 would relieve part of the traffic on State Highways No. 80 and No. 82 which are very heavily loaded, and would furnish a more direct route between East and West through North Central Texas.

There is a distance from Mineola on Highway No. 80 south to Paris on Highway No. 82 of approximately 140 miles that does not have an East-West outlet except the route of State Highway No. 24.

The traveler who is at Texarkana could save about 80 miles on a trip to Lubbock via Highway 24, other than No. 82. Also if he is at Jefferson, Texas, he could save about 60 miles via No. 24 than No. 80. In addition to these advantages of mileage, there is a consideration of traffic to be avoided in some of Texas' larger cities.

We have made a brief survey of the West on Highway No. 24 and find that travelers who are going east from Lubbock to other points such as Little Rock, Memphis, Birmingham, Montgomery, Shreveport, Jackson, Miss., and as far as Savannah, Ga., would like to travel via Highway No. 24, in order to miss larger metropolitan areas.

We also find the same in these areas as in the east confronted with the same problems. There is no doubt that there is more need for the advertising and improvements of Highway No. 24, than any other highway in Texas. We need extended designation of Highway No. 24, over Highway No. 380 and Highway No. 84, from Old Glory, Texas to Lubbock.

We are all aware of the fact that the route No. 24 is fast becoming rich in natural resources and farming, and many prosperous cities will spring into new life, and it seems we owe it to our great North Texas area to supply ourselves with the convenience No. 24 has to offer, and

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Josselet spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock, where they were guests in the homes of their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Josselet also visited in Kress, Texas, with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Denny, former Haskell residents, before returning home.

ATTEND GRID GAME IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Robison were in Lubbock during the week end, where they attended the Texas Tech-West Texas State football game with Frank Clarkson, former HHS football star. The occasion was designated "Dad's Night" honoring fathers of players on both teams. Clarkson made his home with the Robisons while attending school here. Mr. and Mrs. Robison were guests Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce King, sister and brother-in-law of Mr. Robison.

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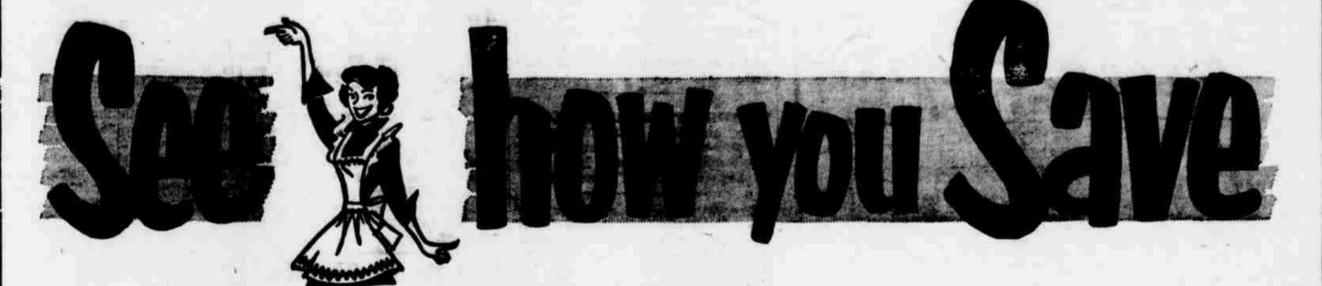
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Firemen —

(Continued from Page 1) sponded. Members of the Haskell Indians Band played three numbers. Vocal music was furnished by a quartet consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ash, Ray Lusik and Hubert Bledsoe, Haskell.

morton, 12.8; Rotan, 13.2; Snyder, 13.5; Colorado City, 14; Hamlin, 16.8; Albany, no time. A Ladies Auxiliary team of the Colorado City fire department ran the 6-Man hook-up, but drew no time on a faulty hook-up plug. Haskell fire department team did not compete for association trophies, but ran pattern time of 17 seconds in the pumper race, 11.7 in the six man, and 13 flat in the two man. Haskell's time in the pumper race was only two-tenths of a second under the state record time of 16.8 seconds.

District P-TA Mental Health Workshop Is Slated in Abilene

A workshop on Mental Health will be presented under the auspices of the 18th District P-TA Tuesday, Oct. 23 in the Women's Building, Abilene, announces Mrs. R. W. Herren, 18th District president. Dr. Charles Dent of the University of Texas, Austin, will be the consultant for the day long event. Registration for the workshop will begin at 8:30 a. m. Mrs. Herren reminds that the workshop is for all those who are interested in mental health and not just P-TA members. "All are urged to attend," she stated.

Regional Workshop For Teachers to Be Held in Seymour

The Classroom Teachers Association of District 7 will hold their annual fall workshop in Seymour Oct. 20, beginning at 9:00, in the Seymour high school. A group from the Haskell Association plan to attend the workshop. The theme of the meeting will be "That We May Proudly Teach." Mrs. K. H. Thornton, vice president of the Haskell Association will appear on the panel to discuss "The TCTA Contributes to The Cause of Educational Progress in Texas in Order That We May Proudly Teach."

Cancer Usually Curable in Its Early Stages

AUSTIN—Fear of cancer cannot help its victim, and unreasonable fear should be replaced by intelligent action concerning this disease, is the opinion of Dr. Henry Holle, Commissioner of Health. The commissioner said that cancer can usually be cured in its earlier stages, before it spreads to other areas of the body. This has been demonstrated by the fact that many persons have been treated successfully by surgery, radiation or X-ray and are living now, many years after a definite diagnosis. Many people postpone a diagnosis when they suspect cancer either because they dread to hear the truth or because they believe that a cure is impossible.

Prompt Service is Assured on Soil Analysis Tests

The number of soil samples being sent to the Soil Testing Laboratory at College Station have dropped to a new low for this season, reports M. K. Thornton, extension agricultural chemist who has charge of the lab. The chemist says the big reason for the slow down is the continuing drought and the uncertainty that rains will come in time to permit the seeding of fall and winter pastures of winter leure crops. But Thornton is sure that Texas farmers and ranchmen who go ahead with their planning will be far ahead when rains do come.

tax the facilities and delay analysis reports to producers for many days; thus slowing the job of seeding if the lab report is to be of value. Thornton believes that farmers should be prepared to take advantage of any situation which gives them enough moisture to insure a stand of fall seeded crops. By submitting soil samples now while the lab is not too busy, producers can be assured of getting fast returns. Too, they will be in a position to go ahead with the planning for fall and winter crops. The dollar spent for a soil analysis is often described as the best dollar which can be spent for fertilizer. The soil analysis could mean the difference between an average or below fall and winter cropping season or a highly successful one. Top yields of high quality forage are needed now in every section of Texas and the

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PARENTS OF SON Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bledsoe of Fairbanks, Alaska, are the parents of a son, David Carroll, born Oct. 5 in that city. He weighed eight pounds and three ounces. Grandparents are Mrs. G. C. Bartlett of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bledsoe of Haskell.

VISITORS FROM AMARILLO Mr. and Mrs. Mart Clifton had as guests in their home during the weekend, Dr. and Mrs. Sam K. Broyles, Sr., of Amarillo.

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Rosalie McCall on Dean's List at Austin College

A Haskell student, Rosalie McCall, was listed on Austin College Dean's List for Fall, 1956-57. Miss McCall is the daughter of Dr. R. K. McCall, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Dean's List students are juniors and seniors who have made a grade of B or better in every course taken the previous semester and who have an average of B or better for the previous year. The list includes 42 students this semester.

Don Smith Slated For Place on Tech Judging Team

Don Smith of Weinert is among a group of eight Texas Tech students from which the college's Crops Judging Team will be selected. The team will compete in Kansas City at the National Collegiate Grain Judging Contest on Nov. 20. Next they will compete in the International Collegiate Crop Judging Contest in Chicago No. 24. Don is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Smith who live in the Mattson community.

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Persons suspecting cancer should consult their physician as soon as they notice any unexplainable lump, unusual discharge, a persistent sore on any part of the body, or any change in the appearance of a mole or wart. It is disastrous to wait for pain, as this is a late symptom that usually doesn't occur until the malignant growth has made considerable advance. Two main rules should be followed in combatting cancer. First, have an annual physical examination by a reputable physician. In this way incipient cancerous conditions can be discovered and by proper treatment the disease can be conquered. The second rule is to mistrust high promising statements of "amazing new discoveries." The value of early diagnosis can not be stressed too strongly. For that reason all persons, especially those of middle age or older should have regular periodic physical examinations at least once a year. A study made in the Navarro-Hill Soil Conservation Districts, among other things, showed that participation in the district program was greater on farms where the tenant assumed major responsibilities for management. Details of the study are given in Progress Report 1879, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and it is available from the Agricultural Information office, College Station Texas.

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